

Advisory Group Application

Step 1

Application for Appointment to Whatcom County Advisory Groups

Public Statement

THIS IS A PUBLIC DOCUMENT: As a candidate for a public advisory group, the information provided will be available to the County Council, County Executive, and the public. All advisory group members are expected to be fair, impartial, and respectful of the public, County staff, and each other. Failure to abide by these expectations may result in revocation of appointment and removal from the appointive position.

Title	Mrs.
First Name	Brittany
Last Name	Dobbs
Today's Date	1/17/2024
Street Address	
City	
Zip	
Do you live in Whatcom County?	Yes
Do you have a different mailing address?	Field not completed.
Primary Telephone	
Secondary Telephone	Field not completed.
Email Address	

Step 2

1. Name of Advisory	Criminal Justice Treatment Account (CJTA) Panel
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Group

Criminal Justice Treatment Account (CJTA) Panel	Substance abuse treatment provider
2. Do you meet the residency, employment, and/or affiliation requirements of the position for which you're applying?	Yes
3. Which Council district do you live in?	District 5
4. Have you ever been a member of this Advisory Group	No
5. Do you or your spouse have a financial interest in or are you an employee or officer of any business or agency that does business with Whatcom County?	No
6. Have you declared candidacy (as defined by RCW 42.17A.055) for a paid elected office in any jurisdiction within the county?	No
You may attach a resume or detailed summary of experience, qualifications, & interest in response to the following questions	Attached
7. Please describe your occupation (or former occupation if retired), qualifications, professional and/or	Currently I am a SUDP at Bellingham CTC (methadone program) for the last 2 years but worked in the field of a SUDP in the last 5 years. I have done several educational panels for teaching about MAT services and what we do along with several educations to other schools on addiction and how to better help community

community activities,
and education

8. Please describe why you're interested in serving on this Advisory Group.	I am wanting to continue to help within the community I serve in addiction and allow also education to others and how we can better serve the epidemic that we are currently in. I personally have lost several member of my own family due to addiction and want to continue to serve and help in area of life that most dont understand.
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References (please include daytime telephone number):	Ginger Phillips-360-610-3505 Cathie Murphy-360-812-1464 Tracee Smith-360-920-5143
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Appointment Requirements	I understand and agree
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Signature of applicant:	Brittany Dobbs
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Place Signed / Submitted	
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(Section Break)

BRITTANY DOBBS

Skills

- Practicing Intake Assessments
- Practiced motivational interviewing
- Knowledge of mandated reporting, confidentiality laws
- Familiar with file management and chart organization
- Customer service

License | Certifications

- Certified Nursing Assistant
- CPR/First-Aide
- Substance Use Disorder Professional Trainee
- Hospice & Palliative Care Certified

Experience

Bellingham Comprehensive Treatment Center

Substance use disorder professional Jan, 2022- Present

- Performed medical assessment intake of substance use hx along with mental/medical
- Performed interviews and assessments with patients to include behavioral health information
- Communicated patients needs to medical staff
- Meet with 70+ case load monthly of own
- Continued chart review and updates as needed within also counseling sessions based on treatment plans made

Pioneer Human resources-PCN

Substance use disorder profession September, 2020- October, 2021

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Trivan Truck & Body

Detail/ Nov,2019- September,2020

- Operated rivet guns to attach shelves inside trailer, conex, and van units
- Communicated with lead personal regarding construction plans
- Used a welder to weld the flooring in place inside trailer units

Whatcom Hospice

Certified Nursing Assistant/ Nov, 2016- August, 2019

- Attended needs of hospice patients bed side needs such as feeding, bathing, suctioning, oxygen, changes, an turning patients
- Provided comfort support and resources to families
- Attended hospice patients in homes
- Utilized community resources such as, Adult Protective Services, Northwest Regional Services, and Catholic Community Services
- Communicated patients needs to hospice social worker or others who would better assist the needs

Education

Associates in Science/Certificate Substance Use Disorder Profession

Whatcom Community College/ Anticipated December 2020

CNA/HOME-CARE/ Medical

Catholic community services/ 2011

Certificate Dental Assistant

Charter College/ Graduated 2012