



Mission: Community members collaborate to educate, prevent and reduce youth substance use in Winnebago County.

Winnebago County Task Force Agenda

June 22, 2017 @ North Iowa Community School High School Media Center, Buffalo Center

Those attended: Jason Ramaker (Parent Rep/Waldorf Dean of Students), Rhonda Schriever (Other Rep), Meagen Wentz (Temp Sec/Substance Abuse Rep), Keri Bergeson (Chair, Ed Rep), Matt Holmquist (Law Enforcement), Steve Hepperly (Law Enforcement Rep), Ron Kvale (Civic Rep), Adam Sauer (County Rep), Libby Myer (director), Krista Tegland (Coordinator)

Packet provided includes: May minutes, Staff report, calendar of current activities planned

12-12:05pm Attendance-welcome to new members

Welcome by Jason and preview of meeting agenda.

12:05-12:15 Review purpose/mission

Libby talked about the mission and purpose of the task force. Libby also talked about the new law enforcement video that was created. This video addresses underage drinking and consequences of adults providing and minors using alcohol. Shown to members.

It has been viewed over 2000 times on facebook so far. The timing has been really good to address this as the Mason City press conference on the accident where 5 youth died in April.

12:15-12:55 Action Planning Meeting

We received our mid-year report and we need to spend more time on the Behavior Changes.

Presc Drugs: we have done a great job with this.

Alcohol: We are doing a great job of addressing this.

MJ: We need to increase our education and actions with marijuana education and prevention.

Broke into 3 groups by community to discuss questions provided by Libby and Krista. Notes from groups were collected by Libby and Krista. Large group discussion. Will gather input and put in report. Focus on a few things to do well based on needs shared per community then county need.

Libby asked volunteers to help with poster hanging for community events. Jason volunteered to help in Lake Mills, None for BC. Ideas were shared for Fair-consider having HIPS booth. Concerns shared about having someone there for that length of time. Consider sharing with public health. Group felt presence would be good. Need more than just brochures to get them to table. Will discuss more and send out request.

Tobacco Update

(06/22/17 Mtg. @ North Iowa Community School)

1. Tobacco-Free/Nicotine-Free Policies:

5/26/17- North Iowa Community School Tobacco-Free Nicotine-Free Policy approved.

6/8/17- Signage delivered to North Iowa Community School.

2. Coalition Membership:

(By June 30, 2017 an average of 15 members will attend the coalition's monthly meetings):

Q1: July 2016: No meeting

August 2016 (Forest City): 10 members present

September 2016 (Buffalo Center): 16 members present (4 students)

Q2: October 2016 (Lake Mills): 16 members present (4 students)

November 2016 (Forest City): 10 members present (2 students)

December 2016 (Buffalo Center): 15 members present (2 students)

Q3: January 2017 (Lake Mills): 13 members present (4 students)

February 2017(Buffalo Center): 9 members present (3 students & 1 student visitor)

March 2017: No meeting

Q4: April 2017 (Forest City): 12 members (2 students)

May 2017 (Lake Mills): 13 members (3 students)

June 2017 (Buffalo Center): 10 members (no students)

3. 2A's & R (Ask, Advise & Refer) Training and Survey Follow-up:

Follow-up survey sent out in June to Dr. Scott Bosacker (Lake Mills dentist)

4. Quitline Iowa Monthly Poster Distribution:

Total of 93 posters distributed in Winnebago County. No new businesses added.

5. Grant Action

Q4 Progress report due July 10

6. Quarterly Iowa Mapper Information:

Completed in May

7. Weekly Tobacco Updates:

Forwarded to coalition members

12:55-1pm set next meeting and place July 18th 12-1 at the Public Safety Center in Forest City