MIATSA Minutes

6/13/23 @ 12:00 PM

Board members present: Dave Berghuis, Marissa Smits, James Kissinger, Jessica Hamp, Megan Pena, Staci Zonca, Karen Holt, Katy Pastoor, Kris Pence

Minutes to be taken by: Marissa Smits

1. Social Justice Issues:
   1. Providing Clinical Care to LGBTQ+ People
      1. July 10, 2023, 11:30-3:30pm
      2. CEUs – Jessica to submit by the end of the week.
      3. Free except CEUs
      4. Approximately 30 Registrations
2. Trainings:
3. PROFESOR- Ron (No update)
   1. Ron working on sample interview questions
4. Any other trainings thinking about for the Fall time frame.
   1. Training on juveniles who have sexually offended/juvenile justice (No update)--
      1. Dr. Shakir working on training
      2. Ron to follow up after upcoming training he is providing
   2. Harm reduction techniques training -Megan
      1. Board Members to explore literature
   3. Clinicians and legal documentation, testifying in court
   4. Dialogue among clinicians for best practices addressing dynamic needs- MDOC community vendor suggestions:
      1. Longer training, in-person
      2. goal is practical and hands-on discussion; knowledge and skills; specific techniques
      3. Panel w/ Q&A
      4. Breakout discussion sessions: online offending, cognitive impairment, etc.
      5. Megan to contact Lansing Community College about dates and costs for an in-person training
      6. Dave to contact vendor group to develop panel suggestions, clear outline of discussion topics, timelines, etc.
   5. Treating clients with Personality Disorder/Serious Mental Illness
      1. Marissa to continue with research.
      2. Possible speakers: Laurie Guidry, Heather Moulden
   6. Survey during next training sign-on (Kris to facilitate)
5. Technical Communication (No update)
   1. No updates
6. Membership/Branding (No update)
   1. Free membership discussion?
   2. No updates
7. Written Communication (No update)
8. Research Grant Committee (No update)
9. Legislative Issues/Registry Committee (No update)
10. Financial update: Ron (No update)
11. Treatment for Women Subcommittee
    1. Katy Pastoor to do write up for a manual related to women who have engaged in sexually abusive behaviors.
    2. Dr. Comartin from Wayne State- going to study MDOC program for women
    3. Training at the Forensic Center recently- possibility of application to MDOC program
    4. Recent training for MDOC from Katy Pastoor, Jessica Mangan, & Vince Libran (positive feedback)
12. ATSA Name change—Ron (no update)
13. Board Members
    1. Expectations for board member participation/attendance
    2. Board member roles- increased specificity
    3. Discuss further next month

**Motion to remove inactive board members. Motion unanimously approved**

1. Change meeting time?
   1. Discuss during next session

**Next meeting Tuesday 7/11/23 at 1200 pm**