
AGENDA ITEM 11

Action

July 28, 2016 Commission Meeting

Web Application and Database

Summary:

The Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission (MHSOAC or Commission) will consider authorizing the Executive Director to enter into one or more contracts to develop an integrated web application and database of MHSOAC programs, providers, and services.

In 2013, the MHSOAC adopted an Evaluation Master Plan. One of the key goals of the Master Plan is to “devote more attention to using evaluation information.” Underlying this finding was a recognition that the Commission and its staff needs to make better use of available information about programs, providers, and client outcomes.

Taken together, County Annual Revenue and Expenditure Reports, County Three-Year Plans and Annual Updates, and County Innovative Project proposals constitute a significant, under-exploited data resource.

This contracting effort is intended to build upon ongoing, related efforts to develop and implement fiscal transparency tools, in order to provide the Commission with integrated tools to support program activities and evaluation efforts.

Presenters:

- Brian R. Sala, Ph.D, MHSOAC Deputy Director for Evaluation and Program Operations
- Fred Molitor, Ph.D., MHSOAC Director of Research and Evaluation

Enclosures: None

Handout(s): A PowerPoint slide show will be presented at the meeting.