



Behavioral Health Coalition

OF ADAMS & TAYLOR COUNTY

Meeting Minutes
Imagine the Possibilities
2246 Loomis Ave
Corning, Iowa 50841
August 1, 2019 (11:45 pm-1:00 pm)

Attendance

Those present at the meeting were:

Deb Schrader, Coalition Leader
 Debra Simmonds, 1st Five Taylor County Public Health
 Cathy Pringniz, Imagine the Possibilities
 Brittany Shinn, Crisis Intervention & Advocacy
 Vicki Sickels, Quad Counties 4 Kids

Kathy Dooley, Iowa Department of Public Health
 Taylor Lynch, MATURA Head Start
 Brandy Powers, Page County Public Health
 Kris Richey, Southwest Iowa Region
 Lori Henrich, ISU Extension

Welcome/Introductions

Debra Schrader opened the meeting. Those present introduced themselves. The Coalition members thanked CHI for the complementary lunch as well as the administrative support.

Review of meeting minutes

The minutes of the June 6, 2019 were reviewed and accepted.

FY2019 Mission and Ministry Grant Recap

The Behavioral Health grant for FY19 has been closed out and the executive summary was shared with the group. During FY17-FY19 the Coalition was able to access \$80,735 in extra funding for programming. During the three grant cycle, a total of \$230,975 was expended which was a 53% increase in funds from the original allocation of \$150,240. A collective impact survey was conducted and 91% of coalition members indicated they always or almost always have shared values and 91% of coalition members indicated they always or almost always trust one another. This is a great testament to the hard work on behalf of the coalition. It was consensus of the Coalition to continue with some type of evaluation of the coalition annually. The Coalition had a celebration at the Corning Winery with approximately 40 in attendance and the comments were good. A final report that will include 9 other Coalitions will be submitted to Mission and Ministry by August 15, 2019.

FY2020-FY2022 Mission and Ministry Grant Overview

Notification was received from Mission and Ministry Fund on June 26th that the Resiliency grant was fully funded at \$506,406 for three years. Memorandums of understanding have been issued to all of the contractors and services began July 1, 2019 and each agreement has work plans broken up into 6 month increments. A universal voucher form was developed for agencies to bill for expenditures. A Google spreadsheet has been crafted to track data semi annually and annually and is located in Google Drive. Below is an update for each program that is receiving funding.

Contractor	Program	Updates
Taylor County ISU Extension	Parents as Teachers	14 families were served in July.
Southwestern Community College	Parents as Teachers	The new year started with 3 families with enrolling 1 new family for a total of 4 families. There is a new family pending for enrollment. 7 home visits were completed in July. The PAT program has met all the essential requirements for the National PAT model and earned the PAT Blue Ribbon Quality Endorsement.
DD Consulting & LT Consulting	Nurtured Heart Approach	No report
Joyce Westphal	Infant & Early Childhood Mental Health Consultation	No report
Crisis Intervention & Advocacy	Sexual Abuse Consultation	Planning is underway and direct service will begin the 2nd half of the school year.
Southwest Valley Schools	OWLS	No report

Data and Resources

Information was provided regarding the FY18 child abuse rates in Adams and Taylor County. Adams County. Taylor County ranks 40th and Adams County ranks 7th for rate of child abuse in Iowa. Other data was also shared. Information was provided regarding the FY19 County health rankings for Adams and Taylor County. There are several areas of concern, children in poverty, alcohol impaired deaths, and violent crime. Coalition members had discussion regarding violence prevention. The Mission and Ministry Fund has a violence prevention resource guide with a plethora of information. Coalition members will research data sources regarding violence data and send Deb. The Coalition discussed that it would be great to have services that start prenatal and go through the cycle of life.

Next Meeting

Delores Doench will provide a presentation regarding a transitional house in Taylor County.

Next Meeting.

The next meeting is September 5, 2019 and will be at the hospital.

There will be no January 2, 2020 meeting.

Respectfully submitted, Debra Schrader, CHI Coalition Leader.