

Criminal Justice Collaborating Council

The Eau Claire Criminal Justice Collaboration Council (CJCC) was established by county board resolution in September of 2006. The principal mission of the Council is to enhance public safety in Eau Claire County through community collaboration by ensuring offender accountability, providing rehabilitation programs and supporting the rights and needs of victims. The Council provides coordinated leadership necessary to establish and foster collaboration within the criminal justice system.

The principal mission of the Council is to improve the administration of justice and promote public safety through planning, research, education, and system-wide coordination of criminal justice initiatives.

2018 Accomplishments

Criminal Justice Collaborating Council

- Establish best practices for Transition from Jail to Community - Work with DHS on pre-release planning – Transition from Jail to Community – DOJ funded grant for \$80,000 for 4 years
- Established work group of the CJCC to look at jail population overcrowding
- Working through the stepping up workgroup – hosted a two-day mapping session of the intersections for MH involved contacts.
- Treatment courts oversight – Department of Justice Completed a review and recommendations for the ECC treatment courts
 - Establish CORE data reporting and outcome measurements that will align with performance management needs
- Pilot PSA pretrial screening
- Trainings:
 - Essential elements training for Pretrial reform
 - State Diversion standards training
 - Treatment courts – Training provided through DOJ for all treatment court teams
 - County focused training on need and impact of Evidence Based Decision Making

Community Service

- Continued to Assist Dane County with setting up a Community Service Program
- Two Community Service workers hired at a local agency upon completion of hours
- Added the Chippewa Valley Museum to agencies that would give CS credit for parent/child activities
- Worked with Clerk of Courts to develop new E-Filing procedures
- Attended Chippewa Valley Volunteer Coordinators quarterly meetings
- Attended numerous community events and fundraisers representing Community Service
- Continued participation in the Alliance for Drug and Alcohol Abuse Coalition
- Met one-on-one with the new Alliance Director, Lil Pinero
- Joined the Alliance Communications subcommittee

Projects

- Donated works of art by community service participants that were sold/auctioned as fundraisers
- CS worker provided free haircuts at Positive Avenues
- CS workers helped with Western Dairyland's Fresh Start programs 360 Drop In fundraiser
- CS workers volunteered at the EC Marathon, Dragon Boat races, Taste of the Valley, EC Christmas Parade, Post Office Stamp Out Hunger, Special Olympics, Breakfast in the Valley, Rock the Riverfront, Firecracker Mountain Bike Race, Family Day, the Randall Street Clean-up, UWEC Post Homecoming Clean-up, and various community runs and walks
- Provided numerous Community Service Volunteers to assist with Air Show parking
- Provide community service workers to over 40 local agencies
- Fleece blanket donations to 15 agencies

Community Transition Center

The Community Transition Center assists clients in the criminal justice system to develop skills necessary for a successful return to full participation in a safe and supportive community. Transition provides the most effective evidence-based services, with the overall goal of alleviating jail population growth and reducing recidivism.

Notable achievements during this full seventh year of operation include continuing to use an effective referral process for appropriate candidates, using the evidence-based COMPAS tool to address client needs, continuing increased programming provided in the Jail, and continuing to develop the Meth Program policies and procedures.

The Meth Program has continued to develop and change to the needs of the clients. The program has offered clients with charges involving or fueled by Methamphetamine the opportunity for treatment as determined by an AODA assessment performed by the assigned case manager.

The OWI Early Intervention Program (JRI) has offered individuals with non-felony OWI offenses in Eau Claire County the opportunity for treatment, testing, and educational services. In the past AODA assessments were completed at Chippewa Area Recovery Resource, but now they are able to be completed at CTC with our SAC-IT credentialed Case Manager.

CTC has undergone staff changes in the past year as the program and services continue to grow. Instead of two case managers handling the BOND referrals, one for BOND-METH and one staff for all other Bonds, it is now the same case manager.

Alignment with Strategic Plan

Ensure Financial Stability.	Innovate and adapt.	Improve Collaboration
Align program outcomes with financial accountability. Utilize data to ensure performance and operations of treatment courts and jail transitions are effective and financially responsible.	We continue to create a culture of innovation by adapting ways to improve the justice system by use of evidence-based decision making.	Continue to foster and facilitate cross systems collaborations (internal and external) on several projects.
Streamline essential functions of the Community Transition Center to better align with the needs of the county and the clients.	Identify triggers within our systems and work collaboratively to effect change	Collaborate with Dept. of Human Stepping up workgroup, Jail transitions grant, treatment courts

2019 Future Opportunities

Criminal Justice Collaborating Council

- Establish medium/high risk programming at the CTC in conjunction with DOC ATR's
- Work with Treatment Courts to create a workplan for follow up on the DOJ review
- Establish process for use of Power BI and data dashboards
- Update webpage to be more interactive with the community
- Establish soft launch for use of PSA (pretrial screening)

Community Service

- Review reasons for decreased numbers of community service referrals
- Continue community engagement
- Explore opportunities for expanding service placements

Community Transition Center

- Re-design bond monitoring to work with County Pretrial and us of PSA
- Use of Intoxicated Driver Assessment (IDA) when appropriate

2018 Performance Management

Criminal Justice Systems Review		Budget	Levy			FTE's
		272,587	272,587			2.00
<p>The principal mission of the Council is to enhance public safety in Eau Claire County through community collaboration by ensuring offender accountability, providing evidence-based decision making and evidence-based programming that will support the rights and needs of stakeholders and victims. In addition, the Council is committed to providing the coordinated leadership necessary to establish and foster evidence-based strategies for adult and juvenile offenders by build a system wide framework (arrest through final disposition and discharge) that will result in more collaborative, evidence-based decision making and practices in local criminal justice systems.</p>						
OUTPUTS						
		<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	
Number of CJCC/EBDM presentations		35	120	125	110	
Number of GED clients served	<i>Total/GED specific</i>	92/29	142/30	84/14	93	
Number of month reports to Judiciary and Law on jail population		12	12	12	9	
<u>Performance Goal</u>	<u>Outcome Measures</u>	<u>Benchmark</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	
Develop and implement a framework for evidence-based strategies across the criminal justice system (Benchmark-year 2010)	% change in misdemeanor cases opened (15% reduction goal)	1,764	1,541 (12.6%)	1,401 (20.6)	1504 (14.7)	
	% change in felony cases opened	852	1,460 71.4%	1,515 77.8%	1,926 126.06 %	
		<u>Benchmark</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	
	Average annual change in Huber population only	96	61 (4.6%)	56 (4.6%)	55	
	Average annual change for total secure population only	144	218 6.4%	215 5.5%	222	
	Maintain a 1% average daily jail population growth rate (Total pop)	263	288 1.2%	276 .5%	295 1.2%	
			<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Maintain efficient and effective case processing in District Attorney's Office	Improve Clearance Rate (ratio of	101%	100%	95%	91%	

	outgoing/incoming cases) for all criminal cases (benchmark: 2012)				
Educate and engage in county and in-state colleagues on criminal justice system reform initiatives	90 % of members attend all regularly scheduled meetings	73%	70%	81%	82%
Develop the capacity to shape budgeting and resources allocation decisions in a neutral and credible fashion	Criminal Justice Collaborating Council will meet yearly during budget time to discuss new year's budget requests and performance	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Community Transition Center (CTC) (Contract)		Budget	Levy	Intergoven	FTE's
		624,000	507,000	117,000	0

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OUTPUTS

	<i>Inception 2010</i>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Number of referrals to the program:		708	785	659	916
Number of clients received services		451	491	522	513
Number of clients who were referred but never started		213	263	186	403
Number of Discharges:		358	457	472	459
Number of Successful discharges		180	209	201	205
Number of Terminations		178	248	249	208
Number of Bond referrals		392	484	501	624
Number of bed days diverted:		17,538	19,044	22,276	21,737
Level of supervision (to include all active clients for that year)					
Full Case Management		107	136	173	154
Group only		51	47	61	36
Number UA/BA administered		13,762	14,054	22,742	12,373
% of positive UA/BA		4.51%	4.97%	5.63%	6.97%
COMPAS Assessor		<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Number of COMPAS referred		952	602	404	326
Number of COMPAS screenings completed		654	375	307	253
Number of COMPAS Core screens completed (receive at minimum a Core only)		615	337	290	197
Level of risks based on COMPAS - data available 2013 and beyond		<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
High		59	30	35	31
Medium with override consideration		74	53	48	37
Medium		112	70	53	44
Low		370	184	154	126

COMPAS					
<u>Performance Goal</u>	<u>Outcome Measures</u>	<u>Benchmark</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
To provide the referring agency with an assessment prior to sentencing	Average Time from Referral to Distribution of Results	21 days	30.6	11.64 days	12 days
	% of COMPASs Completed and Distributed to Referring Agency within three weeks	85.0%	43.60%	85.02%	88.24%
<u>Performance Goal</u>	<u>Outcome Measures</u>	<u>Benchmark</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
To assess clients entering the CTC with a risk assessment screening tool.	95% of clients referred and appearing at the CTC for full programming will be assessed using the COMPAS	100%	100%	100%	100%
To evaluate the effectiveness of the CTC related to the risk and needs of the offenders.	Less than 30% of individuals who successfully complete their behavior change plans will reoffend in Eau Claire County within one year of completion, as measured by charges filed	30%	28.2% (28/99)	28% (55/196)	NA/ Need 1 yrs. of data
To support clients through intensive case management to identify needs and develop a unified case plan.	100% of completed COMPAS's will result in a behavior change plan based on risk and needs.	100%	100%	100%	100%
Community Service		Budget	Levy		FTE's
		87,105	65,105		1.5
This program is used as a sentencing option for criminal offenders and in lieu of payment of fines when genuine hardship exists. By allowing defendants to work at non-profit organizations, jail overcrowding is lessened and something positive is given back to the community.					
OUTPUTS					
		<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Participants Referred:		490	390	246	247
Participants Accepted:		387	290	175	186

Number of hours ordered:		44,976	32,145	20,655	19,165
Number of hours completed:		25,005	19,954	14,368	12,382
Number of participants completed		280	245	162	164
Average number of active participants each month:		284	249	211	170
Number of jail days ordered in lieu of CS		1545	750	812	575
Number of jail days diverted by completing CS		1,027	1,652	1,162	1,077
Surcharges collected		\$24,812	\$22,092	\$18,303	\$17,635
<u>Performance Goal</u>	<u>Outcome Measures</u>	<u>Benchmark</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Personally, visit or contact at least half of the placement agencies to bolster and maintain a positive relationship	50% of placement agencies received site visits or in-depth phone interviews	50%	>50%	>50%	>80%
Improve program completion rate.	75% of accepted participants will complete all hours that were ordered	72%	84%	85%	88%
Risk Level from Proxy					
			<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Low Risk		Low - 0	139	87	87
Medium Risk		Medium - 3	178	110	112
High Risk		High - 5	73	49	48
		Total Referrals	390	246	247
Totals		Budget	Levy		FTE's
		\$983,692	\$844,692		3.50