

ClearPath Clinic STRATEGIC PLAN 2017-2018

Executive Summary

The purpose of the ClearPath Clinic's Strategic Plan is to:

- a) guide the future development of this vital community resource to ensure access to an effective program that meets the needs and expectations of the patients, their families and the communities served;
- b) in a manner consistent with the Mission and Vision of the Center for Alcohol & Drug Treatment (CADT) as well as the principles outlined in SAMHSA's "working definition" for recovery from substance use and related disorders;
- c) through the delivery of services that are person-centered, holistic, strength based, hopeful, and empowering;
- d) in an environment that is safe, well managed, financially sustainable, embedded in a recovery oriented continuum and integrated with appropriate mental health and medical services in the communities served.

As a community-based nonprofit program, CADT recognizes its dual roles as both a provider of services to individuals and as an agent of public health and safety – protecting families and the community by eliminating and/or reducing the extent of collateral damage associated with untreated or ineffectively treated substance use disorders.

At the same time, in order to achieve these goals and objectives, CADT must navigate the public policy, regulatory, financial, and other challenges that are faced within the state and industry, despite the burden of personal and social stigma that keeps patients from accessing care, community recovery services from being actualized, and entities like CADT from gaining the broader community support needed to effectively carry out the CADT Mission.

What matters most for the organization are results achieved. In the case of the ClearPath Clinic and CADT, those are realized through healthier, stable and productive patients who have overcome or reduced the risks associated with substance use disorder, families that are safe and functional, and communities that recognize and support treatment, harm reduction and recovery.

Strategic Goals and Objectives

Priority 1: Maximize Capacity to Meet Demand for Services

- A. Objective: Accelerate transfers for patients living in the service area but receiving services out of the area
- B. Objective: Develop additional resources (physician time) to support expanded patient census

Priority 2: Integrate/Collaborate with Primary Medical Care & Regional Health Systems

- A. Objective: Utilize outpatient, detox, residential, and support services to improve access by primary care physicians to medication assisted treatment
- B. Objective: Develop Vidyo tele-health system to support regional healthcare providers

Priority 3: Collaborate with Existing Community Housing & Other Service Providers to Support Positive Change for Patients

- A. Objective: Assess and document identified service needs among the ClearPath patient population
- B. Objective: Invite service providers to educate, screen and initiate services to patients at ClearPath

Priority 4: Develop a Pathway for Suboxone Patients to Move Out of ClearPath to Office-Based Continuing Care

- A. Objective: Refer 30% of current Suboxone patients at ClearPath to Outpatient care in 2017
- B. Objective: Develop referral relationships with at least 10 primary care providers through CADT's outpatient MAT program

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