



## STEPPING UP MEETING MINUTES

**Date:** October 2, 2017

**Time:** 1:00 pm

**Location:** Clinton County Admin. Building – BOS Board Room

**Present:** See attached sign in sheet

### Welcome and Introductions

The planning group watched the "Strategies to Assess the Needs of Individuals with Mental Illness in Jails" webinar <https://stepuptogether.org/key-resources> and collaborated on the Technical Assistance Module 2 Planning Guide.

### How does each group define mental health (pre-webinar #2):

- Observational vs. textbook based on behavior that is not normal or a threat
- Definition of the 229 in the Court System
- LE finds someone to be a threat to themselves or someone else, the next step is the treatment that someone receives after they have been arrested

### Resources discussed:

- Scott County Mental Health Court District was brought up to possibly team up with
- Suggested having a mental health screening conducted after the inmate has met with a Judge

### Current tools used in the jail:

- Medical screening focus (medication use, suicidal tendencies)
- The small percentage of inmates that need the extra mental health attention requires a higher percentage of needs/assistance

### Strengths discussed:

- Not discussed

### Gaps discussed:

- Not discussed

### Action Items:

- Not discussed

### Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 2:31 PM. The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, October 9th, 2017 at 1 PM at the BOS Board Room at the Clinton County Admin. Building. Future meetings include: October 23 and 30th. **The October 16th meeting has been cancelled.** Community members and stakeholders are invited to participate in these planning group meetings.

SIGN IN SHEET

NAME	REPRESENTING
Amanda Pearson	SO
Margaret Wilson OSF	Sisters of St. Francis (Clinton)
Margo Sheary	Bridgeview CMAE & HH
Margaret Kuhl	CCJCC
Gina Gregoire	DCS
NICK MARKOVICH	EASTERN IOWA REGION/ROBERT KOVAC
James M. McHugh	CCAO
Brent Vogel	Clinton Cooks Communications
Paul He	Sheriff
Harvey Evers	ASAC
Jocelyn Meyer	Bridgeview CMAE
Kymberly	Clerk of Court
Craig Eberhart	Jail
BRIAN MCKENRICK	JUDICIAL BRANCH/COURT ADMIN
STEVEN Kopp	CLINTON Police
Leslie Mussmann	ASAC
Chief Dave Porter	DelWitt PD
Rita Hart	Senator