



Public Health Advisory Council Meeting

MEETING MINUTES – July 26th, 2017 @ 4:00pm

Health Department Board Room, 2nd floor
2030 Tecumseh Road
Manhattan, KS 66502

In attendance: *Please see attached sign in sheet.*

1. Welcome and Sign In
 - a. Jennifer called the meeting to order at 4:14 pm
 - b. Call for other items to be added to the agenda
 - c. No public comment.
2. Director's Report
 - a. Grants
 - i. The Peine Foundation Grant was awarded to RCHD in the amount of \$20,000. Some Raising Riley Staff will be trained to assist providers with quality improvement.
 - ii. The MCH Program is requesting \$10,000 from the Memorial Hospital Foundation to support Becoming a Mom.
 - iii. Food and Farm Taskforce
 - A. Applying for \$10,000 for a capacity building grant from the American Heart Association
 - B. RCHD will serve as the Fiscal agent for this grant.
 - iv. Flint Hills Wellness Coalition
 - A. Kansas Leadership Center has training opportunities for 80 persons.
 - v. The Deihl Fund (GMCF) will be resubmitted in October. We will decrease the requesting amount of money.
 - b. Fort Riley WIC Office Update
 - i. The Fort Riley WIC office served 1900 active participant on the base. The program was pulled in 2015 due to challenges accessing the new web based application and the lack of a signed MOU between Fort Riley and RCHD. WIC has been serving some Fort Riley families in the Ogden Satellite WIC Clinic since the closure. The team has experienced some challenges along the way but, the system is working and an MOU is sign by both parties. The anticipated start date for the new Fort Riley WIC office, which will be housed in Irwin Army Hospital, will be August 7th. We've hired two new staff to fill some Fort Riley WIC positions. The new staff will be introduced to our PHAC at the next meeting.
 - A. Angie Hobbs was hired as a full time WIC Clerk.
 - B. Kristi Glessner was hired as a full time WIC Dietitian.
 - c. Hiring
 - i. We were awarded for the Kansas Health Foundation Grant. We will be hiring Community Liaison which will be a full time position. Interviews for this position will start in August.
 - ii. We will be hiring a full time clerk for the Raising Riley Program.
 - d. PHAB Accreditation/Strategic Planning Update
 - i. The BoCC approved our request to fund and apply for accreditation.
 - ii. Bi-monthly Accreditation Team meetings are underway.
 - iii. Branding Strategy, Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Plan, CHIP Meetings, Workforce Development Plan, and Worksite Wellness Plans are all in progress.

- A. Unfortunately, we are unable to proceed with signage for our Branding Strategy. We need to know where all staff including EMS are moving to in the FCRC Building. The EMS Office Manager and Training Officer will have offices in FCRC and a few storage rooms.
 - B. The Workforce Development Plan should be done by the fall.
 - C. The CHIP Meeting, Mental Health Plan, and Transportation Action Plan is almost complete.
- e. Opioid Use and Health Indicators – Source: opioid.amar.org/ks
 - i. The percentage of people (over the age of 12) reporting drug dependence.
 - A. US: 2.7%
 - B. KS: 2.25%
 - C. RC: 2.32%
 - ii. The percentage of population (over the age of 12) reporting non-medical use of pain relievers.
 - A. US: 4.31%
 - B. KS: 4.03%
 - C. RC: 4.09%
 - iii. Physicians Licensed to Administer Buprenorphine
 - A. US: 68, 969
 - B. KS: 105
 - C. RC: 3
 - iv. Syringe Exchange Programs - The State of Kansas does not participate in this program.
 - A. US: 258
 - B. RC: 0
 - v. Change in Opioid Prescribing Rate
 - A. US: -0.04%
 - B. KS: 0.01%
 - C. RC: +.45%
 - vi. Percent of all Medicare Part D Prescriptions that are Opioids
 - A. US: 5.39%
 - B. KS: 6.36%
 - C. RC: 6.64%
 - vii. Percent Needing but Not Receiving Addiction Treatment - Those that need addiction treatment are not getting help. We recognize the challenge with the mental health issue. There is a need but those addicted are not getting help.
 - A. US: 88.89%
 - B. KS: 88.44%
 - C. RC: 88.79%
 - viii. House Bill 2217
 - A. Kansas first responders and agencies can obtain, possess and administer Naloxone to a person experience an opioid overdose. This bill went into Effect July 1, 2017.
 - B. Lafene Health Center is considering carrying Narcan. They knew of the law coming into effect but are being cautious.
 - ix. EMS already carried Naloxone
 - A. The first 2 quarters of 2017, EMS has 7 documented uses of Narcan. 5 of them were due to altered mental status, opioid related disorders, psychiatric/behavioral emergencies, syncope, or poisoning. 2 were in cardiac arrest management.
 - x. Next steps?

A. The word needs to get out word out that folks need to clean out their medicine cabinet for Drug Take Back Day. Providers shouldn't over prescribe on pain medications. Karen will try to get an officer from RCPD to educate the PHAC on this subject. We should invite some providers to attend this PHAC Meeting. This would be a draw for more of the community to attend the PHAC Meeting. This would be a good way to educate the public on how dangerous or habit forming opioids can be.

xi. Country Stampede

A. Wamego City Hospital had 16 hospital visits on the 22nd. They see on average 6 people. The main complaints overall in the region was muscle weakness and seizures. The muscle weakness could've been caused by dehydration. There weren't very many EMS transports this year.

3. Business

a. The Riley County Household Hazardous Waste will take anything but liquid medications or needles. RCPD no longer accepts medications. The DEA sends the boxes to fill for Drug Take Back Day. They will also play for the return postage on the filled boxes. This would be a good chance to tell the public our concern. Drug Take Back Day will be Oct 28, 2017. This will need to be advertised.

4. Other

a. Yuvette Malquist is no longer with IACH. Her seat on the PHAC will need to be filled.

Meeting adjourned at 4:55pm

Next Meeting: August 23rd, 2017 @ 4:54pm