

IROQUOIS CENTER FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

610 E. Grant Ave, Greensburg, KS 67054

Advisory Council Meeting Minutes

January 20th, 2025, 4:00 p.m.

The Advisory Council met in a regular meeting session at the Iroquois Center for Human Development's (ICHD) office, 610 E. Grant Ave. Greensburg, Kansas.

CALL TO ORDER

- a. The meeting was called to order at 4:03pm

ROLL CALL

- b. Those present were as follows:
 - i. Present – Ricky Boswell, Donald Reeves
 - ii. Absent – Andrew Wolfley
 - iii. ICHD Staff – Brandon Brown, Jeff Ford, Jacqui Boswell

NEW BUSINESS

- c. The Advisory Council was informed about the results from the KDADS certification site visit. ICHD received a score of 56%, while a score of 70% was required to pass. The positive aspect of this site visit is that the report provides us with information needed to make necessary adjustments before the next visit scheduled for July.
 - i. One of the areas of concern noted during the KDADS site visit was the lack of documentation indicating that the Advisory Council has lived experience.
 - a. Question from AC – can you explain what that means?
 1. Lived experience refers to your personal journey in dealing with various situations in life, including mental health challenges and diagnoses.
 - ii. Advisory Council members were asked to write a short statement sharing their lived experience for state reporting purposes. It was assured that this information would remain confidential and only be used for state reports.
 - iii. Question from AC – Does the fact that we didn't pass the state certification affect the grant?
 - a. No. The grant we received is a four-year grant from SAMHSA (we are currently in year 3), and we have already passed the attestation for that grant. The KDADS site visit is related to state certification and therefore does not impact our grant status.
- d. It was announced that there will be a weekend group at Oak Haven, with more

details to follow.

- e. We are in the process of hiring Peer Support personnel who will run community events during non-working hours. This initiative is still in the early planning stages.
- f. We have been developing a client portal app, which is set to go live on March 4th. This app will be integrated with our current electronic health record system, enhancing and simplifying the management of personal mental health care.

ADJOURNMENT

- g. ICHD staff moved to adjourn the meeting, there were no disagreements. The meeting was adjourned at 4:29pm.

The Advisory Board will next meet in regular session on 14 April 2025, at 4:00 p.m.

Minutes prepared by:

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