

**CARBON-MONROE-PIKE MH/DS
MENTAL HEALTH STATUS REPORT
September 2018**

STAFFING:

In the TCM Department we have one Monroe TCM on maternity leave, due back this month, September 2018.

BUDGET:

Nothing new to report.

PROVIDERS:

ReDCo Outpatient in Pike County is open for county funded intakes.

DEPARTMENTS/PROJECTS:

- **Administrative Case Management:**

Nothing new to report

- **Targeted Case Management:**

Carbon is not accepting TCM referrals at this time, but should be by the end of the month. Monroe and Pike are continuing to accept referrals.

- **Forensic Department:**

We currently have 9 individuals in Norristown and we have 3 consumers waiting for admission. The individuals have been on the wait list since; 1/2018; 6/2018; and 7/2018.

Forensic Expansion: We have hired 3 FCM's (2-Monroe & 1-Carbon) and we are trying to work on the proposed 6 bed CRR and 6 SIL slots. Received two RFP's; one proposal does not increase our number of beds and the other one is double the cost that we projected. We have requested increased funding. Proposal for LTSR (Long Term Structured Residence) has been changed to RTF-A due to funding barriers. This RFP should be sent out in the next few weeks.

- **CASSP:**

There are 10 youth in Community Residential Rehabilitation placements and 22 in Residential Treatment Facilities. There was 4 discharges and 3 recommendations for out of home placements.

We are attending focus groups and participating in meetings to address the barriers in access to RTF's and CRR's for youth. We are also addressing the complications we are having transitioning youth in higher levels of care into the adult mental health system.

The SOC (Systems of Care) Initiative in Carbon, Monroe, and Pike Counties through the PA Care Partnership is continuing to develop. We are finalizing the job description and position details and will have meetings next week in each county with all of the county partners to begin the development of this SOC effort.

- **CHIPP:**

There are currently 21 individuals in Clarks Summit State Hospital (CSSH).

There was 0 admissions, 0 diversions, 2 discharges and 1 individual are on the waiting list.

Respectfully Submitted,
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