Tioga County Drug & Alcohol Planning Council September 11, 2024 1:30 PM

Board Attendance: Kimberly Jayne, John Newell, Diane Weed, Joelle Young

Guest Attendance: Mellissa Parsons, Colleen Wilber, Mary Wilson

Call to Order- Diane called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance and a Moment of Silence.

Secretary's Report- Joelle made a motion to accept July and August meeting minutes, John seconded.

Business:

There have not been any updates regarding Opioid Settlement Dollars this month.

Our Outreach and Prevention team is beginning to plan a Fall Fun Night at the Wellsboro School District. We are partnering with Drug Endangered Children (DEC) to host a roller skate night in Tioga. We have attended several fairs and community events this summer to continue our outreach efforts. At these events we are dispersing information and educating our communities. The Single County Authority (SCA) submitted a request to the Department of Drug and Alcohol Program (DDAP) for additional State Opioid Response dollars to assist with Student Assistance Program (SAP) trainings. Our prevention team is hosting a vaping workshop on September 25th at the Wellsboro Area High School for students and parents. According to the Pennsylvania Youth Survey (PAYS) data, vaping has increased for our county.

Treatment updates:

August 2024

People:

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# assessed	Female	Male	12-17	18-25	26-59	60+	
16	5	11	0	0	14	2	

Drug of Choice:

Alcoh	Heroin	Meth	Cocaine/crack	Marijuana		Other amphetamines	Benzodiazepine
7	3	5	1	0	0	0	0

Referred to-Level of Care:

0.5 El	1.0 OP	2.1 IOP	3.7 WM	3.5 IP	3.1 HWH
0	11		1	4	0

+ Priority Populations:

Pregnant Women	Women w/ children	Person who injects drugs	Overdose Survivor	Active Duty	Veteran
0	2	1	2	0	0

Screen outs: 1

We are putting together bags that include Xylazine testing strips, Fentanyl testing strips, Narcan, Doterra Bags, gloves, alcohol wipes, a face mask, needle disposals, and a card with emergency numbers on it. We will be distributing them to individuals who are actively using.

The Walk for Recovery event is coming up in a few weeks. After the walk, we will gather on the Green. We have several speakers, music, hot dogs, t-shirts, and pumpkin painting. We have local drug & alcohol providers setting up tables to provide information to the public.

The Behavioral Health Alliance of Rural Pennsylvania (BHARP) has a few training opportunities coming up: American Society of Addiction Medicine (ASAM) Third Edition training for new providers and a mental health/substance use disorder crisis 3-hour

virtual training for registered nurses.

Meeting adjourned at 1:53 p.m.

Submitted By:

Roger C Bunn

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