

Comprehensive Access Network
October 22, 2007

MEETING NOTES – COMBINED

1. **Present:** *Fred Redekop, Tom Darcy, Danna Boughton, Jennifer Dube, Bonnie Frank Hume, Joanne Woodcock, Rebecca Bialecki, Margaret Sousloff, Brian Gordon, James Keevan, Kevin Weir, Paul Burnim, Bette Jenks,*
2. **Unable to attend:** *Dean Fleming, Anna Garbiel, Kathleen Hardie, Diane Praplaski, Lanny Eder, Charleen DeJesus*

Agenda Items/Discussion:

1. **Announcements** Athol Memorial Hospital will be hosting a free Depression Screening on October 24, 2007 at 1-3 in the hospital conference room and 3-5 in the hospital cafeteria.

Kevin Weir announced that MBHP has an initiative to pilot the expansion of MCPAP to a school system most likely in Springfield to begin. Once MBHP has piloted the expansion and identified best practice approaches we will then bring the program to the rest of the state. MBHP will also be taking the lead on a new policy to control the dispensing of Buprenorphine. Making sure that physicians prescribing the medication tie into behavioral health treatment.

2. Child & Family Services will be hosting a CME (Continuing Medical Education) on Thursday October 25, 2007. The discussion topic is an Overview of Child & Family Services and Challenges and Strategies to dealing with patients experiencing emotional instability. If members of the group could forward any brochures or flyers regarding their programs to me at NQCC, 10 School Street Athol.
3. Discussion of format and questions of survey for the referral tracking information. If all of you could bring some questions to the November meeting we then will compile them for review.
4. December meeting: The last Monday in December is December 24th. We would like to propose meeting on the 3rd Monday in December, which is December 17th. Please let me if that date works.

NEXT MEETING

DATE: Monday November 26, 2007 10:00 – 11:30 am

TOPIC: Guest Speakers Margery Jess-Reid from WMASS Consortium & Allison Zolotor-Langone from the Collaborative Assessment Program

Who	What	By When
Jen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compile tracking tool 	Next meeting
Group	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Email any updates for Tracking Tool to Jennifer at Jennifer@nqcc.org 	Next meeting
Group	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Send any brochures or flyers to Jennifer at NQCC for the upcoming CME at AMH October 4, 2007 	Next meeting

