

Grey Bruce Health Network and Police Services Committee

Terms of Reference

Purpose

The Grey Bruce Health Network and Police Services Committee provides a mechanism to support effective communication in order to identify and resolve issues, problems and actual and/or potential conflict situations between the hospitals and all Police Service detachments in the Grey and Bruce counties.

Objectives

- To work collaboratively in strengthening partnerships and services
- To communicate any issues immediately to the appropriate partner to ensure that problems and conflict situations (actual and/or potential) are resolved quickly and efficiently.
- To inform partners about new policies, initiatives and legislation that impacts on services and/or agreements.
- To create, revise and/or respond to any policies, initiatives and legislation that impacts on services and/or agreements.
- To identify, implement and evaluate any learning opportunities.
- To identify and facilitate cross training opportunities
- To annually review the community's crime profile and identify shared actions arising from this review.

Reporting Relationship

The GBHN – Police Services Committee is a regional committee which shall report to the CEOs of the hospitals, the Chiefs of Police and OPP Detachment Commanders.

Membership

To ensure representation at the meetings each organization is to send substitute if not able to attend.

1. The Grey Bruce Health Network Hospitals consisting of representatives from:
 - a. Grey Bruce Health Services
 - b. Hanover and District Hospital
 - c. South Bruce Grey Health Centre
2. Owen Sound Police Services
3. Ontario Provincial Police Services, consisting of representatives from:
 - a. Bruce Peninsula detachment
 - b. Grey County detachment
 - c. South Bruce detachment
4. West Grey Police Services
5. Hanover Police Service
6. Saugeen Shores Police Service
7. Cape Croker First Nation Police Services

8. Other person(s) as the co-chairs may designate from time to time.

All members have voting rights

One administrator from the GBHN and one member from the Police Services will co-chair for a minimum of one year. The introduction of the new co-chairs will alternate

Meetings, Minutes, Reports

Meetings are to be held semi-annually at GBHS at a set date and time
Secretarial support for the taking of minutes and other activities will be provided by one of the hospitals

Minutes are to be kept for 4 years in Administration at GBHS

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November 12th, 2009