



Behavioral Health Partnership Oversight Council

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Agenda

May 13, 2015

2 PM in LOB Room 1E

1. BHP OC Administration

- Introductions
- April BHPOC Summary
- Resignation of Howard Drescher, Adult Family Representative
- Filling consumer representatives positions on the Council

2. Action Items

None

3. CTBHP Agency Reports

- **DMHAS**- Colleen Harrington
- **DCF**- Karen Andersson
- **DSS** – Bill Halsey

4. Provider Perspective on Challenges and Opportunities in Providing Behavioral Health Services (Steve Merz, VP Behavioral Health Services, Yale-New Haven Psychiatric Hospital)

5. Connecticut Medicaid Outpatient Behavioral Health Clinic Services: A Clinical Study (Dr. Bert Plant, Sr. VP of Quality & Innovation, Value Options)

6. Committee Reports

- *Coordination of Care: Co-Chair Janine Sullivan-Wiley*
Joint Meetings with Medical Assistance Program Consumer Access Committee
- *Child/Adolescent Quality, Access & Policy: Co-Chairs Sherry Perlstein, Hal Gibber & Jeff Vanderploeg*
- *Adult Quality, Access & Policy: Co-Chairs: Heather Gates & Alicia Woodsby*
- *Operations Co-Chairs Susan Walkama & Terri DiPietro*

7. New Business and Adjournment

Next meeting: June 10, 2015 at 2:00 PM in 1E LOB