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AGENDA

Blair County Social Services Advisory Board

Thursday, October 5, 2023 – 11:30 a.m.

Blair HealthChoices, 81 Holliday Hills Drive, Hollidaysburg

1. Welcome and Call to Order
2. Public Comment
3. Approval of August 3, 2023 Social Services Advisory Board Meeting Minutes (*attached*)
4. Board Operations – Tricia Maceno
 - Board Members Terms Expiring December 31, 2023
 - Michael Stubler
 - Donna GORITY
 - Robert Smith
 - Matthew Dumm
5. Mental Health Committee Report (*attached*)
6. Developmental Programs Committee Report (*attached*)
7. County Reports
 - Director – Tricia Maceno
 - MH – Cindy James
 - Mental Health – Ginny Christy
 - ID – Melissa Gordon (*attached*)
 - EI – Kelly Popich (*attached*)
 - Human Services – Missy Gillin
8. Ex-Officio Reports
 - CONTACT Altoona – Erin Kay
 - NAMI – Aimee Burns (*attached*)
 - The Arc – Maria Brandt
 - ID Providers – Lorrie Hetager
 - Blair HealthChoices – Amy Marten-Shanafelt
9. Open Forum
 - ❖ *Next Advisory Board Meeting: Thursday, December 7, 2023 at 11:30 a.m. at Blair HealthChoices, 81 Holliday Hills Dr, Hollidaysburg*
 - ❖ *Next Mental Health Committee Meeting: Thursday, November 2, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. at Blair HealthChoices, 81 Holliday Hills Dr, Hollidaysburg*
 - ❖ *Next Developmental Programs Committee Meeting: Thursday, November 2, 2023 at 11:30 a.m. at SASMG, 157 Lakemont Park Blvd., Altoona*