



Commission on Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Dual Diagnosis Treatment Sub-Committee

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Meeting Minutes

June 11, 2025

9:00 am – 11:00 am

Virtual Meeting via Microsoft Teams

Welcome/Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 pm by Representative Christine Hunschofsky, Subcommittee Chair.

Roll call was taken by Aaron Platt. Quorum was met.

The following members or designees were in attendance:

Representative Christine Hunschofsky, Subcommittee Chair
Mark Mahon (Governor Appointee)

Dr. Jay Reeve, Commission Chair (Governor Appointee)

Melissa Larkin-Skinner, (Speaker of the House Appointee)

Lee Fox, (President of the Senate Appointee)

Devona Pickle for Pamela Hull, Subject Matter Expert Lead

Heather Allman, Subject Matter Expert Lead

Shari Thomas for Steven Ronik, Subject Matter Expert

Patrick Heidemann, Subject Matter Expert

Julie Smythe, Subject Matter Expert

Review and Approval of April 11, 2025 Meeting Minutes

A motion was entered to approve the April 11, 2025 minutes. The motion was carried. The minutes were approved with no opposition.

Commission Update

Commission Chair Jay Reeve provided a brief update on legislative bills related to the Commission. Chair Reeve also provided information on the upcoming in-person meeting in Orlando at the Florida Children and Families Summit on September 2, 2025. The content for the live meeting was discussed and includes: Subcommittee updates, a legislative analysis and a review of prior recommendations from the Commission. Chair Reeve also informed the subcommittee of an additional in-person meeting that will occur in Tallahassee in late March or early April 2026.

Review of Information Presented to the Dual Diagnosis Subcommittee

Heather Allman with the Department of Children and Families-Office of Substance Abuse and Mental Health reviewed key take aways from five presentations delivered to the Dual Diagnosis Treatment subcommittee.

Subcommittee Chair Hunschofsky requested clarification on pilot data and agency coordination and emphasized the need for public awareness for behavioral health services.

Subject Matter Expert Julie Smythe agreed to compile a list of programs that the subcommittee should examine for outcomes and where capacity issues may exist.



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Chair Reeve suggested the subcommittee consider recommending enhancements to current programs instead of inventing new ones.

Open Discussion

Subcommittee members agreed to revisit presentations and submit draft recommendations for the subcommittee to consider.

Subcommittee Chair Hunschofsky requested subcommittee members give thought to possible recommendations prior to the next subcommittee meeting and, review previous recommendations to evaluate if the intention of the recommendations actually materialized.

Public Comment

No Public Comment

Closing Remarks

Subcommittee Chair Hunschofsky provided closing remarks.

Meeting adjourned at approximately 10:00 am.