

Gilliam County LCAC Meeting Minutes

DATE: MAY 2, 2019

LOCATION: GILLIAM COUNTY
COURTHOUSE

MEETING CALLED BY	Neil Freidrich
CALLED TO ORDER	12:00
ADJOURNED	12:54
NOTE TAKER	Shania Drinkwine
ATTENDEES	Elizabeth Farrar, Teri Thalhofer, Niel Friedrich, Paul McGinnis, Ashley Danielson, Mina Zarnegin, Audrey Egan, Noah Pietz, Shania Drinkwine
OLD BUSINESS: Veggie Rx Update, Draft Gilliam County Health Plan Review	
DISCUSSION	Ashley spoke about the store in Arlington possibly taking Veggie RX vouchers, Paul spoke for Marci- Added that the vouchers have been dispersed to all four counties and markets have been notified. Started May 1. Paul also commented on the hard work that Teddy and Jennifer have put into dispersing the Veggie RX Vouchers. Neil also mentioned that CAPECO still had available funds for those in need.
NEW BUSINESS: Community Health Plan	
DISCUSSION	Neil passed out Community Health Plan assessment packets, and Paul started discussion on it. Paul explained what was in the packet. Went over all the data, goals and ideas of the packets. Paul corrected a spelling error on "CAPECO" in the packet. Paul and other attendees decided to call the BMI data collecting something else, Neil didn't think the term was correct, would like to change it to "????". Paul stated Gilliam county did meet the developmental screening, but only by a few kids. Terri stated that many screenings done by Head start are not accepted by physicians because parents are actually supposed to fill the screening out themselves. Paul asked who all had done Trauma Informed trainings, suggested more maybe attend the training and be trained in it. Paul stated Gilliam county is still the only county in the state that doesn't provide a designated patient center primary care home. Terri would still like the Arlington clinic to become a VFC vaccine provider, created as a new goal in the health plan "3B" North central public health is a partner and there to help. Noah brought up that Dr. Mike will be accepting advantage dental members in the near future for Gilliam county. Paul finished reading the health plan draft, reminded the meeting members that there is only one more meeting until it is due. Members thought it sounded good. Few changes were made to the plan.
NEW BUSINESS	March Incentive Report
DISCUSSION	Paul stated new reports will be coming June or July. Paul also mentioned only Harney county met all of the measures and requirements. Terri stated she thought that the grant process for the community benefit reinvestment process needs to be over hauled. Paul asked for suggestions, Terri suggested that it be taken out of OHSU's hands and that EOCCO take back some of the work on it, and it should be based on the help that the grant provides, not the number of people it serves. Terri stated that small counties need equal opportunity. Terri would also like the "grant application" re-worded.

DISCUSSION	<p>Terri announced a job position through GOBHI, four rivers early learning hub, and North Central Public Health for an Early Childhood parent educator/home visitor, really wanting an applicant from Gilliam, Sherman, or Wheeler counties. Terri also announced Oregon early learning council had adopted the Oregon early learning strategic plan called "Raising Up Oregon", Terri would like to present it to the members possibly next meeting.</p> <p>Ashley explained what's going on with her dentistry, and new tools. Hoping to be up and going around September 1.</p> <p>Noah mentioned new contracts through EOCCO, for vision, medical and even chiropractic.</p>	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No actions were done at this meeting. 		

Next meeting scheduled for June 6, 2019