



## **MEETING NOTES**

### **March 27, 2009**

#### **I. EXECUTIVE COORDINATOR REPORT**

**Susan shared the presentation of the Fourth Annual Report that she gave to the ATCMHMR Board on March 26, 2007. She will be giving similar presentations to the Health and Human Services Subcommittee of the City Council on April 21, 2009 and to the full City Council on April 23, 2009.**

**Data gathering has begun in the Financial Modeling Project related to Housing. It was also reported that the RERT has received a planning grant from the Corporation for Supportive Housing that will support a year long process around permanent supportive housing for Austin. The MMHTFMC is a first tier partner in this planning process.**

**The Committee discussed a number of RFPs that have recently been issued by the federal government as part of the economic stimulus package. Participants agreed that the MMHTFMC would be a good vehicle for communication and coordination of applications for this funding.**

**An updated analysis of public psychiatric hospital needs in Austin/Travis County has been posted on the website. Follow up analyses are also planned in the coming year.**

#### **II. LEGISLATIVE UPDATE**

**Sireesha Nandagiri provided a brief legislative update and will be providing updates electronically throughout the legislative session.**

### **III. SPECIAL REPORTS:**

**Dr. Princess Katana and members of the Schools/Youth Subcommittee provided an update on activities planned for Children's Mental Health Awareness Day on May 7, 2009.**

### **IV. SCHEDULING**

**The next meeting of the MMHTFMC will be held on April 24, 2009 from 12-1:30 in the large training room at ATCMHMR. Please mark your calendars!**