Nurse Staffing Workgroup
July 13, 2010 Meeting
10 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Service Employees International Union 1199 (SEIU)
1395 Dublin Road
Columbus, OH 43215
West Virginia Conference Room

I. Welcome

II. Review and approval of June 21, 2010 Minutes

III. Update From ODMH on nursing minimums

a. ODMH licensure rules can be found at http://mentalhealth.ohio.gov/what-we-do/protect-and-monitor/licensure-and-certification/rules/rules-in-effect.shtml
b. Per Ohio Administrative Code 5122-14-10(F)(3)(a), for nursing services, a 1:4 minimum nursing staff to patient ratio shall be maintained as an overall average in any four week period with the exception of night hours when the patients are sleeping.
c. Inpatient providers that fail to comply with this requirement may receive a corrective action plan.
    i. Corrective action plans or "citations" are not posted for the public
d. ODMH also has mandatory reporting of a Reportable Incident (formerly called a MUI or Major Unusual Incident) http://www.mh.state.oh.us/assets/licensure-certification/inpatient-providers-reportable-incident-notification.pdf
e. This information is confidential until there is a public request for the information
    i. Once there is a request for the information, any patient identifiers are removed from the report and it is released. In order to request the report in the first place - someone needs to be aware that the incident occurred and that is was reportable to the ODMH
    ii. ODMH does 100% follow up on these reports either via phone or on site visit

IV. National Database of Nursing Quality Indicators (NDNQI)

a. Nursing care hours per patient day - https://www.nursingquality.org/ (click on "ANA's NQF-Endorsed Measure Specifications" on the left-hand side to obtain specifications)
b. Discussion and recommendation of this measure
c. Discussion on other NDNQI measures

V. Adverse Event Measures

a. NQF 28 Serious Reportable Events - http://www.qualityforum.org/Publications/2007/03/Serious_Reportable_Events_in_Healthcare–2006_Update.aspx
b. AHRQ Patient Safety Indicators (PSI) - http://www.qualityindicators.ahrq.gov/TechnicalSpecs41.htm#PSI41

VI. Nurse to Patient Ratios

a. Discussion and recommendations

VII. Adjournment