CALL TO ORDER
The meeting was called to order at 7:30 a.m.

APPROVAL OF NOVEMBER 16, 2016 MINUTES OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE MANAGEMENT COUNCIL
MOTION by Burke/Soell to approve the above minutes of the Criminal Justice Management Council. Motion carried unanimously; Larson, Gonzalez, Melby, Ashbeck, Funk, L. Kruse, Spivey excused.

PUBLIC COMMENT
There was no public comment.

SYSTEM MAPPING RELATED TO TRAUMA INFORMED CARE
Focused on Juveniles
Schools: Handout out from Troy Harcey. The School District of La Crosse provides a number of services related to trauma. They have mental health liaisons, TIC training, individual and group sessions, various trainings related to mental health and other avenues to address trauma.

Current Status:
Law Enforcement: Sheriff’s Department Deputies may not be aware of TIC (Trauma Informed Care). Sheriff’s Department Investigators may have knowledge of it but haven’t had training. Some law enforcement officers are trained in Crisis Intervention Training (CIT). Seems to be more compassion and patience with people they come in contact with in the community. Law enforcement in all agencies in La Crosse County appear to manage crisis situations without the use of force as is done in other areas.

CPS (Child Protective Services): 90-95% of staff have participated in TIC training. The Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACES) screen is used with birth parents.

Juvenile Detention Facility – all children entering the JDF experience the ACES screening. There is a therapist attached to the JDF. JDF staff are trained in trauma and mental health. Foster families/bio families and case workers all attend TIC training together.

Further Review:
- What could be the response to people who have signs of trauma/MH yet are low risk?
- How can trauma specific training be introduced in some of the areas such as law enforcement, DA, public defenders, System of Care.
- What can be done to enhance consistency between the judges? How can judges use trauma-informed practice during hearings consistently?
• Public Defender training? - What does the public defender office need to be able to bring the information to the attention of the courts on a regular basis? Can the public defender office help identify parents who may have trauma?

• Courthouse environment – How can we look at the environment for the people in the courtroom? There may be checklist/agency audits to see how our buildings, courtrooms, etc. are sensitive to people experiencing trauma. (Trauma audit)

• How can we ensure agency providers have the trained staff to manage trauma?

**STEPPING UP**

**MOTION** by M. Kruse/Burke to further examine the Stepping Up initiative by contacting other counties and researching benefits of becoming a Stepping Up county, and prepare a draft resolution for the February CJMC. **Motion carried unanimously;** Larson, Gonzalez, Melby, Ashbeck, Funk, L. Kruse, Spivey excused.

**INFORMATIONAL/MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS** – none noted.

**FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:** None noted

**ADJOURN**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:00 a.m.

**APPROVED January 18, 2017 - Recorded by Jane Klekamp; typed by Terri Pavlic**