



Substance Use Prevention Committee Meeting Minutes
Thursday, May 7, 2020 – 12:30-1:30 pm
Zoom Meeting

In Attendance: Allison O'Rourke – Pacific County Health Department/Road 2 Resiliency
Denise Rowlett – Teen Advocacy Coalition
Jackie Smith – Pacific County Health Department/Opioid Response Team
Carole Chase – Pacific County Health Department/Wellspring
Jim Bergstrom – Shoalwater Bay Police Department

1. Rx Drop Boxes

- TAC has \$2,000 allocated for permanent drop boxes and/or prevention.
- Long Beach Police Department is building a new police station behind Dennis Company in Long Beach. Allison will reach out to Chief Wright re: placement of the permanent drop box.
- Shoalwater Bay Police Department's drop box is open to public access 24/7.
- Pacific County Sheriff's Office is working with a pharmaceutical company that will replace the current permanent drop box at the South Bend Sherriff's Office, as well as install one at the LB office. The company will also pay for all shipping and destruction of disposed medication. This is a program only available to law enforcement agencies.
 - Chief Bergstrom will look into this program for Shoalwater.
 - The old drop box will be placed inside of South Bend Pharmacy, to allow for more discrete disposal of medications.
 - There is no update from Sheriff Souvenir regarding the ETA on the permanent drop boxes at the Pacific County Sheriff's offices in Long Beach and South Bend. Denise will reach out to him after this meeting.

2. Opioid Prevention Campaign

- R2R website
 - R2R has \$50 to allocate towards promotion of the Opioid Prevention pages on R2R's website. Allison began boosting the website's prevention pages on May 5th, however, it has only reached 216 people and received one link click.
 - Denise will create an infographic to help draw more people to the post. The link will be included in the body of the post. Allison will send her what the infographic should say.
 - Another idea to generate more awareness – weekly blog posts re: opioid prevention. Allison will schedule these to post on Saturdays and/or Sundays, as not to interfere with the Sources of Strength Campaign. WellSpring, TAC and Shoalwater to share. Allison will look into R2R and WellSpring's insights to see when the best time to post it.
 - Boost it on Instagram? Wait for Denise's infographic.



- Lock boxes
 - WellSpring
 - CARA (WellSpring) has \$800 they can reallocate from their professional staff development budget line to lock boxes, pending board approval. Carole will make this request with the board at their next meeting.
 - WellSpring made a request to the Peninsula Rotary for funds. Carole will let us know if funds are received, and how much the WellSpring board approves to go towards lock boxes.
 - Carole reached out to the Peninsula Pharmacies re: lock boxes at wholesale cost. She has not heard back from them yet.
 - R2R
 - R2R does not have any funds they can use towards lock boxes.
 - Allison spoke with Mat Cox with South Bend Pharmacy. He will look into getting us lock boxes and get back to her.
 - Shoalwater – Chief Bergstrom will reach out to local resources and inquire.
 - TAC – Can purchase lock boxes for north county use.
 - Plan to have quotes ready by the next meeting on May 28th.
 - Rack cards
 - Valley School District did not approve of the material being disseminated, as it is not information appropriate for a 3-year old. Nichole Page, Navigator for Valley, will keep these for her students.
 - We are unsure if Raymond or SB was able to disseminate the information. Raymond's lunch program will be changing. They received a grant that pays for 10 meals (for 2 weeks) to be shipped directly to families as a meal delivery service.
 - Rack cards went out in Naselle's lunches already and will go out next week for OBSD.
 - We will keep one box of each rack card for each end of the county. Allison will get these to Carolyne or Lori to bring down to South County. Shoalwater would also like about 400 copies of each rack card. Allison will drop these off at the Sherriff's Office for Chief Bergstrom to pick up.
- 3. Prevention Event – NSTR**
- 4. Other Business** – Members will share ideas for blog posts as they have them, and we will coordinate over the next 3 weeks if any time sensitive information comes up.
- 5. Next Meeting** – Thursday, May 28th at 12:30 pm via Zoom