

## ENA Chapter 401 Meeting Minutes

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Thursday, February 13, 2020

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Members present: Joseph May, Heather Hargis, Meredith Addison, Larry Addison, Emily Cannon, Megan May, Whitney Bartley, Andrea Shook, Maria Graft  
Guests (Jackie Angel): Bloomington Meadows, discussion about what this mental health facility offers, take insurance, Medicare, and Medicaid, d/c home set up with continuing care first appointment, take detox patients that are more complex, medication –assisted treatment, but do not prescribe suboxone. For lower income families, gas cards are provided. Seeing a lot of alcohol addiction, immediate threat to himself or others would indicate an inpatient stay. Flexibility to take adults or pediatric patients. Roommate with same gender, and within 3 years age difference, 3 beds to a room, pediatric admissions get “slower” in the summer time, breaks are a stressor for kids, tele-assessments in the schools, telemedicine clinics out of two outpatient hospitals, art therapy, rock-climbing wall, group therapy, family visits, very structured day, fence just built to allow for more play. Ppsych-only facility, unable to take medically complex patients, can manage wheelchair bound patients, seizing patients or any patients with any “tubes” is also a “no,” will take high-functioning autistic patients,

Location: Water Tower Estates Winer

1. Call to Order 7:04 PM EST
  - a. Welcome/Introductions by Larry Addison, President’s Report
    - i. Trauma certification course on March 27<sup>th</sup> in Vincennes, IN. TNCC classes are provided every month at the Indianapolis chapter. A TNCC Instructor course will be held in Evansville, IN.
    - ii. ENA National in Las Vegas, NV at the Venetian this year in September. Early-bird registrants need to pay everything by February, 2020.
      1. National ENA is providing a lot of money to pursue further education.
    - iii. ENA Indiana state budget, not many people put in for scholarships this last year for the spring term, limit is provided on the website. Works on a reimbursement schedule, pay first and then request reimbursement.
    - iv. Local chapter treasurer report was provided.
    - v. April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2020- Surgeon General speaking at JW Marriott in Indianapolis at the Governor’s Next Level Recovery Conference.
    - vi. Indiana Rural Health Association will assist with moving potential EMS workers into the “pipeline.”
    - vii. Jackie Mathis at Indiana State University is associated with AHEC and can assist students.
    - viii. To share with potential new members: go to website, print off membership form, bring to a local meeting, give to treasurer, local chapter will pay half, and the new member will pay half.
    - ix. If you receive any emails regarding requests for money, treat as spam.



- x. State and Chapter Leaders Orientation recommended for our board members, the most recent was last month.
  - xi. Next meeting is Thursday, April 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm
2. Meeting Adjourned  
7:38 PM EST