

Summary of Minutes March 2015
Columbia County Community Advisory Council

The minutes for February were not approved due to not having a quorum of membership present

Joell Archibald, Innovator Agent, from OHA gave an update: Joell discussed the CAC summit June 3rd and 4th. The transformation center will pay for any CAC member that would like to attend. Sign up through the transformation center website or work with Nancy to be connected.

Joell discussed the OHP redetermination process that has been extended again through the end of March. People who needed to do a re-application have been getting lots of messages that might be causing a lot of confusion. There is a dashboard that has been created to help with transparency around the process and there have been 85 new people hired at OHA to help with the process. Community Assistor contracts have been extended until June 30th.

All open card members have been rolled into the CCO (about 600-800 people). There is a special request form for medically complicated people who want to request staying open card rather than being assigned to a CCO.

The CAC discussed the Charter and changing some of the language to consider addressing a focus of the work around ACES, DV, Trauma, Violence and the CCO's stance on marijuana use now that it is legal. They also continued the discussion of creating a Columbia County community education (brain and behavior) series similar to what is happening in Tillamook County. The discussion centered on who could potentially be sponsors and/or participate in a local expert panel.

Decisions about the charter and sponsoring a community education series will wait until there is a quorum present.

Next CAC meeting is April 5, 2015 3-5pm at CCMH.