

Blair Drug and Alcohol Partnership Meeting Minutes

Thursday, August 26, 2021 12:30pm-1:30 pm

Location: Blair Drug and Alcohol Partnerships- 3001 Fairway Dr. Altoona Pa, 16601

Agenda Items	Discussion-Notes	Action Item-Follow up
Welcome and Introductions	<p>Voting Members: Inperson: Tammy Lundgren; Lynn Thompson-Gregory Zoom: Chris Farrell; Brendan Moran</p> <p>Non-voting members: Inperson: Judy Rosser; Rebecca Lidwell; Baylee Delbaggio; Donna Gority; Dr. Carrol Osgood Zoom: Jeff Colbert; Bruce Erb</p>	
Review of the Minutes from previous meeting	Minutes Attached	Motion to approve Previous minutes made by Brendan Moran. 2 nd by Tammy Lundgren. Approved by all voting member in attendance.
Additions to Agenda		
Public comment on agenda items		
Presentation	<p>-Presentation – Judy Rosser – Methamphetamine – see attachment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Methamphetamine is a powerful, highly addictive stimulant drug that dramatically affects the central nervous system - Methamphetamine is manufactured in what is called Superlab’s and they produce large quantities of meth and supply organized by drug trafficking groups; most of the larger labs are operated by the Mexican Drug Trafficking Organizations - Fentanyl is starting to be mixed with other drugs and only a small amount is needed to be fatal - it is cheaper to produce than heroin or cocaine which leads to increased profit -Analysis of Blair 2020 OD deaths showed fentanyl and methamphetamine present in over half the OD deaths. 	
Discussion/Action Items for Council:	<p>Discussion and Action Items</p> <p>Annual Recognition Award dinner nominations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Discussion: A small committee will be formed to go over the nominations and narrow down which nominations will be presented to the governing board - A time will be set up on when the committee will be meeting and if it will be in person or on zoom <p>Committee volunteers: Lynn, Chris and Tammy</p> <p>Approval on Fall Newsletter</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Discussion: Becky will be making a few changes to the newsletter such as some text fix’s along with changing some of the format. 	<p>Motion to create a subcommittee to vote on nominations was made by Chris Farrell. 2nd Tammy Lundgren. Unanimously approved.</p> <p>Motion to approve Fall Newsletter was made by Lynn Thompson-Gregory. 2nd Tammy Lundgren. Unanimously approved</p>

	<p>Proclamation to Proclaim Final</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Judy presented the proclamation final to the committee to be approved for September 2021 as Recovery Month 	<p>Motion to approve the Proclamation was made by Tammy Lundgren. 2nd Lynn Thompson-Gregory. Unanimously approved.</p>
<p>Committee Reports: Education: CPDUD: Youth League: Rise for Recovery: Grants and BDAP program update:</p>	<p><u>Update on Partnership Sub Committees</u> Outdoor Movie Nights – Flyer Attached – <i>Last movie is on August 28th at Canoe Creek</i> Recovery Advocacy Day – Sept 21, 2021-Harrisburg, PA Local Recovery Activity: Light UP Blair County in Purple: Giving out Purple light bulbs</p> <p><u>Grants and Program updates:</u> Center of Excellence Grant ODU Housing Grant – <i>was renewed for another year</i> Medicated Assisted Treatment-SAMHSA Grant-1-year extension to 9/30/2021 SBIRT Grant – <i>will still be ending on September 30th 2021</i></p>	<p>.</p>
<p>Partners and other updates:</p>	<p>HOPE Support Group: <i>Face to Face at BDAP with a Zoom option meetings- Wed: 5:30-7:30pm</i> SMART Recovery: <i>Every Thursday at 6:30 pm face to face at BDAP with Zoom option</i> Healing Hearts: <i>2nd and 4th Thursday monthly face to face with a Zoom option</i> BALM: <i>Face to Face at BDAP: Contact Stacey Karchner at (814)360-7590 for information</i> MARA: <i>Every Tuesday at 6:30 pm Face to Face at BDAP with Zoom option</i> DDA: <i>Wednesday's at 5:30 pm Face to Face with a ZOOM option.</i></p> <p>Partner Updates (Staff, Facilities, etc.):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Jeff Colbert reported for Evolution about having one licensed Social worker currently is doing majority of the work; still trying to build outpatient drug and alcohol program - Chris Farrell reported for Penn Highlands Community College is on their first week of classes and the substance abuse program is online and will be starting up that some students are actively involved in. - Tammy Lundgren reported for Christian Counseling that Greensburg has been started a drug and alcohol program. <p><i>All of the following committees will meet at BDAP unless indicated otherwise:</i> Blair County Overdose Prevention Meeting: Wednesday, September 1, 2021 2:00pm Rise for Recovery: Wednesday, September 8, 2021 2:00pm Education Committee: Thursday, September 16, 2021 1:00pm Youth League: Tuesday, September 14, 2021 2:00pm CPDUD: Wednesday, September 1, 2021 8:30am</p>	<p>Motion to adjourn meeting made by Lynn Thompson-Gregory. 2nd by Tammy Lundgren. Approved. Meeting Adjourned.</p>
<p>Next meeting: Thursday, September 23, 2021 at 12:30PM at Blair Drug and Alcohol Partnerships (Zoom Conference Option available)</p>		