

DBHR listening session for behavioral health service providers

Tuesday September 28, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.

Teams listening session norms

- ▶ Mute yourself if you are not speaking.
- ▶ Raise your hand if you want to speak.
- ▶ This time is for you. Ask questions, give comments, ask for help if you need it.
- ▶ If we cannot answer your question on this call, we will follow up after the webinar.

Disclaimer

- ▶ This webinar is being recorded and will be posted to the HCA COVID-19 page.
- ▶ This recording is open to public disclosure.
- ▶ Please do not disclose any private or confidential information.

Agenda

Subject	Who
• Welcome	• Michael Langer
• Updates	• Michael Langer
• COPE project • <u>Visit the COPE website</u>	• Patty King
• Questions	• All

Michael updates:

- ▶ Crisis Response Improvement Strategy (CRIS) committee
 - ▶ Selected CRIS Committee Members have been contacted and have scheduled introductory calls with the contractor (HMA).
 - ▶ The first CRIS committee meeting will be held on Thursday, September 30, from 9 a.m. to noon.
 - ▶ All CRIS committee meetings are open to the public.
 - ▶ [Register for the meeting](#)
 - ▶ [Sign up to get updates](#)
- ▶ Provider relief funds
 - ▶ HCA is currently reviewing applications and fiscal documents.
 - ▶ Award letters are expected to go out on Friday, October 1. with funding disbursed by Friday, October 8.

Congratulations WISe team!

- ▶ The TR v. Birch and Clintsman case was dismissed with prejudice on Thursday, September 7.
 - ▶ The case cannot be revived and there will no longer be attorney oversight of Wraparound with Intensive Services (WISe).
 - ▶ The case was filed in 2009 and led to the creation of WISe which now serves more than 6,000 individuals a year, across the state.
 - ▶ HCA would like to recognize and celebrate all of the hard work and success that so many of you have put into the creation, iterations, and development of WISe over the last 12 years.
- ▶ As part of the dismissal, HCA will focus on three areas over the next two years:
 - ▶ Mobile crisis
 - ▶ WISe interest lists
 - ▶ Transition age youth

Updates: COVID

- ▶ Read the [vaccine mandate fact sheet](#)
- ▶ Behavioral health providers can request [COVID-19 test kits](#)

Campaign updates:

- ▶ DBHR launched [Start Your Path](#), a web-based resource to help people explore a career in behavioral health.
 - ▶ The website shares educational options, opportunities for financial support, and a variety of behavioral health careers.
 - ▶ The campaign includes two YouTube videos ([:15](#) and [:30](#)) that will air on social media, streaming services, and TV.
 - ▶ Questions about the campaign? Email HCA Behavioral Health Communications Manager, Melissa Thoemke.



Open forum: All questions are welcome

Thanks for your time!