

Agenda

Mental Health and Addiction Services Advisory Committee

March 25, 2019, 1:00-2:30 p.m.

Walker Building Room 100

1. Welcome
2. Delivery model presentation:
 - a. Dr. Peter Mason, family physician, NH Medical Society representative
3. Update on DHHS “The Doorway – NH” Program:
 - a. Jaime Powers, DHHS Clinical & Recovery Services Unit Administrator
4. Legislative updates:
 - a. NAMI/New Futures/UNH Institute for Health Policy & Practice
 - b. Rep. Jim McKay, NH House legislative working group
5. NHID update:
 - a. Parity exams
 - b. Narcan/life insurance issue
6. Other member updates
7. Public comment
8. Next steps: action items/agenda for next meeting

Mission

- Advise the Insurance Commissioner on issues related to accessing mental health and substance use disorder services through private insurance coverage.
- Facilitate communication among stakeholders, including providers, insurance companies, and advocates, regarding implementation of new legal requirements.
- Discuss which regulatory actions within the scope of the Insurance Department’s role can best ensure access to services for covered persons.