

Beckman Center for Mental Health Services

Board of Directors Meeting

May 4, 2026

Meeting held In Person and by Zoom

Attendance:

Absent:

Staff Members:

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<u>Topic</u>	<u>Discussion</u>	<u>Related Documents</u>
Welcome and Introductions	Ms. Mostiller called the meeting to order at 6:20pm and welcomed everyone to the meeting.	
Approval of the Minutes	Minutes from May 2026 meeting were approved as written on a motion by Rauch Wise and seconded by Jamison Tinsley. All in favor.	
Communications		
Program Highlight Compliance Heidi Hoogstraal	Heidi presented audit results and slideshow on Beckman AIR data.	 Beckman AIR yearly data.pptx  Abbreviations List approved 8.11.20.pc

Center Director's Report Tacey Perillo	• Reviewed the center goals. • Discussed progress on transitioning to EMR. • Beckman will become a Narcan distributor, training forthcoming. • Heidi and Nicole Pierce, are going to hostage negotiator training. • The updated org chart has been submitted to the DOA. ◦ Waiting for the restructuring to be finalized. • A mental health day at Grace Street Park is planned for May 30th. •	
Chief of Staff Report Koshay Arnold	• Our Fy27 Budget proposal has been submitted with a Budget of \$9.3 million dollars, which accounts for a potential 2% increase, repairing the skylights in the Greenwood complex, the parking lot in Laurens, and replacing a lawnmower. We also renewed our CCBHC contract with Carolina Health Centers for another year. Our budget meeting with state office is scheduled for 5/13. • Some of financial challenges we have experienced this fiscal year include: ◦ Unanticipated expenses including funding the CCBHC contact out of Center funds, tree removals, increases in lease agreements, and prior year payables. ◦ Billing challenges include challenges with getting insurance companies to pay for services delivered in a school setting, Dual plans are paying at a reduced rate, out of network insurances, and private insurance companies not reimbursing for ACT services.	
Deputy Director's Report Debroah Blalock	• Reviewed current House and Senate budget recommendations. • Waiting for the House's second budget, H2, to come out this week. • The session ends on May 12th. • Dr. Bank, the OMH director, is retiring on June 1st. • Working on No Wrong Door Initiative - The plan is to embed people in each other's offices, starting with Fairfield County, and then rolling it out across the state.	

Medical Director Report Dr. Eman Sharawy	• Absent	
Committee Reports	<u>Community Awareness/Legislative:</u> • None <u>Programs and Services</u> • None	
Unfinished Business	• Jameson was nominated and accepted as vice chair.	
New Business	•	
Adjournment	The meeting was adjourned at 7:10pm on a motion by Rauch Wise.	

Respectfully submitted,

Jessica Baker