

HUMAN SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING
DATE: April 28, 2011 – 2:00-3:30pm at St. Petersburg College

TOPIC	DISCUSSION/RECOMMENDATIONS	ACTION
Welcome/Introductions	<p>Introductions completed.</p> <p>Present were: Cynthia Bell, Douglas Bonar, Thomas Clark, Dianne Clarke, Marvin Coleman, Astrid Ellis, Jill Gould, Laurallyn Segur, Arleen Sermons, Donna Sicilian, Cheryl Kerr.</p> <p>Others Present: Dr Gary Graham, Outreach Coordinator, SPC, Dr. Greg McLeod, Associate Provost, Dr. Phil Nicotera, Provost</p> <p>Absent: Kristin Dailey, Robert Neri, Ronda Russick, Micki Thompson, Joan Trifilo, Shelba Waldron, Christine Warwick, Frieda Widera</p>	None Needed
Review of Minutes	Minutes from October, 2010 meeting were distributed and reviewed.	Minutes were reviewed and approved. Motion by Cynthia Bell, Seconded by Cheryl Kerr
Review of Labor Market Data and Placement and Follow Up Results	<p>Discussed the information. Astrid asked about how the actual Graduates Job Tracking is accounted for. Also discussion regarding if data includes BA Degrees.</p> <p>Discussions relating to pay and education and the changes the State is facing.</p> <p>Graduates with a criminal background having a harder time with jobs versus no criminal backgrounds.</p>	<p>Committee would like to see a breakdown of AS Degree Graduates and BA Degree Graduate job placement.</p> <p>Cheryl asked the committee to keep her updated on the outcome of the budget cuts happening in our area.</p> <p>Referring students to the resource folder in ANGEL (online student commons) helps the students with a criminal background</p>
AGENCY ROUNDTABLE/UPDATES	<p>Cindy Bell of JWB - reported JWB has gone through reorganization. JWB'S About Pinellas Kids e-newsletter is available. Please go to link to sign up.</p> <p>Diane Clark, Operation PAR – discussed that they are waiting on updates from Tallahassee on budget issues. Operation PAR is expanding the Clinics for Mothers with addictions. Operation PAR has lost funding for adult rehab.</p>	<p>http://www.jwbpinellas.org/ Cheryl will send link for newsletter</p> <p>http://www.operationpar.org/</p>

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	<p>Astrid Ellis – Healthy Start – Discussed the services – Substance Abuse Task Force Started. They have applied for a grant to help with Substance Abuse</p> <p>Jill Gould, Dept. of Juvenile Justice – Department is process of hiring 4 people. Juvenile numbers are down from the past.</p> <p>Lauralynn Seguar – Eckerd Community Alternatives - discussed the growing issue of prescription drug addiction in our community. There will be an article in the St. Pete Time regarding this issue.</p> <p>1st Golf Tournament coming up on June 11th raising funds for children in foster care.</p> <p>Arleen Sermons – Pinellas County Health & Human Services discussed the Family Homeless Prevention program.</p> <p>Donna Sicilian – Pinellas County Schools - Discussed the issues with the state budget. Not sure at this time of the exact number of social workers to be lost.</p> <p>Greg McCleod, Associate Provost, SPC – announced that Cheryl Kerr just received her 5 Year Award at the annual HEC Awards ceremony</p> <p>Dr Gary Graham, Outreach Coordinator, SPC – discussed the newsletter and the Fall Advisory Committee Recognition</p>	<p>http://www.healthystartpinellas.org</p> <p>http://www.eckerd.org/services/system-management/eckerd-community-alternatives/</p> <p>http://www.pinellascounty.org/humanservices/default.htm</p> <p>http://www.spcollege.edu/epicenter/advisory/</p>
NEW BUSINESS		
Review of Human Services Guaranteed Schedule for 2011-2012	<p>- Handout passed out – Cheryl explained the new system which will be giving students better availability to courses.</p>	<p>Link on Human Services webpage: http://www.spcollege.edu/Hec/hus/HumanServicesCourseSchedule.pdf</p>
OLD BUSINESS		
Review & Revision of MLO's (Major Learning Outcomes) for the HUS Program	<p>Handout passed out of Major Learning Outcomes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proposed Revisions to the MLO's • Current MLO's 	<p>Cheryl will send out proposed revisions for a vote from the Committee</p>

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<p>OLD BUSINESS (Cont.)</p> <p>Bachelors Degree in Human Services/ Social Work</p>	<p>Discussion regarding that USF St. Pete will no longer be offering a Bachelors in Social Work degree. The program is moving to the Tampa Campus due to accreditation issues. The Tampa program will be limited on the Bachelor Level. Discussion was on the fact that SPC could help filled the need in the area. Dr. Nicotera commented on that the Baccalaureate Program would need to the analysis to see if there is a growing need. Also that USF has to give blessing for us to pursue this Bachelors Program</p>	<p>Committee would like Cheryl approach the Baccalaureate Program at SPC regarding bringing Bachelors in Social Work to SPC.</p>
<p>Next meeting:</p>	<p>October 2011, EPI Center at the Fall Recognition. Committee can meet for a Breakfast/Lunch or Dinner and then breakout for Fall Advisory Meeting</p>	<p>Minutes and agenda to be forwarded to members for review in advance of October 2011 meeting.</p>
<p>Adjournment</p>		<p>The meeting was adjourned at approximately 3:30 p.m. LauraLynn Segur motioned to adjourn. Astrid Ellis seconded.</p>