

TIOGA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HYGIENE
ASA SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING
OF THE TIOGA COUNTY COMMUNITY SERVICES BOARD

APPROVED

Meeting date: June 14th, 2022

Via Hybrid

Member Bob Williams
Attendance: Kylie Holochak
 Teri Rosenberger
 Shawn Nalepa

Guest Judy Aupont
Attendance: Sean Smith
 Jackie Egan

Mental Lori Morgan, Director of Community Services
Hygiene Sarah Begeal, Deputy Director of Community Services
Staff Sue Graves, Secretary to the Director (minutes)

Attendance: Meeting called to order at 10:32am

Category: Meeting Minutes

Topic: Review and approval of the May 2022 Minutes

Discussion: Minutes approved as written

Category: Presentation

Topic: AIR Youth Clubhouse – Sean Smith, CASA-Trinity

Discussion: Sean gave a presentation on the AIR Youth Clubhouse – Adventures In Recover.

- Informational packet previously attached to agenda
- Looking to expand into Tioga County
- Partnering with Deb Smith and Joshua House
- Goal is to start the Tioga County program in July
- Program to offer various activities
 - Hiking, fitness, yoga, art classes etc.
- Hours will be limited in the beginning
- Peers being sought
- 48 hour sobriety requirement to participate in activities
- Sign a code of conduct
- Transportation from Joshua House to and from events provided
- Would like to reach out to Tioga County Drug Court & Probation regarding program

Status: Informational - Complete

Topic: Director's Report – Lori Morgan

Discussion: Updates:

- Workforce funding dollars passed thru to employees
- Dwyer Grant - No contract - Funds already passed thru to Veterans from Mental Hygiene
- No status update on Opioid dollars
- Staff
 - Anthony Hill, CASAC starting 7/5/22

Status: Informational - Complete

Topic: Deputy Director Report – Sarah Begeal

Discussion: Updates:

- Census is about the same
- Interviews this week for additional staff
- Follow up email from OASAS
 - Clarification on Peers running groups
 - OASAS stated Peers cannot run groups even for non-clinical

Status: Informational - Complete

Topic: Sheriff's Department – Shawn Nalepa

Discussion: Updates:

- MAT Program
 - Details being worked out regarding Telehealth
 - Funding expected to pass today for the medical service provider at the jail.
 - Funding for 2023
 - Logistics being worked out as well
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- Overdoses through May 2022
 - 12 Opioid overdoses for the year thus far – 18 this time last year
 - No fatalities and no Narcan usage for May

Shawn noted Tioga County used to be the hub for distribution of Meth until a huge bust last year. It seems to be picking up again in the county.

- OD Maps
 - Shawn can help set up alerts for those who need them
 - Lori would like the Sheriff's office to be posting alerts
 - Kylie is gathering the 2020-2021 numbers from the Coroner and will bring to the next meeting.

Status: Informational – Complete

Topic: Public Health – Kylie Holochak

Discussion: Updates:

- Updating the Community Health Assessment
 - Surveys are out
 - Can be found on Facebook and Public Health website
 - Approximately 250 responses thus far

Status: Informational - Complete

Topic: Probation – Teri Rosenberger

Discussion: Updates:

- Peers coming in from the three agencies
- Doing Support Groups
- Down a Probation Officer

Status: Information – Complete

Topic: EMS & Coroner – Bob Williams

Discussion: Updates:

- Waiting for final version of the EMS Study
- LEPC – next meeting July 6th
 - National Weather Service to present
- One overdose in April at the Jail
 - Meth-Fentanyl combination
 - Ingested prior to coming to jail and broke after arrest
 - Attorney General involved

Status: Informational - Complete

Topic: ACBC – Judy Aupont

Discussion: Updates:

- Continuing to work with Probation
- Participating in the Strawberry Festival
- Going to Waverly Court, the Red Door & St. John’s Homeless Shelter

Status: Informational – Complete

Topic: COTI – Jackie Egan

Discussion: Josh will be leaving after July 1st, 2022

Status: Informational – Complete

Adjournment: There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 11:30am. No meeting in July. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, August 9th, 2022 at 10:30am.