

3/14/2022

Adult State Program Standing Committee Draft Agenda

[Microsoft Teams Meeting Link](#)

Call in Number: [+1 802-828-7667](tel:+18028287667) Conference ID: 268 652 786#

12:30 – 2:30

SPSC-----*Standing Items*-----(Break as
needed)**Business**

- *Introductions & Review agenda*
- *Vote on public comment participation today*
- *Vote on February minutes*

----- *March Priority Items* -----

- *Discuss timing of meeting- is 12:30-3:30pm working or should the time revert to 12-3pm?*
- *Follow up internal discussion related to suicide prevention grant presentation*
- *Conversation with DMH: Peer and family input across the board – how is DMH gathering input of peers and family members (AMH SPSC not necessarily representative)?*
- *Update on Older Vermonters Working Group (Lynne)*
- *Have an AMH SPSC Annual Report*
- *Process for reviewing public comments that come in over email to DMH to share with this committee*
- *Subcommittee: AMH SPSC process for involvement in agency designation-(if there is an update)*
- *Mourning Fox invited to discuss embedded police/MH crisis response?*
- *Discussions about older Vermonters and mental health needs.*

2:30 – 3:00

DMH Leadership Update: Legislative Update re: Crisis Response

Leadership member TBD

3:00 – 3:10

Public Comment

3:10 - 3:30

April Draft AgendaCall in Number: [+1 802-828-7667](tel:+18028287667) Conference ID: 268 652 786#

April Draft Agenda

12:30-2:30 Opening & Committee Business

- Revisit SPSC system of care priorities?

2:30-3:00 DMH Leadership Update—Grievance and Appeals

3:00-3:10 Public Comment

3:10-3:30 Plan April Agenda

Potential topics:












- African music and mental health
- Virginia Peer Support Legislation

Potential Agenda Items to Align with CYFS Committee:

April - Review Aggregate G&A

May - Review documents for NKHS Re-designation

AMH SPSC Top Ten Priorities 2021

1. Housing 
2. Reducing Emergency Departments as mental health "parking lots" 
3. Law enforcement response during a mental health crisis 
4. Suicide Prevention 
5. Crisis / drop in centers 
6. Normalize recovery, reduce stigma/discrimination 
7. Normalize and expand peer work 
8. Expand soteria model 
9. Reduce isolation and increase health relationships 
10. Other crisis interventions:
 - expand VT support line hours 
 - increase crisis intervention trainings 

Not Included (yet):

- Reducing coercion
- Meaningful oversight of MH system

Current Facilitator:

Kate? (Feb-Apr 22)

Previous Facilitators:

Christopher (Nov-Jan 22)

Marla (Aug-Oct 2021)

Lynne (May-July 2021)

Marla (Feb-Apr 2021)

Kate (Nov 20-Jan 21)

Malaika (Oct 2020)

Marla (Sept 2020)

Malaika (Jun-Aug 20)

Dan (April-May 2020)

Marla (Jan-Mar 2020)

Dan (Nov-Dec 19)

Marla (Oct 19)

Meeting Norms (Expectations):

- Speak kindness
- Listen to understand
- Assume positive intentions
- Be accountable
- ELMO! (Enough Let's Move On)
- Take space, leave space
- Mind the empty chair

