

MINUTES

Purpose: Engage Okaloosa County community members in a health improvement process through an open, two-way dialogue to provide feedback for each OCHIP group and ensure continuity, especially regarding substance use-related activities.

Present: Petra Maddens, Florida Department of Health in Okaloosa County (DOH-Okaloosa); Emily Pickens, DOH-Okaloosa; Stephanie Wedel, Freedom Life Compass; Robert Bage, Fort Walton Beach Police Department; JB Whitten, City of Crestview; Ardelle Bush, Healthy Start Coalition of Okaloosa and Walton Counties; Lynn Wadsworth, DOH-Okaloosa; Amanda Colwell, DOH-Okaloosa; Danielle Wilson, Emerald Coast Children's Advocacy Center; Jessica Trimboli, Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office.

Absent: Beth Smith, DOH-Okaloosa; Deb Willis, West Florida Area Health Education Center.

Welcome & Introductions – Amanda Colwell

- Amanda opened the meeting and welcomed attendees.
- Attendees reviewed results from the Community Engagement Survey from the previous meeting. Responses were positive, citing strong attendance and good collaboration.

Action Plan Updates – OCHIP Champions

OCHIP Group Updates

- OCHIP Champions reviewed the action plans in the Community Health Improvement Plan for their respective group and discussed progress and opportunities.
- Sgt. Trimboli provided an update from the Healthy Children meeting. Group members would like to leverage OCHIP partnerships to increase participation in the Run4Health 5K race in April by instigating competition between the groups.
- Stephanie shared Healthy Behaviors is working on Phase II of the Post Overdose Support Team, which includes adding a peer component. They are also working to plan a POST Community Event in Crestview on January 11th.
- Mayor Whitten shared updates from the Healthy Communities Housing Workgroup. They have begun working towards investigating a Community Land Trust and will hear from representatives with the Northwest Florida Community Land Trust at the next meeting.
- Emily provided updates for Healthy Moms and Babies by stating they are working on a public safety partnership to reduce child injuries and have begun a stronger partnership with Diana Health, the new maternal health provider in Fort Walton Beach.

Substance Use Training Survey

- Emily shared DOH-Okaloosa plans to utilize Overdose Data to Action grant funds to host quarterly substance use trainings. She will develop a Microsoft Form for partnership members to vote on training topics or provide other suggestions.
- OCHIP Champions suggested topics including DEA One Pill Can Kill, Medication Assisted Treatment, strategies to engage youth, harm reduction, substance use among pregnant women, and debunking myths surrounding DCF removals for substance use.

Substance Use Media Campaign

- This item is tabled until funding agreements are officially in place.

Opioid Educational Series Framework

- Sgt. Trimboli suggested developing 90 second videos about substance use and how it is being addressed in the various OCHIP groups.
- Chief Bage encouraged the development of a data presentation following feedback from International Overdose Awareness Day.
 - Others suggested developing a myth-busters component for parents and youth.
 - Another presentation was suggested concerning warning signs and resources to be designed for parents, youth groups, and schools.

OCHIP Celebration Planning

- The OCHIP Celebration is scheduled for Thursday, January 30th at The Clubhouse Grill.
- Attendees discussed award categories and agreed each group should have a Member of the Year and Organization of the Year.
 - Emily will develop a nomination tool to share with partnership members. Following nominations, the Champions will meet to review responses.
 - Emily will share another form with nominations. Partnership members will vote for winners in each group based on the nominations submitted.
 - OCHIP Champions cannot be nominated.

Action Items – OCHIP Champions

- Emily will develop a form for substance use training topics.
- The Healthy Communities OCHIP group will take the lead on developing the educational series. Anyone is welcome to attend the meetings.
- Emily will develop and share a nomination form with partnership members.
- OCHIP Champions will review nominations at the next meeting, then Emily will send out a tool for voting.

Closing – Emily Pickens

- Emily thanked attendees for participating and asked them to complete the meeting evaluation form to provide feedback.

Next Meeting – November 14th at DOH-Okaloosa at 10:00 a.m.

Action Items	Owners	Deadline	Status
Develop Substance Use Training Survey	Emily Pickens	November 14 th	In Progress
Develop framework for an Opioid Educational Series	OCHIP Champions, Healthy Communities OCHIP group	November 21 st	Not Started
Develop OCHIP Celebration nominations form & share with partnership members	Emily Pickens	October 21 st	Complete
Review nominations and develop a voting tool for awards	OCHIP Champions, Emily Pickens	November 15 th	In Progress