Community Liaison/Systems Developer

Summary of focus: develop scope of responsibilities and draft budget for the Community Liaison/Systems Developer position to be funded through the FY 2011-12 BHRS AOD budget

Questions to answer

- 1. What are the ideal skill sets and qualifications for this person?
 - a. Ability to convene, support and facilitate community and interagency collaborative meetings;
 - b. Ability to develop large-scale community capacity-building plan documents and support materials;
 - c. Understanding of community capacity-building/community development concepts and practice;
 - d. Understanding of community leadership concepts and practice;
 - e. Understanding of behavioral health systems and operating structures;
 - f. Knowledge of AOD and Mental Health Recovery Concepts.
- 2. What are the scope of responsibilities for this position?
 - a. Convene and provide leadership and support for a countywide AOD Community Collaborative to develop and implement a Capacity-Building plan;
 - b. Developing an AOD capacity-building plan utilizing the Results-based Accountability Framework to align BHRS and community partner effort toward a common set of AOD treatment and recovery results;
 - c. Develop relationships and strategic partnerships amongst AOD treatment services providers and leaders within the AOD recovery community in Stanislaus County;
 - d. Convene and provide leadership and support for a Sober Living Collaborative to develop self-regulating standards, capacity-building and public services integration/partnership plans.
 - e. Develop collaborative partnerships amongst BHRS AOD services providers to ensure continuity of services and support between BHRS and its partners.
- 3. How will this person interact with people in other AOD programs funded by BHRS? To people receiving support through AOD efforts not funded by BHRS (e.g., volunteer community-based supports, etc.)
 - a. The Community Liaison will:
 - develop partnerships amongst BHRS AOD services providers to ensure continuity of services and support between BHRS and its partners;
 - develop formal lines of communication between BHRS and its partners;

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4. Draft budget estimate

a. Staffing costs: \$97,000.00 (Staff Services Coord. + 30%)

b. Operating costs: \$15,000.00
c. Other expenses: \$8,000.00
d. Total draft budget: \$120,000.00

5. Sources of information relied upon to create the budget: County salary scale + 30% for benefits.