



## Behavioral Health Task Group Minutes

**March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

*The Behavioral Health Task Group is an inclusive & collaborative group focused on providing education, service expansion and advocacy to ensure that all Sussex County residents have access to quality mental/behavioral health services.*

<b>Subject</b>	<b>BHTG</b>	<b>Dates</b>	3-17-17
<b>Facilitator</b>	Peggy Geisler	<b>Time: Start</b>	9:30am
<b>Location</b>	Thurman Adams State Service Center	<b>Time: End</b>	11:00am
<b>Room</b>	Public Health Conference Room (North Entrance)		
<b>Address</b>	546 South Bedford Street Georgetown, DE 19947		

### Agenda

	<b>Topic</b>	
	<p>❖ <b>Attendance:</b> Peggy Geisler, Cheryl Doucette, Crystal Timmons-Underwood, Kym Alvarado, Brittany Hazzard, Janet Ray, John Ray, Lisa Phillips, Kim Rigby, Bryce Level, Shannon Drejka, Vicky Stromieher, Jennifer Seo, Patricia Clear, Quiana Dorn, Janet Urdahl, Anna Ornelas, Keith Richardson, Karly Moore, Michael Barbieri, Jenna Montalbano, Nataleen Bauer, Linda Blowey, Carrie Synder, Krystyn Niski, Sue Dongeo,</p> <p>❖ <b>Motion to accept minutes -</b> Let it reflect that the minutes were reviewed from February 2017 and a motion was made by Erica Sample and second is Jenna Montalbano.</p>	
	<p><b><u>Guest Speakers:</u></b></p> <p>Jenna Montalbano - Represents AMS, DELYPAA, Volunteers with Attack Addiction</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AMS of Delaware offers</li> <li>• Has 8 councilors all are certified but 1</li> <li>• In process to get a DSAM License and are going to try and bring on a Doctor on staff.</li> <li>• Medically Supervised Detoxification</li> <li>• Medical Maintenance</li> <li>• Maintenance to Abstinence</li> <li>• Medication</li> <li>• Has had 45 patients that successful completed treatment has over 300</li> </ul>	

patients currently.

- They take all types of Insurance
- They work with Adults only 18 and over
- Price is \$14 per day
- \$125 assessment fee that includes the intake

#### DELYPAA-

- Service organization from AA that is geared to the youth.
- Started 3 new young meetings in Delaware, 3 in New Castle and 2 in Kent County.
- They create fun events that give an alternative activity for youth to keep them out of trouble.
- There is an upcoming event coming to New Castle this spring.
- Annual conversations Jan 12, in Rehoboth Beach at Atlantic Sands Hotel about 300 children will attend.
- Age group is 13 and up they don't discriminate on age. They say if you are young at heart you are welcome to attend this program.
- Has some Spanish speaking groups that are on the Sussex County AA.com web site, there are two groups in Sussex.

#### **atTAcK Addiction:**

- Organization was formed after founders, son Tyler, lost his battle with addiction.
- atTAcK addiction is an action group full of people that are affected by the disease of addiction who strive to effect positive change in our society.
- In Sussex County, their goal and focus in Sussex is they have information table at events, host two meetings each month, give preventive presentations to youth groups and school classes and give informative educational presentations to college classes and community groups.

#### **Old Business/Updates:**

##### ➤ Education training update

- Discuss 2017 Training Dates Addictions/ A family Focused Series Discussed the Training overview.
- The first series will be in Georgetown. The first part will be what is Addiction guest speaker "Stacy Robinson"
- Healthy Family Relationships and Self Care for the family
- The third training will be Treatment Options- This will have about 6 providers who help with Sub-committee will be meetings another time. The room decided that April 23/24 that Tuesday is.

- The second part a healthy relationship area we need a speaker and an organization Is needed for that area.
- SCHC is committed to continue to do this family engagements

services.

- Suggestion made that Recovery invocations will be the perfect fit for the Healthy Family Relationships and Self Care for the Family.

### **CHNA Workgroup Update – Implementation Phase**

- Beebe Healthcare – Director of Population Health
  - Sue – Advance Care Clinic has opened in Longneck Sue is a LCS working in that that location.
  - A New Grant HESA- With U of D to fund and Educate Preceptorship for NP's (Psych & Primary) in Sussex
  - Opioid RX Guidelines
  - Developed by MSD + DPR + Area Provides
  - Now being implemented at Beebe and other areas of the health care systems in Delaware.
  - Framework using the Social Ecological Theory of Change to foster the work in creating a culture of health. Sussex County's cultures of Healthy is broken into four interconnected actions areas that we are aligning with the currently community strategies.

### **ADVOCACY – Legislative Update**

Update on Sussex County Constituents Advocacy Council Formation

- Listening Tour
  - Cheryl Douchette spoke about the Two areas, Rep Tim Dukes and Rep Ruth Ann Bring
- Seaford Focus Group – Report Out-
  - Michael Barbeara from DSAM spoke about the Seaford Focus Group. Seaford was decided based on the large number of drug abuse and arrested in that area. This was held at Seaford Church of God and had key partners in the community. There was about 50 people who attended to hear the information. No other groups have been scheduled.

### **Vetting Future Speaker**

Set calendar for rest of 2017

- Yolanda Schlabach from Zoe Minorities- She needs 45 minutes and a Power Point. May or June – All in agreement. I think we should open this up for a Larger Venue. (Quarterly meeting venue at U of D Corp Ext.

**YESO Collaboration**

- Update for Botvin Training:
  - We are working with 4H to provide this this training. We are looking for organizations that work with children from 12-18. This training would cost \$1000 to have and SCHC will provide this and we only ask that you provide 1 training per year and can provide that information back to SCHC.

**Updates/Announcements**

- **Community that care. May 25<sup>th</sup> at 9-2 at Crossroads Community Center.**
  - **Narcam Training at Attack Addiction- April 19<sup>th</sup> Bethel United Church in Lewes**
  - **La Red: NAW's are the next meeting is Monday March 27 at Georgetown Delaware. Upcoming Social Workers wanting to make a difference.**
  - **Upcoming April 8<sup>th</sup> at Crossroads Community Church 9-12 (Brittany Hazzard) This is a program is called You Matter We care. African American Males: Going Beneath The surface. This is planning for the Success of our African America boys extending past their youth. This program is being able to support this culture. If any organization that serves Africa American youth.**
  - **Jim Martin Spoke about the new ACE center 20707 Dupont they even have a shower where the people that are homeless has a place.**
- A. They network with recovery groups to help place the homeless with addiction. There is a new recovery house in Georgetown for Woman and currently they have 1 bed open there are about 5 different beds in three different male recovery houses opens. This summer on 6/27 & 6/28 there is**
- B. May 15 community exchange summit at University of Delaware.**
- C. High Facility is a wrap around**

**Thing to do:**

- **Research that Only U of D provides the program for the PA program for mental health and Substance abuse. There are two programs on lines and on in Phily. But there is no program benefits until you go into the MSN program.**
- **Christiana use to offer a program that would pay for a MSN.**
- **What bring nurses to our state or keeps them in our state.**
- **Carrie from Beebe and Jenna to attend the Elatt Meeting March 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017 10 am to 11:30. Babies born healthy and meeting development milestones.**
- **Reach out to Ty Jones United Way to see if he can help with the April 8<sup>th</sup> Success of our You Matter We Care Movement for African American Boys.**
- **Reach out to Erica Sample to work on Law Enforcement out reach cards.**
- **Speaker after Yolanda will be Wraparound Delaware- Building Dreams and Strengthening Communities.**

	<p><b>BHTG Committee Meeting</b> @ Thurman Adams State Service Center – Guest Speaker TBA</p> <p><b>Quarterly Meeting</b> University of Delaware Cooperative Extension – Route 9</p>	<p><b>9:30 to 11:00</b></p> <p><b>8:30 to 10:30</b></p>	<p>Please remember to RSVP to <a href="mailto:ctunderwood@pmgconsulting.net">ctunderwood@pmgconsulting.net</a></p> <p>So we can set up the room to accommodate all attendees</p>
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