



Alliance for
Substance
Abuse
Prevention

ASAP Coalition Meeting Minutes Tuesday June 27, 2017 10:00AM

Attendance

Allyson Whiteman, SPC Human & SS
Amber Robinson, PSO/CPI
Andrew Coble, YFA
Bonni Snider, BCBH-CHAT
Brenda LaRock, Westcare
Cat Thurlow, A+ Drug Testing
Chrissie Parris, BCBH-CHAT
Christina Roberto, BCBH-CHAT
Darline Winterkom, Baycare
Deanna Kettner, Chrysalis
Deborah Ball, Edna Ave Recovery
Despina Blow, FL DOH
Deanna Kettner, Chrysalis Health
Donna Alford-NTBH
Gabby Flores, Healthy Start
Jillian Uhl, PSO-LOL Detention Center
Jillian Grulich, North Tampa Behavioral Health
Kent Runyon, Novus Medical Detox
Linda Graham, Healthy Start

Leslie Noland, GulfCoast Jewish Fam

Lisa Conca, Community Member
Mandi Johnson, Magellean CC
Mark Richey, PSO
Meghan Harrigan, GCJFS
Melinda Velezaquez, United Way
Missy Coyle, BCBH CHAT
Michelle Emmereman, Pasco Court
Monica Rousseau, ASAP
Paula Green, YFA
Paula Warner, Wellcare/Staywell
Randy Holm, Juvenile Arb 6th Court
Renee Shelton, PACE
Rick Hess, Pasco Kids First
Robin Granger, Life CC
Rochae Zwicharowski, TBSL
Sandra Dupasquier, Tampa Bay Sober
Sharon Schmidt, BCBH-CHAT
Susan Fontaine, Baycare
Tiffany Nozicka, DCF
Tom Dunnive, PAR
Thomas O'Connor Bruno, Homeless C.
Tracey Kaley, BCBH

I. Introductions and Approval Minutes

Chrissie P.

A. Started at 10:00am

B. Approved minutes as they are.

I. Guest Presentation: Homeless Coalition

Raine Johns

A. Raine Johns CEO of Homeless Coalition discussed how caring for the homeless population is how you can be successful with getting them into treatment. Discussed correlation between substance abuse and the homeless population. Discussed statistics with the homeless population and how this population is different in Pasco County rather than in other counties-this is due to lack of resources/services. Raine gave information about the Pasco Navigation Center and the services/resources that it would be able to provide to the homeless population. The Navigation Center has an open door policy for all community providers-such as NA/AA. This is not a long term facility. August 15-the date where they could get funding for the building. May/June 2018 would the target opening date. The coalition is interested in doing a

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point in count as to get a more up to date count of how many people are homeless in the area. The Homeless Coalition is going to have different committees to help with the services provided.

II. Group Activity- Youth Panel Questions

Membership

A. At the next ASAP meeting, the STAND youth will be asked questions from coalition members. Members brainstormed questions for the panel.

III. MAT project Updates

Monica

A. ASAP was invited to be a part of the MAT pilot project. The original goal was to increase awareness with Buphoreine through Office Based Treatment. The new focus for the next several months-what is MAT and all of the components of it. Educate the community and how discussing how people can live a successful lives with recovery.

IV. Substance Exposed Newborn Committee

Missy and Gabby

A. August 9th is the next meeting
B. SEN Committee is developing a pamphlet to help mothers who are going to develop substance exposed newborns

V. Prescription Drug Committee

Christina and Kent

A. Gave update on Naloxone Town Hall from June 15th

VI. Alcohol Initiatives Committee

Kayla, Bonnie

A. Safe Ride Pasco - Designated Driver
B. Gave update on formulating a focus group of how to help decrease DUI. Discussed wanting to develop a generic poster of how to get people home safely after drinking

VII. Legislative Updates

Christina

A. Gave update on Florida medical marijuana legislation and the Federal Health Care bill and how it will relate to pre-existing conditions and mental health/substance abuse services.

VIII. Conference

Paula

A. Registration goes live on Wednesday on 6/29/17.
B. Save the Date Palm Cards
C. ASAP is still accepting sponsorship opportunities!

IX. ASAP Business

Chrissie and Monica

A. Mission Change
i. Old: To develop, motivate, and encourage strategic relationships that reduce countywide risk factors, thereby preventing and decreasing substance abuse in a comprehensive and long-term manner that primarily impacts the youth in the community

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ii. Discussed new mission statement: To coordinate community efforts to reduce countywide risk factors for addiction, thereby preventing and decreasing substance abuse in a comprehensive and long-term manner that primarily impacts the youth in the community

X. Roundtable

Membership

Adjourned: 11:41 am

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