# Morrow County Local Community Advisory Council Meeting Minutes

Thursday May 2, 2019 @ 9:00 a.m. Bartholomew Building, Heppner, Oregon

Participants Present: Participants Present: Alexi McHugh, Ana Velasco, Andrea Fletcher, Catie Brenamen, Connie Lobato, Dirk Dirksen, Don Eppenbach, Don Russell, Donna Eppenbach, Erin Bartsch, Erin Stocker, Heidi Zeigler, Jamie Crowell, Marie Shimer, Michael Erickson, Nicole Mahoney, Robbin Ferguison, Sheree Smith, Sonja Neal, Toni Nichols, Troy Soenen and Yvonne Morter.

- 1. Call to Order: Sheree Smith called the meeting to order at 9:03 am.
- 2. Welcome & Introductions: Sheree welcomed everyone and did round table introductions.
- **3. Review of Minutes:** Don Russell moved to approve the minutes of April 4th with corrections made and Catie Brenamen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.
  - 4. EOHLA Update Currently gauging county interest to participate with Nutrition Oregon Campaign looking at chronic diseases associated with food from womb onward. Examining possibility of promoting Positive Community Norming ID positive factors that affect health and continue to serve the greatest needs

Gilliam county partner resigned, so Andrea is again serving as Chairperson.

- a. Alexi updated plans for Food Hero parent advisory meeting at Windy River Elementary on 5/11/19 6:00-7:30. Have 8 parents signed up. Looking for 10 or more.
  - a. Thank you to Michael/Marie and Jamie/Sheree/Andrea for supporting the project.
  - b. Contact information to Yvonne Alexi to share with Sheree.
- b. Healthy Happy Smiles Advantage Dental will continue to provide dental health screenings.
- c. Mental Health Funding for Morrow Co Mental Health First Aid training is targeted towards older adults. How do we build better outreach / communication networks?
  - a. Faith leadership Katherine has a list of all church contacts. Mike Smith faith leader would be interested.

#### **Incentive Measure Data - Troy**

- a. Review youth data 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders low numbers concerns.
  - I. % of students that complete Healthy Kids Survey. This year did not include 6<sup>th</sup> gr students. Parents can opt out students from completing survey.
- b. Will not make DSH /Mental Health/immunization targets.
  - I. Data for 2019 might be available for next meeting.

Sheree – Umatilla had a matrix data person and they lost that position. Makes a difference to data mine. Catie – In process of interviewing to fill that position and will do food and matrix.

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Hoping to fill by the end of the month. Larger discussion of how the position could benefit the EOCCO as whole. Not funded through EOCCO for all 12 counties. Would like to see a partnership for other counties /Umatilla and Morrow come together.

Discussion - Umatilla Co. starting to reach out OB/GYN clinics – to connect/build relationships starting with Healthy Families- higher risk pregnancy/deliveries go to Kadlec or OHSU for example (though many moms choose to deliver outside our area).

### Community Health Improvement Plan Discussion and Approval - Andrea

Group moved to approve plan with revisions suggested between May and June. Andrea will update the plan per the recommend changes discussed and will send back out to group.

Nicole moved to approve, seconded by Don and motion approved.

### **Public Comment/Roundtable**

Robin – fundraiser in July/ Great turnout on the last event

**Catie** – school year ending, Head Start classes start wrapping up next week.

Head Start – Home visiting programs maternal/infants developed referral processes – meet weekly and assign to program that best serves the Family

Looking for parent education opportunity in summer – Morrow Co.

**Erin** – August 15<sup>th</sup> Conscious Discipline– outreach to providers and parent educators. At Pendleton Yellow Hawk.

**Don Russell** – County budget approved. Not having to reduce staff or funding for Morrow.

**Dirk** – Legislation in session right now. Looking positive for schools. / A possible 2 billion – student success. May go to vote.

The Internship Program is a positive example of what we will be doing with the money.

**Michael Erickson** – Rural respiratory – EDIE reports high utilizers of health services. Coming into allergy season - kids having reactions/COPD.

Stop Bang Screening – Sleep lab pushed back to June.

**Donna Eppenbach**- Starting music in the park in June Monday nights Boardman/Heppner. Flyers to be provided at the June meeting.

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#### **Yvonne Morter**

- a. Cocoon Shared Care Planning. Morrow Co Chosen as Pilot for Act.MD Web based platform.
- b. Ione School base health center (SBHC) Youth Advisory Council (YAC) 4 students at summit working to get a Jr YAC started.
- c. YAC kids will help with Nolan Colon at fairs.

### Nichole Mahoney-New PA starting to see patients.

Visiting Podiatrist once a month at the Heppner clinic

Ione Clinic - Schedule All day on Monday and ½ day on Thursday

Budget - adding funding.

Prepared budget with hopes that voters approve asking for same rate that has been for the past years Asking for a 5-year renewal.

Home health and Hospice – additional funding for home needs such as help fill pill containers etc.

Troy Soenen – CCO.2 app submitted, should know something in July.

Next week 15<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> GOBHI conference in Bend.

Sonja Neal – SUD program earlier than planned because of need and staff getting MAT trained.

Jamie Crowell – Safe community at hospital. Walking trail; Healthy Colon rectal health education.

**Heidi Zeigler** – Went to meeting Spring Diversity Conference – 200 attendees

Marie Shimer – Summer food program on the way – Midco will provide bus and Nutrition Services Director has identified sites in Lexington, Boardman, Irrigon and Heppner. Dirk – received a grant for \$5,000 toward program.

Next Meeting: June 13th at the Port of Morrow, Boardman

Adjourn 11:00 am.

Respectfully submitted,

Connie Lobato