

OMHSAS Advisory Committee
April 7, 2011
Older Adult Committee
Meeting Outcomes

Agenda Item	Major Discussion Points/Decisions	Follow-up Needed Person(s) Responsible
Welcome and Introductions	Co-chair Carol Baker opened the meeting. Committee members and sunshine attendees introduced themselves.	
Review and Approval of Meeting Outcomes	Meeting outcomes from January 6, 2011 were reviewed. Susan Bartholomew-Palmer motioned to accept the outcomes. Rebecca May-Cole seconded the motion. The motion carried.	
Member Announcements/Updates	Lynn Patrone announced that this will be her last meeting as co-chair due to her term expiring. Information regarding nominations for co-chair will be distributed on the listserv prior to the next in person meeting.	
Persons in Recovery Subcommittee Update	Wesley Mitchell reported that the PIR (Persons in Recovery) sub-committee mission statement is being revised. The proposed mission statement was read. There was no discussion. PIR also discussed how they will continue to move forward given the challenges that the changes to consumer and family member reimbursement pose.	
Older Adults & Substance Use Initiative <i>Kelly Primus Allegheny Health Choices</i> <i>Dr. James Schuster</i> <i>Community Care BH</i>	See handout " <i>Substance Use Disorders in Older Adults</i> "	
OMHSAS Updates <i>Sabrina Tillman-Boyd</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plans to add Psychiatric Rehabilitation Services (PRS) to Pennsylvania's Medicaid State Plan is no longer moving forward. The administration is assessing all new services for budgetary consideration. PRS will continue to be a supplemental service in HealthChoices. 	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A survey was sent to nursing home administrators to learn how behavioral health services are provided in the nursing home setting. Responses are due May 1, 2011. • OMHSAS and Dept of Aging are reviewing the coordination of services for individuals in the PDA Waiver who need behavioral health services. • Phase two of the TTI Grant is underway. Two training vendors will be selected and trained as Older Adult CPS Trainers. 	
Priority Projects— Workgroup Updates	Updates were not provided.	
Updates with the Deputies <i>Jennifer Burnett, Deputy Secretary, OLTL</i> <i>Sherry Snyder, Acting Deputy Secretary, OMHSAS</i>	Jennifer Burnett was not able to attend. Sherry Snyder <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Depending on the outcome of the NH administrator survey, OMHSAS and OLTL may want to conduct a follow up survey with NH residents and their families. • Sherry encouraged the committee to continue to identify best and promising practices related to enhancing services to older adults. 	