ACBI Meeting – April 19, 2013
IDPH HRSA Report

Current HRSA Grant Activities

State Plan

The State Plan draft has been completed and provided to the State Plan Task Force for review. The task force will be editing the draft and the plan will be posted on the ACBI website for feedback. The final plan will be presented to the ACBI at the July meeting.

Webinars for Schools & Brain Injury Quick Guide for Schools

Six webinars were held from November 2012 through February 2013. IDPH is working on a feedback survey to send to webinar participants. The webinars are archived on the ACBI website. The Quick Guide for Schools was completed and a PDF version was posted on the ACBI website in February. 1500 copies of the quick guide have been ordered. The Cog Rehab task force and the ACBI needs to determine who the guides should be distributed to, how many additional guides need to be ordered and how the guides will be distributed. It would be good if the ACBI could support part of the production costs of the guides.

Domestic Violence TBI Screenings

A report on the prevalence of Traumatic Violence in survivors of domestic violence in DV programs was completed and distributed to ICADV and posted on the ACBI website.

DV/TBI in Corrections Screening

Screenings were held at the Iowa Correctional Institution for Women and the Womens Residental Correctional Facility in Des Moines in February. A report of the screening findings is being authored and will be posted on the ACBI website. IDPH is working with IDOC to schedule additional screenings to gather more information.

Other

A continuation with funds was submitted to HRSA on February 27th. This will provide Iowa with an additional year of funding at $250,000 plus funds that were not spend in year four.