

**OMHSAS Advisory Committee
April 7, 2011
Persons In Recovery Sub-Committee
Meeting Outcomes**

Agenda Item	Major Discussion Points/Decisions	Follow-up Needed Person(s) Responsible
Welcome and Introductions	Co-Chairs called meeting to order and welcomed members.	
Review and Approval of Meeting Outcomes	The January meeting outcomes were reviewed and approved by members.	
Persons in Recovery Updates: Children's Committee Adult Committee Older Adult Committee	Members discussed attendance at Committee meetings to ensure PIR is represented. RO and MFB DH and HB WM and BH	
Old Business	The draft mission statement was reviewed and discussed based upon feedback received from BDAP and OMHSAS. Members revised the mission statement as follows: Advocate, represent, and identify the issues or concerns for individuals and families statewide seeking to access and sustain long-term recovery. Members reached consensus on the revised mission statement which will be sent to leadership for review.	

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New Business	<p>Members discussed the changes to the Advisory meetings to consider cost effective alternatives for members to continue to participate. Options such as webex, video conferences, conference calls were considered.</p> <p>It was decided that PIR will meet at 8:30 before the Advisory meetings to decrease travel and overnight accommodations when possible.</p> <p>Conference calls or video conference will be scheduled as needed to complete business.</p> <p>Access to OMHSAS office sites for video conference resources will be explored. This would assist with travel for members.</p> <p>Members discussed current goals and objectives to determine what could be accomplished with current changes.</p> <p>Discussion points included prevention/intervention issues, stigma impact, perception of substance use, various pathways to recovery available, language, and impact on current system.</p> <p>The conversation will be continued via conference call prior to the next face to face meeting. Members will be queried for availability.</p>	
Ongoing Issues	Transformation to a Behavioral Health Recovery Oriented System	

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	<p>Enhancement of Substance Abuse services and Co-occurring services across the state.</p> <p>Inclusion of substance use issues in all Advisory Committee work</p> <p>Education of public on accessing substance use services and supports.</p> <p>Equality between substance use, mental health, and co-occurring services statewide.</p> <p>Monitor the status of the proposed Department of Drug and Alcohol Programs</p>	
Next Meeting Date	<p>Conference call will be scheduled by the end of April.</p> <p>Next Advisory meeting is scheduled for June 1, 2011.</p>	