

MEETING MINUTES

DIVISION	Department of Health and Human Services, Iowa Medicaid		
MEETING TITLE	REACH Implementation Team (Services and Providers Subcommittee)		
FACILITATOR	Carol Mau, HHS		
DATE	1.14.25	TIME	4:00 pm CST
LOCATION	Virtual		

MEETING OBJECTIVES

Implementation Team meetings create the opportunity for key stakeholders to facilitate and support the adherence to the Iowa REACH Initiative Implementation Plan objectives and activities and to provide coordinated oversight and recommendations to ensure the success of the Iowa REACH Initiative.

MEETING PARTICIPANTS

- David Beaman
- Don Gookin
- Sue Gehling
- Sabrina Johnson
- Laura Leise
- Gretchen Hammer
- Nick Wood

AGENDA TOPIC KEY DISCUSSION POINTS

Welcome	IA HHS welcomed participants.
Team member introductions	Group members introduced themselves.
REACH initiative Overview	Participants reviewed a PowerPoint presentation that gave an overview of REACH.



Implementation Team Charter Review	Participants discussed the Team Charter and responsibilities and reviewed the Key Implementation Plan Strategy specific to the Services and Providers Subcommittee.
Proposed Meeting Cadence and Approach	Meetings will be every second Tuesday of each month at 4 pm CST.
General Discussion	<p>There was a group discussion around the types of services that are currently available and what could be added or increased within the system.</p> <p>Intensive Care Coordination, in-home and therapeutic support, and Crisis response were recognized as important.</p> <p>Group members shared some of their experiences with the Behavioral Health Intervention Services (B-HIS) program.</p> <p>Finally, the workgroup also discussed their preference for reviewing models in other states.</p> <p>Iowa HHS encouraged subcommittee members to contact Will Linder at IA HHS with suggestions for additional people to join the committee.</p>
Public Comment	None.

VOTES				
ITEM #	DESCRIPTION	MOTION	SECOND	VOTE
NA	NA	NA	NA	NA