



COUNCIL ON STUDENT AFFAIRS MEETING AGENDA
OHIO UNION, SPHINX LEADERSHIP SUITE – 3:30PM – SEPTEMBER 18TH, 2017

Presentations

1. Presentation by Dr. Micky Sharma, Director – Counseling and Consultation Services (15min)

- Have 2 locations as of last year, Lincoln Tower & Younkin Success Center
- Highlighted ease of access through where they locate fulltime employees on campus
- Overview of all of the services provided including: languages offered, types of issues counseling covers, liaisons, ProtoCall (available past business hours), urgent appointments, crisis response, and drop-in workshops which are available everyday of the week
- Number of clients +26%, Number of URGENT visits +50%
- Anxiety has topped depression for biggest concerns, studies show it's due to less interpersonal interaction in today's society

a. Discussion on State of Mental Health (10-20 minutes)

- 8% of the student body is regularly attending counseling
- Self-Care, Resiliency, GRIT...these 3 concepts help defeat anxiety.
Usually when students are experiencing problems, one or more of these areas is lacking.
- Services vs. Stigma: What does CCS need to continue to progress? Looking at underserved populations, students of color was the example used but they were able to access this population via special programming in the MCC.

Old Business

1. Approval of Meeting Minutes

- Approved

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New Business

1. Carry Forward/Reconciliation Process – Procedural Vote

-Motion made and seconded

-A deficit took place last year in regards to student organizations

-As the population grows there is more of a need for review

-Board of Trustees approved an increase in the Student Activity Fee

-It is in line with tuition increases

-Fee is undergoing a review

-Motion made and seconded

-Voted: Further discussion to be had in 2 weeks and it is not going through the CSA formula yet

2. Student Life Updates

a. Dr. J (Doug)

-Ohio State to participate in Big Ten voting initiative

-Board of Trustees approved the strategic plan, want to make sure all 5 pillars are met and there is alignment

3. Subcommittee Updates

a. Issues – Subcommittee Chair, (To be elected)

i. Upcoming Issues

-Mental Health: possible campaign to bring students together

-Free Speech-Oct. 16th : How it is displayed/how can it be displayed on campus

b. Allocations – Subcommittee Chair, Amanda Montoya

-185 applications to go through

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-Meeting this week, if on committee and haven't gotten emails let Amanda know

-Received additional requests for funding

4. Student Government Updates

a. USG

-Taken in new members, 107 new, 250 total

-Next week everyone will have a committee assignment

b. CGS

-Executive retreat at the end of the month

-Increase in new delegates

c. IPC

-Had first full meeting yesterday, 40 delegates, 36 voting

-Stated mission for the year and went over bylaws

5. Open Floor/Announcements

-October 18th: Resource Fair on the South Oval

-Homecoming Parade route change, will now go down College Rd.

6. Adjournment

-Motioned and Seconded

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