

Meeting Title:	Health Care Advisory Committee
Date:	Wednesday, April 16, 2024
Start/End Time:	4:00 to 5:30 p.m.
Location:	Teams Meeting
Invited:	Aj Butler, Ajay Sethi, Amanda Jovaag, Andrew O'Donnell, April Scott, Beth Olson, Bil Schneider, Ellen Marks, Erika Enk, Katherine Loving, Kuan Chou, Lindsay Barber, Megan Miller, Merrick Scholz, Roberta Pawlak, Jake Baggott
Unable to Attend:	Isabelle Bubnick, Ace Filter, Shia Fisher, Andy Garbacz, Tyler Katzenberger, Gary Malchow, Steve Quintana, Teri Stewart, Tally Moses

Agenda

TOPICS	WHO
<p>1. Food Insecurity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Erika Enk, Nurse Case Manager at UHS, shared a presentation on UHS Efforts in Addressing Food Insecurity at UW-Madison. b. Five essential reasons why we need to address food insecurity at UW-Madison: 1. Student Wellbeing 2. Student Success & Belonging 3. Equity & Access 4. Persistence & Graduation 5. Campus Community Wellbeing. c. UHS has a Food Insecurity Workgroup. Goals: Ensure a uniform approach to screening for food insecurity. Help understand populations most at risk for food insecurity. Identify resources on and off campus for students with food insecurity. d. UHS launched a Food Insecurity Pilot Study. Providers Phoebe Sullivan (Gynecology) & Megan Gendel (Primary Care). Every student seen in clinic by these providers is being screened for food insecurity using modified Hunger Vital Signs Screening Tool. Questions are on a wipeable laminated form in three languages. 	<p>Andrew O'Donnell & Erika Enk</p>

(point d. continued) This is voluntary: a student does not need to complete this form. The responses are entered into the EMR (Electronic Medical Record) by the provider. Answering yes to one or both questions is considered a positive screen. Students who screen positive are offered Swipe Out Hunger Card (if available) & resources by the provider.

e. Resources for students:

- i. Swipe Out Hunger meal card that can be used at any of the Housing Dining Commons.
- ii. Dean of Students Office
- iii. Financial Aid Office
- iv. UW Frozen Meals
- v. The Open Seat
- vi. Foodshare
- vii. The Community Action Coalition for South Central Wisconsin Dane County Food Pantry Network
- viii. ASM Sustainability has a Google document with the most accurate and current list of resources

f. Next Steps for UHS in continuing the work:

- i. Provide ongoing data to UHS Leadership & Dean of Students Office
- ii. Slow Food UW & The Office of Sustainability meeting
- iii. UHS representation at campus-wide Food Security group
- iv. Work with ASM to see how we can further support students
- v. Evaluate/assess pilot project
- vi. Identify and work with other campus and community partners

2. Mental Health Services Update

- a. Ellen Marks, Senior Associate Director of Clinical Services at UHS, shared an update on TogetherAll. University Health Services and Recreation & Wellbeing are partnering with Togetherall to provide an online, anonymous peer-support tool available for free to our students.

b. Spring Semester of 2024 TogetherAll was successfully “soft launched” to all UW Madison Students. There is an ongoing marketing strategy to inform students of this service. The website was launched and can be found at:

<https://www.uhs.wisc.edu/mental-health/togetherall/>

3. Approve Meeting Minutes – 2.20.24 & 3.19.24 (action item) - APPROVED

Discussion and Approval:

Meeting Minutes 2.20.24

Meeting Minutes 3.19.2024