

Promise Partners Committee Meeting Notes
Youth and Family

COMMITTEE: Youth and Families
MEETING DATE: May 10, 2016

CHAIRPERSON: Jessica Rayment
LOCATION: Micah House

PRESENT:

Lorelle Mueting (PMP/HFS)
Terri Dowell (Community Volunteer)
Tiffani Pinkerton (Heartland Family Service)
Deb Kissel (Zion Recovery Services)
Christy Hagen (Trailblazers/PMP/PCA Iowa)
Gretchen Bayer (PMP)
Velma James (Phoenix House)
Ashlee Folsom (Planned Parenthood)
Ruth Bolinger (AmeriHealth Caritas Iowa)
Theresa Cooley Daniel (IWCC Adult Ed & Literacy)

Dave Smith (Trailblazers)
Cindy Goodin (Youth Emergency Services)
Heather Loutzentiser (Promise Partners)
Sandra McKinnon (ISU Extension)
Clarrissa Newman (Lakin Campus)
Angela Moerke (TSI)
Kaylene Page (WIOA/Iowa Works)
Megan Niderhoff (Children' Square IHH)
Angela Murray (Amerigroup Iowa)

Introductions and Announcements:

Ashlee Folsom (Planned Parenthood) – Recipient of the Teen Pregnancy Prevention Grant. Has developed a Youth Advisory Board to get youth inside on sex education and planning of program

Kaylene Page (WIOA / Iowa Works) – Talked about their First Steps to Success continuing education program. They also have youth programming to get kids ages 18-24 work experience.

Dave Smith (Trailblazers) – The first weekend in June is the annual fishing event June 4th. Also started community gardens.

Sandra McKinnon (ISU Extension) – Financial training for professionals is coming up. Each participant will leave with a financial tool kit to be used for program participants.

Lorelle Mueting (PMP / Heartland Family Service) – May 25th is the 11th annual Collaboration Event. Erin Davis will be the keynote speaker.

Clarissa Newman (Lakin Campus) – Fire hydrant parties are scheduled in the community with local Fire Station. Back to school bash will be on 8/19, looking for organizations to hold informational booths.

Ruth Bolinger (AmeriHealth Caritas Iowa) – Started hosting community orientations as a way for members and provider to learn more about services.

Angela Murray (Amerigroup Iowa) - Is the Community Outreach for Amerigroup Iowa. If you have any questions about Amerigroup Iowa please call her.

Prescription Drug Take Back Event

It was a very successful event.

- 239 Cars came through
- 561 lbs. of medication collected

Laundry Love Project

It was a very successful event. Almost all of the grant money was used, so this year we maximized the number of individuals served.

- 158 People participated (128 adults and 28 children)

Nominations for Following Committee Positions

Still looking for a volunteer for the Chair Person roll. Job descriptions for all positions below, if you are interested in the role, please contact a member of the Steering Committee.

- *Chair*: Facilitates committee meetings, Coordinates efforts of the committee
- *Vice-Chair*: Coordinates efforts of the committee, facilitate committee meetings in Chair's absence
- *Secretary*: Circulates agendas and reports, sends meeting reminders & email communication
- *Note-Taker*: Attends meetings and take notes, edits notes
- *Steering Committee*: Priorities the order of business, sets meeting agendas

Comments from the Coalition

Screen Time Event (in partnership with HSAC Children, Youth & Families Committee)
Event went well; there were 7 parents and 10 children who attended.

NEXT MEETING:

Next Committee Meeting: Tuesday, June 14th at 3:00-4:00PM at the Micah House
Next Steering Committee Meeting: Tuesday, June 7th at 9 AM, 445 Glen Avenue

Meeting minutes will be posted at www.promisepartners.org.