



Barry County Substance Abuse Task Force

"Working Together for a Drug Free Community"

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Minutes from October 27, 2014 meeting of the Barry County Substance Abuse Task Force

Meeting called to order at 9:03 am. Minutes from the September 2014 meeting and the agenda were approved. Introductions were completed.

1. Updates:

A. Meth Updates- The one-pot method is still being utilized; Hastings Police Department reported the finding of a meth dump in the city limits. Local media has been advising residents to call 911 if meth waste is found.

B. Other Updates:

- i. House Bill 5603 (<http://www.legislature.mi.gov/documents/2013-2014/billintroduced/House/pdf/2014-HIB-5603.pdf>) The State of Michigan prescription monitoring program shall not transmit information to another jurisdiction without having entered into an agreement with the other jurisdiction .
- ii. Public Act 311 of 2014 (House Bill 5407) (<http://www.legislature.mi.gov/documents/2013-2014/publicact/pdf/2014-PA-0311.pdf>) Legislative Analysis: <http://www.legislature.mi.gov/documents/2013-2014/billanalysis/House/pdf/2013-HLA-5404-F942C890.pdf> This law requires certain Emergency Medical Responders to carry and administer "opioid antagonist", Naloxone Hydrochloride (Narcan), for the reversal of drug overdose. Narcan can now be prescribed to help reduce the risk over drug overdose induced death.
- iii. HB 5104 Marijuana-Infused Products ("Medibles") has passed the House and is in the Senate.
- iv. HB 4271 Medical Marijuana Provisioning Centers ("Dispensaries") has passed the House and is in the Senate.
- v. A Joint Committee on Administrative Rules is considering requiring online registration for medical marijuana patients as well as reducing the registration fee.

2. SATF Steering Committee:

A. The Steering Committee met on 10/24/14. Julie Nakfoor Pratt reported.

3. Drug Free Communities:

A. DFC Grant: Anticipated Carryover of Unobligated Funds, Expanded Authority

- i. We anticipate \$4,782 of unobligated funds as carryover. Since this is less than 10%, no formal carryover request is necessary. SATF Steering Committee members recommended the following expenses:
 - Up to \$2,000 for medicine collection efforts through Yellow Jugs Old Drugs, with up to \$350 available per pharmacy location
 - Up to \$1,750 for bus advertising, rental space fees and installation of artwork; one year contract
 - Remaining funds, \$1,000+, will be put towards the plans to host a June 2015 Prevention Conference with our regional partnership.
- ii. A motion to approve these expenses was made by Jim Yarger, seconded by Dar Leaf; motion was approved by SATF membership.

B. STOP Act: Anticipated Carryover of Unobligated Fund-Formal Carryover Request

- i. We anticipate \$8,810 of unobligated funds as carryover; this amount is over the 10% amount, therefore a formal carryover request will be required. SATF Steering Committee members recommend the following expenses:
 - Up to \$2000 for an additional full media campaign (focusing on preventing underage drinking) implementation, with billboard, print, radio and electronic exposure.
 - Up to \$2,500 for bus advertising, rental space fees and installation of artwork, one year contract
 - \$1,000 for continuance of the regional Talksooner contractual agreement
 - Remaining funds, \$3,310, to be allocated to the 2015 Youth Leadership Summit and other youth-driven, youth-planned events.
- ii. A motion to approve these expenses was made by Jim Yarger, seconded by Dar Leaf; motion was approved by SATF membership.

C. Special Presentation: MIPHY (Michigan Profile for Healthy Youth)

- i. Kathleen Zimmerman-Oster, PhD, with TEST, Incorporated, SATF Evaluator, presented the 2014 MIPHY trend data to the Task Force members. The presentation will be available on the

www.barrycountysatf.com website. Kathleen recommended conducting focus groups with youth and parent surveys to get a more comprehensive analysis of the data.

4. Workgroup Reports:
 - A. Youth Leadership
 - i. The Youth Leadership Summit Workgroup will be having another Youth Movie Night on November 22nd when The Hunger Games: Mockingjay movie comes out.
 - B. Medicine Abuse Workgroup
 - i. The SATF staff will be talking with the pharmacies to see how they would like to proceed with their Medicine Take Back/Yellow Jug Old Drugs in light of the new DEA rules.
 - ii. The next Medicine Abuse Workgroup will be November 3, 2014, 8:30am, in the Hastings City Hall conference room.
5. Old Business:
6. New Business:
 - A. The SATF Internal Assessment is live! Please participate in the survey at <http://surveygoldcloud.com/s/8CC559AF6E9D4BE2/181.htm>
 - B. The survey results and MiPHY data will be used in the annual Strategic/Action planning which will occur in January 2015.
7. Next meeting Next SATF Meeting is scheduled for Monday, November 24, 2014, 9:00 am, Barry Intermediate School District, 535 W. Woodlawn Ave. Hastings, MI 49058

Adjournment at 10:27 am