

# Minutes

<b>Mtg. Facilitator:</b> Alison Krompf, Samantha Sweet	<b>Where:</b> Microsoft Teams <b>Date:</b> 6.11.21 <b>Start Time:</b> 10:00pm <b>End Time:</b> 11:00pm
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## Attendees

Those marked with a “✓” were in attendance, those marked with a “x” weren’t. **BOLD** indicate meeting guests.

Name	DA/SSA/Dept.	Name	DA/SSA/Dept.
➊ Troy Parah	NCSS	➊ Carolyn McBain	DMH
➋ Amanda Morong	NCSS		Dillon Burns
➌ Lori Vadakin	UCS		Bryanne Castle
	Lindsay Mesa	➍ Josh Burke	LCMH
➎ Kate Lamphere	Pathways	➎ Danielle Payton	NKHS
	HCRS		RMH
	Julie Pagliccia		Matt McNeil
➏ Tim Gould	UCS	➏ Noreen Shapiro-Berry	HC
	NKHS	➐ Gretchen Pembroke	NKHS
	Lisa Dobkowski	➑ Tim Gould	CMC
	CSAC		NKHS
	Chelsea Alsofrom	➒ Jeff Rothenberg	Pathways
➓ Dustin Redlein	Pathways		WCMH
➓ Trevor Hanbridge	RMH		Rebeka Lawrence-Gomez
➓ Gretchen Pembroke	HC	➓ Amy Woodruff	
➓ Carissa Berry	CMC		
	CSAC		

Time	Topic	Focus
10:00-10:10	Introductions and updates from each agency <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ HC - ANSA build is under way in Credible. Consultation group is actively meeting. Asking leadership to be involved and train. Matt is meeting with existing groups to give an overview of ANSA.</li> <li>○ NKHS – building into the system. Building into the current system as they will have credible in April of 2022.</li> <li>○ NCSS – started kick-off with staff. Supervisors have started to hold consultation groups, breaking out modules. People can do tests together or on own (Alison- with CANS people preferred groups and since this is not a licensing exam, people can discuss). They are on track for 10/1.</li> <li>○ UCS – Holding on-site Wednesday AM “Study Hall” meetings to address questions / “wonderments.” All staff who will use ANSA are certified. ANSA in My Avatar and they will be consulting with Troy to make VT version changes.</li> <li>○ CSAC - The change in launch date resulted in their group pausing meeting which they are now re-starting. Goals is to have a soft implementation by 10/1 ensuring staff are very comfortable by 1/22.</li> <li>○ RMHS – They have piloted what they have in Credible. Of staff trained, only a couple are still there. Their IT director is willing to share their implementation in Credible system which is going pretty well.</li> </ul>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Inform <input type="checkbox"/> Discuss <input type="checkbox"/> Decide
10:10-10:55	Updates and Check ins: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Manual update – walk through the feedback given to Praed               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Praed making some edits on additional feedback and they are willing to update the manual.</li> <li>○ Scoresheet – will be out late June.</li> <li>○ Manual – should be out next week with revisions.</li> <li>○ Vignettes will be ready in August.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/> Inform <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Discuss <input type="checkbox"/> Decide

- Training updates
  - Reviewed what it means to have a TOT – feedback from Kate was that there was a lot of homework.
  - Training for supervisors – we could bring the person here (no limit to number of people) vs virtual. Please give feedback on this option by July 1<sup>st</sup>.
  - Two-day training for staff – first day is overview (virtual) September 14<sup>th</sup>, second day is limited to 75 people which breaks up into 3 groups (September 14<sup>th</sup> 9-1 and September 15, 16, 17 from 9-1) (25 person limit in each of the groups).
  - TOT can be accomplished with attending the annual conference. <https://tcomconversations.org/2021/03/10/interview-with-lizzie-minton-kentuckys-clinical-consultant/>
  
- Discuss reports TCOM recommends: [http://www.acbhcs.org/providers/CANS/docs/CANS/TCOM\\_Minimum\\_Standard\\_Reports.pdf](http://www.acbhcs.org/providers/CANS/docs/CANS/TCOM_Minimum_Standard_Reports.pdf)
  
- Review resources
  - Training Info: [Schoox How To \(in.gov\)](#)
  - Need to develop a policies and practices section of the provider manual. DMH to draft and solicit feedback from this group
  - ANSA as a measurement tool study: [Validity of the Adult Needs and Strengths Assessment with Substance Abuse Populations \(omicsonline.org\)](#)
  - ANSA as a [Validating a Behavioral Health Instrument for Adults: Exploratory Factor Analysis-A Brief Summary | TCOM Conversations](#)  
Examines factors within the tool that can be used to measure progress on specific constructs:
    - **Personal recovery factor** included purpose, social and community connections, optimism, and positive recreational activities ( $\alpha = 0.880$ )
    - **Trauma and stress related problems factor** combined depression, adjustment to trauma, anxiety, sleep, danger to self and others, social functioning, and eating disorders ( $\alpha = 0.818$ )
    - **Substance use risks factor** consisted of legal, criminal behavior, substance use, antisocial behavior, other self-harm, impulse control, parental role, involvement in recovery, and residential stability ( $\alpha = 0.733$ )
    - **Self-sufficiency factor** included a combination of living skills, self-care, psychosis, intellectual disability, medication involvement, transportation, decision-making, employment ( $\alpha = 0.795$ )
    - **Cultural-linguistic considerations factor** included cultural identity, stress, rituals, and language ( $\alpha = 0.752$ )
  
- Other Discussion
  - It was noted that there are still questions and assumptions about ANSA and what type of tool is / is not; the deliberate decision to use ANSA, etc. DAs are not being discouraged to use any other tools, in addition, as diagnostic guides, but that is not what ANSA is (if that's the concern). ANSA reflects the person's voice, is culturally sensitive, etc. and not a diagnostic tool.
  - Still looking at where ANSA may replace SSOM
  - DA's are interested in any upcoming performance measures related to the ANSA to prepare their data analysts for any reports. The Payment Reform

	Advisory Group will be addressing this over the next two months and we will report back as soon as we have information. DAs will want to have the capability to break out data at the item level in preparation for whatever is decided.	
10:55-11:00	Wrap Up and Next Steps	<input type="checkbox"/> Inform <input type="checkbox"/> Discuss <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Decide