

Buena Vista County Coalition August 2023

Attendees:

Name	Agency	Minutes
<u>Dawn Sickelka</u> , dsickel@dhs.state.ia.us	Decat/CPPC	Not available today
<u>Annette Koster</u> , bvcs.eci.director@gmail.com	BVCS Early Childhood Iowa	Started Fiscal Year 24. Family STEPS has been approved to move forward in the process for the Family Support Credential. Please consider participating in a community interview that will happen in the fall. Early Childhood Iowa must fund a program that is either research or promising practice. Family STEPS is a great program that provides services to families and children 0-5 years.
Nancy Rowedder New Opportunities, Inc. nrowedder@newopp.org	Tobacco Prevention New Opportunities, Inc.	We have begun a new fiscal year. Our strategies continue to be working with populations who serve youth to educate them on vaping/tobacco products. We can do presentations for adults and youth. We also are reaching out to businesses to encourage tobacco free/nicotine policy adoption. And we continue to engage in coalition development. We recently attended one of the Storm Lake Community School registration days and offered My Life My Quit materials to parents and students. Had a conversation with the school Prevention Specialist about possibly starting up an ISTEP chapter in the high school. Conversations will continue. Storm Lake will begin using the MLMQ program as an alternative to punishment for vaping.
Mikayla Friedl mikayla.friedl@lsiowa.org	Lutheran Services in Iowa (LSI) CAP Program	We have begun a new fiscal year. We completed Love Notes programming at Midwest Christian the beginning of July and will be hosting a healthy relationship booth at the Storm Lake High School the end of this month.
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<p>Paige Rensink, prensink@rosecrance.org</p>	<p>Integrated Provider Network (IPN) SU Prevention Grant, Rosecrance Jackson Centers</p>	<p>The Buena Vista County Strategic Plan is available by request for more information on data/assessment, capacity, planning, implementation, and evaluation. Fiscal Year 2024 Action Plans and Steps will be submitted for approval in August 2024 to Iowa HHS. Stakeholders, community members, and coalition members can get more involved and support IPN prevention grant work in their communities. The new Integrated Provider Network (IPN) Grant cycle year began July 1, 2023.</p> <p>3 Prevention Priority Areas: Adult Alcohol Use (Ages 25-65), Youth THC Use (Ages 12-20), Problem Gambling (Ages 21 & Over). Strategies below will continue to be implemented in FY24. We also recently attended 1 of the Storm Lake Community school district registration days and provided information about the RJC clinic in Cherokee, Prime for Life 420™ Diversion and Universal options. Thank you!</p> <p>Problem Gambling: Responsible Gambling Toolkit with Charitable Licensed Vendors</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Created a database of existing charitable licensed vendors • Met with coalitions at least bi-monthly to build capacity, share results, and review the Responsible Gambling Toolkit and ensure strategy implementation requirements and fidelity • Met with contact persons from 50% of identified charitable gambling license holder to introduce the Responsible Gambling Toolkit • Met with contact persons from 50% of identified charitable gambling license holders to review gambling policy technical assistance. <p>Adult Heavy Alcohol Use: Prime for Life Universal Class for Healthcare Sector & Staff Development</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promoted Prime for Life™ for Nursing Contact Hours and Healthcare Providers, or staff development! • Implemented 3 courses over Zoom in FY23 • Met with coalitions at least bi-monthly to build capacity, share results, and utilize fidelity checklists to ensure strategy implementation and fidelity <p>Youth Cannabis/THC Use: Evidence-based Curriculum: Prime for Life 420™</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cannabis Diversion Course: Prime for Life 420™ • Promoted Prime for Life 420™ curriculum strategy with law enforcement, community organizations, coalitions, and county-wide school districts • Provided annual schedule of Prime for Life 420™ Diversion course with juvenile court officers, community organizations and counseling, coalitions, and county-wide school districts <p>If you would like more information and can help support these strategies as a stakeholder, please contact:</p> <p>Paige Rensink, Certified Prevention Specialist, prensink@rosecrance.org, 712-578-9062 or</p>
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Julie Sather jsather@bvcountyiowa.com	Buena Vista County Public Health & Home Care	<p>We are close to sending out our Community Health Assessment (CHA) survey. We would love for you to all share it with your consumers. Our CHA and associated health improvement plan is due in November 2023. We will share the link when it is completed. It will be available on paper and online.</p> <p>Regarding the alignment work for Iowa Health & Human Services, we received this email. I will share the email with Annette (please forward out), but here is some of the email that we received. This survey is live until August 25, 2023.</p> <p>Beginning July 1, 2023, Iowa Departments of Aging, Human Rights, Early Childhood Iowa, Iowa Child Advocacy Board and Volunteer Iowa joined the Iowa Department of Health and Human Services (Iowa HHS) as the new organizational structure for state government went into effect. As part of this transition, Iowa HHS is working to ensure that services are delivered efficiently and effectively for individuals, families, and communities across the state of Iowa. To do so, Iowa HHS has partnered with a consulting organization, Health Management Associates (HMA), to conduct a statewide assessment to identify successes and gaps in service delivery as well as opportunities for further service integration.</p> <p>As part of this assessment, we want to hear from consumers about what is most important to them. The survey results will help us identify underlying goals and values that should be considered in identifying options and measuring success.</p> <p>HMA received important feedback on how to best gather input from consumers during the July town halls and has taken that feedback in developing a consumer survey. HMA also heard how important it is to provide different options for people to respond, based on what works best for them. We would appreciate your help in gathering consumer feedback. We recognize that this will require additional time from you, but we also value your expertise in knowing how and where to engage consumers. There are three different ways that you can help us gather feedback from the individuals and families you serve:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Go to the survey at https://healthmanagement.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_9nsp1I5shWk8IYe, read the questions to your consumer and enter their answers for them. · Direct consumers to the Iowa HHS website at https://hhs.iowa.gov/service-delivery-alignment-assessment-project, or straight to the survey using the link above, for them to fill it out. In the very first question, consumers will be asked what language they speak. This question will display in

		<p>English, Spanish, Arabic, Swahili, and French. If applicable, they will receive a translated survey based on the answer they provide.</p> <p>· Print out copies of the survey and ask consumers to fill it out and return it to you. PDF versions of the survey are attached. The pdf/paper version is available in the same languages as the electronic version. Once you have received completed surveys, you can compile the number of responses per question and enter aggregate responses for each question using the attached aggregate data form and the following link: https://healthmanagement.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_6EZ501Ft5JUFqzc</p> <p>If they do paper surveys I am happy to collect them and submit them. Julie Sather.</p>
Amber Schon aschon@newopp.org	New Opportunities Health 1st Five	<p>1st Five partners with PCPs supporting them in earlier detection of delays in children age 0-5. Promote the use of screening tools (ASQ-3, MCHAT). Benefit of partnering with 1st Five is having the ability to refer for developmental support. Referral from UCHC in BV County. Working to get into other clinics in the county. We now have a local level peer consultant, Dr. Nicole Cummings, McFarland Clinic. She is able to provide peer consultations to PCPs in our 7 county service area</p> <p>WIC - in Storm Lake 4 times per month.</p> <p>Healthy Pregnancy Program - providing health education and psychosocial services to pregnant and postpartum women. These services are integrated with WIC.</p> <p>Upcoming event: Back to School Children's Health Clinic, August 15th 4-7pm at New Opp in Carroll. Do not have to be from Carroll County to attend this clinic. All welcome. No appointment needed. Services offered: physicals, immunizations, dental screens, vision screens, lead screens, haircuts.</p>
Jennifer Macke jmacke@crawfordcounty.iowa.gov	Crawford County Public Health, I-Smile	<p>As I am learning more about Buena Vista county with the restructuring of service areas that happened last year, I am finding the enormous need and barriers to oral health for its community members. I am working on starting an Oral Health Coalition and looking for community members and</p>

		stakeholders interested in being a part of it. Please let me know if this is something that you would like to participate in. thank you!
Cassie Crum	BV Co Family STEPS	Recredential process is coming along with a community partners panel coming up in the fall. You may get a call or email regarding being a member of the panel as a community partner. Please consider being a part of this panel. BVCO public health remodel is coming along beautifully-hope to be completed in October.
Maria Garcia	Lutheran Services in Iowa Clinical Services (BHIS and Community Programs)	Continue to provide in home and community behavioral health services to families. BV county is fully staffed with 3 bilingual staff plus program supervisor. Storm Lake School Project Program renewed for another year. Wendy Zeledon continues to provide educational skills to families in preparation of a school based program. 90% of the children served have been accepted to school based program families can benefit from these services for 3 years from the day of their acceptance. Will be looking at dates to bring Parent Cafes in the area.
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