

Orange County Criminal Justice Coordinating Council

April 19, 2019 at 9:30 a.m.

Hall of Administration

MEETING MINUTES

Attendees: Supervisor Andrew Do (First District, Chair), Supervisor Doug Chaffee (Fourth District, Vice Chair), Todd Spitzer (District Attorney), Michelle Aguirre (Chief Financial Officer), Richard Sanchez (Health Care Agency), Chris Wangsaporn (First District), Tara Campbell (First District), Chris Gaarder (First District), Paulette Marshall Chaffee (Fourth District), Montana Sudul (Fourth District), Joanne Motoike (Presiding Judge, Juvenile Court), Kirk Nakamura (Presiding Judge, Superior Court), Mary Kreber Varipapa (Judge, Collaborative Courts), Joseph Balicki (OC Sheriff's Department), Ray Grangoff (OC Sheriff's Department), Greg Boston (OC Sheriff's Department), Geoff Henderson (OC Sheriff's Department), Tracy Lesage (Public Defender), Dan Cook (Public Defender), Shawn Nelson (District Attorney), Scott Zldbeck (District Attorney), Erin Winger (Health Care Agency), Jeff Nagel (Health Care Agency), Renee Ramirez (OC Community Resources), Carma Lacey (OC Community Resources) Bryan Prieto (Probation), Nicole Sims (County Counsel), Lisa Bohan-Johnston (County Executive Office, Budget Director), Susan Price (County Executive Office), Lilly Simmering (County Executive Office), Kim Engelby (County Executive Office), Natalie Dempster (County Executive Office), Kristin Cipriano (County Executive Office)

- I. Call to Order/Introductions/Opening Remarks:** Meeting called to order by OCCJCC Chair Supervisor Andrew Do. Supervisor Do suggested moving the meeting time to 9:00 am and asked everyone to check to see if the new time would work.
- II. Review and Approval of Minutes:** Meeting Minutes of March 15, 2019, were approved unanimously with a correction of a capitalization error to capitalize Board on page 2.
- III. Integrated Services Strategy Update:** OCCJCC Chair, Supervisor Andrew Do advised that on Tuesday, April 23, 2019, the Point In time Count results will be released. The information will be a beneficial tool for the OCCJCC Committee and help drive policy decisions.

Supervisor Do shared a document with a visual that demonstrated that OCCJCC will be the hub of these efforts. At upcoming meetings, he would like to hear presentations and hear feedback on the other entities that are part of the integrated services. Supervisor Do asked that as the presentations are made, attendees think of how performance is measured and how a baseline is created as a way to create meaningful measurements.

Chief Financial Officer, Michelle Aguirre suggested the Probation department provide an overview on the Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council at a future meeting. The overview would be a benefit to the committee as it holds a collaborative courts component and will help us to better understand how we can link the juveniles and adult population.

Lilly Simmering, Deputy Chief Operating Officer, provided an update on integrated services. She advised that they are starting to incorporate updates from the juvenile perspective as well. They will be providing training for intervention crisis response and reaching out to other first responders to participate. There is a grant for trauma informed training and will also be reaching out to provide this to other first responders as well.

Supervisor Do requested that in future presentations that the Courts be broken out into different courts – specialty, juvenile, adult, etc.

Lilly commented that John Hendrickson from SSA is present as the AB 210 Data Sharing Memorandum of Understanding will be coming to the Board in June for consideration. This will be a benefit for the County's data integration efforts and will allow information to be shared that wasn't able to be shared previously.

Michelle Aguirre discussed the \$800,000 expand augmentation in the FY 19-20 recommended budget which will address and provide substance use disorder treatment and cognitive behavioral health treatment.

Erin Winger, Health Care Agency/Correctional Medical, spoke about the ASR coming to the Board on April 23, 2019 for medically assisted treatment used to treat opioid use disorder in the jails.

Assistant Sheriff Baker announced inmates are no longer released between midnight and 7 am. This new procedure has been very positive since services are not available between those hours and therefore there is no place for the individuals to go. Assistant Sheriff Baker clarified that this does not include signed releases.

Carma Lacy, Director of Workforce Development, OC Community Resources, provided an overview of the partnership program with Santa Ana and Anaheim to create a no wrong door system of serving justice-involved individuals, both adults and juveniles. The anticipated grant funding is \$4.4 million through the Economic Development Department (EDD) with a start date of September 30, 2019. The funding is anticipated to last through April 30, 2022. Although there are more than 6000 individuals within this population, the initial target is to serve 360.

There is a monthly team meeting of the Integrated Services team to update the document and identify any specific issues to focus and concentrate on over the next month.

IV. Presentations: Collaborative Courts - Judge Mary Kreber Varipapa gave a presentation that was created in consultation with the Public Defender and the District Attorney's Office and primarily focused on Collaborative Courts specifically mental health, veterans and homeless. The presentation provided a general background, detail on mental health, veterans, and homeless courts, the limits and needs of the Collaborative Courts, opportunities and the measures.

Sheriff – Assistant Sheriff Baker discussed the changing needs of inmates at the Orange County Jail and plans to reconfigure the Intake Release Center (IRC) to meet those changing needs. Modules K, L and M will also be modified to address mental health service's needs. He also provided an update on the phasing of these projects and other programming improvements at the jails.

District Attorney – District Attorney Todd Spitzer indicated that the DA's Office Updates were integrated as part of the earlier presentation. He looks forward to participating in the Integrated Services meetings.

Public Defender – Dan Cook expressed the Public Defender’s support of the Collaborative Courts and announced that their 2 new Recidivism Reduction Advisors start next Friday.

Supervisor Do mentioned that he would like to get input from the other bodies he mentioned at the beginning of the next meeting and looks forward to establishing working groups to achieve various deliverables.

Supervisor Do also asked that agendas, minutes and documents be posted online.

V. OCCJCC Comments: Judge Mary Kreber Varipapa also indicated that she has copies and reference materials available should anyone need them. The group commented on the leadership exhibited by this group and the great work being done over the past six months.

VI. Public Comments: None

VII. Date of next meeting: May 17, 2019, 9:00 a.m.