



Oneida County Board of Supervisors February 15, 2024

Human Services Structure update

January/February 2024

- The Stakeholders group representing the three counties and tribal partners had a meeting on January 23rd with Crisis Service and Law Enforcement from Bayfield and Taylor Counties. These counties were recommended by the Department of Health Services regional office staff as effective programs with good working relationships. Both counties emphasized good communication and a willingness to have tough discussions as keys to maintaining relationships between Human Services and Law Enforcement.
- On January 29, 2024, a meeting was held with management from the three county Social Services Departments and the Human Service Center. This meeting was facilitated by Amber Rehberg, Extension Director and held at Nicole College. The intent of the meeting was to re-set the group and set the foundation to continue to work together to provide services to our community.
- A consumer/community stakeholders meeting was held on February 9th at the Oneida County Library. A virtual option was also provided. Feedback from the meeting was that an addition meeting for the community was needed that is not during the workday. An additional virtual meeting has been scheduled for February 20th @ 6:00 pm. The Social Services Directors from the three counties will also be available to answer questions.
- The Tri-County Transition Oversight Committee had their first meeting on February 08, 2024. The agenda included updates on the feasibility study, duties of the chair, review of the purpose and discuss information needed from HSC.
- A Tri-County Directors meeting is scheduled for Monday, February 19th.
- Monthly updates will be provided in February to the Social Services and ADRC Committees, the Human Service Center Board and the Oneida County Board of Supervisors.