

**SCA ADVISORY BOARD MEETING MINUTES  
MAY 20, 2019**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

John Cotter  
Brian Frey  
Ken Ralph  
Ken Marzinko

**STAFF PRESENT:**

Rick Kastner  
Marcia Musser

**A. Welcome and Introductions**

Rick welcomed everyone.

**B. Minutes**

The minutes of March 25, 2019 were approved as written.

**C. Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT)**

Effective 7/1/2020, SCA's must have a network of drug and alcohol treatment facilities that offer medication assisted treatment. A handout from DDAP was reviewed.

**D. Recovery Houses**

DDAP has draft regulations for recovery houses. Currently, there are no regulations for licensing requirements for Recovery Houses. There are about thirty (30) recovery houses in Lancaster County. The D&A Commission only deals with recovery houses that are part of a non-profit halfway house that we currently contract with. Rick is in favor of DDAP requiring licensing for all recovery houses.

**E. Overview of LaCasa**

Nelson Caldero, Clinical Supervisor, gave an overview . LaCasa is an adult male bilingual halfway house. There are twenty-three (23) beds. Forty to fifty percent of the residents are from Lancaster County. Most are between the ages of 28-40. There are three (3) phases to the program:

Phase One: Receive treatment, take care of legal issues, work with a counselor.

Phase Two: Start searching for a job and begin working.

Phase Three: Look for and find housing.

Rick and the Board members then took a tour of the building. Many questions were answered.

**F. Adjournment**

The meeting adjourned at 7:18 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Marcia L. Musser  
Administrative Assistant

**NEXT MEETING**

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