Willapa Community Network Minutes February 3, 2016

Attendees: Doug Sheaffer, Jolene Manuel and Stacy Michaelson, O3A & I&A, Mary Goelz and Gracie Manlow, PCHD, Kent Smaciarz, Talitha Cooper and Kelsey Hopstad, GHC, Bonnie Ryan, WHMA Food Bank, Paul Philpot, PC EDC, Emily Popovich, Ray TRL, Judy Dawe, LTC Ombudsman, Carole Halsan, Shelly Lev and Marlynn Jenkins of WHH, Christyn Delgado and Hanna Antokol, VVHC, Donna Hallock, DRC, Cathey McMurry, DSHS, Cheryl Kitchell, CCAP, Helaina Kennedy, B2B/PacMtn., Michelle Layman, WHCC, Alyssa Grams, TAC/WCN, Becky Fischer, PCYA, Kathy Holland, PC ESD113, Katherine Lechner, CHOICE, Rosanne McPhail, JMHCP

I. Call to Order: 11:15

II. Prior meeting minutes were approve with corrections

III. Roundtable:

- 1. Judy Dawe, Long Term Care Ombudsman: Looking for someone to server on the Advisory Council. They meet quarter for 1hr to 1 ½ in Aberdeen. Please contact me if you are interested.
- 2. Cheryl Kitchell, CCAP/Senior Nutrition Program: Close to opening our new office and purchased Meals on Wheels vehicle for Ilwaco, home delivered meals count is up.
- 3. Cathey McMurry, DSHS: Same services, helping with the point in time survey.
- 4. Kent Smaciarz, GHC: nothing to report
- 5. Katherine Lechner, CHOICE: Obtained the marijuana prevention grant for our seven counties starts on April 1st, hiring a program manager in Olympia for this program, project proposals for Medicaid funding through Medicaid transformation dollars.
- 6. Mary Goelz, PCHD: Busy with new staff, North County grant funding for marijuana youth prevention, community education youth suicide grant, stroke prevention education grant, created Great Rivers Behavorial Health Organization for our five local counties and hire a CEO to run the new organization. Hope to be ready by April 1st.
- 7. Gracie Manlow, PCHD: Took a new job at PCHD, third day on the job. Will be working on prevention programming in the three local schools and Naselle and also housing.
- 8. Michelle Layman, WHCC: Annual awards banquet is here Saturday night; membership forms were passed around if anyone is interested.
- 9. Kathy Holland, PC ESD113: Still doing referrals with the Impact Group for soft skills business training for anyone age 16-24 February 16th 26th in Pacific County from 10am to 2pm and ESD113 please contact me at kholland@esd113.org.
- 10. Helaina Kennedy, B2B/PacMtn: Lots of new jobs posted, working with Impact Group also for youth ages 16 to 24. It is an extensive training 40 hours soft skills and 80 hour of practical work experience. They will receive and \$800 bonus after they have completed the program and will be illegible for the program that pays 50% of wages for one month training if fulltime or two month if part-time.
- 11. Donna Hallock, Dispute Resolution Center GH/PC: We provide conflict resolution services on a sliding scale to anyone in the community. We have a 40 hours mediation training coming up in Pacific County. I will bring more information next month.
- 12. Christyn Delgado, VVHC: Open enrollment for Sound Health Path Medicare Advantage Plans through the end of February.
- 13. Hanna Antokol, VVHC: Lots of provider transitions going on. The clinic is self-funding some alternative pain management by referral for acupuncture, massage therapy and chiropractic services with non-medicated relationship for pain management.
- 14. Emily Popovich, TRL: Handed out calendars for what's happening in Pacific County free things that are available. Mat Love will be here on the 20th.
- 15. Doug Sheaffer, O3A&I&A: We are still providing Medicaid In-Home Case Management.
- 16. Jolene Manual, O3A&I&A: Help with supplemental plans, minor home repair and emergency funds, senior legal advice clinic on the 2nd Tuesday of the month (must be 60 and older and a

- non-criminal), HACKS in-home care, Medicare Savings Programs, refer to other agencies for over income, IP coordinator with State compliant.
- 17. Stacy Michaelson, O3A&I&A: Family Caregiver Support, Kinship program.
- 18. Rosanne McPhail, PCHD: Grant for the Justice Mental Health Collaboration project for people with recidivism both mental health and reoccurring substance abuse.
- 19. Becky Fischer, PCYA: If anyone is interested in the Working with Conflict Training with Donna Hallock, for \$30 we could set another date. Youth Mental Health First Aid training on February12th at Grays Harbor College at the coast of \$30 for the book and a meal. Recruiting again for AmeriCorps members at the cost \$3,000 per member.
- 20. Shelly Lev, WHH: Intro to CPR Non Certified class is on February 27th at the South Bend Elementary School. We are looking for board members for CRISIS Support Network and Camp Victory also needs help. Training is in March and the camp is in October.
- 21. Paul Philpot, EDC: The GHC Presidential Search Committee has a number of outstanding applicants; EDC is working on a community meeting for March 14th with PacMtn and a retail hospitality event.
- 22. Bonnie Ryan, WHMA Food Bank and Pennywise: A walking freezer donated to our food bank. We have been asked if people can come in more than once to the food bank. They can, however they only receive rice, beans, oats, canned tomatoes, and pasta from Coastal Harvest and we will offer bread, dairy or some produce. They do not shop twice off of the shelves. We had six emergency clients and 12 new families this month. Pennywise is doing very well and income is holding steady. We are accepting any donations for the spring auction and dinner with a tentative date of April 3rd.
- 23. Talitha Cooper, AmeriCorps-GHC: Thank you to WCN for the mini grant awarded. I am still offering the financial literacy classes every Wednesday at 4pm to 6pm and looking to run it more days and a Money Smart event the last week of April.
- 24. Kelsey Hopstad, AmeriCorps-GHC: Thank you WCN for the mini grant awarded. This will fund my new event "College Night" on March 17th for Q&A for Running Start and Financial Aid, a photo booth, and free pizza. I am also working on one for South County.
- 25. Alyssa Grams, AmeriCorps-TAC & WCN: TAC is interviewing applicants for the coordinator position, hired a new administrative assistant, hosting monthly TAC Teen Nights, Town Hall event on Tuesday March 8th "Safe and Smart Online", After Prom Event on May 7th, and prescription take back event on Saturday April 30th in front of Pioneer. Nine WCN mini grants were awarded and the Bay Center Food Bank used their grant money to purchase a new refrigerator. The Pacific County Resource Guide is out. If there are any corrections or copies needed please let me know. A WCN mini grant was awarded for copy printing. I am updating the WCN website and FaceBook page and am working on the March newsletter if you have any announcements or stories please email willapacommunitynetwork@gmail.com
- 26. Carole Halsan, WHH: Thank you to the chamber for allowing us to meet at this location. I think we will need to meet here again in March and hope to be back in our hospital in April. I did receive a resume from a physician that is in Alaska and interested in moving to the Pacific NW. All the small and large hospitals are looking for physicians.
- IV. Old Business: None
- V. New Business: None
- VI. Topic for Next Month: Donna Hallock, Dispute Resolution Center and Bobbi Hallberg on the Coverdale Grant.
- VII. Presentation: Kathryn Lechner from Choice Regional Health Network on the Accountable Community of Health (ACH): Kathryn gave a great PowerPoint presentation and handed out copies for everyone to take.
- VIII. Adjournment: 1:00pm