

MORROW COUNTY LOCAL COMMUNITY ADVISORY COUNCIL & EASTERN OREGON COORDINATED CARE ORGANIZATION & EARLY CHILDHOOD COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, April 12th, 2018 @ 9:00 AM
Port of Morrow at 2 Marine Drive NE, Boardman Oregon

PARTICIPANTS PRESENT: Erin Bartsch, Diana Bjork, Catie Brenaman, Jessica Britt, Cade Burnette, Kathryn Chaney, Dirk Dirksen, Don Eppenbach, Donna Eppenbach, Andrea Fletcher, Rachel Greer, Diane Kilkenny, Veronica Lezama, Nicole Mahoney, Yvonne Morter, John Murray, Ana Pineyro, Emily Reynolds, Molly Rhea, Marie Shimer, Troy Soenen, Erin Stocker, Terry Tallman, Mary Ann Wren, Heidi Zeigler.

CALL TO ORDER

The Morrow County LCAC meeting was called to order by LCAC Vice Chair, Andrea Fletcher at 9:03am.

WELCOME & INTRODUCTIONS

Andrea welcomed everyone to the meeting. Andrea shared that Sheree Smith was unable to attend today's meeting and in her absence, Andrea would be facilitating. Introductions were made.

REVIEW OF FEBRUARY ECC MINUTES

Members reviewed minutes from the February 8th, 2018 meeting. Motion made by Cathy to approve minutes as presented. Catie seconded the motion. Motion carries to approve minutes as presented.

REVIEW OF MARCH LCAC MINUTES

Members reviewed minutes from the March 1st, 2018 LCAC Meeting. Motion made by John to approve minutes as presented. Nicole seconded the motion. Motion carries to approve minutes as presented.

EOHLA UPDATE- ANDREA FLETCHER

The Eastern Oregon Healthy Living Alliance (EOHLA) aims to improve community health in Eastern Oregon by providing strategies in the Regional Community Health Improvement Plan and by supporting community health development initiatives within the region.

Healthy Happy Smiles program is almost complete for 2017-2018, with participating counties including Harney, Grant, Baker, and Malheur. In these 4 counties there are 28 participating schools and we have seen a 20% increase in obtaining parent consent forms for obtaining care. Screening rates have increased 7% and fluoride application has increased 10%. Mental Health First Aid Training Program will run through December 2018, and 17 of the 30 trainings have already been conducted. The colon cancer awareness effort is aimed toward increasing screenings in the following counties: Sherman, Morrow, and Gilliam. The Integrated Nurse Home Visiting Program builds upon existing programs including Cocoon, Babies' First, Maternity Case Management and the Nurse Family Partnership. It integrates behavioral mental health support when certain risk factors are identified for depression. This learning collaborative begins May 18th, 2018. In the area of obesity and social marketing the proposal is to increase fruit and vegetable consumption in the Latino mothers' population in Morrow, Umatilla and Malheur counties. EOHLA will partner with OSU Extension to provide the Food Hero Program, which is a work in progress and more details to come later.

INCENTIVE MEASURE PROGRESS- TROY SOENEN

The full report will be sent to committee members after the meeting showing the recent progress. Morrow County hit 5 of the 8 claim based incentive measures.

EOCCO GRANT AWARDS- DIANE KILKENNY AND RECIPIENTS

In January, Morrow County submitted four applications to the EOCCO to support our efforts from planning and prioritization and were awarded on all four grants. The \$50k Care Program Continuation grant is to continue tracking and increasing incentive measures on adolescent well care visits, dental sealants, and childhood immunizations this year. Also, to track and process the CARE teams touches and encounters for wrap-around services. In conjunction with Hunger for Health, Morrow County was granted a total of \$40k grant for adolescent well care (\$20k to the Health District and \$20k to Columbia River Health) to raise the numbers served which directly impacts the measures. Through EOHLA the colon cancer screening project is underway. An extension grant was written to the original grant to

EOCCO for approximately \$20k. To help focus on the EOCCO population and drive those numbers. The last grant of approximately \$40k goes directly to the committee advisory council in each county to award the funds accordingly. This year the funds will go to support the development of a Peer Support Program-more details to come.

FOCUS GROUP UPDATE- TROY SOENEN

The Community Health Assessment for the CCO is approaching and is due in June of 2019. Part of this process is data collection and with the 12 counties in our region we are going to conduct 24 focus groups. For Morrow County, we are looking to conduct 3 focus groups and meeting information is still pending at this time. At this time we are looking for assistance in finding participants for these focus groups.

BLUE MOUNTAIN EARLY LEARNING (BMEL) HUB UPDATE- MARIE SHIMER

Kindergarten round-up for the 3 Morrow County school district schools on May 22nd, 2018 an introductory for parents to see the school and meet the staff. The full registration process will be in August of this year. Kindergarten jump-start for all 3 communities, also, in August of this year. We've been working with the library district for Irrigon, Boardman, Heppner and Lexington in bringing the Dolly Parton Imagination Library Program to our students here in Morrow County. The program is for children aged 0-5 whose family will sign-up the child and they will receive one age appropriate book a month until they age out at 5 years old. Head Start and the Little Program are both getting ready to start recruiting for next year.

PUBLIC COMMENT/ROUNDTABLE

- Emily Reynolds Open house this weekend in front of Harvest Town Foods from 10am-3pm.
- Catie Brenaman There is an open full-time position in Boardman with Healthy Families, for home visiting.
- Cade Burnette From the early intervention/early childhood special ed. perspective, currently we serve 52 kids, ages 0-5 with diagnosed disabilities. We are working on "Child Find" an identification of kids working with community partners such as doctors' offices, WIC, etc.
- Veronica Lezama Cinco de Mayo committee member and would like to invite anyone to join the event and get their information out there to the public during this event. May 5th, 2018 from 3pm-10pm at the Boardman Marina Park.
- Nicole Mahoney Our Irrigon Medical Clinic expansion has started construction. We have a meet and greet on April 24th, 2018 at 10am to meet our newly recruited physician, Doctor Richard Aballay and our new physician's assistant, Dan Doherty. The Eastern Oregon Physical Therapy office, in Boardman, is now open and serving patients. The remodeling for the Home Health and Hospice office is underway and should be completed next month. We are still recruiting for a hospital nurse in Heppner as well as a Home Health and Hospice clerical position. We recently recruited a Home Health and Hospice Director who will start at the end of the month.
- John Murray The two pharmacies in Heppner and Condon are looking to offer some new professional pharmacy programs- in conjunction with our new Boardman pharmacy that will open soon-more details to come.
- Jim Doherty Sitting in for Commissioner Russell today and wanted to let the committee know that Commissioner Russell is working on the community renewable energy project and working with the state today.
- Dirk Dirksen The Joint Committee of Legislators on Students Success has reached out to Morrow County School District to present what we do with wrap-around, from prenatal to age 20. The presentation for this is on the 25th of April and made up of seven senators and seven legislators. Another added support program is a Behavior Classroom, working directly with community counseling specific to high-needs kids.
- Cathy Wamsley & Mary Ann Wren We are busy working on the school based oral health program, The Oregon Community Foundation. In February, we found out we will be funded for the next school year, which will be the 4th year of a potential 5-year grant. We serve Morrow, Union and Umatilla county and 17 of the 18 school districts with the last school district in Union and hoping by the next school year we will cover all 18 districts. We are open to providing local clinics or

health-based programs with toothpaste and toothbrushes to promote oral health. We are working on dental education labs in every county and also developing mini-dental education bags that focus on brushing, flossing, fluoride and nutrition. Our 3rd quarter report for screenings in Morrow County showed we screened 1,146 students from July 1st, 2017 to the end of March, 2018. Mary Ann added that even when the grant funding runs out the services will continue.

- Heidi Zeigler The Guatemalan consulate is coming on June 23rd and June 24th, 2018 from 8:30am to 4pm at OCDC in Hermiston, Oregon. Once the flyer is finished, it will be sent to committee members.
- Yvonne Morter May 15th, 2018 at 10am Parent Meeting, for any immunizations, screenings or other wrap-around services.
- Diane Kilkenny Sheree and I have been asked to present wrap-around services care to the Community Advisory Council of Oregon State. They are interested in how we collaborate, track and impact incentive measures.

Next LCAC meeting will be May 3rd at 9:00am at the Bartholomew Conference Room, 110 N Court, Heppner & ECC meeting will be June 14th, 2018 at 12:00 Noon at the Port of Morrow 2 Marine Drive, Boardman.

Meeting Adjourned at 10:46 am
