



Curry County
Office of Substance Abuse Prevention
STEP Coalition Meeting Minutes



Tuesday, January 15th, 2018

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Commission Chambers - Curry County Administration Complex

I. **In Attendance:**

Oriana Riley	Curry County JJAC/Teen Court
Carissa Caroland	CMS Director of Nursing
Ronald Reid	JPO Supervisor
Doria Rey	Curry County Admin. Services
Susan Alman	Curry County Health Council/RSVP/FGP
James Padilla	GF – New Beginnings
Mitch Gray	Three7 Project/Healthy Kids
Tanya Henderson	Curry County OSAP

II. Meeting called to order 12:03 p.m.

III. Approval of minutes:

1st - Carissa Caroland and **2nd – Oriana Riley** moved to approve the minutes of December 18th, 2018.

IV. OSAP Program Manager’s summary of events:

1) **Tanya Henderson** has done quite a few activities since the last meeting in December 2018. The mid-year report for OSAP, has been submitted as of January 14, 2019. The mid-year report was hefty considering how many products we’ve established in all 6 of OSAP’s strategies for prescription painkiller misuse and underage alcohol drinking. 2) **Henderson** and **Riley** attended a training in Albuquerque about all forms of tobacco. This was a great training since it provided a lot of resources and information about vaping, which is a concern at the middle schools and high schools. 3) **Henderson** did a proclamation at the previous commission meeting for the National Drugs & Alcohol Facts Week (NDAFW) during January 22nd – 27th, 2019. Curry County OSAP and JJAC are both registered under NIDA’s NDAFW website of events. Curry County is 1 out of 2 registered locations within the state of New Mexico. NDAFW is a great way to disseminate information that collaborates with other federal organizations such as National Institute of Health (NIH), National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA), and U.S. Department of Health & Human Services (USDHHS). 4) **Henderson** started a few radio ads through Rooney Moon Broadcasting, OSAP sponsored a few ads during the EPAC Basketball Tournament at ENMU over the weekend. This promo also got 2 free ads during the Super bowl. We are reaching youth, peers, and near peers. There are 2 ads, one on prescription painkiller (Rx) misuse and underage alcohol drinking (UAD). The UAD ad is really great, considering OSAP took the YRRS alcohol data of 56.3% of Curry County high schools students obtained alcohol from somebody else. OSAP tied that statistic in with 4th degree felony of providing alcohol to minors. 5) **Henderson** and **Riley** attended the #YouthSuccess Taskforce that is being done by United Way.

V. Open Issues:

1) Annual Strategies for Success:

Tanya Henderson, is getting ready for the ASFS surveys for the middle and high schools in Curry County. **Joe Strickland** emailed all middle school and high school principals. **Henderson** has been in contact with Texico schools but has not heard anything from the initial meeting. **Henderson** will send another friendly email to see if Texico will be participating or not, there is a struggle with smaller schools due to anonymity.

2) National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA):

Tanya Henderson gave out Rx opioid information packet and commonly used drug charts from the NIH. OSAP is partnering with Teen Court and hosting 2 Bingo Nights with the Teen Court kids, while offering community service hours as an incentive.

VI. New Business:

1) Kamama Consulting:

Tanya provided a list of prevention trainings for the coalition members to see what is available and will help with prevention work. Coalition members were told to inform **Tanya** if there is one they would like to attend, they will need to let her know so that she may update the CORE team list.

VII. Questions/Comments:

Carissa Caroland found a lot of great information from the YRRS data presentation that was held at Clovis Library on January 10th, 2019. Curry County has shown some decline in many areas of health. **Mitch Gray** has a program that touches base on sexual behaviors. **Gray** needs assistance getting back into the schools. **James Padilla** has offered his services about vaping and tobacco usage within the community. **Padilla** plans to speak with employers, educators, and other community stakeholders about vaping and is part of an organization that is willing to do data presentations on vaping. **Henderson** will get in contact with the Tobacco specialist from the Department of Health SE Region based in Roswell.

VIII. Upcoming meeting/events:

- a. Coalition Meeting – Meeting has been changed from February 19, 2019 to **February 26th, 2019** in the Commission Chambers at 12:00 p.m. due to the OSAP Recipient’s Meeting in Albuquerque, NM.

IX. Meeting Adjourned:

12:39 p.m.