

## HSC 2020 Mental Health & Substance Abuse [MHSA] Community Health Committee

## **HEROIN SUB-COMMITTEE MINUTES**

DATE:	Wednesday, March 9; 3:00pm-4:30pm	LOCATION:	Sheboygan Dept. of Health & Human Services, Rm. 372
PRESIDING:	Sue Thiel, Lindsay Rick and Libby Holte		
PRESENT:	Libby Holte (DHHS), Ellen Wells (DOC), Mary Paluchniak (St. Nick's), Frank Simac (Community Consultants), Mary Karls (LTC), James Simac (Community Consultants), Lindsay Rick (DHHS), Robert Ingraham (1907 Club), Steph Preder (Aurora), Gail Schmeiser (Community Member), Jenny Vorpagel (DHHS), Sheriff Todd Priebe (Sheriff's Dept.), Susan Hein (Prevea), Liz Abler (DHHS), Deb Schmidt (DHHS), Annette Selk (DHHS), Sue Thiel (DHHS), Liz Campion (DHHS), Captain Jim Veeser (Sheboygan PD)		
ABSENT:	Jean Beinemann (DHHS), Officer Todd Kronberg (Plymouth PD), MaryAdele Revoy (Community Volunteer), Connie Frank (RCS)		
RECORDER:	Jenny Vorpagel (DHHS)		
NEXT MEETING:	Wednesday, April 13, 2016; 3:00pm-4:30pm		

PILLAR	TOPICS	DISCUSSION & DECISIONS TAKE HOME TASKS
Welcome & Introductions	Roundtable Introductions	
Heroin Action Plan	Updates on any of the data being collected from committee members:  1) The incidence of heroin & other opioid related arrests  2) Emergency department visits related to heroin use & other opioid abuse  3) Overdoses from heroin and other opioids leading to death.  4) Use of Narcan	<ol> <li>Kurt Zemple will be getting numbers in the future.</li> <li>Still being coordinated, two very big systems, may take time. Mary P. is also working on it.</li> <li>Can Mary P find these numbers from ER records? We need to decide what codes we want to include. Codes were changed in October.</li> <li>Captain Veeser reported that a training session is in the works for all officers near the end of March or early April. The Sheriff's Department is also on board.</li> </ol>
Leadership Council	The Leadership Council is working to build a new infrastructure.  Jean Beinemann is retiring sometime this summer and secession planning is underway. They are also working on stronger funding.	Informational
Education/ Prevention Pillar [Pillar Captain: Suzan Thiel & DHHS Public Health	<ol> <li>Progress Report:</li> <li>Committee Member and Community Involvement:</li> <li>Committee feedback/recommendations:</li> </ol>	-Public Health employees have been going to meal sites to do presentations for senior citizens. Three have been done so farPharmacist meeting was March 1 <sup>st</sup> and had 18 attendees. The meeting was to make them aware of Dose of Realty. Sheriff Priebe gave them information about pharmacy

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Staff]		safety, and offered safety plans. They brought up the issue of people buying ephedrine to make meth. They were open to being connected to each other. Capt. V-Will anyone do an article on clean needle exchange? It would be good to start a Brief discussion on the importance of clean needle exchange to prevent disease.  -Sheriff deputy from Cedar Grove contacted us to do a community event on March 17 <sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm at Cedar Grove high school. More information on the website:  EVENT LINK  -Stop Heroin Now meeting went well
Harm Reduction Pillar [Pillar Captain: ??]	<ul> <li>Medication Take Back Day – April 30, 2016 (10:00am-1:00pm)</li> <li>Howards Grove – Lead: Kim Meller; pick up materials at Sheboygan PD</li> <li>Oostburg – Lead: Sue Thiel; pick up materials at Sheboygan PD</li> <li>Plymouth – Lead: Todd Kronberg &amp; MaryAdele Revoy; pick up materials at PPD</li> <li>Random Lake – Lead: Ellen Wells; pick up materials from Todd Kronberg at Plymouth PD</li> <li>Sheboygan – Lead: Mary Paluchniak; pick up materials at Sheboygan PD; ** St. Nick's also having medical equipment drop-off</li> </ul>	A new sign-up sheet was passed around to the group.  Todd K. will be point person for working with law enforcement and Penny for packaging.  Supplies are not an issue. All the necessary supplies were purchased by HHS with extra funds in the budget in 2015.  We cannot take drugs until 10am and there is an officer present. Volunteers can show up 10-15 minutes early. There is no need to arrive earlier.  Collecting sharps is not advertised; however we will collect them if people bring them to us. Location leads can get sharps containers with other supplies. Officers will need to take sharps containers to Sheboygan PD and Mary P. will pick them up the following Monday.  Captain Veeser will take care of OT for officers and where to take sharps.  Any questions please email Todd K or Libby.
Treatment Pillar [Pillar Captain: Lindsay Rick & DHHS staff]	<ol> <li>Progress Report:</li> <li>Committee Member and Community Involvement:</li> <li>Committee feedback/recommendations:</li> </ol>	Nothing new to report.  ASAM training went well. Looking at doing another training next year. Also looking at having a networking opportunity for AODA.
Recovery	1) Progress Report: SAMHSA grant submitted- probably won't hear anything until April; Dr. Baxter at 1907 Club on Feb 22 was well attended; NEXT EVENT: Chester Marcol, former Packer, speaking on Sunday, April 10, 2016 about his journey in football and addiction; tickets are \$7 in advance, \$8 at the door, and include a chili lunch. Chester will be autographing copies of his book for \$25, and 1907 Club will receive a donation of \$5 from Miesfeld's Sausage for every book sold. 2) Committee Member and Community Involvement:	The group briefly discussed the Dr. Baxter event.

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Workplace Pillar [Pillar Captain: ??]	<ol> <li>Progress Report: nothing to report from MaryAdele</li> <li>Committee Member and Community Involvement:</li> <li>Committee feedback/recommendations:</li> </ol>	Libby explained Well County Workshop. 20 employers that employ 20 percent of population by 2020.
REPORT OUT on TASKS	,	-March 16 <sup>th</sup> 7-9pm at the 1907 Club: The Destruction of Addiction: A Mother's Story. A woman speaking about the loss of her child to drugs 7-9pm. Event has been added to HSC2020 website.
		-Midwest Communications out of GB raising funds for local service gaps, drug courts, smart recovery. Arika Spensor contacting judges and lawyers to tackle heroin problems. They are willing to shut down their programming for up to an hour and lead discussion. Date to be determined in April. Sheriff Priebe will reach out to sheriffs/chiefs/DEA agents to get people together to participate at some level. He is using it as kickoff for information booklets.  The information booklet is in the planning stages. It will be a guide/packet handed out in the community (eg: Walgreens parking lot)
	Roundtable	-Kids in Crisis meeting at the library March 9 <sup>th</sup> from 6-7:30pm  -Jim Simac is working with the county on a drug treatment. So far they've located two properties with one locked in to do a "withdrawal management program" An adult-
		family treatment license is needed in order to use houses for this purpose.  A Regional representative for employment assistance is now involved with MaryAdele in workplace pillar.
		Steph reported at Aurora they have started to put the drug drop off information on all patient discharge paperwork!
		The Mental Health and AODA Resource Fair being put together by the Stigma committee will be Tuesday, May 3, 2016 from 4:30-7:30pm at RCS in Sheboygan. The event will be on the website soon.