



August 26, 2020 Minutes

Attendees: PattyAnn Maher (Coordinator), Emily Patston (RISC), Bryon Budensiek (WAR), Rob McMullen (President/School District), Jennifer Walker (Vice President/The Crisis Center), Ted Romero (Probation/Judicial), (ECDHHS, Steve Wilson (Big Sandy School), Douglas Bissonette (Elizabeth School), Kristi Grothe (CMHC-Signal), Tammy Schneiderman (Division of Youth Service), Sarah Troy (JAC), Melissa Potestio (ECSO), Amy Reece (CASA), Ronda Riley (SB94), Janet Maloney (ECSO, ECCO), Chief Hasler/Berghahn (EPD), Chris Richardson (Commissioner), Rachell Schuck (Peak Vista Community Health), Dwayne Smith (Public Health), Renee Gonzalez (Colorado Access), Kim Fairley(CAHEC), Amanda Rieskamp(CAHEC), Kari Yutzy(Pre-Trial), Troy Bowan(Signal), Krista Husak, Chelsea Kueht(Pines and Planes Libraries, Early Childhood Counsel), Tiffany Sewell, Gary Kramer(Judge) , Amber Gangestad, Devan Lorimer(Tri-County Health Department)

	Item	Notes	Action Items
1	Standing Items		
1.1	Welcome and Introductions		
1.2	Agenda		
1.3	Minutes	June meeting- Motion to approve – Rene Gonzales, Rhonda Riley-second	
1.4	Financials	Pay bills 3 time over with cash on hand/ budget report- \$900 over support revenue/operating \$13,000 under spent- direct program and program support under	Motion approved as is- Troy Bowman Sara Troy second
1.5	Coordinator/RISC Update	RISC Case Manager – 6 youth on pre-trial, slow down to COVID, a lot going on with kids in EHS, SCT referral 1 student, began taking CAC classes, has one more class left, looking at Alliance Afterschool Program and planning for the upcoming year CMP funding – budget did not get cut, however, problem currently facing is that civil fees are down to filing- will lose some funding due to this, we do not have an exact number of what we will be receiving. Need to focus for next year, we may lose some funding due to COVID. Looking at the Alliance Afterschool Program and moving it into the middle school for services. Social Emotional Groups in Kiowa will move forward however, waiting to see how we can move into this. Sherry Hanson, no longer with agency. We do not have any representative at this time until Jerri Spear can get someone hired. Still reaching out with them and discussion on sharing some cost to a referral from Simla.	Send contact information to Rene Gonzlaes with Colorado Access

		<p>Meeting with Elizabeth Municipal Courts to further discuss further protocol of referral process</p> <p>July was slow due to school closure; the cases have been down. However, being at EHS is very beneficial and have already been meeting with students.</p> <p>Debbie Jones is the current CORE Contract person and Jodie Sherrier continues to be the supervisor for DHS child welfare cases</p>	
1.6	Discuss ISST barriers, successes	Referral for a family in Simla, currently has a child welfare case, notified DHS to let them know we could have further conversation in helping pay for respite care for the family	
2	New Business		
2.1	Annual Report Review	<p>Document located in the meeting packet- met all performance, measures, and mid-size county. Positives of more involvement with the Municipal Courts and prevention programs in the schools</p> <p>Concerns if we will be able to get Botvin Lifeskills in the schools, Vision Testing numbers go down due to 2nd year program. No Paint and Sip this year, put on hold till Fall 2021</p>	
2.2	Barriers-Needs-Wants	<p>CASA – Pedisure (young babies) please contact Amy Reese - 35,000 diapers was given out, Coordinator looking at committee for guidance on what the group is wanting and needing</p> <p>School District – contracted online school service 209 students k-12 doing on-line – 91 hs 53 ms 65 elementary (handful of Kindergartens) – worries about # of kids at home with family...concerns of neglect and abuse- services that can help with kids that are home...homeless is a concern, and other essential needs. How can we connect with these families and can see the IOG doing this</p> <p>Library (FB) call out asking for what type of resources needed – call into BOD meeting to share any public comments</p> <p>Amy Reese, CASA- able take referral for tutoring, can work with them virtually, free of cost---also looking for tutors</p> <p>Rene Gonzales- COA, access to school lunches, transportations barriers, youth of color experiencing any barriers – ESD offers chrome books and Wi-Fi access- Kiowa- hotspots and chrome book, small population of ELL students, serving them well as of now with a para interacting with them, ESD has a limited number, however having the ELL individual reaching out them, library can offer services as well</p> <p>COA – looking for ways to connect and see if their barriers that we can offer to support</p> <p>Looking at that the data since COVID and see how we can look in deeper to offer help</p>	<p>Follow up with library in regards to their survey/support</p> <p>Needs/Barrier/Data - Surve</p>

		COA-offered funding for the Vision Screening and Sources of Strength, evidence base programs that are sustainable	
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3.1	Community Partner Updates	ECPH – Dwayne Smith, daily update please send an email to him requesting, opportunity to CDE funding that the health department can assist families, hiring a Public Health Nurse – posting since first of July- good pay, 4 day pay week- please direct them his way	
3.2	Review Action Items		
3.3	Executive Session (if needed)		
4	Close meeting	Next Mtg December 16, 2020 meeting video link: https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL0adX4XvMGVjSGlbk3iCfarpy0gv6rE	