



UO Riverfront Research Park
1800 Millrace Drive
Eugene, Oregon 97403

RURAL ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING

Reedsport, Lower Umpqua Hospital

Attended: Char Reavis, Robin Roberts, Heather Murphy, Connie Hoffman (phone). Emily Bear, Tina Potter, Chris Ellertson, Lucy Zammarelli, Sheri Aasen (LUH Clinics), Becky Rice (Dunes Family Health Care), Gail Small (stepping Stones), Barbara Bassett (South Coast E.L. Hub), David Wilmarth (LUH), Erin Leonard (Compass Behavioral Health), Carol Stock (LUH).

Staff: Leah Edelman

- I. Welcome and Introductions- The meeting was opened by Char Reavis, RAC Chair.
- II. Trillium Updates- Debi Farr gave the updates. Debi shared information about Trillium's 5 year anniversary. She gave participants a copy of the anniversary report and an anniversary tile. Lucy Zammarelli reported on
- III. Reedsport Sharing
Trillium/DMAP records not aligned, leads to billing complications;
Credentialing challenges; desire for more interaction, including trainings in Reedsport regarding Trillium programs; getting access to language interpreters, request for information about how to credential Spanish speaking staff; challenges with RideSource rides not being reliable, need more information about transportation services, including mileage reimbursement; issues around psychiatric patients in the ER, difficulty working with other hospitals; desire to have "telepsych"/prescribing due to general practitioners discomfort with prescribing psychotropic drugs; desire to have Trillium Prevention programs extended to Reedsport; the South Coast Regional Early Learning Hub is eager to connect and extend services to Reedsport.



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IV. Next Steps:

Trillium will send Transportation Guides for providers' waiting rooms, social service agencies and the hospital.

We will connect the School-based Prevention coordinator with the LUH school nurse.

Trillium will address the credentialing and payment issues.

Trillium will connect with Reedsport members to determine what kind of training/education is needed.

We will work to identify consumer members for the RAC.

The next meeting will be October 13th in Florence at the Laurelwood Homes Community Center.