SELF-DETERMINATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

October 7, 2021

MINUTES

PRESENT
Pierre Landry, Chair
Karla Garcia-Diaz
Mariko Magami
Howard McBroom
Jamie Cha-McGrath
Zulma Mena
Michelle Wolf

NOT PRESENT
Lareka Killebrew
Brianna Reynoso

STAFF
Adrian Jimenez

GUESTS
Various Guests from the Public

CALL TO ORDER

Mr. Landry called the meeting to order at 4:40 PM.   The meeting was held via Zoom.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of August 5, 2021 were approved by consensus.

UPDATE ON SDP DATA ANALYSIS

Mr. Jimenez presented the SDP data analysis on sixty three clients that have been tracked through the Self-Determination process. Twenty-nine individuals from the initial soft rollout have been followed all the way through the process, and have fully transitioned into SDP. Thirty five individuals have requested Self-Determination since the program became available to all; three have fully transitioned into SDP.

Discussion followed and the Committee found value in the information.   **The Committee recommended that the data should to be compared to the overall Center's population**.

Review of Participant Directed Services Position

Mr. Jimenez announced that the Center is looking to hire a Participant Choice Coordinator. The position will oversee the implementation of the Participant Directed Services and will educate clients and families on Participant Directed Services and will ensure that Service Coordinators are properly trained and prepared to handle the requirements of Participant Directed Services. Mr. Jimenez will elaborate on the position at the next meeting.

SDAC MEETING DATES FOR 2021

Although the November meeting was scheduled to go dark, the Committee agreed by consensus to meet on November 4, 2021 and go dark in December.

PUBLIC CONVERSATION

The meeting was opened for public conversation. Community members shared their experiences on navigating the SDP process.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 6:11 PM.

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