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# Adair County Early Childhood Committee Minutes/Notes

Tuesday October 9, 2018 Adair County Extension/Green Room 154 Public Square Greenfield, Iowa 50849

#### Meeting began at 2:00.

#### Attendance

Stephanie Claussen, Myra Willms, Colleen Theis, Samra Hiros, Jody Haley, Michelle Greenough, Rachel Hardisty, Nina Utterback, Connie Lundy, Jorand Feazel, Jeff Vandewater and Debra Schrader.

#### **Adair County Sherriff**

Jeff with the Adair County Sherriff's department provided insight of what he is seeing in kids and parents today. Topics of discussion were substance abuse, mental health committals, and illegal drugs. The group appreciated the time provided by the Sherriff's department in attending the meeting and providing an overview of social issues in Adair County.

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### **Council Treasurer Report**

There is no change in the treasurers report.

# **FY19 Contractors Update**

SWCC Parents as Teachers provided an update on the families served.

### **PCA Mandatory Meeting**

Deb and Stephanie attended the mandatory meeting in Des Moines as this is a part of the grant requirements. Legislative talking points, RFP input, and council development were topics of discussion.

## **American Lung Association**

Samra Hiros presented on the action plan for fiscal year 2019 for Adair County. The goal is to have one business implement a tobacco-free and nicotine-free policy and Schroeder Dental Practice has agreed. Please see attached written report.

#### **Early Childhood Committee**

# 4 R Kids Board

The Board is seeking a board member, preferably male, to serve Adair County. Contact Deb Schrader if you know of someone at 4rkidseci@gmail.com.

### **CCRR**

Michelle Greenough provided an overview of child care in Adair County. There are 16 total child care programs with 327 total spaces. Adair County.

#### **Mental Health Resources Map**

The group reviewed the Adair County mental health resources and made necessary changes. It will be posted on the 4 R Kids website.

# **Next Meeting**

Meeting adjourned at 3:15. The next meeting will be December , 2018 at the Adair County Extension.

Respectfully submitted by Debra Schrader, 4 R Kids Director

# QUARTER 2 UPDATE



The American Lung Association holds the Community Partnership grant funded by the Iowa Department of Public Health, Division of Tobacco Use Prevention & Control for eight counties in Iowa. We serve Adair, Dallas, Jasper, Madison, Marshall, Polk, Union, and Warren Counties and follow best practices for tobacco control outline by the CDC:

- 1. Prevent the Initiation of tobacco use among young people
- 2. Eliminate non-smokers exposure to secondhand smoke
- 3. Promote quitting among young people and adults
- 4. Identify and eliminate tobacco-related disparities among population groups.

# **FY2019 Initiatives for Adair County**

# **Tobacco-free Worksites: 0/1**

- ✓ Staff mailed a survey to 204 worksites (21 responses).
- ✓ Follow-up mailed to businesses who participated in the survey.
- ✓ Staff completed a Lunch N Learn with Schroeder Family Dental.
- ✓ 1 lead for TF/NF policy implementation.
- ✓ 8 dropoffs to businesses
- ✓ Ask of coalition: any leads for policy implementation

# **Coalition Development: 0/2**

✓ Staff will work with a coalition on tobacco prevention efforts