



December 16, 2015

TO: CCBHC Stakeholders

FROM: Michael N. Morris, M.S.
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SUBJECT: Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic Stakeholder Group

The Oregon Health Authority (OHA) has been awarded the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Administration Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic (CCBHC) planning grant. The purpose of the planning grant is to certify clinics as CCBHCs, to establish a prospective payment system for Medicaid reimbursable services, and to prepare an application for a two-year demonstration program.

As part of the CCBHC planning grant, OHA is convening a stakeholder group of key representatives of our partners: consumers, advocates, community mental health programs, federally-qualified health centers, coordinated care organizations, and providers to review the plan and make recommendations.

OHA needs your expertise to meet the goals of the planning grant period to review and advise on certification standards for CCBHCs, a prospective payment system, and the application for the two-year demonstration program.

The stakeholder group will meet monthly through October 2016. The first meeting is scheduled for:

Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2016

Time: 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Location: Room 137 A-C, Barbara Roberts Human Services Bldg. 500 Summer St NE, Salem, OR

Conference Line: 1-877-336-1829 PC 388062#

Please **RSVP by December 30** to Julie Earnest at Julie.earnest@state.or.us

The date, time and location of future meetings will be announced as soon as the logistics have been confirmed. I hope you will be able to attend the stakeholder meetings. Thank you for being a part of this important process as we outline the next steps for Oregon's Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinics.

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