

OCDP Education Committee
July 29, 2016
Meeting Minutes

Present: M. Brubaker, A. Ferguson, D. Fidelibus, T. Gardner, R. Rambaud, A. Sharer, K.Yocum

The meeting was called to order at 1pm at Talbot Hall.

The committee shared announcements with each other. M. Brubaker share UC and Prevention First's efforts to create and launch an OCPSA curriculum and training program. M. Brubaker also shared that UC has a prevention track at both the undergraduate and graduate level.

D. Fidelibus shared about the upcoming workforce event being sponsored by NAADAC and OhioMHAS on 9/8/16. This event is targeted to encourage college students to choose a career in this field.

The minutes of the 1/22/16 meeting were reviewed and accepted by the committee.

Public Request

The committee discussed a recent inquiry board staff received regarding whether or not a author of online CEUs can either earn CEUs for the creation of the class or take the class itself to get CEUs. The Board's current rules do not speak to either of this issues directly. The committee discussed both at length and agreed that online trainings would become more popular as we move forward and that the Board should update its CEU rules to account for this. In the meantime, the committee felt that the Board's current rule on teaching a class or authoring a publication could be interpreted to account for online CEUs. A. Ferguson will address on an as needed bases until new rules can account for the matter.

IC&RC ADC Standards Changes

A. Ferguson shared that she met with the Coalition of Human Service Associate Degree Educators to discuss the impact of IC&RC's recent ADC standards changes. The coalition unanimously indicated they could meet the increase in education hours to 300 if the Board would revise its content areas from the nine Ohio specific areas to the four IC&RC domain areas. If the Board maintained its nine areas, the coalition did not believe they could reasonably achieve the 300 hours. The coalition understood that the Board would set a minimum number of AOD specific hours as part of the total 300 but was mixed on how many AOD specific hours to require. Most said they could reasonably accommodate half of the hours (150) as AOD specific. This matches what the Board currently requires since 30 of the hours (prevention and treatment planning areas) do not have to be AOD specific. The committee discussed the need to make sure we are

maintaining high standards as well as what is most appropriate for Ohio. A recommendation on this matter was deferred to the next meeting.

Webinar Guidelines

The committee briefly continued discussion of this matter. It was recommended that the post-test guidelines for recorded webinars include a pass rate requirement.

Meeting adjourned at 2:45 pm.