FVSN Meeting 5/4/2021

In attendance: Randy Henderson (Polk), Gretchen Pacheco (Clackamas), Beth Zuber (Lane), Nicole Taylor (Deschutes), Nick Reiten (Jackson), Joy Lewis (Washington), Zach Hall (Lake), Megan Bubar (Columbia), Sage Bosch (Jackson), Kari Page (Multnomah), Daniel Schram (Jackson), Kimberly Bowman (Lane), Dona Dotson (Curry), Shaun Anderson (Hood River), Liliete Anderson (Lake), Henry Sullivan (Josephine), Mike Paturzo (Coos County), Kelley Huffman (Jackson), Julie Francom (Washington), Tilli Conner (Klamath), Tiffany Hopwood (Multnomah), Denise Pena (Multnomah), Dawn Penberthy (Clackamas County), Nellie MCdonald (Washington), Glen Watson (Tillamook), Kurt Mantie (Marion), Brittany Rochelle (Washington), Chris Hoover (Clatsop)

DOC Updates: Shawn Cost-Streety & Cindy Booth

Victim contact while in Custody. AIC's told no contact with victims through mail or visitation. Contact via phone or video no rules on that due to need for parenting, etc. If AIC parental rights are in place then Visitation is allowed for purposes of the child.

- Telephone rule up for Policy revision
 - o Difficulties arise surrounding parenting, etc.
 - o May be revisited after current legislative session.

Polygraph and DV Supervision:

Team Work:

- PPO
- Treatment Provider
- Polygraph examiner
 - o Obtain a ROI
 - Share info an-amongst team
 - Don't hold onto information
 - Work Together-
 - Trust the work each team member is doing
 - If there are concerns, discuss it immediately
 - Support each other in their role.

Lafayette Instrument:

- Seat Sensor
- Pneumograph Tubes (respiration
- Electro dermal Activity (EDA)
- Blood pressure Cuff (heart rate, and blood pressure
- Other components;
 - o Arm and foot sensors.

Why use Polygraph:

- Assists with supervision compliance
- ID's target victims/ victim pool
- Assists with Risk assessment
- Aids Treatment- Is the person "attending and offending?"
- Verifies information being provided by Justice involved adults is accurate.

Types of testing:

- Instant Offense
 - Justice involved adult denies crime of convictions or significant aspects of it.
 Specific issue exam.
- Prior Offense Allegation
- Instant Offense Investigation
- Sexual History/ Violence history disclosure
- Maintenance

When should you use a polygraph?

You should conduct a maintenance exam within first 90 days of Supervision/ Treatment. First 90 days are crucial. After first 90 days conduct poly every 6 months or as determined by treatment or PO.

What are the four phases of administering a Polygraph?

- Pre- Test
 - o Interview and question development (relevant and comparison)
- In test
 - o Attachments
- Test Data analysis(TDA/ Interpretation chart
 - o Scoring
- Post Test
 - o Interviewing/ results

Case information:

- Polygraph examiner should not be the 1st to discuss case facts or issues with Justice involved Adults
 - PPO and or treatment provider should review any allegations or concerns prior to referring for testing.
- PPO and or treatment provider should provide a referral with [pertinent information.
 - o Name
 - Type of case
 - Type of supervision
 - Type of treatment receiving
 - Victim/survivor information
 - Police report

Develop relevant questions:

- Adequacy of case information- From referral source
- Intensity of the issue
- Distinctiveness of the issue

Relevant questions should share the same time frame. Issues about Historical (pre conviction) behaviors should not be combined with those dealing with compliance matters

- Relevant questions:
 - o Single in Issue
 - o Narrow in scope
 - o Clear and specific
 - No mental exercise
 - o Behavior- Not thoughts or Fantasy
- Relevant Questions DV testing:
 - o Since starting supervision have you had any physical contact with Mary?
 - o Since starting supervision have you been inside a home or Vehicle with Mary
 - o Since starting probation have consumed any alcoholic beverage
 - Since starting probation have you physically assaulted anyone?
- Exam Results:
 - o Single issue test results are reportable as: NDI,DI, INC, or no
 - o Multiple issue test results are reported as: SR, NSR, or NO
 - Opposing decisions such as DI and NDI or SR or NSR should not be offered on any exam.
 - o NSR should not be offered unless all relevant questions showed NSR.
- Significant reaction- Now what?
 - Addendum form provided by PPO

- o JII should complete the addendum form within 3 weeks
- Completed addendum dorm should be reviewed by PPO and treatment provider (group)
- o Completed addendum should be sent to examiner to review
- o New exam should be scheduled within 30 days
- o SR test must be resolved before any further testing can take place.

Why identify Victims/survivors truthfully

- Requires JII to be honest
- Is consistent with basic principle or accountability
- Etc

DETER: Periodic testing can create compliance pro active

DETECT: Testing may identify Re-offense or RE-Active

Time disclosure rule:

- Report immediately to PPO and Treatment provider
- Wait a few weeks/ months then report
- Report day or two before polygraph
- Disclose in pre-test interview
- Disclose in post-test interview

Counter measures purposely non-compliant:

- Counter measures:
 - Physical
 - Mental
 - Substance use
 - Other concerns:
 - Medical
 - Medication

Using Marijuana right before test can throw off EDA.

Virtual Academy Ideas of topics and presenters:

- Victim Advocates
- Safety Planning
- Victims' Rights PCAN
- Veteran Specific clients (PTSD)
- Case Planning With DV Offenders
- Strangulation training
- Mental Health
- Female Specific- Tiffany
- Scenarios

SB497:

Passed house will give Community Corrections \$7 million for the next biennium

HB2002:

Revoke language gone.

Looks to increase EDIS to Board cases

Large change in conditions across state

GC13- Change report as directed to report by the least egregious means necessary to meet needs of Case plan.-Fighting to get removed.

Abolishing supervision fees but would back fund Community corrections with \$10 million for the next biennium.

Round Table:

Safety Plan discussion how they are used for contact, How different Counties use Polygraphs for supervision.

Next Meeting: Virtual Meeting 8/3/21 Planned Training From CAFA on Neuro Feedback-Bio feedback related to DV Offenders with PTSD.