

WINNEBAGO COUNTY ROSC

MEETING MINUTES

LOCATION: Virtual - Zoom

DATE: 1/9/24

ATTENDEES: Erick Williams (Host- EDDR Foundation), Gloria Prowell (Near South Side Community Coordinator), Katie Healy (EDDR Foundation), Daniel Mendez (EDDR Foundation), Richard Springs (EDDR Foundation ROSC), Miracle Cooper (EDDR Foundation ROSC), Carolyn Ferguson (EDDR Foundation), Courtney Ross (Resource Coordinator Oxford House), Johanna Gonzalez (IDHS/SUPR), Will Crandall (Live for Lali), Renee Luthe (Foundations Center), Danny Sourbis (DuPage ROSC Region 2), Jarett Burton (DuPage ROSC Region 2), Ben Rudolph (DuPage ROSC Region 2), Maria Edith Vilchis (Grupo Lenguaje Del Corazon), Deborah Springs, Kenny Jones (Live for Lali), Laura (Live for Lali), Anquetette Parham (Health and Human Services for City of Rockford), Elder Bennett, Catina Barnett (Rockford Public Schools Transportation), Christopher Greenwood (City of Rockford)

TIME: 10:00 am -11:00 am

AGENDA ITEMS

- I. Introductions: Name, Organization, how to stay in touch.
- II. ROSC Overview: What is the ROSC and why it is important to the community. Mission: Building a collaborative community while recognizing multiple pathways to recovery. Vision: to be a resource to the community including persons in recovery, their families, and others
- III. Events and Trainings: Discussed the upcoming events and training for December and returning trainings in January. 12/30 Westside Family 30th Anniversary Celebration hosted at EDDR. There were 5 different speakers, approx. 80-100 attendees. Upcoming event on 1/27 for Anonymous groups to raise funds for the convention in April. Admission is \$7 at the door. There will be Narcan training available as well as training and recruiting for council.

Dr. Sorrell provides monthly trainings that are uploaded to YouTube.

- IV. Strategic Initiatives:

Goal 1: Increase the involvement of family members and other natural supports in the Recovery process of loved ones

Goal 2: Decrease Stigma in the community

Goal 3: Housing

Goal 4: Employment

Goal 5: Transportation

Goal 6: Improve knowledge of recovery events in the community

Goal 7: Build Recovery programs alongside providers

Goal 8: Increase and Maintain ROSC Council

Goal 9: Establish Recovery Support Services for Winnebago County

V. Adjournment at 10:40am