



South Carolina Behavioral Health Coalition

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### **Meeting Agenda**

Thursday, August 23, 2018

9:30am – 12:30pm

William L. Yates Conference Center, SCHA

#### **REGISTRATION & NETWORKING (9:30-10:00)**

Please use this time to sign in, network and visit the artwork in the Congaree Room before the meeting begins at 10AM sharp.

#### **WELCOME and OPENING REMARKS, Dr. Gerald Wilson [WEBSITE!](#)**

#### **ART WORK by McKenzie Pinnington**

#### **SHARING SUCCESSES & PROMISING PRACTICES, Alex Karydi, Ph.D. (40 mins.)**

Suicide is the 2<sup>nd</sup> leading cause of death in South Carolina for ages 10 to 24 in 2017, and the 10<sup>th</sup> leading cause of death for all ages in 2016. Suicide challenges the entire human services spectrum of clinical resources and the services they perform. Alex Karydi, Ph.D., Program Director for the SC Youth Suicide Prevention Initiative at SC DMH will present "Suicide Prevention in an Integrated Health Setting: What Role Do You Play?" and discuss her work to help reduce instances of suicide in youth and young adults throughout SC.

#### **PRIORITY AREA BREAKOUT SESSIONS (40 mins.)**

Individual priority area workgroup will spend this time discussing current goals, future goals and potential action items. These discussions will be used to develop an overall strategic plan for the Coalition, enhancing and building upon our current mission. Workgroup leaders will guide and facilitate the conversation with assistance from a workgroup volunteer.

- Behavioral Health/Primary Care Outpatient Alignment Workgroup (*Congaree*)
  - Chair - Peter Liggett, PhD, Deputy Director LTC & BH, SCDHHS
  - Co-Chair - Bob Bank, MD, Chief Medical Officer, SCDMH
- Crisis Stabilization/Acute Care Management Workgroup (*Saluda*)
  - Chair - Deb Blalock, Director of Community Services, SCDMH
  - Co-Chair - Bill Lindsey, Executive Director, NAMI of South Carolina
- Substance Use Disorder Prevention and Treatment Workgroup (*Edisto*)
  - Chair - Sara Goldsby, Director, SCDAODAS
  - Co-Chair - George McConnell, Director, Morris Village, SCDMH

#### **WORKGROUPS RETURN TO CONGAREE (a light snack is available in the hallway)**

#### **PRIORITY AREA WORKGROUP REPORTS (30 mins.)**

Priority workgroups will reconvene to hear comments, recommendations and offer further observations to be considered as a SCBHC Strategic Plan is developed.

#### **ADJOURN**

*The next meeting of the SCBHC is Wednesday, October 3, 2018.*