



Sherman County LCAC Meeting Minutes

Date January 07, 20201

Time 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Location VIRTUAL

Attendees Kristen Slatt, Amy Asher, Jennifer Griffith-Weprin, Keli Nastasi, Maliea Yakymi, Linda Watson, Amber DeGrange, Audrey Egan, Estella Gomez, Sharon Thornberry, Chelsea Maranville, Al Barton, Ashley Danielson, Nadja McConville, Shellie Campbell, Mike McArthur, Victor Mondragon, Jennifer Harwood, Marci McMurphy

Welcome and Introductions

Review & Approve Minutes: October 2020 & November 2020. Moved- Ashley Danielson, 2nd- Amber DeGrange. Approved by consensus.

Public Comments:

Chelsea Maranville, Triple P Program Manager- The OCF Parent Education Health Partnership Project is excited to announce a new training Triple P training schedule for January - June 2021. All courses are offered on Zoom and include training to assist families with children 0-16 years old, individual or group format, and light touch to intensive services. We are seeking additional community partners who would be interested in becoming trained. Ideally these partners would be trained to work with the families they are already serving on a daily basis, not adding more to their workload. Training costs are covered by the OCF grant if the facilitator will be serving parents in Sherman, Gilliam, or Wheeler Counties.

GOBHI staff will serve as the main contact for referrals in Sherman, Gilliam and Wheeler Counties at this time. Chelsea Maranville (GOBHI) is happy to assist you with deciding if Triple P is a good fit and what level would be best to train in.

In addition, GOBHI will begin offering online consistent courses for parents via ZOOM. Do you know families who could benefit from a formal parenting class? Please send them our way! We are beginning registration ASAP and a formal schedule of classes will be released soon. Certificates and incentives will be available for parents who attend.

For all Triple P Parenting Education questions please contact Chelsea Maranville at cmaranville@gobhi.org or call 541-969-4061.

Marci McMurphy, GOBHI Community Engagement Coordinator- shared the Gilliam County LCAC Bulletin that will now be available in months when no LCAC meeting is scheduled. Gilliam County will be moving to a quarterly meeting. This bulletin will be used in place of the minutes on the two months that a meeting is not held. Amy Asher is working on a Blog for Sherman County. This might be a great idea for sharing information in Sherman County as well. Tabled for more discussion at a later time.

Member Comments:

None at this time.

Special Presentation:

Jennifer Griffith-Weprin, Nurse and PHD candidate at the OHSU School of Nursing. Email: weprinj@ohsu.edu. She spoke about the Rural Parents' Intention and Child HPV Vaccine Study. It takes 20 minutes to complete. New materials will be sent out to partnering agencies. Note: the amount for taking the survey is \$10. Please contact Jennifer if you have any questions.

Voting- Sherman LCAC Coordination Funds & Vice Chair:

The LCAC Support Funds provided by GOBHI and EOCCO is at \$5,000 this year. There are carryover funds of approximately \$6,430.68. We missed voting on how the funds will be spent back in September when the form was due. Motion- Amber DeGrange, 2nd- Ashley Danielson. Approved by consensus.

Justin Miller is the new Commissioner and was assigned last month to sit on the Sherman County LCAC. The thought is that he could fill the Vice Chair position that Tom McCoy vacated. This vote has been tabled until February. Hopefully Commissioner Miller will be able to attend at that time.

CBIR LCAC Funding Update: Marci McMurphy is completing the application for the continuance of the Frontier Veggie Rx program in Sherman, Gilliam, Harney, and Wheeler counties. The application is due January 15. Marci has received all necessary letters of support.

FVRx Update: Marci McMurphy has received a phone call from an individual, from Rufus, that is concerned that the Wasco Market is the closest place where they can shop for produce. The individual claims that the Wasco Market is charging an exorbitant amount for pomegranates and it is not close enough for them to easily access. The individual asked if there was any way that they can use the vouchers in The Dalles as there is regular transportation to The Dalles. Marci stated that the funds are meant to build up/bolster the local communities so that more produce is available locally. Marci asked the group about their thoughts on whether vouchers should be used outside of Sherman County. If not, where can Marci contact to try to get a vendor in Rufus? Discussion was held that there is a 76/Sinclair's gas station as well as a few restaurants in Rufus that might be willing to participate. Marci will follow up with them. Marci did follow up with Dinty's in Biggs Junction and has not heard back from the owner/manager after several attempts. Marci will contact the new station there as someone stated that they have some fresh produce. The group does not want to move forward with allowing the vouchers to be used outside of Sherman County at this time.

EOCCO Update: Audrey Egan- shared that there is an upcoming training for providers on childhood immunizations. Information was put into the chatbox. There will be training on Thursday, February 4 on Cultural Responsiveness. This is being held for anyone interested at NO COST to attendees. Information was put into the chatbox. Update on incentive measures- the 2020 end of year chart measure report should be available sometime in June. There isn't a lot to report on since 2020 is a report only year. More information to come on 2021 Incentive Measures.

Other Program Updates:

Mike McArthur provided an update from the Sherman County Health District.

1. 20 Moderna covid vaccines have been given. They are in Phase 1A. Kristen and Caitlin have been and will continue to work closely on the vaccines and their administration. There should be an additional 100 covid vaccines coming to Sherman County soon.

2. There are plenty of influenza vaccines available.
3. Erin Hayes is the new P.A. who will be starting soon.

Estella Gomez, OHA Innovator, provided updates:

1. CAHPS survey- Asking about members' experience with healthcare providers. A notification letter to Oregon Health Plan members has gone out asking them to complete the survey. All of the surveys should be completed by April 14, 2021.
2. Safe and Strong phone line is now available, 800-923-4357.

Sharon Thornberry, Sherman County Food Pantry, provided updates:

1. shared that a Gilliam, Sherman, Wheeler (tri-county) Town Hall meeting will be held this Monday at 10:00 am by Ron Wyden. You can go to his webpage to get the link to attend.
2. Farm to Family food boxes will be available as they now have a new contractor to provide them. Contact Sharon if you have any questions, sthornberry@oregonfoodbank.org, 541-609-8903.

Next Meeting: February 4, 2021 starting at 3:00 pm.

Adjourn

Meeting adjourned.

Minutes recorded by Marci McMurphy

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Keli Nastasi CAPECO, 3:06 PM

my mic is not working

You (Marci McMurphy), 3:14 PM

Jennifer Harwood. I'm sorry but I'm not remembering what organization you are with.

Jennifer Harwood, 3:14 PM

Mid-Columbia Center For Living, SC therapist

You, 3:14 PM

Thank you!

Ashley Danielson, 3:15 PM

Jennifer! I would love to connect at some point so I can fill you in on the services that I provide in SC.

ashleyd@advantagedental.com if you'd like to send me an email.

Jennifer Harwood, 3:17 PM

Sure thing!

You, 3:17 PM

Chelsea, can you please send me via email a quick note of what you just shared for the minutes?

Amy Asher S.C. Community Outreach Coordinator, 3:25 PM

This may be helpful. I am continuously updating a new website: shermancommunities.com

Ashley Danielson, 3:25 PM

Thanks Amy!!!

Amy Asher S.C. Community Outreach Coordinator, 3:29 PM

Anyone can email me directly or submit information on the website form. I will have the website announced in the February Citizen Reporter as well as social media, mass email and word of mouth. My hope is that this will be a good replacement for the e-new as far as what is available in our local area and resources but not the articles and such. aasher@co.sherman.or.us

Amber DeGrange, 3:30 PM

That website says it can't be reached?

Amy Asher S.C. Community Outreach Coordinator, 3:32 PM

Well, that's embarrassing. Still new enough I didn't remember the address. shermancommunity.com

Amy Asher S.C. Community Outreach Coordinator, 3:43 PM

I would really like to see us hold off on allowing the Dalles to use. If we could find more access in the north end that would be my preference! I would like to see the funds support our local businesses especially in the Covid situation.

Nadja Mc, 3:43 PM

I wonder how it would affect the local vendors in their ordering, especially fresh foods

Amy Asher S.C. Community Outreach Coordinator, 3:44 PM

The rufus station is Sinclair.

Amy Asher S.C. Community Outreach Coordinator, 3:46 PM

How many families are being served in Rufus?

Sharon Thornberry, 3:49 PM

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Amy Asher S.C. Community Outreach Coordinator, 3:52 PM

I don't see anything wrong with more access. The overall decision on adding "produce sales" to their business is up to the owner, Right?

maybe I missed the part about including prepared food

Ashley Danielson, 3:53 PM

Yes, I think what is meant is that we'd have to offer it to all restaurants. Not just Frosty's

Shellie Campbell, 3:53 PM

I have to jump off. Thank you all!

Audrey Egan, 3:56 PM

BOOST Oregon Vaccine Hesitancy Training Thursday, January 14th from 7am-8:30am Registration link:
BOOST Oregon Provider Training (constantcontact.com) *Training will be recorded*

Al Barton, 3:57 PM

have to take a call - BRB!

Audrey Egan, 3:57 PM

<http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=iv9v9mcab&oeidk=a07ehejg9ka4aebe363>

A Bias Toward Action presented by Bahia Overton Thursday, February 4th from 10am-12pm
Registration link:

<https://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=iv9v9mcab&oeidk=a07ehejg9ka4aebe363> *2

free CME credits available*

Nadja Mc, 3:59 PM

I'll email you something I've shared at other meetings today

Kristen Slatt, 4:00 PM

<https://www.wyden.senate.gov/events/virtual-sherman-county-town-hall2021>

1-800-923-4357 Safe and Strong Website

Nadja Mc, 4:01 PM

<https://govstatus.egov.com/or-dhs-community-resources>