

CCO Advisory Councils Report to the Governing Board January 2017

## **Community Advisory Committee (CAC)**

The Community Advisory Council (CAC) met at Lane County Youth Services on Monday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>. Tara DaVee contributed a public comment. She reported that the Pain Clinic is closing and expressed her concern about Trillium members who may be left without help in managing their pain. She encouraged members to call Trillium and speak to a care coordinator if they need help.

The "getting to know you" question was "what was your favorite fishing trip?" Shannon Conley gave the Trillium report. She said that the Medicaid waiver has been approved. Unfortunately, the waiver did not include some of the provisions that would support our work on the social determinants of health. Current membership is approximately 87, 551 members. There are statewide issues around disenrollment that are being investigated.

Debi Farr gave a brief legislative overview, reporting that the co-chairs budget has been released and shows an \$8 million cut to the OHA budget.

Rick Kincade reported that the CAP was focusing on ways to re-energize the group. They are focusing on clinical care pathways and ensuring that all providers are credentialed properly. They are continuing to deal with the changes in pain management guidelines.

Heather Amrhein reported that the CHIP work plans have been approved. The action teams will begin meeting next week. The LiveHealthyLane.org website is up and running. The Lane Equity Coalition is sponsoring "Alley is a Verb", a public event focusing on the health consequences of oppression and how we can mitigate those consequences by being allies. The event will be held February 21<sup>st</sup> at Lane Community College. Registration for the event is at: <u>https://www.eventbrite.com/e/lane-equity-coalition-ally-is-a-verb-understanding-oppression-</u>

and-what-we-can-do-about-it-registration-30263234148

Sandy Moses, MS CPS, from the Prevention team at Lane County Public Health spoke to group about screening tools. Sandy led a discussion about the value of screening tools, their purpose and why we promote them.

Due to constrictions at Youth Services, the CAC meetings will now be held at Trillium Behavioral Health, 1776 Millrace Dr, Eugene, OR 97403.