

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

APPROVED

Meeting date: April 12th, 2022

Via Hybrid

Member Christina Olevano
Attendance: Shawn Nalepa
Bob Williams
Kylie Holochak
Guest Judy Aupont
Attendance: Erica Robinson
Mental Lori Morgan, Director of Community Services
Hygiene Sue Graves, Secretary to the Director (minutes)
Staff
Attendance: Meeting called to order at 10:33am

Category: Meeting Minutes

Topic: Review and approval of the March 2022 Minutes

Discussion: Minutes approved as written

Category: Reports

Topic: Director's Report – Lori Morgan

Discussion: Updates:

- Club House in Tioga County
 - Meeting with Ann Domingos, Rachel & Shawn
 - 100% Support
 - Details forthcoming
- OASAS Workforce Funding
 - Waiting for funding to arrive
 - Union/County approved to pass onto employees
- Dwyer Grant
 - \$100,00 received
 - Monies to be passed through to the Tioga County Veteran's Association
- MAT Program
 - Partnering with CASA Trinity
 - \$ 40,000 received for program
 - Funding to pay for:
 - Telehealth
 - Doctor's hours
 - Possibly Methadone transport to jail

- Staff
 - Offer made on a CASAC position
 - In background check process
 - Offer made on Supervising Social Worker position
 - In background check process
 - Michelle Dunham transferred to Probation

Status: Informational - Complete

Topic: Sheriff's Department – Shawn Nalepa

Discussion: Updates:

- Overdoses
 - Decreased from this time last year
 - End first Qtr. 2021 – 13 OD's
 - End first Qtr. 2022 – 5 OD's
 - Sept 2021 – 4
 - Oct 2021 – 4
 - Nov 2021 – 7
 - Dec 2021 - 4

Status: Informational - Complete

Topic: ACBC – Judy Aupont

Discussion: Updates:

- Updates on Tompkins County
 - Encampment & Our House
- ACBC at Probation
- Men's and soon women's groups in Probation
 - Men's Wellness group has 4-5 individuals that meet every other week
 - Women's group to start in about three weeks
- Looking to do a "Seeking Safety" training
- ACBC contacts in Tioga County
 - Lori would like to see the numbers
 - Trinity has had 1 or 2 contacts since January in Tioga County

Status: Informational - Complete

Topic: COTI Program – Christina Olevano for Melinda Hester

Discussion: Updates:

- Josh in Tioga County three days a week
- No clients
- 1 person since the beginning of the year
- No data to support COTI program

Status: Information – Complete

Topic: Public Health – Kyle Holochak

Discussion: Updates:

- Narcan training with Safety Officer and County Attorney in March
 - Second Narcan training to be scheduled
 - Safety Officer very supportive (Narcan Boxes in County Buildings)
 - County Attorney checking into the liability aspect for county sites
 - At full staff as of Monday
- New NYS Legislation Section 3309 – Overdose Prevention
 - <https://www.nysenate.gov/legislation/laws/PBH/3309>

Status: Informational – Complete

Topic: Coroner & EMS – Bob Williams

Discussion: Coroner Updates:

- Bob handled 0 overdose deaths and 2 suicides in March
 - Suicide Coalition and State being called into schools for post-vention of the past two suicides

EMS Updates:

- Home COVID test kits and masks are available
- Presentation of Emergency Services at the Public Health Board on April 21st, 2022.
- Lori to present at the Local Emergency Planning Meeting
 - Participants listed

Status: Informational - Complete

Topic: Prevention – Christine Olevano

Discussion: Updates:

- Community Share Programs
 - Working with Spencer VanEtten School District & BOCES
 - Community Share Programs
 - Contract complete for SVE
 - Waverly schools contract in process
 - Schools to contract for a full time Prevention Specialist for the Fall
 - Talking with Mark Dickson – Floyd Hooker Foundation
 - Looking to fund a person for 2 years for the Newark Valley School District
- Trinity is in schools
 - Teen Intervene caseload currently 12-13 kids
- Triple P Parent Program
 - Referrals received thru DSS
 - Couple cases in process
 - Positive feedback received
 - Ashli Mikeska is almost accredited to run program

Status: Informational - Complete

Topic: Coalition – Christina Olevano

Discussion: Updates:

- Drug Take Back scheduled for 4/30/22 at two locations
- Workgroup projects
 - Prom & Graduation
 - Senior Swag Bags
 - Rewriting Coalition bi-laws
 - Reorganizing Coalition structure
 - Commercial produced using individual from Youth Coalition
 - Addresses alcohol, marijuana, etc.

Status: Informational – Complete

Adjournment: There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 11:23am. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, May 10th, 2022 at 10:30am.
