



Northwest Suburban ROSC/Kenneth Young Center Meeting

Thursday, November 21st, 2024

10:30 AM-12:00 PM

Virtual

ROSC Monthly Zoom ID: 838 5171 9184

Introductions

All organizations introduced themselves and shared the work they perform in the community

Old Business

- Connecting students from D214 specialized schools with Kenneth Young Center Mentors.
- Prevalence of substances in schools, particularly THC vape pens, nicotine vapes, and increased popularity of nitrous oxide (whippits)
- What tools can Mentors use in schools in collaboration with SRO's, school counselors, and administrators
- How can we influence community members to support these efforts?

Community Conversation

Resources for:

- The LGBTQ+ community
- Spanish speaking population
- Adolescents experiencing frequent truancy issues at school
- How family-related trauma impacts youth

Continued discussion:

- Membership protocols were discussed and established.

- Discussions about a potential event for families who are struggling with substance use and adolescent issues, inviting individuals with lived experience to share their experience, strength, and hope.

Next meeting: December 19th, 2024, on Zoom

Attendees:

Dr. Peggy Hicks	Hicks-Wright Organization and Fox Valley Christian Ministerial Alliance	Healthcare and Faith-Based Organization	Psuehicks@sbcglobal.net
John Wiley	Streamwood Behavioral Health and the Boys and Girls Club	Treatment Center	john.wiley@uhsinc.com
Sandra Kozel	A Bridge Back	Outpatient, PHP, and Sober Housing	Sandra@abridgeback.com
Nicole DeMory	Compass Health Center	Healthcare	Ndemory@compasshealthcenter.net
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Don Kauffold	Elk Grove Interfaith Council and Christus Victor PADS	Faith Based	Kauffold@sbcglobal.net
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Chelsee Spinello	Summit Behavioral Healthcare	Treatment Center	Chelsee.spinello@summitbhc.com
Christi Wessel	District Director for Rep Mussman District 56	Government	Cwessel.repmussman@gmail.com
Doris & Dan Kozlosski	Parents with lived experience (lost son to SUD/overdose)	Community Members	Doris.koz@comcast.net
Lieutenant Tony Rigano	Elgin Police Department	Law Enforcement	Rigano.a@cityofelgin.org
Lovie Fields	Kane County Community Engagement Coordinator	Government	Fieldsloviana@kanecountyil.gov
Kate Bell	CEO of Non-profit Organization: Thrive Parenting Project	Recovery Support Services Provider	Kate@thriveparentingproject.com