

IWUG Online Meeting Minutes

Thursday, January 8, 2015

Topics discussed:

Announcements

A guest speaker or topic will be featured to encourage provider's participation.

DHW

ATR 4:

Crystal Campbell

- ATR-4 implementation is underway. It will be phased in according to the schedule as follows:

Tuesday, January 6, 2015

- Veterans with a Substance Use Disorder (SUD) who have committed a crime and are on supervised probation
- Child Welfare families, specifically parents with a SUD and involvement in Child Welfare Court

Tuesday, January 20, 2015

- Individuals experiencing homelessness, both sheltered and unsheltered

Referrals will only be accepted from the following sources:

- Supervised Veterans – Veteran Court Coordinator or a Misdemeanant Probation Officer refer clients using the Funding Profile Form located at www.bpahealth.com.
- Child Welfare – CPS Liaisons or a Child Protection Drug Court Coordinator refer clients using the Funding Profile Form located at www.bpahealth.com.
- Homeless – Community-based service provider assists clients in calling BPA for phone screening at (800) 922-3406.
- For more information, please view our website at atr.dhw.idaho.gov, email campbelc@dhw.idaho.gov or call (208) 334-6506.
[Treatment and RSS Providers](#) (By Region)
[WITS Help Desk ATR Page](#) (Network Providers)
- On the next IWUG meeting, a speaker who works directly with the homeless will speak to this program.

Q: For Veterans, will someone from felony probation be eligible for ATR?

A: Not at this time, but DHW is working on it. Misdemeanants do not have a specific population under ATR-4, but they may qualify under a separate population.

Q: Asking for clarification of how community based organization is defined.

A: Not family and friends but any community organization. For example, a church organization would

meet the definition, but not individual church members.

Change in PWWC Specialty Network:

Denise Williams

- The PWWC network has been shifted to a smaller specialty network over all the regions. This care will still be available network-wide, but treatment will be placed under Case Management at the regular rate. If you have an authorization that is PWWC specific and your agency is not included in the specialty network, please contact BPA to have the authorization switched.

IDOC:

Lorenzo Washington

- Modifications to the IDOC budget have been put in place, per the communications sent to providers. For additional questions, please feel free to contact the Idaho Department of Corrections.

Q: When is parolee aftercare available? What will change for clients who were already in the system prior to 1/5/15?

A: In regards to how funding would work for those parolee aftercare clients that were already in the system prior to 1/5/15, clients would receive their funding in accordance with our old funding process. For those "out of matrix requests" for funding extensions after 1/5/15, clients would only receive the 30 day extension regardless of when we initially funded the client.

Courts:

Lynn Proctor

- No current update.

IDJC:

Liza Clinger

- No current update.

Clinical Supervision How-To Manual

Nancy Irvin

There are two major changes to the clinical manual.

- 1) In rating competencies which is brand new rating scheme from ATTC.
- 2) Supervision frequency based on competency rather than quantity. After 90 days agency can determine if they want to do an annual review or more frequent reviews. Trainees will still be monthly. Agencies have 90 days to implement these changes so agencies will not be audited for these changes until April 1st. In order to go to an annual review they have to meet the competency level in each area.