



Meeting Minutes  
Regular Monthly Meeting  
December 20, 2018

The Regular monthly meeting of the Curry County Health Council was called to Order by Tammy Phillips at 12:00 pm on Thursday, December 20, 2018. The meeting was held in the Commission Room at the Curry County Administrative Complex, 417 Gidding Street, Clovis, NM.

**In Attendance:**

Tammy Phillips	PRMC, CCHC Chairperson
Rose Ann Martinez	Curry County FGP, CCHC Co- Chairperson
Doria Rey	Curry County Grants
Annie Hogland	Curry County Clerk
Tanya Henderson	Curry County OSAP
Theresa Broeker	Clovis Health Office
Susan Alman	Curry County Health Council
Laura Leeder Martinez	United Way
Kaylee Vinyard	MECA Therapies
Mitch Gray	Healthy Kids
Renita Borders	Healthy Haven Counseling
Destry Hernandez	Mental Health Resources
Dessa Silbaugh	Wheatfields Assisted Living
Carissa Caroland	Clovis Municipal Schools
Scott Brown	Trustpoint Hospital
Juliann Villanueva de Chavez	ARISE SAS
Alexa Perez	ARISE SAS

**Approval of Minutes** – Desa Silbaugh moved to approve the minutes of November 15, 2018; second by Destry Hernandez.

**Health Council Coordinator's Summary of Events and Activities – Susan Alman**

Susan Alman briefed the Council regarding following: No events or proclamations for the month of December 2018. Addressed the importance of the upcoming Community Assessment meeting (also next Health Council Meeting) scheduled for January 17, 2019 at 12:00pm. Alman distributed flyer for the new Hope Children's Home in Clovis, pointing out their immediate needs list.

## **Open Issues**

1. Tammy Phillips provided a brief summary on training for a healthy Health Council given by Susan Wiggler on November 17, 2018; Phillips stated we will be planning town hall meetings, as well as putting together an action plan for areas of development and improvement, such as recruitment, events, and all members putting forth more effort together.
2. Susan Alman met with Erinn Burch from United Way regarding Community Care Guide Layout. Alman also asked members to submit ads to be published for free in the guide by January 9.

## **New Business**

1. Tammy Phillips distributed flyers for the upcoming Community Assessment by Presbyterian, to be held January 17, 2019, beginning at 12:00 pm; this meeting is very important and will create an opportunity for funding, as it assists in determining needs of community. Phillips said members would need to RSVP for lunch, and asked all members to attend and bring others.
2. Susan Alman announced Oriana Riley as the new Curry County JJAC Program director. Planned to introduce Ms. Riley, but she was unable to attend meeting.
3. Destry Hernandez of Mental Health Resources (MHR) addressed council members regarding the upcoming “Point in Time Homeless Count,” in partnership with the NM Coalition to end Homelessness. The survey is completely voluntary and will be conducted January 29<sup>th</sup> – February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019, and will gather the following information: demographics, who, when, etc. Data collected will be compiled by the NM Coalition to End Homelessness and distributed to participating agencies. Hernandez will be attending training for administering the survey and will be able to train others to assist in distributing surveys.
4. Susan Alman announced the Clovis Veterans Outreach Event, scheduled for March 15, 2019, open to the public, extending the invitation to Health Council members and agencies. Alman shared the contact information for Joseph Dorn.

## **Other Health Council Members’ Status Reports**

**Mitch Gray** – Provided an update on Healthy Kids programs; Spring Break Day Camp, which will now be an open invitation, for 13-18-year olds to participate in the three-day event.

**Renita Borders, MA**, of Healthy Haven Counseling – Provided update on recent free educational classes she has been offering, as well as free walk-in clinics on Saturdays (hours vary), screening for suicide, depression/anxiety, and offering resources and referrals.

**Juliann Villanueva de Chavez**, Clinical Director of ARISE Sexual Assault Services, introduced herself.

**Alexa Perez**, Outreach at ARISE Sexual Assault Services introduced herself.

**Dessa Silbaugh**, of Wheatfields Assisted Living invited members to attend Clam Chowder Fridays at Wheatfields.

**Laura Leeder Martinez**, of United Way, provided the Council with an update on United Way of Clovis 211 “Hotline” Services; also mentioned Portales Commodities baskets on December 15 had 205 participants; Distributed cards and information regarding narcotics anonymous group meetings (General and Women’s Group) on Monday Nights at Matt 25.

**Destry Hernandez**, of Mental Health Resources, said MHR is low on funds, but continues to provide services, providing a list of current services including support group services and services to Medicaid holders (transportation and appointment assistance, etc).

**Tanya Henderson**, of Curry County OSAP, gave an update on recent work with 33 local tobacco retailers; Participating in National Institute on Drug Abuse during the last week of January 2019.

**Scott Brown**, of Trustpoint Hospital of Lubbock, introduced himself and addressed the importance of communication and connection between his agency and agencies of Curry County to assist in continuity of care in services provided.

**Theresa Broker**, Nurse Manager at Clovis Health Office, stated there is still a number of flu shots available.

**Susan Alman** – Announced January as National Blood Donation Month and the Blood Drive that will take place at 417 Gidding on January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

**Meeting adjourned at 12:50 pm.**

Next meeting: Thursday, January 17, 2019 at PRMC in the Cannon Room - Community Assessment. 12:00 pm–1:30 pm

The **Vision** of the Curry County Health Council (CCHC) is to be a community-based organization championing community health and wellness.

The **Mission** of the Curry County Health Council (CCHC) is to help strengthen the network of community partnerships, create seamless coordination of comprehensive resources and promote community wellness.

The **Purpose** of the Curry County Health Council (CCHC) is to serve as a forum, which links individuals and agencies within the community to information and resources.