

**The Arlington Community Services Board
2120 Washington Blvd
Arlington, VA 22204**

**Substance Use Disorder Committee Meeting
Monday, September 30, 2019**

Attendees: Paul Kalchbrenner (chair), Jenette O’Keefe, Suzanne Somerville, Jim Mack, Anthony Marles and Shawn Buckner

Absent: Bobbie Jaeger, Tom Walker, Lonnie Ford, Grant Furick, Tonya Shivers and Wes Sanchez

The meeting began at 7:00 p.m.

- I. Introductions** – Met Anthony Marles who has agreed to join the committee. He brings lived experience, knowledge of people with SUD, and thoughts on how to make positive changes.
- II. Budget Outlook** – Suzanne gave an overview of the current budget for SUD. There has been an influx of money due to the opioid response money. Additionally, STEP-VA is giving DHS one position that will go to the SUD outpatient team. At this time, there is no budgetary need.
- III. Chairperson’s Report – Paul Kalchbrenner, Current SUD Chair**

Proposed Priorities for 2019-2020

A. Improve Linkages to Care

1. Current Safe Station Program – discussed how the program has been run out of the Magistrate’s Office and that other models have been more successful through fire stations. There is a plan to address this in January.

2. Discussion on Strategy to Improve Outreach – discussed options including building a peer network.

4. Area programs to Reach Overdose Patients in Hospitals – discussed some of the barriers and ways to address this. The goal is to improve follow up and data collection for Treatment and Recovery

B. Improve Regional Coordination

Paul would like to set up a meeting with CSB-SUD members from surrounding counties.

C. Expand Membership of Arlington CSB-SUD Subcommittee to create membership with more diverse background and experience.

IV. Schedule – Developed the tentative 2019-2020 Committee Schedule

September 30 – Business Meeting

October 28 – Jail Visit – ACT Unit

November 25 – Emily Siqveland – Community Outreach/Prevention

December 30 – Business Meeting

January 27 – Visit to Demeter House

February 24 – Budget Discussions

March 23 – Possibly Parntership For Children, Youth and Families

April 27 – Visit to ASPAN

May 25 – Business Meeting

June 22 – Review of Strategic Planning Session for AARI

July 27 – Regular Meeting

Meeting ended at 8:40 p.m.

Next meeting will be Monday, October 28. The committee will meet at the jail to tour the facility. The tour will begin at 5:00 p.m. Please send me your name and date of birth for clearance by October 21.



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