

**Tuscarawas County Anti-Drug Coalition Meeting
Friday, November 1, 2013
ADAMHS Board Meeting Room**

Present:

Judge Elizabeth Thomakos, TC Common Pleas Court
Natalie Bollon, ADAMHS Board
Jodi Salvo, PFCS
Bill Harding, TCGHD
Crystal Lawless, JFS
Rachel Cathey, JFS
Katie Robinson, Union Hospital
Debra Wilden, Trinity Hospital
Jaynie Norman, Citizen
Dr. Jim Hubert, Coroner, TCHD
Dee Phillips, Citizen Member
Nanette Roberson, Community Mental Health
Wendy Jones, NP Municipal Courts
Rich VanArsdalen, A New Beginning
Brian Kress, ADAMHS Board

Meeting Summary:

Jodi Salvo called the meeting to order in the absence of Co-Chairs Orvis Campbell and Judge Thomakos at 12:10 p.m. Introductions were made.

Committee Updates:

Youth – J. Salvo reported that Anita Davis spoke at two school assemblies at Tusky Valley Middle School on 10/30/13, the Youth Committee spoke to the student body about Y2Y during the assemblies. The Youth Committee will also be meeting with TVHS staff to discuss Y2Y school assembly.

Data Collection/Grants- D. Shaffer had sent out 3rd Quarter OARRS Tuscarawas County Statistics report to ADC members. Discussion about data collection took place. What information/data do we need? Does the data we look at now give us a clear picture of what is occurring in our county? Does past data allow us a clear picture of our impact on our communities? Should we look at post-treatment data? Great discussion that led us to conclude that the Data Committee will need to meet to further explore what data is needed and how to interpret. No additional grants available at this time.

Employment – There was no update from the employment committee.

Public Relations – J. Salvo reported that the ADC had a lead car in the 10/30/13, Dover Halloween Parade. The ADC passed out 1,100 Halloween bags with Prevention Tips and ADC

information to drive persons to ADC Website. Dave Schaffer has requested that Dave Ramsell/Grant Street Creative run analytics to determine if information passed out at parade yielded increased hits on ADC website. Discussion took place that ADC members are interested in being present in Christmas Parades. The ADC also publicized the **Hidden In Plain Sight** event on Nov. 14th via WTUZ, WJER, ADC website, The Times Reporter, all school systems and agencies contacted in Tuscarawas County and ADC members passing out flyers in the community.

Medical – There was no additional information from the medical committee.

Legislative – Dr. Hubert brought up Senate Bill 57 which has a pilot program in Lorain County regarding Naloxone administration to persons suffering from opioid-related overdoses. He is following this issue. Salvo brought up the need for the ADC to be aware of the Ohio Cannabis Rights Amendment. The proposed ballot initiative was distributed.

Agency/Community Updates:

1. **Hidden In Plain Sight**, awareness program will be held Thursday, Nov. 14th at Jim's Place in New Philadelphia from 6:30-8:30.
2. N. Roberson reported that Community Mental Health Substance Abuse Treatment Group that was to begin meeting at the Homeless Shelter; unfortunately, did not receive funding and will be on hold at this time.
3. N. Bollon discussed the Criminal Justice Behavioral Health Linkage Grant which will be providing a Motivational Interviewing training to be held on Dec. 11th and 18th at Kent State to Tusc./Carroll County clinicians and probation offers at no cost.
4. J. Salvo reported that she attended the Drug Free Action Alliance/Statewide Prevention Coalition Association "411 on 420"- a two day conference Oct. 10-11. Information gained at this conference will be given on the December 6th meeting and will focus on how to best dialogue this issue with differing community sectors.

Next Meeting: The next meeting is scheduled for December 6th at 12:00 at the ADAMHS Board office.