

## ECTF Minutes

12-20-17

Ft Madison

This meeting of the ECTF was called to order at 9:30am by vice chair, Ginger Knisley with the following present: Ginger Knisley, Carolyn Baker, Missy Park, Jamie Beskow, Jake Tanumihardjo of Great River, Rachael Patterson-Rahn, and Melissa Daugherty.

The agenda was approved as written

The minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed and accepted as written

**Administrative Update** – Ginger shared a written Administrative update including budget, Summit and Community Planning updates. She also shared regional CCR&R 5 year trend data sheets. It was noted that there is a noted lack of providers capable and/or willing to provide care to special needs children in addition to the overall crisis of a significant decrease in available child care across the region. The group offered helpful suggestions for membership on the Regional Parent Council as well as the Children First board, Ginger will follow up on both.

**2018 ECTF calendar** – The 2018 calendar of meetings was reviewed and accepted as written

**ECTF Roles and Responsibilities** – Ginger handed out copies of the ECTF R&R sheets. They were reviewed and accepted as written as they apply to the new mission statement and revised goals.

**Mental Health** – Jamie shared information about a new Mental Health Collaboration getting started for Van Buren, Jefferson and Wapello counties being facilitated by PCAI. Ginger and Jamie are both participating and will keep the group up to date on it. One thing to note is that there are Connections Matter trainings and Resilience screenings being offered in Keosauqua in January, February and March and Ginger will share the flyer for those electronically. Jamie has concern for the Integrated Health Home program as it appears that the MCOs will be taking those over in house and families may struggle with the transition. There are ongoing issues with the retirement of the Ft Madison psychiatrist who was the primary MH provider for children in the area. Jake shared that there is a MH training being offered May 4<sup>th</sup> in Burlington which will be \$30 and will offer CEUs, he will share more information as it is available but it will center on LBGT awareness.

**Oral Health** – Rachael reported that one of the dental students participating in the first year tour of Keokuk has agreed to enter into a contract with a Keokuk dentist in the next year when they complete school. The Keokuk CHC dental clinic is under construction and expected to open summer of 2018. The new dentist in Keosauqua is open for business. The dentist situation in Ft Madison is not positive with the retirements of a few dentists impacting available services. There will be no Give Kids a Smile program this year but the program has a healthy history of 12 years with over \$240,000 in care provided in the past 11 years and will be up and running again next year.

**Family Support** – Ginger reported having news from the state that both HOPES and VBPAT had 100% completion rates on data in DAISEY for FY17. Melissa and Missy both report issues with meeting home visits rates this month due to illness of families and staff. Missy has reported errors in the DAISEY system to administrators for correction regarding the Edinburgh and ASQ fields. Ginger will schedule a Family Support networking meeting with both programs and get back on a quarterly schedule for sharing of information between programs.

**Child Care and Preschool** – Data sheets shared with discussion during administrative update

**Other programs** – Jake is working on a resource directory for new moms and welcomes ideas on how to do this and especially interested in innovative ideas such as electronic versions and perhaps Google docs that can be updated by multiple entities on a shared drive.

The next meeting of the ECTF will be held on January 24<sup>th</sup> at Dr Getwell's in Keokuk.

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