

Polk County Advisory Board of Health Minutes

March 17, 2017

Members present: Donald Anderson, Reylon Meeks, Thomas Newton, Anne Bacon, Bobbretta Brewton

Members absent:

| Agenda Items | Summary |
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| <u>Approval of Minutes</u> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • January and February Minutes approved |
| <u>Oakridge Neighborhood Update</u> <i>By Teree Caldwell Johnson</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oldest, largest faith based organization in the area • 1960 community of churches came together to establish organization • Church funded and volunteers • 2013 added senior housing • Stabilizes families, support services • Oak academy preschool (6 week thru pre-k) • 2 generation approach (needs for adults and children) • Afterschool, out of school program <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hire certified public teachers • K thru 8th grade • 2 middle school programs (6th-8th) • Summer Youth Employment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 27 years • Employee 50+ students • 20-32 hours per week • ½ day enrichment • Adult and family program <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Employment help • 80% applications refugee status (mostly from Africa) • 24 countries, 16 languages on campus • Training ground • Navigator programs • Housing- federal funded • Has own Drivers Education Program <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requirements- get permit, 8-week book work and 6 weeks drive time • Has opened it to other programs for a small fee • 62% stay in program 1-5 years • 5 levels of housing |
| <u>Gambling Treatment</u> <i>By Kirk Nessel</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • March Problem Gambling Awareness • NCAA tournament see a jump in gambling • Casinos not promoting healthy gambling in Iowa • 22 Casinos in Iowa • Gambling addiction easy to hide • FY 2016 Numbers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Total Clients Served= 42 • Admitted in FY2016= 35 • Placement Screenings= 34 • Now offer live chat online. • Built contact with East and Roosevelt this year for prevention and education • Suicide high in gambling addiction • IDPH contract holder for gambling services |

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| <u>Public Health Director Report (written report + comments)</u> <i>By Rick Kozin</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meningitis immunization requirement starts in August. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Working with schools to let parents go to their primary care dr. • Mercy/UnityPoint- media campaign • Can track in Iris to see if students are getting them |
| <u>Board of Health/Board of Supervisors Action Review (written report + comments)</u> <i>By Scott Slater</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Impact of current FY budgets from state grants <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local Public Health Services (3%) \$27,000 • Early Childhood Iowa- Lead (5%) \$1,300 • Childhood Lead Poisoning (3.86%) \$1,329 |
| <u>2016 School Immunization Audit</u> <i>By Juan Cadenillas and Susan Brooks</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2016 School Immunization Audit (Oct-Dec 2016) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 149 public and non-public schools within Polk County limits • 10 school districts, over 85K students • Exemptions- Medical 362 and Religious 961 • Certificates- Provisionals 805 and Invalid 802 • Not fully vaccinated 2,930 (3.4%) • Challenges- time/staff number/technical capabilities. Recording changes in immunization levels in school after audit process-focus on provisional certificates and their time frame • Successes- positive response for school administration and nursing staff. Use of PCHD immunization report format by other counties and creation of web-based immunization report. |
| <u>Health Planning and Education Update (written report and comments)</u> <i>By Tammy Keiter</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No additional report |
| <u>Communicable Disease Update (written report and comments)</u> <i>By Kari Lebeda Townsend</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No additional report |
| <u>Committee Member Comments</u> | None |
| <u>Public Comments</u> | None |
| <u>Adjournment</u> | 9:45 |

Next Meeting February 17, 2017 at 8:30am

Others present:

Rick Kozin, PCHD

Scott Slater, PCHD

Tammy Keiter, PCHD

Mandy Penning, PCHD

Juan Cadenillas, PCHD

Susan Brook, PCHD

Kirk Nasset, Prelude Behavioral Services

Teree Caldwell Johnson, Oakride Chief Executive Officer