

MINUTES: RCCY Monthly Provider Meeting Tuesday January 18, 2011

Participants: Addy (ACS Training Grant), Amanda (FSCA), Sheryl and Retha (ABFS), Reshia (NSB), Gus and Rick (JYS), Ryan (YAS – Hanson House), Ryan and Jamie (YKHC), Debi (KPCCC), JB (Providence), Darla and Ty (PHH), Elise (Nome). State Staff: Lisa Good (BH), Diana Grieser (OCS Psych Nurse) Facilitator: Deb Craig (OCS)

Minutes:

A. RCCY Provider Updates

- a. Reshia Dunbar – CYS introduced the North Slope Boroughs effort to change their service to the Teaching Family model with three homes (instead of one residential facility) and a resource center to provide preventative services. CYS contracted with Closer to Home, a Canadian company specializing in this model.
- b. Debbie Kimbrell – KPCCC introduced their new Compliance Officer Eric Franklin.
- c. Ryan Haug – YAS discussed annual training plans for their staff to ensure readiness for training and compliance with training requirements.

B. RCCY Training Grant Update – Addy Peters

- a. Addy walked providers through the Training Website and encouraged providers to make their training plans for the year and make sure staff were signed in to Essential Learning which offers **750 on line training courses!**

C. RCCY Program Updates – Deb Craig

- a. Presentation: **Using the Web for Residential Care Information**

<http://www.hss.state.ak.us/ocs/ResidentialCare/>

Deb reviewed the new RCCY web layout and encouraged staff to add the link as a favorite or save it on their desktop. The new link includes all the handouts from the RCCY Summit, a new forms page, and a new look on the face page. Please check out all the changes if you were not at the meeting. Also, PLEASE REVIEW THE WEBSITE FOR YOUR FACILITY and ensure it says what you mean it to say.... This is a great marketing tool for all providers. Contact Debbie McDonald (she is added to the contacts page) if you want to submit web changes: Debbie.mcdonald@alaska.gov

- b. Announcements – OCS reorganization – Travis Erickson will be the new Children's Services Manager (CSM) Supervisor for all five OCS regions and Sara Childress will be the new CSM in Anchorage.

- c. Site Reviews: ABFS – March, AFS - February

D. AAHC Update – Brad Ohs – sent email – on the plane on his way to AAHC!!!!

E. Partner Updates

- DBH – Bradley Grigg – not present
- DBH – Lisa Good (AK Aims)
- DJJ - Courtney King – not present
- DPH – Michelle Parker (Licensing) – not present

February RCCY Presentation: Deborah Stockberger, DHSS Perm Group – the RAC in Alaska

March RCCY Presentation: Dee Pearson, OCS – Independent Living Program