NOTES

Craw County Coalition

ATTENDEES: August 21, 2018 |1:00 pm

# Annette Koster, BVCS Early Childhood Iowa; Mollie Scott, Decat/CPPC; Glen Barngrover, JCS; Michelle James, FCC; Cynthia Banda, CASSA; Julie Florian, HPS Tobacco Prevention; Jodi M Holm, West Central; Lisa Kolbe, LSI; Emmale Bolin, Parent Partner; Jami Huster, CCR&R; Kim Fineran, CCHHH&PH; Dave Muhlbauer, Crawford Supervisor; Janette Clausen, Crossroads of Crawford County; Hector Garibay, Iowa Workforce Development; Beth Winquist IWD; Ashely Larson, IWD.

# MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

Annette Koster called the meeting to order. Introductions were made.

# FOLLOW UP/REIVEW 6-19-18 MEETING

Minutes were emailed out prior to the meeting. Contact Annette Koster if you would like a copy, akosterbvcs@frontiernet.net

# COMMUNITY COALITION MAINTAING COUNCIL REVIEW-DISCUSSION

The attendees reviewed and discussed the coalition. Coalitions allow single organizations and individuals to maximize their time, resources, reach, and impact on the community. Coalitions also help create a shared vision with agreed-upon goals, which increase community buy-in and create a solid foundation for implementing an action plan. The Community Coalition were implemented to share a program information, prevent duplication of services and encourage collaboration amongst agencies, and serve as the Child Abuse Prevention Council.

Vision and Mission: Bring to meeting in October for review.

This coalition will accomplish sharing and hearing about resources, knowing where to refer families/clients, be familiar with community and upcoming events, see and work together (face to name), literature for clients/families and use as a platform for required reporting example: Tobacco Grant. Knowing resources in the community helps to prevent duplication of services and make the most of resources available in the community.

Gather people together, can be done through email, convening a meeting, work together for a community resource fair. Discussed a resource fair. Possibilities BBQ Fest, Neighborhood Night Out – fire prevention week, Iowa Works meet and greet events, school registration.

Coalition will meet every other month. Mollie Scott sends out the email. Annette Koster does the meeting notes.

Making decisions: Coalition serves as the Crawford County Child Abuse Prevention Council, decisions are based on consensus. Suggestion to use Robert Rules of Order to help stay on topic, time, and voting. Agenda items can be added by contacting Mollie Scott.

All members are leaders and spokespersons for items presented.

Support: Become an officer for the Crawford County Child Abuse Prevention Council. Invite someone to attend the meeting. Use the resources, help distribute, refer clients/families.

# CRAWFORD County CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION COUNCIL

Family STEPS was awarded funding through the Iowa Child Abuse Prevention grant. Family STEPS is a voluntary in-home parent education program. In addition the funds support group parents education at Job Corp for students with children and Baby Boutique to support healthy pregnancy points are earned to purchase items.

Data was provided for Fiscal Year 18 Family STEPS program.

Currently the program is taking referrals. Family STEPS works with pregnant Moms, parents with children 0-5 years of age, first time Moms, provide extra support to family, is family driven may focus on: child behavior, money management, child development, social support (family/friends) concrete supports (referrals to community) etc.

# CPPC UPDATES

Mollie Scott: CPPC 2018 Fall Statewide Learning Network will be October 25th Des Moines, IA at the Holiday Inn and Suites 4800 Merle Hay Road. (Send flyer out by email).

Resource Directories have been printed and ready for distribution. Let Mollie S know of locations to delivery.

# DR ALTO Drug Alcohol Tobacco Coalition

Dr AlTo started around 10 years ago identified in the Community Health Assessment, sought grant funding for activities, currently have a $0.00 balance. The goal was to have someone take on the role of coordination, was not able to secure this task. Collaborate with the Community Coalition to keep active. Dr AlTo has and would like to continue to participate in the Jr High Ag Days. The date has been set for September 14th at 11:00 am. Dr Al To provide activities for the students during the lunch break: Bowling for Butts, Hula Hoops, Basketball Hoop. Questions are asked about drug and alcohol and the effects, candy is given when they student answers with a correct answer. Teachers are given a gift bag with information and prevention materials. Students from High School volunteer, looking for adult’s volunteers and donations of candy. An email will be sent please reply if you are able to help in any way. Lunch is provided by Farm Bureau. In the past Dr AlTo participated in Freshman Orientation, Homecoming Parade, and sponsored speakers.

Julie Florian provided an update on Tobacco. State come out with POST Point of Sale Tracking, retailers, items, price. Access to purchase for young people, young adults, and seniors. Currently 23 tobacco retailers in Crawford County, 53% are located in mini-marts. Other retailers include grocery stores etc. For every 743 people there is 1 tobacco retailer. Cities, Counties can pass ordinances to limit the number of retailers within each other. Switching from a service to a policy grant. Development in the works to go toward an ordinance policy. Many people use Indian Reservations to purchase a 2 to 3 month supply, so in theory can be done. Goal is to decrease tobacco use. Seeing a change from tobacco use to vaping. Chemicals, seeing increase in popcorn lung, popping sacs in lungs they don’t grow back. Goal to work with pregnant women to prevent tobacco use. Quit line Iowa is available to anyone in Iowa.

Public Service Announcements on radio.

# COALITION ATTENDEES

Annette Koster, BVCS Early Childhood Iowa: Early Childhood Iowa will be celebrating 20 years. Iowa Early Childhood System Summit will be held on October 3, 2018. Annette shared flyer with date, registration, and topics, no fee, CEUs, Foster Parent training, Early Childhood Iowa at the state level is exploring the possibility of hosting some Race: Power of Illusion training sessions. General overview was shared with those in attendance. Annette would like input if this would be beneficial to be held in Denison, consensus of yes. Annette will complete the Survey Monkey.

Iowa Women’s Foundation held a meeting in Manning for the IKM Manning school district about the need for child care. Workgroups have been formed to address the issues identified.

Jamie Huster Child Care Resource & Referral: Child Care Consultant serving five counties Sac, Crawford, Calhoun, Webster, and Pocahontas. Resource for child care providers/preschools assist with environments, health and safety, and other needs. Parent Referral – Talk to Educator: 855-244-5301 M/W 7:00 am to 7:00 pm, T/Th/F 8:00 am – 4:30 pm and Sat 8:00 am to Noon, online 24/7 Referrals at https://iowaccrr.org/families/.

Child Care Complaint Hotline to report issues related to childcare: 844-786-1296

Number for new provider requesting applications packet to start child care business: 877-216-8481

Child Care Renewal applications call DHS at:  866-448-4605

The Quality Improvement Rating System (IQ4K) date has not been set.

Hector Garibay Iowa Workforce Development Promise Jobs Case Management:

Shortages of child care providers, working with Child Care Resource & Referral on Friday September 7, 2018 from 9:00 am – 11:00 am IowaWORKS at Carroll office 619 N Carroll Street, what it takes to be a child care provider, share if you know of someone interested. Interpreters will be available.

Shared workshop calendar, also sent out electronically. Job market is fierce, help to break barriers especially mental health, work on soft skills, resume, and refer.

Ashley Larson Iowa Workforce Development: Service area is the Western side of the state. Ashley serves as an Outreach Worker for AG employers and Seasonal Workers. Seasonal identified in Crawford are in the areas of grain spring/fall, grain elevator, Agri-land FS. Ideas to get more people involved in agriculture. Remove barriers/fill in gaps example obtaining CDL, grant funded. Another barrier is health insurance. Proteus mobile clinic with sliding fee. Attendees asked for email when they are in the area. Proteus needs a head count. Please share business card building a resource list for migrant workers from other states. Ashley email: ashley.larson@iwd.iowa.gov

Emalee Bolin Parent Partner: Building a Better Future training will be held Oct 10, 11, and 16th a three day workshop, 16.2 CEU’s. Child welfare process to help people move through the system successfully. Contact Sarah Robertson, RFP by October 3rd.

Janette Clausen Crossroads of Crawford County: Provided an updated brochure. Addition of the Family Den was established when noticed need for parents to have a proper place to visits children. It is a semi-private room, with a living room look, cozy/homey. Staff person is on location during visit. If need supervision a cost is involved. Can local FSRP Workers use? Yes.

Annual Fall Fundraiser, *beauty in BROKENNESS* will be held September 20th at 6:00 pm at the Schleswig Community Building, Dinner catered by Staley’s Catering, music by Angie Rosener and auction. Looking for upcycled items/handcrafted projects to use at auction. Contact Crossroads at 712-393-4673 for reservation and/or donations.

Lisa Kolbe Lutheran Services Iowa: Back to School carinal in Council Bluffs to help Foster Parents. Currently have a shortage of Foster Care Families, nine in Crawford County one in Denison. The Carroll class start date has been pushed back, no date set at this time. Harlan class start date is October 16th. Orientation will be held at the Harlan Library, August 30th at 6:00pm. Learn the process if interested will proceed with background check and necessary paperwork. Please help by hanging posters, one for community another for faith based. Business card shared, email: lisa.kolbe@LSIowa.org

Jodi Holm West Central Community Action: Ivy was unable to attend, wanted to share she is still looking for Senior Aids 55 years plus.

Head Start - start date is September 5th.

Backpack supplies distributed.

LIHEAP for SSI and disability applications Oct 1st, open up to everyone on November 1st.

Concern in the last couple weeks have had refugee community help when lose status, renew residency, legal help through system, injury. Refer to Vocational Rehab to train for new job. Ashley L with Iowa Workforce Development has experience with this, please refer.

Julie Florian, Tobacco Promotions: Cover tobacco and other substances remember to refer to Quit line Iowa, free counseling line, save money, better health, flyers and cards distributed.

Cynthia Bana CAASA: Family Crisis Sexual Assault Response Team (SART), thinking about restarting in Crawford County. Every 2 months police – hospital work together to respond.

Michelle James Family Crisis Center: New to position. ETA and SART presentations. Provided folders with information about Family Crisis Center. What is Domestic Violence, Is this Abuse? Power and Control Wheel, check list: Does anyone ever…, FCC Frontline Summer 2018 newsletter, human trafficking article, and FCC brochure. Email: michellej@familycrisicenters.org

FCC phone call 1-800-382-5603 or text iowahelp to 20121.

Mollie Scott, Decat/CPPC: Decat contract with Plains Area Mental Health. Mini-grant recipient in Crawford County ISU extension and Outreach for Strengthening Families. Board meeting on August 29th.

Dave Muhlbauer Crawford County Supervisor: Busy summer with Ragbri and 18-19 budget.

Kim Fineran Crawford County Home Health, Hospice & Public Health: Family STEPS funding (Prevent Child Abuse Iowa and Early Childhood Iowa) provided year-end data for Fiscal Year 18 (July 1, 2017-June 30, 2018). Had a discrepancy with the number of home visits, the DAISEY system. Family Mom & Dad, if Mom steps out and Dad steps in, does not count the visits completed with Dad. System is set up with a primary and secondary caregiver, will not count visits with secondary. Working with DAISEY system. 35 on caseload, 5 on waiting list, taking referrals.

Maternal Child Health brochure provided with general information and services (English/Spanish).

Family Planning Outreach with Community Partners handout and flyer about services (English/Spanish). Preventative services fee based on income: reproductive, life planning, method counseling. Hold clinics in five (5) counties monthly Cass, Crawford, Monona and bi-monthly in Harrison and Shelby. Crawford Clinic is located in the Nepel Real Estate basement. Include HIV testing twice a month at Sioux land Clinic, be served here to improve outcomes and treatment programs.

Wendy Love is the new Child Care Nurse Consultant, she is completing the required training.

Public Health flu clinic will start in September (when receive vaccine). October is Immunization Awareness month.

1st Five Dr Brandt is providing the 12 month Ages and Stages Questionnaire (ASQ) developmental screening. Goal to expand to other health providers. 33 on caseload serves five counties.

Glen Barngrover Juvenile Court Services: Sex offenses increased this summer, all over the state in the juvenile world. Sex abuse charges middle school age as young as 11 and 12 years old.

General Discussion: Janette C attended a conference in Sioux City, Sister Shirley Fineran talked about Human Trafficking, staggering information. Invite to attend and present at the October 16th meeting. Discuss possibility of having a lunch and learn that would be open to the public to address this topic. Who could assist with funds to provide lunch? Continue this discussion after the October 16th meeting.

# Next Meeting

**October 16th - 1:00 pm**

**Location: ISU Extension & Outreach – VFW Hall**