

MEETING MINUTES



MEETING TITLE: Alliance for Marijuana Prevention

DATE & TIME: September 15, 2017; 9:10 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

RECORDED BY: Laura Fitzpatrick (Health Project)

ATTENDEES: Stephanie Vanderkooi (LRE), Jason Carlson (MDOC), Sara DeLaRosa (M&RS), Tim Bahorski (Muskegon P.D.), Brandon Poel (NSPD), D.J. Hilson (Prosecutor), Jon DeMol (Public Health), Roger Squires (WHPD),

<p>Welcome & Introductions</p>	<p>Introductions were made at 9:11am Minutes from August were presented and approved.</p>
<p>AMP Sub-Committee Meeting</p>	<p>Sarah reported that AMP will be hosting Shattering the Myths, Drugs Impacting on Muskegon County forum will be on October 3rd in room 1100 at Muskegon Community College and simulcast live to schools in Muskegon County. The forum will feature DJ Hilson who will host the event and moderate, a Mercy Health professional and two former addicts who will share their stories of addiction and recovery. The MAISD's Kristin Tank has put together a flyer, sent it to all the superintendents and principals and included in the Friday flash traffic. MCC is also promoting this among their high school students who attend MCC.</p>
<p>Marijuana Business Survey</p>	<p>DJ said that he has met with both participants and they are excited for the opportunity.</p>
<p>Local and State Policy Update</p>	<p>Marijuana Business Survey Update Laura has approached Cindy at the Chamber of Commerce regarding another business survey and has yet to hear back from her. She also suggested that we try to get another Business for Breakfast with a goal to getting the pulse of the business community.</p>
	<p>To Do:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Laura to connect again with Chamber of Commerce and work with Kori to prepare the survey.
	<p>Michigan Policy Updates Stephanie reported that she is going to meeting on Monday September 18th to hear and update on the latest marijuana issues and to coalesce with others on the marijuana talking points that have worked in other states. The Smart Approaches to Marijuana (SAM) people will attend the meeting.</p>
	<p>DFC Long Term Strategic Plan Laura distributed the DFC's draft of the long term strategic plan that incorporated previous strategies as well as a new emphasis on opioids.</p>

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<p>Other Good and Welfare</p>	<p>Marijuana Goals & Objectives</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sustain reductions in high school students reporting recent use of marijuana at 15.3% <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Decrease the percent of high school students that report smoking marijuana once or twice a week is low risk by 10%. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Counteract mixed messages caused by legalization issues. ii. Monitor marijuana related legislation and advocate for effective state and local laws. 2. Reduce accidental opioid overdose deaths in Muskegon County <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Decrease # of prescriptions written for opioids by 30%. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Provide physician education on opioids. ii. Advocate for alternative methods of pain management with physicians and insure companies. iii. Raise awareness of the risks of opioid prescriptions. <p>Members agreed on the goals, objectives and strategies that were suggested. Additional prioritization and annual action planning will be done to incorporate the new goal and objectives into AMPS annual action plan and budget priorities.</p> <p>MAMDP Take Back The next medication take back event will be held Saturday, October 28th from 9am to 1pm at the Muskegon Fire Department on Terrace St.</p>
<p>Next Meeting</p>	<p>Friday, October 20th from 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. at Mercy Health Hackley Campus</p>