

Taylor County Interagency Minutes

August 23, 2016

- Jacqi Reed – 1st Five Taylor County Public Health
 - More referrals coming in but about 50% of families are turning down services
 - Attended an ASQ training in KC last week
 - Submitted grant application, will know if received September 1st
- Shekita Lewis – Parent Partners
 - Looking for more families, none in Taylor County
- Joan Gallagher – Taylor County Public Health
 - Partnering with Adams County for Home Health & Public Health
 - 2 separate Boards of Health and Branch office in Corning
 - Attended health literacy class
 - Will be partnering with pharmacy to do a flu clinic in the schools this year
 - There will be no mist this year
 - New school nurse at Bedford
- Lori Henrichs – Growing Strong Families
 - Have about 28 families and lots of high needs children
 - Going through credentialing
 - New secretary at the Ext office
 - Handed out flyer on the food program at the Neighborhood Center in Bedford
- Angela Wallick – Southwest Iowa Families
 - New therapist starting August 24th – Lynn Irr
 - Possibly a new BEHIS provider to start as well
- Brandy Powers – Tobacco Prevention
 - New fiscal year began in July, new workplan is:
 - Quitline promotion at health care providers
 - Nicotine –free policy promotion to daycares/preschools and worksites
 - Not to Sell Tobacco policy at pharmacies
 - Build up coalition groups
 - Quitline Iowa has a new contractor with all new trainings and referral sheets
 - If anyone would like the updated ones, please contact Brandy
 - Information to come out soon about tobacco sales/retailers from IDPH

Next meeting: October 20th noon at Taylor County Courthouse