FY2025 Recommendations to the Board of Directors From CREOKS's Consumer Advisory Work Group

- CREOKS should offer their own transportation options for outpatient appointments.
 - Talk to Soonercare about limitations on rides for Mental Health appointments and problems with Uber contract
 - Consider purchasing company vehicles for outpatient transportation services.
- CREOKS should hire and/or create a position for an Activities Coordinator to organize social opportunities for clients.
 - Reinstate annual clinic picnic/social events for consumers.
- CREOKS should provide therapists with someone who can advise them how to handle specialized cases.
 - We have that for Eating Disorders AEB "Office hours", would be great to have one for substance use services.
- CREOKS should enhance their Substance Use Treatment Services by:
 - Partnering with Residential Treatment Providers
 - Look at hosting AA/NA meetings at our facilities
- CREOKS Should establish public suggestion boxes in every clinic.
 - Advertise suggestion boxes to consumers using flyers etc.
 - Regularly review suggestions.
 - We could have the secretaries send the suggestions to the <u>awg@creoks.org</u> email once a month.
- CREOKS should help to improve the lines of communication from Support Staff to clients.
 - Retention of Case Managers.
 - o Policy on cancellation communications from staff. Clients need to know why.
 - Can we have some kind of tracking mechanism for cancelled appointments in our GoHealth Scheduler?
- CREOKS should pilot virtual groups offered to clients outside of the confines of clinic/county lines.
- CREOKS should apply to become a provider of The Program for All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE).
- CREOKS should consider marketing services to include specific clinic locations.