

**Incarceration Prevention Reduction Task Force
Behavioral Health Committee**

2:30 - 3:30 p.m. on September 17, 2018

Health Department Creekside Conference Room, 509 Girard Street, Bellingham WA

AGENDA

Topic	Packet Pages
1. Call to Order	
2. Engrossed Substitute House Bill (ESHB) 2263 regarding funding for housing and cultural activities (Continued from July 16) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop ideas on how to present the case in favor of a levy to the County Council: Statistics + examples of what has already been done 	1 - 5
3. Regular Update on GRACE, CPIT, and Whatcom has Hope programs	N/A
4. Other Business	
5. Next Steps: Ideas & Further Information <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review assigned tasks • Potential next meeting topic (<i>one topic per meeting</i>): <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Mental Health Court best practices, Skagit vs. Whatcom, cost-benefit; 2. Update on random sample of target population and standardized questions to do research in the jail. 3. Other 	
6. Public Comment	
7. Adjourn	

UPCOMING MEETINGS

IPR TASK FORCE various Mondays 9-11 a.m. Courthouse Conf. Rooms 513/514 311 Grand Ave., Bellingham	COMMITTEES			
	BEHAVIORAL HEALTH various Mondays 2:30-3:30 Health Department Creekside Conf. Room 509 Girard, B'ham	LEGAL & JUSTICE SYS. 2 nd Tuesday 11:30 am-1:30 pm Courthouse 5 th Floor Conf. Rm 514 311 Grand Ave., Bham	CRISIS RECOVERY FACILITY 3 rd Thursday 9:30-11:00 a.m. Courthouse 5 th Floor 513/514, 311 Grand Avenue, B'ham	STEERING As needed 311 Grand Ave., Bham
September 17	September 17	October 9	September 20: <i>at Health Dept.</i>	October 25,
October 15	October 15	November 13	October 18 in Room 514	9:30-11:00
November 26	November 26	December 11	November 15 in Room 513	Room 513
December 17	December 17		December 20 in Room 514	

The most up-to-date meeting schedule can be found online at:

<http://wa-whatcomcounty.civicplus.com/calendar.aspx?CID=40>,