



Alliance for
Substance
Abuse
Prevention

ASAP Coalition Meeting Minutes Tuesday, May 23, 2017 10:00AM

Attendance

Art Rowand, Pasco Sheriff's Office
Austin Cooper, Sober Evolution
Cat Thurlow, A+ Drug Testing
Chrissie Parris, BCBH-CHAT
David Davis, BCBH-CHAT
Davis Farquharson-Eckerd
Despina Blow, FL DOH
Deanna Kettner, Chrysalis Health
Don Huller, TN24
Donna Alford-NTBH
Jillian Grulich-North Tampa Behavioral Health
Kellie Walker, BCBH-CHAT
Lara Fraxier-Spring Gardens Detox
Linda Graham, FL DOH

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Leslie Noland, GulfCoast Jewish Fam.
Mandi Johnson, Magellean Complete
Care
Mary Surnicki, NA
Miguel Velazquez, Staywell
Missy Coyle, BCBH CHAT
Melissa Andress, PCSB
Paula Green, YFA
Monica Rousseau, Pasco ASAP
Sharon Lanier, TN24
Stephen Edson, Bent BehCare
Sandra Dupasquier, Tampa Bay Sober
Tom Dunnive, PAR

- I. **Introductions and Approval Minutes** Chrissie P.
 - A. Started at 10:10am
 - B. Approved minutes as they are.

- II. **Guest Presentation - Turning Point of Tampa** Sandra Dupasquaer
 - A. Sandra provided information about Turning Point of Tampa. Showed a bried video clip presentation on an overview o the program. Alex Kawliche shared story of recovery. Discussed treatment options and insurance accepted at the program.

- III. **Group Activity**
 - A. Monica reviewed suicide data. Discussed that sine 2003 Pasco has ranked in to Quarter for suicide rates. Group had record levels of suicide attempts in 10-14 age group using poisons and medications. Discussed that ASAPs role is to look at data to figure out why this is happening. Discussed need to increase family dynamics. Also how to affect changes in the community.

- IV. **SEN**
 - A. Missy discussed that SEN Committee is completing a pamphlet for women who are delivering a substance exposed newborn.

- V. **Rx Committee**

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- A. Nikesha discussed Naloxone Town Hall is set for June 15 from 5:30-8:00 at Greek Orthodox Church. There will a panel discussion and an explanation of how to deliver Naloxone, and myths that will be busted.

VI. Legislative Updates

- A. Gov Scott declared opioid crisis a state of emergency and there will be federal funds drawn for Florida. The Marijuana legislation did not pass however there might a special session. The Whiskey and Wheaties legislation also passed and is awaiting the Governor's signature.
- B. earlier this month.

VII. ASAP Business

Monica R.

- A. MAT surveys were placed on the table for members to fill out.

VIII. Roundtable

Membership

Adjourned: 11:55 am

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