

Denton County Behavioral Health Leadership Team

November 15, 2018

8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

United Way of Denton County (1314 Teasley Ln, Denton, TX 76201)

Agenda

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| II. | Consideration of Minutes from September 2018. Minutes attached for review. | T. Widmer | 2 min. |
| III. | Sequential Intercept Model Report | D. Lee | 5 min. |
| IV. | Conference Updates | S. Redwine | 10 min. |
| V. | Year in Review | S. Redwine | 10 min. |
| VI. | 2019 Calendar | S. Redwine | 5 min. |
| VII. | Workgroup Reports | | 20 min. |
| | a. Veterans-Chris Martin | | |
| | b. Jail Diversion/MH Treatment Court-Captain Doug Lee/Tami Russell | | |
| | c. Child and Family Systems-Dr. Lisa Elliott and Laura Prillwitz | | |
| VIII. | New Business | | |
| IX. | Public Comment | | |
| X. | Adjourn | T. Widmer | |

Next Meeting: January 17 @ 8:00 a.m.

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2019 Proposed Meetings

January 17

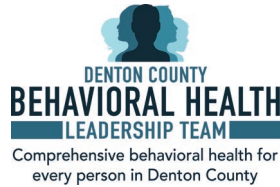
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| III. | Sequential Intercept Model Report
Did not have quorum to vote to approve report. | D. Lee | 5 min. |
| IV. | Conference Updates
Judicial Summit on Mental Health had 2 tracks-Adult and Child and Adolescent. Sonia shared that there are opportunities to better share data across systems and that we were ahead of many communities because we already had worked through the SIM and have identified our priorities. Working on other jail diversion strategies as we continue to think through options for a CSU. Learned that there is an intercept -1 : PUBLIC HEALTH, PREVENTION, EDUCATION! | S. Redwine | 10 min. |

MMHPI Engage and Excel conference takeaways—we are ahead of many communities with our collective impact initiative. Opportunities to improve response to MH crisis calls with the incorporation of MHMR, EMS, LE responding to calls. Able to share how we moved the VCN program from pilot to sustainability and the relationships needed to make that move successful.

Leah Jordan shared that she saw Denton County has an example for other counties in what we have been able to accomplish thus far. Captain Lee shared that the Judicial Summit wants results and is expecting to create movement within the Legislature to improve responses to justice involved individuals experiencing a mental health condition. Chris Martin reiterated that our group has breadth that other community coalitions do not. Gary Henderson reiterated that this group provides an advantage when we look for funding.

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| V. | Year in Review | S. Redwine | 10 min. |
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- Sonia reviews the priorities the leadership team identified in January. Top priorities include Jail Diversion, Case Management, Homelessness, Communication across the community, Funding for more programs, Need for grant writers, and Mental health with the homeless population. 6 out of the 7 opportunities have been addressed. Using SIM to drive jail diversion. HB13 grant allowed us to increase case management positions with the Denton County Jail. DHLT and DCBHLT Veterans



workgroup working together to address Mayor's challenge to End Veteran Homelessness by 2020. Improved communication across sectors. HB13 funding jail diversion SIM intercepts 3-5. Conversations have begun with DHLT case conferencing team regarding SUD. Still working on getting a dedicated grant writer.

Mary Jones asked about homeless Veteran population numbers. Courtney Cross identified 48 households per HMIS.

Kathryn Stream asked about follow up regarding SIM. Sonia talked about reports for HB13. Captain Doug Lee mentioned Judge Ramsey is now a Denton County employee to help with diversion process.

Crisis Stabilization Unit is still a priority.

- VI. 2019 Calendar S. Redwine 5 min.
Meetings will continue the 3rd Thursday of the Month. January 17, March 21, May 16, July 18, September 19, November 21.

Did not have quorum to motion to approve.

- VII. Workgroup Reports (See attached) 20 min.
Terry Widmer acknowledges Col. Chris Martin and his Congressional Veteran Commendation for his work with the DCVC and the Veterans workgroup.
- a. Veterans-Chris Martin
Homeless Veteran Stand Down with 29 Veterans. Veterans Workgroup will support funding opportunities for intensive case management for Veteran homelessness. Refining strategic plan. Meeting with VA officials about increasing MH services. Need space to house 3 MH providers, 120 sq ft per office, a group meeting space, and ADA compliant, and windows. VA townhalls happening.
 - b. Jail Diversion/MH Treatment Court-Captain Doug Lee/Tami Russell
Transportation to and from MH facilities to court is a priority, incorporating the use of video conferencing. SOPs on how to make an involuntary commitment report/form for LE.
 - c. Child and Family Systems-Dr. Lisa Elliott and Laura Prillwitz
Twitter project forum delayed. Waiting to hear back from TTUHSC. Expand outreach to surrounding communities to provide education and resources.

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Proposed ideas for Mental Health First Aid Adult and Youth. Need underwriting to have course at no cost to participant. LMHAs able to offer the Youth MHFA training for FREE (HHSC grant funding) for ISDs



and institutes of higher education. Working with DCMHMR to advertise Youth MHFA on Saturdays for ISDs.

Dr. Valenta mentioned the challenge of Saturday trainings and the length of MHFA training for teachers. He recognizes the need; 400 suicide outreaches a month in Denton ISD. Kathryn Stream suggested starting with school nurses. Dr. Valenta suggested exploring the idea of an exchange day in the summer. Mayhill open to funding MHFA.

X. Adjourn at 9:30

T. Widmer

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Secretary Signature: _____

Date: _____

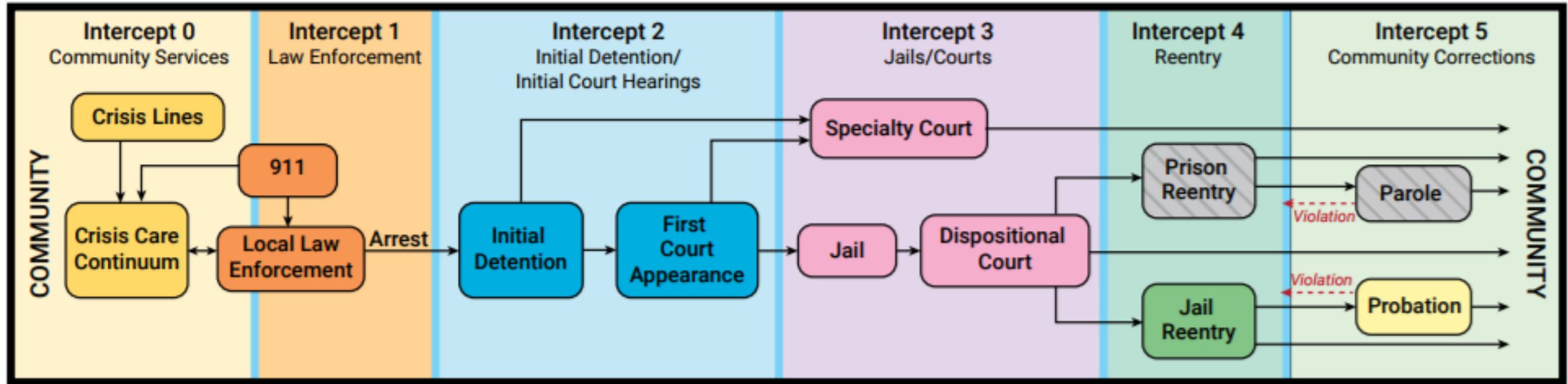


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LEADERSHIP TEAM

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The Sequential Intercept Model



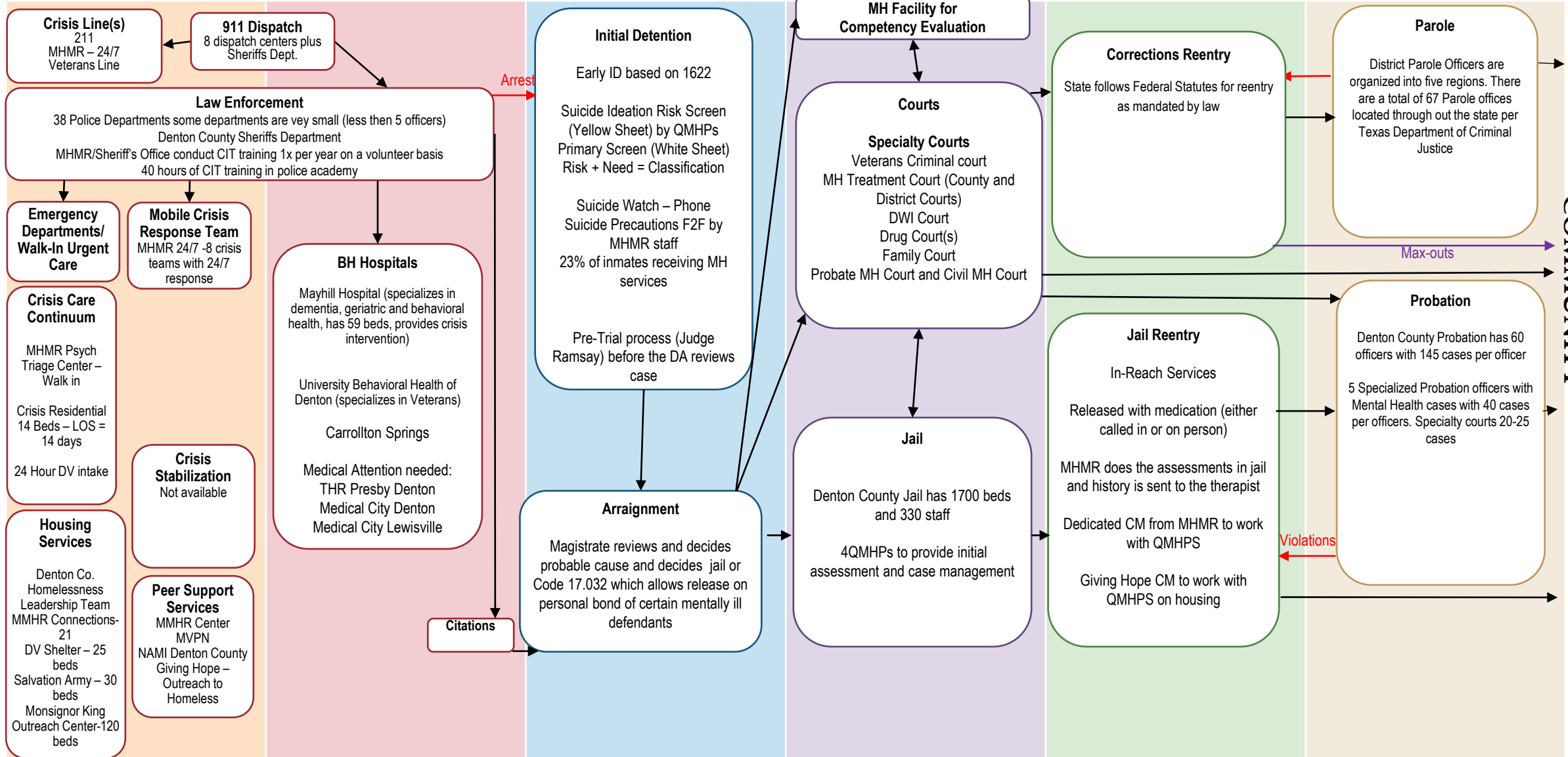
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Policy Research Associates (2017), *The Sequential Intercept Model: Advancing Community-Based Solutions for Justice-Involved People with Mental and Substance Abuse Disorders*

Intercept 0 Hospital, Crisis, Respite, Peer, & Community Services	Intercept 1 Law Enforcement & Emergency Services	Intercept 2 Initial Detention & Initial Court Hearings	Intercept 3 Jails & Courts	Intercept 4 Reentry	Intercept 5 Community Corrections & Community Supports
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Statewide Behavioral Health Coordinating Council Member



Council Member

Panelists



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Veterans/Mental Health Services
Recovery Resource Council



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United Way Denton County



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West Texas Counseling and Guidance Center



DCBHLT Opportunities for 2018

- 1. Jail Diversion**
- 2. Case Management**
- 3. Homelessness**
- 4. Communication across the community**
- 5. Funding for more programs**
- 6. Need for grant writers**
- 7. Mental health with the homeless population**

DCBHLT 2018 Accomplishments

1. Jail Diversion

Sequential Intercept Model Mapping complete

2. Case Management

Denton ACTS Initiative (HB13) funded 2 case managers for reentry services

3. Homelessness



END VETERAN HOMELESSNESS
IN DENTON COUNTY BY 2020

DCBHLT 2018 Accomplishments

4. Communication across the community



DCBHLT 2018 Accomplishments

5. Funding for more programs

\$750,000 for HB 13, funding 5 new positions

Denton County Commissioners Court

2 VCN

2 QMHPS for Correctional Health (1 reclass, 1 new position)

6. Need for grant writers

7. Mental health with the homeless population

Begun the conversation between SUD providers and housing providers

BRACE YOURSELF

"IT'S A MARATHON, NOT A SPRINT"
QUOTES ARE COMING

DCBHLT 2019 Calendar

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Mental Health First Aid 2019



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