

**SAGINAW COUNTY COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH AUTHORITY
ENDS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
JUNE 27, 2022 – 5:15 p.m.
ROOM 190/191**

PRESENT: Tracey Raquepaw, Joan Williams, Deb Nagel, Jill Armentrout, Steve Fresorger

ABSENT:

GUESTS:

STAFF: Lynn White, Lucia Vargas, Ryan Mulder

I. OPENING PROCEDURE

Jill Armentrout, Chair of Ends Committee, called the meeting to order at 5:17 p.m. A quorum was established, and verification of posting was determined.

II. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

There was no public participation.

III. FAMILY SUPPORT SUBSIDY PROGRAM

Lynn White, Community Liaison / Support Coordinator IDD presented on Family Support Subsidy Program. The following was noted:

- State Funded (MDHHS) Program administered through County CMHs
- Program Overview
- Eligibility
- Program Benefits / Payments (\$229.31 per month to offset cost of care needs)
- How to Apply
- FSS Guidelines for Determining Eligibility of Applicants
 - Summary / Background
 - Values and Principles
 - FSS Guidelines
 - Denial of FSS
 - Legal References

The Committee was able to ask questions / make comment. See document for details.

Motion made by Joan Williams and supported by Deb Nagel to receive and file the Family Support Subsidy Program Report as presented. Motion Carried.

IV. HISPANIC BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES

Lucia Vargas, Intake Specialists / Hospital Diversion / Hispanic Behavioral Health Therapist presented the Hispanic Behavioral Health Services for the Ends Committee. The following was reviewed:

- History of Hispanic Behavioral Health Services
- Building Trusting Relationships
- Outreach
- Therapy Services

- Future Goals
- HBHS Brochures available in English and Spanish
 - What can we do for you?
 - Lucia Vargas Bio

See Ends packet for complete details. The Committee was able to ask questions / make comment.

Motion made by Joan Williams and supported by Deb Nagel to receive and file the Hispanic Behavioral Health Services Report as presented. Motion Carried.

V. OTHER ITEMS OF IMPORTANCE

VI. ADJOURNMENT

With no other business a motion was made by Jill Armentrout with support from Joan Williams to adjourn this meeting at 5:57 p.m. Motion carried.