



## **CCO Advisory Councils Report to the Governing Board October 2015**

### **Community Advisory Council:**

The Community Advisory Council (CAC) met on October 26<sup>th</sup> at Lane County Youth Services. Tara DaVee chaired the meeting, with assistance from co-chair David Parker.

Jose de Soto from NAMI had public comment. Every December, NAMI Lane County holds an annual holiday dinner. In addition to wonderful food and company, NAMI presents special awards. This year's dinner will be held on Monday, December 7th. At the Holiday Dinner the Volunteer of the Year Award will be presented to NAMI Lane County's most outstanding volunteer.

The introduction question was "name your favorite Halloween treat." Tara announced that the CAC holiday party will take place during the December meeting. She asked volunteers to help plan the party to contact her after the meeting.

Tara DaVee gave the Governing Board report. Debi Farr gave the Trillium report. She highlighted the free vision screening and glasses event through the SeeMore van. There was a discussion about increasing the vision benefits for OHP members. CAC members expressed concern about the issues that arise when OHP members can't get glasses. It affects their ability to work and drive. The CAC voted to request that Trillium investigate ways to expand vision benefits.

Lezlee Craven reported that the CAC did not meet this month due to illness and injury. Last month they participated in the same focus group which the CAC will do today.

Jennifer Webster gave a report on the 2016 Prevention Plan. The slides are attached. The CAC voted to give their approval to the plan and support taking it to the Governing Board.

The CAC then participated in a Community Health Assessment focus group. The results of the focus group will be available at a later date.