

Location: Four County ADAMhs Board

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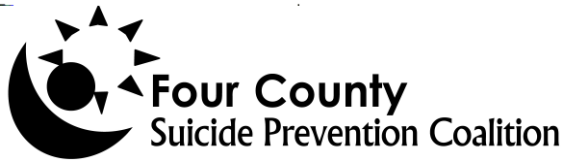
**January 24, 2019 Meeting Minutes**

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Present: Tonie Long, Rob Giesige (Four County ADAMhs Board); Billie Jo Horner, Karen VonDeylen, Bethany Shirkey (Maumee Valley Guidance Center); Deb Weirauch (Fulton County Health Dept); Jen Casertano, (Defiance Public Health); Tante Lovins, (Henry County Health Department); Lou Levy (NAMI); Steve McCoy (FCHC); Tiffany Roloff (Fulton County JFS); Kerri Gearhart, Kandice Lemley (NWOESC) Amanda Waldfogel, Matt Grafton (A Renewed Mind); Sandra Manon (Henry County Hospital); Patsy Miller (BAHEC); Susan Shanks (Patrick Henry Schools)

<u>Issue</u>	<u>Discussion</u>	<u>Action</u>																
Karen opened the meeting with introductions, and reminding the members that the Coalition minutes can now be found at <a href="http://www.4countysuicideprevention.org">www.4countysuicideprevention.org</a>																		
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General Financial Report: Karen V.	General Fund: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Karen reported a beginning balance of \$1,120.54, with the following withdrawals/deposits made:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Deduction - \$349.11 Survivor Day Event</li> <li>Deduction - \$96.98 LOSS On-Call Phone</li> <li>Deposit - \$530.20 LC School Donation</li> <li>Deposit - \$74.00 Teresa Wurns Donation</li> <li>Deposit - \$1000.00 Dr. Kamp/Parkview Donation</li> </ul> </li> </ol> Leaving a balance of \$2,378.65	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ending balance of the FCSPC General fund is \$2,378.65 Karen will continue to report to the coalition.</li> </ol>																
Mental Health 1 <sup>st</sup> Aid: report by Billie Jo H.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Billie Jo reported that the following Mental Health First Aid Trainings were completed since November 1, 2018:               <table border="1" data-bbox="514 1219 1360 1425"> <thead> <tr> <th>CLASS</th> <th></th> <th>Adult</th> <th></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Napoleon</td> <td></td> <td>Youth</td> <td>8 people certified</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Defiance High School</td> <td>Defiance</td> <td>Youth</td> <td>9 people certified</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Fulton Co. 4-H</td> <td>Wauseon</td> <td>Youth</td> <td>10 people certified</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> </li> </ol>	CLASS		Adult		Napoleon		Youth	8 people certified	Defiance High School	Defiance	Youth	9 people certified	Fulton Co. 4-H	Wauseon	Youth	10 people certified	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Billie Jo will continue to update the members on MHFA trainings.</li> </ol>
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	<p>Billie Jo reported the following pending trainings currently scheduled:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ayersville Local Schools - Youth(Feb)</li> <li>• Christ Church – Adult(Feb)</li> <li>• Christ United Methodist - Adult(Feb)</li> <li>• Fulton County 4-H -Youth(March)</li> <li>• Galilee Baptist - Adult(Feb)</li> <li>• NSCC - Adult(March)</li> <li>• Defiance College - Youth(March/April)</li> <li>• NAMI - Youth(May)</li> <li>• JDC - Youth(June)</li> <li>• Fulton County Sheriff Dept(TBD)</li> </ul>																																											
<p>LOSS update: Tonie L.</p>	<p>LOSS Activity since 08/23/2018 (last meeting):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Tonie reported that there have been 6 deaths by suicide in the four county area since the September 2018 Meeting:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• (3) - Fulton County</li> <li>• (2) – Defiance County</li> <li>• (1) – Williams County</li> </ul> </li> <li>2. Tonie informed the group that a pending death from September 2018 in Fulton County was also ruled a suicide.</li> <li>3. Tonie share the updated LOSS materials, and informed the group that there would be a LOSS Team replacement training at the end of February, 2019.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Tonie will continue to update the Coalition members regarding LOSS activity</li> </ol>																																										
<p>Update on School based Prevention: Bethany S.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Bethany S reported that the following had been <u>completed</u>/scheduled for Signs of Suicide:</li> </ol> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; text-align: center;"> <thead> <tr> <th>School</th> <th>Grade</th> <th>Educated</th> <th>Screened</th> <th>Yes to 3+</th> <th>At Risk For Suicide</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Archbold High School (9/6-9/7)</td> <td>9</td> <td>54</td> <td>33</td> <td>3</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Edon High School (9/13 &amp; 9/25)</td> <td>9</td> <td>33</td> <td>8</td> <td>2</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Edon Middle School (9/13 &amp; 9/25)</td> <td>7</td> <td>32</td> <td>11</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Liberty Center Middle School (9/17 &amp; 9/18)</td> <td>7</td> <td>78</td> <td>n/a</td> <td>n/a</td> <td>n/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Liberty Center Middle School (9/17 &amp; 9/18)</td> <td>8</td> <td>85</td> <td>n/a</td> <td>n/a</td> <td>n/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Stryker High School (10/3 &amp; 10/4)</td> <td>9</td> <td>22</td> <td>6</td> <td>2</td> <td>0</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	School	Grade	Educated	Screened	Yes to 3+	At Risk For Suicide	Archbold High School (9/6-9/7)	9	54	33	3	0	Edon High School (9/13 & 9/25)	9	33	8	2	1	Edon Middle School (9/13 & 9/25)	7	32	11	1	1	Liberty Center Middle School (9/17 & 9/18)	7	78	n/a	n/a	n/a	Liberty Center Middle School (9/17 & 9/18)	8	85	n/a	n/a	n/a	Stryker High School (10/3 & 10/4)	9	22	6	2	0	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2. Bethany S will continue to provide reports the FCSPS</li> </ol>
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Stryker Middle School (10/3 & 10/4)	7	31	19	5	3
Fairview Middle School (10/9 & 10/12)	7	60	n/a	n/a	0
Ayersville High School (10/15 & 10/16)	9	38	16	1	0
Bryan Middle School (10/18 & 10/19)	7	62	5	3	0
Edgerton High School (10/22 & 10/23)	9	23	5	2	0
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Tinora High School (10/25 & 10/26)	9	93	40	2	2
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Defiance High School (10/31 & 11/1)	9	103	43	14	7
Fairview High School (11/8 & 11/9)	9	16	3	2	1
Montpelier High School (11/12 & 11/13)	9	47	19	9	3
Swanton High School 11/15/19-11/16/19	9	70	31	11	7
Delta Middle School (11/19 & 11/20)	7	79	12	3	2
Liberty Center High School 11/28/19-11/29/19	9	36	8	2	2
Pettisville Middle School 12/3/19-12/4/19	7	21	9	3	1
Swanton Middle School (8 <sup>th</sup> Grade) 12/6/19-12/7/19	8	76	29	7	4
Defiance Middle School (12/10/19, 12/13/19)	7	168	48	12	3
Swanton Middle School (7 <sup>th</sup> Grade) 12/6/19-12/7/19	8	76	29	7	4
Archbold Middle School (12/18 & 12/19)	7	100	34	8	3
North Central Middle School (1/15/19 & 1/16/19)	7				
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Archbold High School 1/17/19-1/18/19	9				
Montpelier High School 1/22/19-1/23/19	9				
Swanton High School 1/29/19-1/30/19	9				
Fairview High School 2/12/19-2/13/19	9				
Ayersville High School 3/4/19-3/5/19	9				
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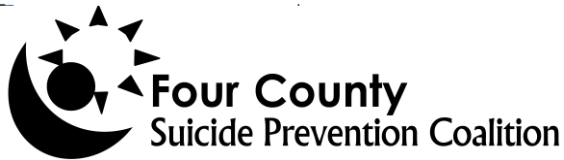
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<p>Stomp the Stigma: Billie Jo H.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Billie Jo informed the Committee that she is continuing to collect shoes for the next display, but is in need of storage. Several FCSPC members offered space.</li> <li>2. Billie Jo also informed the members that the Fulton Co. Sheriff wants to have the display at their station this fall.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. BJ will continue to offer updates as she works to expand STS</li> </ol>
<p>Gun Safety Project: Tonie L</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Tonie shared that the new gun safety partner in Defiance (Hammers Tactical) accepted additional targets, and informed that their customers really appreciate them. Tonie asked members of the coalition to consider helping with the Gun Safety Project. Tonie encouraged anyone interested in reaching out to retailers or sporting clubs in Henry, or Williams counties to contact her for information.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Tonie will continue to update</li> </ol>
<p>Community Presentations: Tonie L.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Tonie reported that she provided presentations at the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Henry County CASA on November 20, 2018</li> <li>• NWOESC on School response to a student death by suicide on 11/16/2018</li> <li>• Williams County Health Department</li> <li>• Omnibus Club on January 14, 2019</li> </ul> </li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Tonie will continue to update on Community Awareness</li> </ol>
<p>Survivor of Suicide Event/Survivor s of Suicide Support Group: Amanda W.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Amanda informed the group that the SDE was a great success. There were nearly 40 survivors in attendance. Mandy described the day as “powerful and healing”</li> <li>2. Mandy shared that the SOS group was also going well, with a growing attendance. She stated that many who attend are individuals who received a LOSS visit following the death of their loved one, supporting the need for the LOSS Team in connecting the newly bereaved with services. She also informed the members that the content and impact of the group was improving significantly.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Amanda will provide updates to the coalition.</li> </ol>
<p>5013c Status: Tonie L.,Rob G.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Tonie asked the coalition to rethinking pursuing the 5013c status for the coalition. Rather, she suggested allowing the funds to flow through the ADAMhs Board. This would allow the coalition to accept donations, without adding complication.</li> <li>2. Rob reported that he was looking into whether or not the ADAMhs Board could offer a tax deduction to those who donated to the coalition through the Board. He contacted the county auditor, who could not confirm if this was possible. The Auditor suggested that Rob contact the Ohio Department of taxation. Rob will inform the FCSPC next month.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Tonie/Rob will provide updates.</li> </ol>



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OSPF Mini Grants: Tonie L.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Tonie Informed the members that the coalition was awarded (2) mini grants through the Ohio Suicide Prevention Foundation.  \$1,949.25 for Prevention that will be used to purchase MHFA Training Manuals \$1,995.09 for Postvention, which will purchase LOSS materials</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The funds will be expensed by MVGC and the LOSS Team. Tonie I. and Karen V. will provide updated to the coalition.</li> </ol>
Website – Lou L.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Lou Levy shared an idea to promote mental health, mental health struggles and available treatment information, by linking participating website. The goal would be to have traditionally non mental health entities include this link on their websites to make the information more available. Lou shared the NAMI site, which has a link to the coalition page as well as the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention. Lou shared printed information on using multiple websites and social media platforms for a unified message.</li> <li>2. Tonie suggested that the information could be shared on non-traditional web pages such as area businesses.</li> </ol>	
<b>New Business:</b>		
10-year Summary Report: Tonie L	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Tonie shared the updated suicide loss report for Defiance, Fulton, Henry and Williams counties. The highlights were discussed, including that 2017 was a 10-year high for suicide deaths in our area. 2018 data was incomplete due to pending coroner rulings.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Tonie will share the information with the greater community directly and via FCSPC website.</li> </ol>
News Reporting guidelines: Tonie L.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Tonie reported that a recent suicide death of a minor was reported in the Toledo Blade. In the article several "rules for reporting on suicide" were broken, further supporting stereotypes of suicide loss. Tonie encouraged the coalition members to be informed on how to discuss suicide</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. No further action required</li> </ol>



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	with the media and shared guidelines developed by the AFSP.	
PAX Tools: Karen V.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Karen presented a training opportunity in the program of PAX Tools. She reported that several staff from MVGC, along with other community members, will be trained through a grant from the state. Laura Kamp from the Educational Service Center is the contact person for this trauma informed program.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2. Karen will update the coalition on the progress of the PAXX program.</li> </ol>
Coalition Structure: Karen V.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. This item was tabled until the February meeting</li> </ol>	
<b><u>Announcements/Discussion</u></b>		
Tonie L.	Tonie updated the coalition on the success of the Grief training and the LGBT Cultural Competency training. .	
Kerry G.	Kerry announced that the Educational Service Center would be hosting an LGBTQ Cultural Competency training on February 12, 2019. The Trainer for this event will be Olivia Simkins-Bullock. Anyone interested can go t the ESC website for a link to the registration form.	
Patsy M.	Patsy shared a recent report that showed farmers as a high-risk population for suicide. Patsy was seeking any additional information that supported this concern.	
Matt G.	Matt Grafton of A Renewed Mind requested feedback from the community regarding the efficiency of the crisis response service within the community. He encouraged anyone with concerns to contact him at the Napoleon Crisis Center.	
<p>The next FCSPC meeting will be held on February 28, 2019 at 7:30 am at the ADAMhs Board.</p> <p>Minutes submitted by Tonie S. Long</p>		