
**CHAMPAIGN COUNTY
MENTAL HEALTH BOARD
STUDY SESSION**

Minutes—January 25, 2023

This meeting was held remotely and at the Brookens Administrative Center, Urbana, IL

5:45 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Matt Hausman, Joseph Omo-Osagie, Elaine Palencia, Jen Straub, Jane Sprandel, Jon Paul Youakim, Molly McLay

STAFF PRESENT: Kim Bowdry, Leon Bryson, Lynn Canfield, Shandra Summerville, Chris Wilson

OTHERS PRESENT: Pat Ege, Cunningham Children’s Home; Laura Lindsey, Courage Connection; Melissa Courtwright, CU at Home; Brenda Eakins, GROW in Illinois; Claudia Lennhoff, Champaign County Health Care Consumers (CCHCC); Jessica McCann, Champaign County Regional Planning Commission (CCRPC).

CALL TO ORDER:

Dr. Youakim called the study session to order at 5:48 p.m. Executive Director Canfield was present at the Brookens Administrative Center as per the Open Meetings Act.

ROLL CALL:

Roll call was taken, and a quorum was present.

CITIZEN INPUT / PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:

None.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

The agenda was in the packet for review. Motion to approve was made by Jen Straub and seconded by Jane Sprandel. The agenda was approved unanimously by a roll call vote.

CHAIRPERSON’S COMMENTS:

Dr. Youakim welcomed all and introduced the speakers and topics.

STUDY SESSION –Midyear Progress Reports from New Programs:

CU at Home - Shelter Case Management:

Melissa Courtwright, Executive Director of CU at Home, reported on the Shelter Case Management program, newly funded in PY2023.

Champaign County Health Care Consumers - Disability Application Services:

Claudia Lennhoff, Executive Director of the Champaign County Health Care Consumers, reported on the Disability Application Services program, funded in PY2022 and PY2023.

Following the presentations, Board members were given an opportunity to ask questions and make comments.

AGENCY INPUT:

None.

BOARD ANNOUNCEMENTS:

None.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting adjourned at 7:02 p.m.

Respectfully

Submitted by: Lynn Canfield

CCMHB/CCDDB Executive Director

Approved by the CCMHB on February 22, 2023.