



Behavioral Health Coalition

OF ADAMS & TAYLOR COUNTY

Meeting Minutes

March 6, 2025

11:45 A.M.

CHI Health Mercy Corning
603 Rosary Drive
Corning Iowa 50841

Attendance at the meeting

Debra Schrader, Coalition Leader
Darla Dolecheck, ZION Integrated Behavioral Health Services
Alma Morales, ZION Integrated Behavioral Health Services
Mason Hague, Zion Integrated Behavioral Health Services
Lisa Carstens, Zion Integrated Behavioral Health Services
Candance Engstrand, Page County Public Health
Taylor Wilson, Matura Head Start
Keri Adkins, Parent Partner

Kris Ritchey, Southwest Iowa Region MHDS
Naydene Montiel de Gagnier, CHI Health Mercy Corning
Stacy Hess, CHI Health Mercy Corning
Jackie Stellish, Molina
Courtney Adair, Matura 1st Five
Sarah Guillatt, Taylor County Public Health
Beth Roghair, CIAC

Materials

Coalition meeting materials are in Google Drive, and they are located [here](https://behavioralhealthcoalition.org/). Agendas and minutes are located at <https://behavioralhealthcoalition.org/>.

Welcome/Introductions

At 11:45 Debra Schrader opened the meeting and introductions were made. CHI Health Mercy Corning provided complementary lunches for those who reserved one.

Review of Meeting Minutes

The minutes of the February 6, 2025 meeting were reviewed and were accepted.

Agency Updates

Sarah Guillatt updated the group on services that Infinity Health will be providing at Taylo County Public Health.

FY25 Mission and Ministry Violence Prevention Grant Update

Beth reported they are serving Southwest Valley Schools and Lenox Schools and have exceeded benchmarks; 58% of grant funds have been expended.

Health & Human Services Behavioral Health Alignment

Deb provided an overview of several legislative bills. ECI will be going through massive changes will be reduced from 34 ECI areas to 7 districts that follow the behavioral health districts, additionally many services will be defunded and replaced with a continuum of care project.

Future Violence Prevention Grant

Mission and Ministry FY26-FY28 violence prevention grant announcements should be sometime early April.

Community Health Needs Assessment

CHI Health Mercy Corning conducted the needs assessment and results were shared with the group, the group prioritized behavioral health, maternal and child health and social determinates of health.

Miscellaneous Updates

- Deb provided a presentation to the Corning Rotary club about the coalition and the accomplishments on February 24, 2025.

- A child abuse prevention grant will be applied for with Adams County Kid Care Council as the lead applicant for even counties.
- HHS system snapshots for Adams and Taylor County were reviewed.
- Behavioral health town hall meetings are open to the public and the contact person is Emily Eppens.
- Child birth and death rates were reviewed.

Next Meeting

There will be on January meeting due to the holiday.

Meeting adjourned at 1:00 P.M. The next meeting is April 3, 2025.

Respectfully submitted, Debra Schrader, CHI Coalition Leader