



# Dane County

## Minutes - Final Unless Amended by Committee

### Community Justice Council - Behavioral Health Subcommittee

*Consider:*

*Who benefits? Who is burdened?*

*Who does not have a voice at the table?*

*How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?*

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Friday, October 20, 2023

12:15 PM

Hybrid Meeting: Attend in person at the City County  
Building in Room 351; attend virtually via Zoom.

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See below for additional instructions on how to attend the meeting and provide public  
testimony.

#### A. Call To Order

Chair Crawford called the meeting to order at 12:29 pm

Staff present: Clark-Bernhardt, Jensen, and Menard

**Present** 8 - TODD CAMPBELL, AARON CHAPIN, SUSAN CRAWFORD, SARAH KRAHN,  
JEANNE MCLELLAN, JARED PRADO, ISMAEL OZANNE, and SARAH SHIMKO

**Excused** 4 - CATHERINE DORL, JONATHAN TRIGGS, CRICKET BEESON, and TAMRA OMAN

#### B. Consideration of Minutes

1. [2023 MIN-328](#) MINUTES OF THE AUGUST 18, 2023 CRIMINAL JUSTICE COUNCIL  
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING

Attachments: [2023 MIN-328](#)

[8.18.23 CJC BH Registration Forms](#)

A motion was made by OZANNE, seconded by SHIMKO, that the minutes be  
approved. The motion carried by a voice vote.

#### C. Action Items

NONE

#### D. Presentations

NONE

#### E. Reports to Committee

## 1. Lived Experience Survey Analysis and Results

*Jensen presented the lived experience survey results. See attached file. The lived experience survey was a pilot project and the first step in gathering feedback from those with lived experience. The results highlighted potential research topics to explore in the future. For future research, important to include currently incarcerated individuals at the Dane County Jail. Results did indicate there is a strong desire from those with lived experience to work with peer support specialists.*

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RPT-362](#)

### LIVED EXPERIENCE SURVEY ANALYSIS AND RESULTS

**Attachments:** [2023 RPT-362](#)

## 2. Competency Restoration Update

*Chair Crawford provided an update on the internal discussions occurring relating to competency restoration. Internal staff team has discussed preliminary strategies to research and the feasibility of potentially implementing (in the future) in Dane County. Internal staff team will continue to explore and discuss with the goal of bringing back recommendations to the CJC BH Subcommittee in the near future.*

*Clark-Bernhardt indicated there are early discussions and data discovery surrounding potential flags to the Public Defender's Office regarding a defendant that has a record of competency issues utilizing administrative datasets.*

## 3. Crisis Triage Center Update

*Campbell provided an update on the Crisis Triage Center (CTC). In August, the Dane County Executive, Joe Parisi, sent a letter to the Wisconsin Department of Health Services Secretary explaining the work completed by Dane County to date along with requesting help from DHS in making the CTC a reality. To date, haven't received a response from DHS.*

*Campbell also stated that recent legislation introduced in the Wisconsin Legislature, SB 462 and AB 467, may provide the flexibility Dane County is looking for to move the CTC forward. It is a step forward at the state level.*

*Dane County is still actively working to make the CTC a reality.*

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COM-002](#)

### CRISIS TRIAGE CENTER LETTER TO DHS SECRETARY

**Attachments:** [2023 COM-002](#)

## **F. Future Meeting Items and Dates**

*Due to staffing capacity, the CJC BH Subcommittee will be on hiatus until spring. Save the 3rd Friday of the month for future CJC BH Subcommittee meetings.*

*Staff will send CJC BH Subcommittee members, in December, a summary of relevant budget items that were passed in Dane County's 2024 budget.*

*Future agenda items: Presentation on the Re-Entry team and the Paul Rusk Resource Desk from Sarah Wampole-Maciejeski*

## **G. Public Comment on Items not on the Agenda**

*NONE*

## **H. Such Other Business as Allowed by Law**

*NONE*

## **I. Adjourn**

**A motion was made by OZANNE, seconded by CAMPBELL, that the meeting be adjourned. The motion carried unanimously by a voice vote.**

**The meeting adjourned at 1:42 pm**

**Minutes respectfully submitted by Lindsay Menard, pending subcommittee approval**