



Agenda

Criminal Justice Collaborating Council

Justice Center, Community Room

Balsam Lake, WI 54810

Thursday, August 15 @ 12:15pm **following 501c3 CJCC Meeting*****

Mission Statement: The CJCC will collaborate between stakeholders to improve the effectiveness of Polk County's criminal justice system.

1. Call to Order:
2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA:
3. MOTION TO APPROVE MINUTES OF THE July 18, 2019 MEETING:
4. PUBLIC COMMENT:
5. WORKGROUP UPDATES:
 - A) Jail Programing- Rob Drew and Lorraine Beyl
 - B) OWI- Nicole Strom
 - C) Data- Nick Osborne
6. TREATMENT COURT PROGRAM REPORT- Sharon Foss:
 - AFTER-CARE PROGRAM UP-DATE- Sharon Foss and Kristin Boland:
7. DIVERSION PROGRAM REPORT- Kristin Boland:
8. VICTIM IMPACT PANNEL PROGRAM REPORT- no up-date, next panel 9/12/2019
9. COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAM REPORT- Kristin Boland:
10. HUBER AREA BATHROOMS UPDATE- Rob Drew
11. NEW BUSINESS:
12. TAD funding announcement: Kristin's recommendation for program expansion- 1 assessor/data position and 1 Diversion Program Case Manager.
13. CALENDAR- NEXT MEETING AND AGENDA ITEMS: September 19th @ noon
14. ADJOURN:

This meeting is open the public according to Wisconsin Statute § 19.83. Persons with disabilities wishing to attend and/or participate are asked to notify the County Clerk's office (715-485-9226) at least 24 hours in advance of the scheduled meeting time so all reasonable accommodations can be made. Requests are confidential.

Proposed structure for Diversion Programs

Presented by Kristin Boland 8/15/2019

First Time Offender Program	Diversion Program (TAD funded, substance use involved)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Misdemeanor cases and some low level felonies- underage drinking; theft; disorderly conduct; worthless checks; possession of THC or paraphernalia • Low or medium risk on COMPAS or Proxy and first time offenders • Individuals will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Pay restitution ➤ Pay a program fee ➤ Attend class ➤ Remain crime free for 6 months • May only participate one time • Successful participants avoid citation and criminal charges ❖ Cases tracked and coordinated with DA's Office by Proposed Diversion Case Manager ❖ Class taught by CJCC staff 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Misdemeanors and some felonies- no violent crimes • Crimes are related to substance use • Must be low or medium risk on the COMPAS • Cannot have participated in diversion programming in the past • Individuals will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Pay restitution ➤ Pay a program fee ➤ Participate in Case Management ➤ Participate in drug testing ➤ Participate in treatment- will include substance use, may include mental health treatment as well based on assessed needs • Successful participants avoid criminal charges ❖ Case Management by Proposed Diversion Case Manager ❖ Treatment provided in the community ❖ Drug testing- random, same system as Treatment Court

Jail Interview Data 2019

Total Number Interviewed: 16

Women: 4

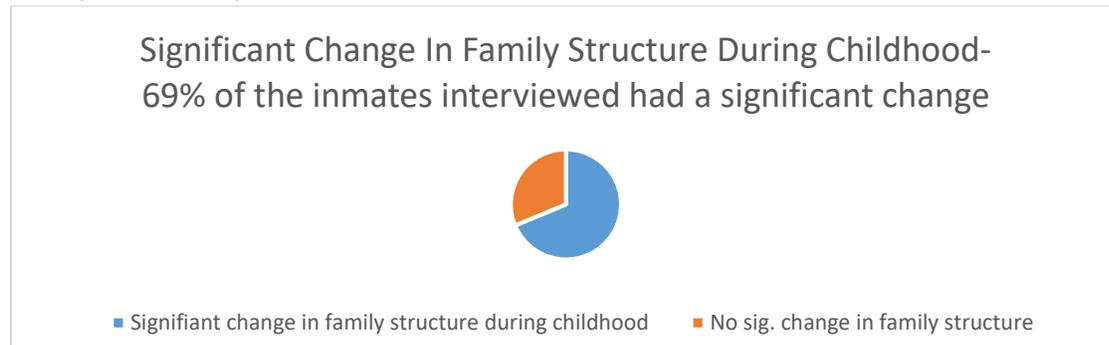
Average age: 36

Men: 12

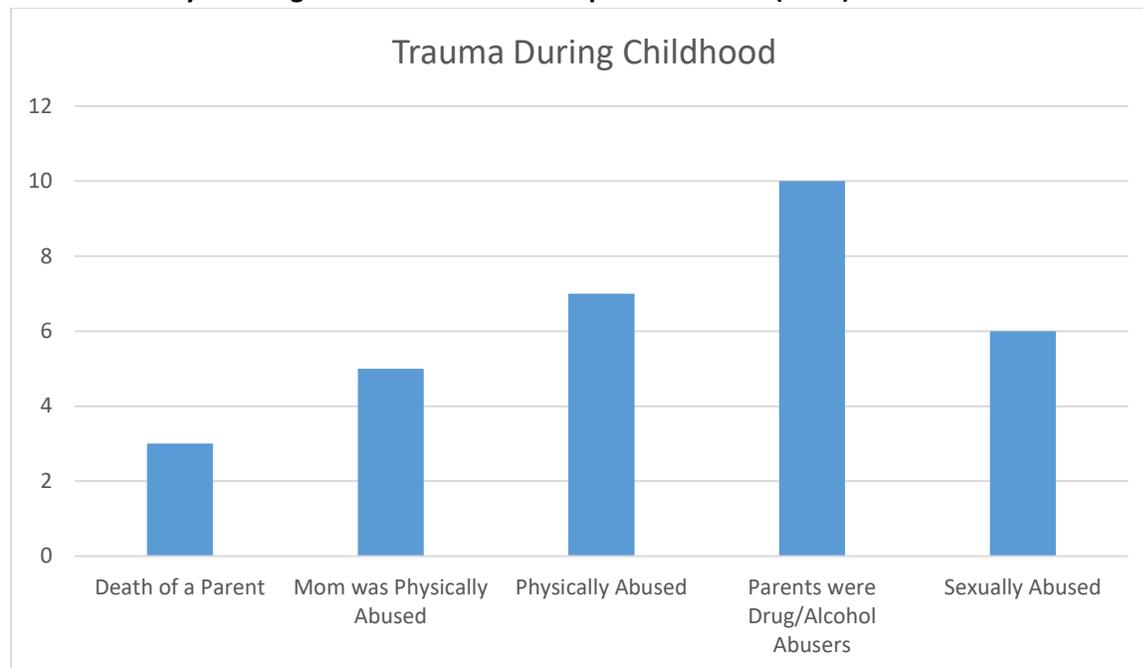
Birth and Early Childhood:

- 2 individuals were born early (12.5%)
- 4 individuals had difficulty after birth and remained in the hospital longer than normal (25%)
- 3 had difficulties learning to talk (18.7%)

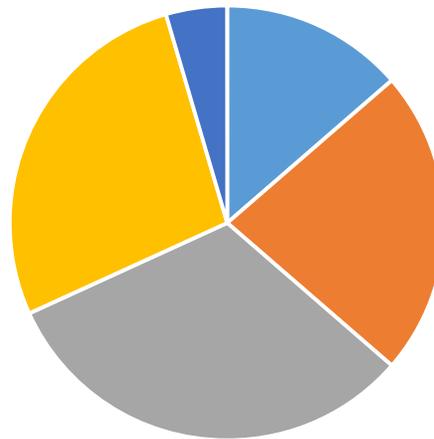
Family Relationships:



Trauma History: Average Adverse Childhood Experience Score (ACEs) was 6



Education: Several who have a GED/HSED received then in jail or prison



■ Did not Graduate ■ GED/HSED ■ High school ■ Some post hs ■ College Grad.

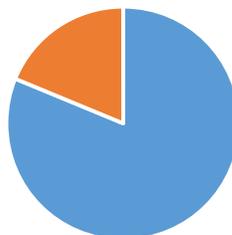
Children:

- 9 individuals have children who are living with the other parent (56.25%)
- 2 have open Child Protection or Indian Child Welfare cases (12.5%)

Housing/Employment/Finances:

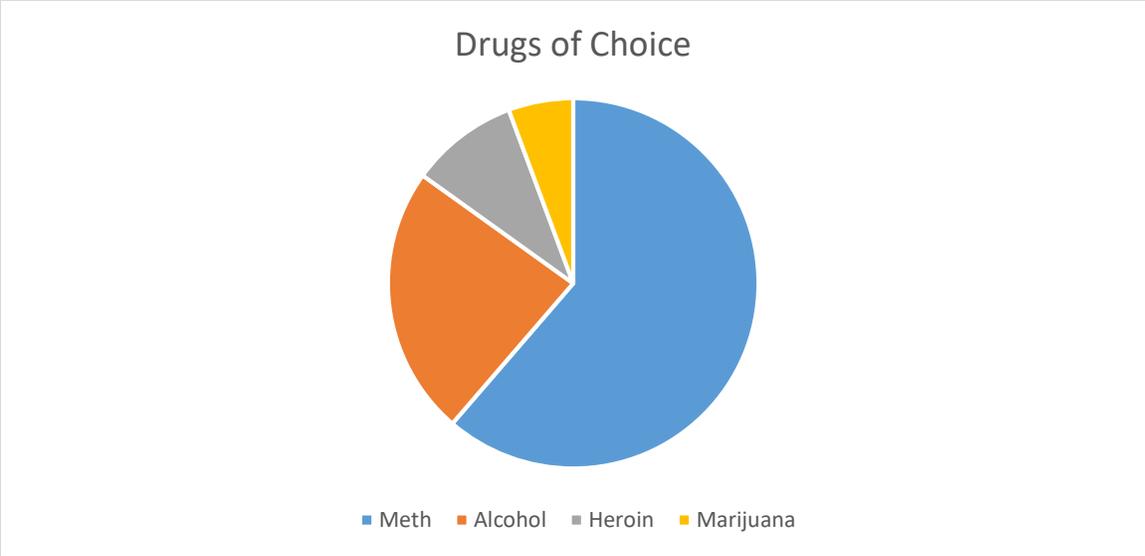
- 44% will depend on others for housing upon their release- this could lead to homelessness
- 38% do not have a job and will need to find one upon release
- 63% described themselves as living in poverty

Mental Health: 81.25% have a Mental Health Diagnosis

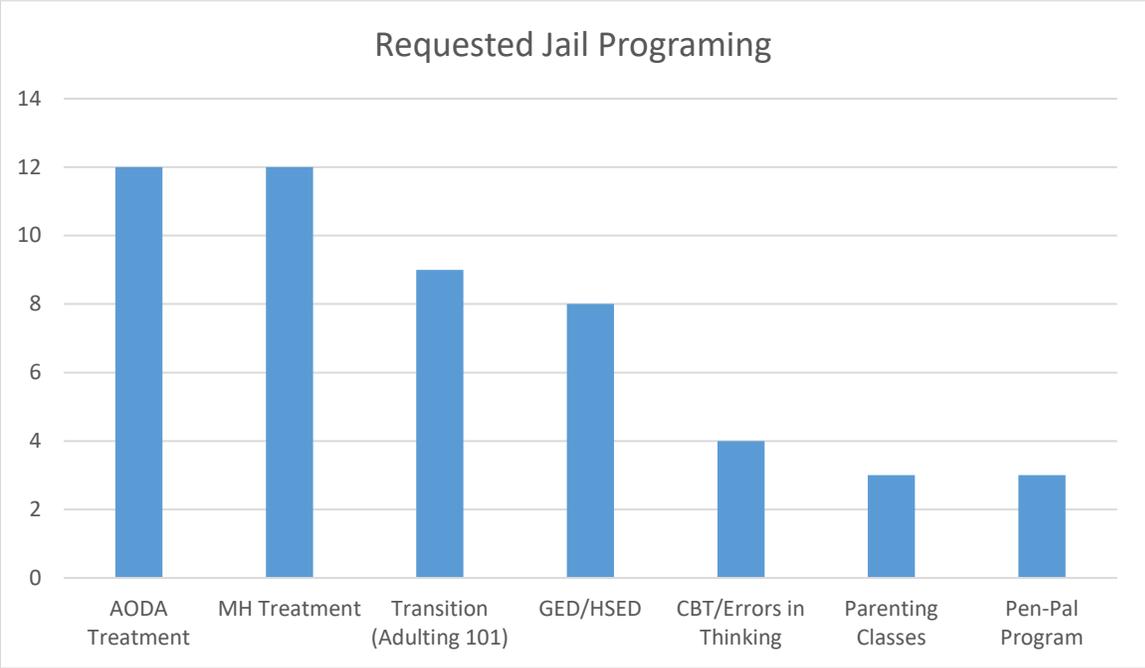


■ MH Diagnosis ■ no MH

Substance Use: 100% of the inmates interviewed had a substance use diagnosis. 69% have had previous treatment.



Ideas related to Jail Programing:



Other Ideas requested by inmates:

- Peer Support Program during incarceration and also to assist with transition out of the jail. Help with transportation when released
- Increase Huber opportunities
- Day Reporting Center: quote, “Every time I get out I don’t know where to go, but to use. Even on probation”
- Recovery/Sober Pod: suggestions included needing to apply to get in; have extra rules; require programing; time for group discussion and study each day
- Exercise group

- AA/NA for women
- Church for women on Sunday morning
- Help moms connect with their kids while they are in jail. Also, help moms meet some of their CPS goals while incarcerated.
- Trustee Program- earn canteen money if you are indigent or earn time off sentence
- Different types of spiritual groups- yoga, mindfulness, Healthy Realizations
- Art and music opportunities
- Anger Management
- Dog Program

Noteworthy Quotes:

Positives

“People are treated with dignity and respect in the jail now”

“Donna is amazing- she always treats me personally”

Opportunities

“It’s a revolving door in here”

“Last year when I left here, I didn’t feel any closer to my end goal, which was sobriety, than when I got here”