

Tuesday, December 17, 2024 4:00-5:00pm

## **MEETING MINUTES**

1. Attendance:

In Person:

Kelly Jefferson Nellie Baity Sam Brown Amy Shephard Beverly Holland Virtual:

Morgan Isaiah Dan Hutchison
Phyllis Babrove Julie Herr
Andrew Linder Patrick Miller
Alicia Moesner

- 1. Presentation: Samantha Brown, Lead Peer S.A.R.A. Center Fifth Street Renaissance CORS Community Outreach and Recovery Support Team. The organization will share the resources and counties they must support. They are a mobile support which provides services to rural communities such as harm reduction, transportation, and on-site HIV testing.
- 2. Sub Committee Reports: (We welcome people to serve on our committees and help with our work!! Reach out to us.)
  - A. Education & Prevention Breanna Polk-Chairperson
    - Bre says that we will be meeting up after the New Year to begin spring projects
  - B. <u>Law Enforcement</u>- Ken Sterner-Chairperson-absent/no report. We did report to county board we need a local to report to state.
  - C. <u>Treatment & Recovery</u>- Cara Loddeke/Alicia Moesner– Co-Chairpersons
    - Alicia gave insight to upcoming plans such as involving PLEs with giving stories or other activities.
    - MAT MAR is here! We welcome Jacob and Brandy Scheer to the Clinton County Health department 3 days a week. The couple is doing treatment and counseling services and much needed. Starting Dec 2024. Alicia is going to be working with Patrick and Julie to get some training started and the PLE stories
  - D. Family Support-Craig Loddeke-Chairperson:

Not present. Recovery Night has begun, we hosted a movie night had 11 in attendance for Beetlejuice which was led by Stephanie and Nellie. We are going to try to begin a family SMART Recovery night as has been asked for, but we are currently too busy with more tasks.

- E. <u>Finance</u>- The ROSC Budget is where is should be for spend down. Upon completing the ordering of new brochures, the spend down is complete.
- F. <u>Marketing</u> The TAC Facebook platform has 1.3k followers, Instagram has 10 followers, the website has had 3,841 visitors. We will need to build more on the website and advertise it more.

<u>Veterans</u>—Andy mentioned the changes coming for CC and the possible VAC position to assist Veterans in the county.

G. <u>Hispanic Resources</u>- Alma was not present she is near due with her baby, but we will be working on translating resources for our county.

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## H. Spirituality - Chairpersons-Craig & Deb Loddeke

We have been passing out the CEC Chestnut training flyers and Patrick's information to engage the churches. We are setting up a training day for after the new year

- 3. **Community Needs Assessment Update:** The community needs assessment (research) is finished and has been being written. The state has a new assessment launched and the former assessment is now a research study. I, Nellie, am working on it as I can.
- 4. **Gap Analysis**: No comments on anyone needing recovery support or help.
- 5. Additional Information/Announcements: Anyone else have anything to share?

The next meeting will be January 21, 4:00 PM in person at 501 9th Street, Carlyle and at the same Zoom link.

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## TAC Vision:

Our vision is to reduce the impact and stigma of substance use among residents of Clinton County.

## TAC Mission:

Our mission is to be cohesive partners developing comprehensive strategies involving prevention, education, and recovery support in our rural community.