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Buena Vista County Coalition

August 17, 2017 |9:00 am | Meeting called to order by Annette Koster

# Annette Koster, BVCS Early Childhood Iowa; Retta Mitchell, Child Care Resource & Referral; Dawn Sickelka, Decat/CPPC; Cindy Johnson, Compass Point; Patrick Garcia, Boys Town; Juana Rodregez, Centers for Hope; Janet Gritten, Family STEPS; Cindy Parlow, i-smile; Mikayla, Lutheran Services in Iowa; Alicia Daugherty & Shan Williams, Plains Area Mental Health; Leah Geham, SL Community Schools; Darla Peterson, IDPH;

The minutes were emailed out to participants from the June 15, 2017 meeting. No additions or corrections were made.

# BV County PCA Council

Annette K presented information from a webinar hosted by Prevent Child Abuse Iowa. September 8th will be a Regional meeting in Storm Lake and September 11th in Atlantic registration at 8:30 am. 9:00 to 4:00 training participants may pay a $15.00 fee for lunch. Anyone is welcome to attend; participation is strongly encouraged for ICAPP & CBCAP grantees. Registration is on the Prevent Child Abuse Iowa website. On the PCA website under the Resources tab, Training, Regional Meetings list of location to choose from. Business topic: what to expect with merger of ICAPP & CBCAP programs. Also being reviewed are MOU’s that will need to be in place to identify recipients of prevention funding. Training/topics: Data In the Real World, Cultural Competency, Connection Matters, Focus Groups, and Steward of Children. $10.00 for Steward of Children the rest are free.

FY 18 quarterly reporting, attempting to get into the Iowagrants.gov system. Transition to DAISY for long and short term home visitation programs. Will still be using the Protective Factors survey. Had some issues related to HIPPA but has been signed off. No more reporting on Iowa Family Survey. Still keep collecting data until DAISEY site is up and running.

With the ICAPP & CBAPP merger the admin has been completed. One entity per county to receive funding. Currently possibility was PCA Council and Decat/CPPC (CBCAP) funds. MOU to identify who communities will be working together, figure out what is best for community to identify what needs funding. Dawn S commented that in the past with CBCAP funds there was a requirement that the fiscal agent had to be located in the county that received the funds.

Contract Updates: Janet G presented for Family STEPS. The program has received the Iowa Family Support Re-Credential, it is considered a Promising Practice model.

# CPPC/Decat Updates

Decat contracts for FY 18 include: Coordination, Juvenile Court, WRAP Family Assistance Funds, Season Center Specialized Treatment, and Drug Court, Peer Recovery, Love n Logic, One semester for the Friday Evening Aggression Replacement Training (ART) for Middle and High School. CPPC: Continue to purchase promotion items. What message? April prevention activities plan upcoming event.

Regional meeting in Sept will be in Denison.

# Coalition Attendee Updates

Retta Mitchell, Child Care Resource & Referral: looking for childcare providers. Buena Vista County has centers in Alta, Newell, and Sioux Rapids. All Registered and Child Care Assistance homes in the state need to take Essentials training and receive a visit from DHS. Child care hotline is available to report over numbers, lack of supervision, or any other concerns 1-844-786-1296. The hotline was put in place so the Child Abuse Hotline is not flooded with these type of calls. They have the ability to transfer calls when necessary. This summer received I-Consult recertification from ISU.

Annette Koster, BVCS Early Childhood Iowa: shared FY 17 Annual Report items included financial information, board attendance, Executive Summary, Community Plan Update and programs; Family STEPS, Oral Health, Child Care Consultant, Child Care Nurse Consultant, and Preschool Scholarships, Support, Coordination. Question about the EPSD data. Annette and Janet shared that ECI programs are not required to enter the data into DAISEY.

Iowa Workforce Office out of the Carroll office. Employer Educator Summit will be held from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm on Wed, Oct 4th at the Stables at Copper Ridge Denison, Iowa RSVP westerniowaadvantage.com

Annette shared information from Deb Gimer Child Care Nurse Consultant is currently working with one center on care planning with an 18 month old child with diabetes and two other care plans. Another center with policies and PBIS train-coach-train model.

Cindy Johnson, Compass Point, Tobacco and Alcohol: – new this year to work with child care providers and business in writing polices for tobacco free zones. Shared mapping, retailers in ration to students. Tobacco prevention materials available for distribution.

Remaining Blue Ribbon items available for distribution, stored in Cindy’s office.

Mikauyla, Lutheran Services in Iowa: BHIS program is fully staffed, struggle with MCO, more denials, work with therapist in area. Mykala will be taking over Pregnancy Prevention. Bi lingual therapist hired. Janet Pedroza hired out of Denison office.

Juaeeu Rodregez Center of Hope: Family Crisis Center out of United Community Health Center serving crime victims for sexual and domestic crime. Referrals for HUD housing, majority with no income, language, protection orders. Have transitional housing and shelter, if client needs transportation can help.

Shannon Williams, & Alicia Daugherty Plains Area Mental Health: Therapist in schools, communication with schools/parents for release of information, emergent situations, hopefully will decrease.

Hired third supervisor for La Mars office. Growing co-occurring program, being able to so substance abuse and multi-dimensional approach (not duplicating services).

Cindy Partlow, Webster County Health Department: Preventative dental screening, currently two Head Starts and one preschool. Second and eighth grade students 40% on school lunch, compliance and consents required. Need for dentist who accept Medicaid.

Darla Peterson, IDPH Regional Outreach Liaison: Talking one on one with mental health substance abuse 20% in rural community. Can end the epidemic of HIV medication to prevent. People at high-risk examples: multiple partners, same sex partners. Encourage screening for STD’s, condom use, conversations. OPIOD over doses watch out for, heroin gateway.

Janet Gritten, Family STEPS: Two workers covering BV County Janet and Tiffany Smith. They have been busy with lots of referrals, seen increase from DHS. Serving Karen population (16 on caseload) assistance from interpreter. Have 39 to 40 families on caseload.

Pat Garcia, Boys Town: [Patrick.garcia@boystown.org](mailto:Patrick.garcia@boystown.org) 712-308-7908. Working with communities, Jeff Hacket retired, will be working in 30 counties. In Iowa work with FFSP Pott County, work in home intervention learn how do we take this into new areas. ISU research Well Managed Classrooms Boys Town Training, the research was done in urban areas, need higher rating study for rural. Internet search: <http://www.boystowntraining.org/pd.html>. Looking for more schools to get involved, connect with Elementary Principals, for research ½ are taught the model, for two years, then other half instructed. Reason for elementary is the early intervention, build upon and have larger effect. Common Sense Parenting University of Neb, for teachers, parents, all talk the same language.

# Next Meeting

Meeting adjourned at 11:10 am

Next meeting date Oct 19th, 2017

Notes respectfully submitted by Annette Koster