



# CRAWFORD COUNTY COALITION



## Decat/Community Partnerships for Protecting Children, Early Childhood Iowa Coalition, and Crawford County Prevent Child Abuse Council BVCS

**Date:** April 19, 2016

**Time:** Coalition 1:00 pm & Prevent Child Abuse Council 2:00 pm

**Location:** ISU Extension & Outreach

### WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

Annette Koster, BVCS ECI; Mike Bunde, BVCS ECI; Amy Trucke, Crawford County Home Health Hospice & Public Health; Amy Hull, Plains Area Mental Health; Mollie Scott, Decat/CPPC; Julie Florian, HPS Tobacco Prevention; Becky Rue, Nou Yang, Karen Zuin, Head Start/Early Head Start; Katie Knobbe, ISU Extension & Outreach; Melony Sturm, Parent Partners; Jodi Holm, West Central Community Action Outreach Center; Douglas Dorhart, Western Iowa Tech-Denison Campus.

### Crawford County Prevent Child Abuse Council (PCA)

Postponed until June 21<sup>st</sup>

Community Coalition is meant to bring agencies and community members together to be able to share information and assist in gathering information about the community. In the event an agency needs assistance for a project, to meet a grant need, they can: present to the group, and or draw upon attendees to form workgroups. The representative can then report back on the performance of the program.

### Attendees:

BVCS Early Childhood Iowa Annette Koster & Mike Bunde	No report attending gain information about programs in the community.
Crawford County Home Health, Hospice & Public Health Amy Trucke	<p>Prevent Child Abuse funds 8 of the families on caseload. PCA this year has served 13 families and 28 children with 97 visits year to date. With blended funding from BVCS ECI Family STEPS currently has 42 families on caseload.</p> <p>Family STEPS uses different curriculums they include: Partners for Healthy Babies, Great Beginnings, &amp; Healthy Families. Depending on family needs which can be related to pregnancy, school enrollment, classes for English. Are seeing more Asian struggling with Karen interpreters, tough to communicate and get translation services.</p> <p>The i-smile program is currently finishing up screenings. Partnered with istep Through with Chew contest. Denison checked 209. Tobacco group at high school, part of the DR ALTO coalition.</p> <p>Looking to hire two positions Child Care Nurse Consultant and Family Planning nurses, PN preferred.</p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> Five Community Outreach Nicki Ahart would like you to know about the Lemonade for Life training coming May 16<sup>th</sup> at the hospital.</p>
Decat/CPPC Mollie Scott	<p>The Neighborhood Networking grants have been released. Currently DR ALTO, Baby Boutique, and Norelius Library have grants. Criteria is supporting families. CPPC startup funds, encourage all to apply.</p>

	<p>Funding for the Crawford/Sac group has decreased.</p> <p>Crossroads Janette Clausen will be hosting What Your Parents Never Taught You About Aging, flyer was emailed from Mollie Scott, RSVP to the contact name on the flyer.</p> <p>Process of updating Resource Directory last revised in 2015, some of the numbers are incorrect. Additions talk to Karen, admin assistant has on file. The directory was passed around for changes or additions. Discussion on what and who the directory is meant to serve, what should be added? doctors, service agencies, parents etc...</p> <p>Discussed interpretation services, phone apps, reliability, and legality.</p>
<p>Head Start/Early Head Start Becky Rue, Nou Yang, Karen Zuin</p>	<p>Clarification that Head Start can accept over income families. Protective Factors in the Prevention of Child Abuse Dr. Adolph Brown (flyer) will be presenting tow workshops on April 20<sup>th</sup> in Harlan starts at 9:00 am to 12:00 pm and 1:00 to 3:00 pm still accepting registrations. Open to community partners.</p>
<p>Health Promotion Strategies/DR ALTo Julie Florian julie@healthps.org 712-269-1830</p>	<p>Julie F contractor of the Iowa Department Of Public Health Tobacco Use Prevention &amp; Control grant from IDPH. Quit line Iowa stop counseling line 5 to 8 weeks 18 years to adulthood. If know or use refer to Quit Line. Marketing materials were distributed to assist in promoting the program, if in need of more contact Julie. Can provide assistance to write policy, signage for door, istep group.</p>
<p>ISU Extension &amp; Outreach Katie Knobbe</p>	<p>Assisted with Hunger Fighters contact person Warren Hahn (V&amp;H tire on Hwy 30) working on mobile food pantry, back pack program (Jennifer Kinze, Kiwanis, &amp; Public Health) every Wed start at 4:15 depending on volunteers (10 people) served 480 County wide. Free lunch option to have confidential contact, not sure if reduced meet criteria.</p> <p>Question was asked if Head Start could be included.</p> <p>Katie is in charge of Community Gardens. Plots are still available call Extension. Water source is available, there is a fee.</p>
<p>Parent Partners Melony Storm</p>	<p>Parent Partners is for parents involved in the DHS system. Parent has had children removed. The program is in all 30 counties in the Western Service Area. The Service Area has had 35 intakes last month, mentoring 192 families, Crawford County 3 families. Parents involved in court service or threat to be removed.</p> <p>April Gardner is the Coordinator 712-460-2511</p> <p>Building a Better Future training possibly coming to Cherokee County. Parents who want to give back and were court involved or who had a threat to be removed are possible Parent Partners, encourage to attend the training.</p> <p>Can serve Spanish speaking families in Crawford County.</p> <p>May 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Summit Celebration at the Holiday Inn on Merle Hay Free is open to all.</p>
<p>Plains Area Mental Health Amy Hull</p>	<p>School Based Mental Health, Lyndsey Brinker have National Honor Society with mentor truancy or struggling students. 18 to 28 students. 2<sup>nd</sup> semester as a group no longer do in school monitoring. Offer anger management, and conflict resolution. Served 46 students 41 families, connect with Title 19 etc.... offer funding for student with no funding, free of charge. Ways to meet needs.</p>

	<p>Middle School meeting quarterly with Juvenile County Attorney, Amy H, Lyndsey, and JV Court Officer. Help with hospitalization letter Clerk of Court for services, judges, hospitals, team strategies for parents got o court house to file committal papers. Still tweaking to get children the help they need.</p> <p>Turning Point Crisis Home up and running in Sac City. To qualify</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No violence</li> <li>• Suicidal thought with no active plan</li> <li>• Cannot have used drugs/alcohol transition substance abuse</li> <li>• Mental health diagnosis</li> <li>• All adult, male or female,</li> </ul> <p>Ashlie Miller phone 712-662-8055 Fax 712-662-8054 There is a format to applying and is open to the Rolling Hills Region.</p>
<p>West Central Community Action Outreach Center Jodi Holm</p>	<p>LIHEAP still available with electric and LP. Ivy (Senior Aid) non-profit elderly who wants jobs government pay 20 hours work to learn and work toward employment recruiting. Receiving questions around Medicaid changes. Cleaning house asking for help need refer to agencies clothing, sheets, and blankets. Maxine at Senior Center takes other items. TAP Voucher twice a year. Board position open and volunteers wanted. Open Door Mission donate pigs, meat, Arcadia Meats participates, \$600.00 processing fee. Is there a program to donate garden produce? Food Banks can take extra.</p>
<p>Western Iowa Tech (WIT) Douglas Dorhart</p>	<p>Came today to listen and share with faculty and staff. Reaching more students. Offer one on one counseling, tutoring services (video) 1 faculty 1 student. Meeting need English Language Learners (ELL) start 30 to 40, know 240 to 250 average 7 hours a week.</p>

**ADJOURN**

- Plan Next Meeting: June 16, 2016 – CPPC Surveys

**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- April 25-27 PCA IA Conference – Des Moines
- May -3 CPPC State meetings – Des Moines
- May 4-5 Parent Partner Summit – Des Moines
- May 16 Prerequisite training requirement –Lemonade for Life
- June 7 Regional CPPC meeting – Denison