

Healthy Klamath Meeting Agenda March 25, 2021

Attendees:	Patty Card, Marc Kane, Taylor Hampton, Jessie Hecocta, Glen Gailis, Valeree Lane, Katherine Duarte, Renea Wood, John Bellon, Cally McCool, Patty Case, Jen Newton, Rhonda Nyseth, Susan Boldt, Michelle Scott, Robyn Pfeifer, Jennifer Little, Lynda Crocker Daniel, Maria Ramirez, Traici Brockman, Kelsey Mueller, Christina Moller-Andersen, Merritt Driscoll, Cord Van Riper, Martha Decker-Hall, Chinyere Amaefule, Don York, Johanna Scholer
Agenda Item:	Notes:
Community Health Assessment Update	 Draft vision statement complete, please send any feedback to Merritt or Cord at info@healthyklamath.org. Local Public Health System survey is ready to be shared, 17 individuals have taken the survey so far. Please share survey with your networks: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2021KCLPHA. It will be open until April 2. Collected over 1,000 Community Health Assessment surveys so far (https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/KCHealth2021.) Valeree reviewed Community Health Assessment Survey data, see slides for more detail: 11% of community describe their heath as fair or poor, More than 30% of the respondents say that mental health concerns are making it hard for
	the respondents say that mental health concerns are making it hard for them to do daily activities, a third of our populations are suffer making there day to day lives more challenging. Lack of physical exercise is number one reason that is keeping people from having better health. • Food Insecurity (Kelsey Mueller): Hosted food drive from March 6-March 19 th , community garden increased usage, Sanford food pantry project served over 100 families with food and gift cards, Nutrition Oregon Campaign key message is "Healthy Body, healthy baby, healthy life." • Suicide Prevention (Patty Card): Calls have increased by over 200%, crisis therapists are riding with Klamath County deputies to co-respond to calls. Have new safe and strong outreach teams, QPR trainings continue around Klamath County, they provided trainings for 184 people since September. Get ahold of Chloe at csay@kbbh.org to learn more. • Infant Mortality (Jennifer Little): Worked on getting Tots agency to claim program in Healthy Klamath Connect to increase referrals, hosted community baby shower, new smoking cessation materials for pregnant women, working on a fact sheet for providers on Medicated Assisted Treatment during pregnancy, also focusing on cribs for kids and working to receive funding for safe sleep items through Cribs for Kids program, • Physical Well-being/Activity (Merritt Driscoll): Working to raise funds for the playground through grant writing, business/organizational asks, and planning a fundraising event. They have developed a new Website for

https://www.givesignup.org/DonationWebsite/MooreParkPlayground If you are interested in getting involved or volunteering you can sign up on the Healthy Klamath website: www.healthyklamath.org/playground. Also shared about Wayfinding signage project, and the pilot project will be on the Link River Trail. You should see new signs by this spring and a clean-up event in mid-April.

- Housing (Maria Ramirez): Received funds for housing improvement projects for projects like mold mitigations, or painting a house. Working with KLCAS to identify homes in needs. Implementing THW housing modules and programs, received a grant and equity funds to support Fiber expansion in Chiloquin, Sprague River, and Beatty, will begin construction in July with completion by the end of the year. Also exploring rent reporting, which will improve credit and financial wellbeing.
- Oral Health (Cord Van Riper): Sky Lakes OPCM staff completed Smiles for Life curriculum. They also partnered with Asante to develop a Dental Care Plan to use with Epic Healthy Planet. Oregon Tech Dental Hygiene continues to work with BestCare to educate staff and offer oral health services to patients. The Klamath Basin Oral Health Coalition is planning free dental days in Merrill and Malin again this year on May 22(Malin) and 23 (Merrill), contact Cord (cvanriper@kodfp.org) for more information.

Community Updates

- Child Abuse Prevention Month is April. You can pick up pinwheels at KOTI starting March 29th. Contact Rhonda at Rhonda.m.nyseth@dhsoha.state.or.us if you want more than 50 pinwheels.
- Eve Costello is also planning an event in front of the Court House on April 1st at 4pm for Child Abuse Prevention Month.
- Youth Health Trends, Valeree is looking at historic county rankings on adverse childhood events on March 31^{st,} register here: https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJAudeyhqz4pH93yMrZtNS6XqWQDVI2eYSqS
- Hang Up and Drive: a one hour zoom meeting to educate about why it's important to drive safely and mindfully. If we have 50 community members that are interested, ODOT will fund the training. Please reach out to Kelsey.Mueller@healthyklamath.org.
- Rhonda N is planning to work with BTS to help with transportation for programs, reach out to Rhonda to learn more.
- Klamath Housing Authority is hosting a Financial Fitness class on April 3rd. Contact Michelle Scott for more information at michelle@klamathhousing.org

Next Meeting: May 27, 2021