



**LCC Meeting Minutes**

<b>Coalition Name and County</b>	Partners for a Drug Free Cass County
<b>Meeting Date and Time</b>	10-11-2021 and 12-1
<b>Meeting Location</b>	Revolution
<b>Minutes Drafted Date</b>	10-11-2021

Attendees
Nikki Malott, Steve Snyder, Chuck Newton, Ed Schroder (z), Karli Armstrong (z), Jennifer Lombard (z), Tiffany Hamilton (z), Tamika Saunders (z),

Meeting Notes (Old/New Business, Decisions, Agendas)
<p>New member- Tamika Saunders from United Health Care- helps individuals with Medicare and Medicaid in Indiana. <a href="https://www.uhccommunityplan.com/about-us">https://www.uhccommunityplan.com/about-us</a> No other new members present.</p> <p>No quorum so cannot approve minutes, tabling until November meeting.</p> <p>Treasurer report, have spreadsheet, only new items were Nikki’s salary and a claim from Steve. Nothing else new.</p> <p>Attendance sheet need verified, had printed out, will need to be checked next month.</p> <p>Red Ribbon Discussion- So far Megan Horton, Makayla Gusching, Dave Wegner, and Will Scott have volunteered to help on Friday. Had sign up for who could pick up which schools, but not enough people at meeting, will send to the people who already volunteered via email to verify they can still help. Nikki is out of town from October 12<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>. Logansport Community Schools (elementary) get out at noon on Friday, Lewis Cass has no school (p/t conferences) but they will still be there for pick up, Caston has stated NO high school entries, but has other entries, have not heard from Pioneer about entries. It has been requested if possible to get the entries prior to noon on Friday for Logansport Community Schools. Franklin requested to be picked up on Thursday, can anyone do that?</p> <p>Promote Red Ribbon Week, celebrate and show support. If your organization or business does something for Red Ribbon Week please share it with us 😊 We would love to feature it on the Facebook page.</p> <p>ICJI quarterly report, Nikki is working on it, if you have any updates on events/happenings from July-Sept that you or your organization/business has done please send it to Nikki. Report is due October 15<sup>th</sup>, already have the majority of it done. Will add if needed. Will need to start doing this quarterly again so please keep track of those things you have done as it pertains to the LCC (treatment, law enforcement, prevention) efforts.</p>

Naloxbox- Jason says they were being mounted on Friday. After that they will ask Overdose Lifeline for the supplies to fill the box. Once it is filled paper/media will be notified, Overdose Lifeline will also post it on their website for also so if someone were to put in the zip code they could locate it.

<https://www.overdoselifeline.org/naloxone-boxes-and-distribution-centers/>

No SOC updates

Upcoming events, please help promote. October 26<sup>th</sup> from 530-7pm (virtual) IYI Café, good for parents, school administrators, teachers, etc. On Youth Vaping, please share with your contacts, October 23<sup>rd</sup> from 2pm-6pm @ Church of the Heartland, Substance Abuse Awareness Event raising money for Father's House sober living home, Saturday October 30<sup>th</sup> from 1pm-3pm @ Revolution Overdose Awareness event. Please promote these events, for questions reach out to Nikki.

Schools having a huge vaping problem, kids don't see the harm in vaping, don't seem to mind getting caught. Kids are vaping in classrooms, hallways, bathrooms, parking lots, etc. They say "it's just a vape". Two schools have reached out asking for assistance, what can we do to help? Maybe figure out a program they can use. Maybe after getting a consequence they can be referred to an educational program to understand the dangers of vaping. Suggestions? Chuck suggested Kiwanis possibly funding a program to help these schools. Kiwanis has funds to spend on prevention, maybe we can get together with schools and brainstorm what would work? Jennifer Lombard suggested Catch my Breath program which is free to all US schools. Also asked about a Tobacco Prevention worker in Cass County. No one is aware of one, Jennifer says she will reach out to Clinton County to ask who Cass County could work with and then reach out. Chuck mentioned again trying to coordinate with schools and Kiwani about a program to help this issue if it is a need in Cass County.

Chuck motioned to adjourn Steve seconded