

BVCS ECI Vision: “Every child beginning at birth will be healthy and successful”

SAC COUNTY COMMUNITY ADVISORY COUNCIL

Date: April 9, 2012 Time: 9:30 A.M. Location: Sac County Health Services

Chairperson: Jack Bensley

SIGN-IN AND INTRODUCTIONS: Annette Koster, BVCS ECI; Jack Bensley, Sac Co Supervisor; Alayna Clancy, Decat/ CPPC; Retta Mitchell, Mid-Sioux/CCR&R; Deb Gimer RN/CCNC, CCNC/CCPH; Jayne Wilhelm, Mentoring Coordinator/New Opportunities; Mollie Scott, Kids World, Inc.; Jackie Duffy, Sac Co Health Services; Cheryl Lyon, UHC

AGENDA REVIEW: Mollie S made a motion to approve the agenda, seconded by Jackie D, all in favor.

APPROVAL of PREVIOUS MINUTES: Mollie S made a motion to approve the minutes, Jayne W seconded, all in favor.

EARLY CHILDHOOD: Annette K gave a summary of the Review Request for Renewals (RFR’s) submitted for funding in Fiscal Year 2013. Mollie S made a recommendation to take all RFR’s to the 3-County Board, Jayne W seconded, all in favor.

Recommendation to have programs write a summary to tell council/board five important factors about their program.

AGENCY SHARING/COMMUNITY NEEDS: Jackie D shared information about the Bio-emergency practice drill (tornado). Sac County Health Services did not have the lead but participated. The drill included evacuation of the hospital.

Focusing on preparation of RAGBRI going through Sac City.

Mollie S reported Kid’s World practiced drills during national preparedness including tornado, earthquake, & flood. Rater Reliable visit for the Quality Rating Scale was done, hopefully hear by end of the month.

Preparing events for Week of the Young Child, Mollie S shared a flyer; April 23rd Safe Touch Prevention, April 24th 911 Simulator by State Farm, April 26th Chamber Coffee, April 25th Trike-a-Thon, & April 27th Staff Appreciation. Using the 2000 Days campaign.

Cheryl L shared United Community Health Center (UHC) has hired a new Nurse Practitioner; she is amazed at the number of people without insurance. UHC runs like a normal doctor’s office including full-time dentist, hawk-i outreach, will make referrals if necessary.

Deb G finishing up Program for Infant Toddler Care (PITC) in Storm Lake, modules 4 & 5, Sun Safety Thursday in Schaller. Last week attended Healthy Homes Inspector training in Cedar Rapids. Waiting for certification. The training will allow environment in home internal/external pesticide, radon. Currently working on child care providers. When asked if this could be done for parents, it could be utilized in a lot of ways.

New Perspectives another form of PITC will be in Storm Lake in May. Medication Administration in Ida Grove. Lori H and Deb G will be presenting the Playground Improvement training in a neighboring ECI area.

Retta M is working on I-Consult Credential, in the final portion, writing papers and visit. She also shared that there are three different categories for child care homes. 1) un-registered – not identified in system, maximum number in care five. 2) non-registered – have a background check, CPR, First Aid and Mandatory Child Abuse Reporting training, maximum number in care five. 3) Registered – meet non-registered plus additional training. Number of children depends DHS Regulations and the established categories A, B or C.

Jack B Highway 20 is coming along, beams overhead on Hwy 71.

WRAP-UP & ADJOURN: Consensus to adjourn.

Next scheduled meetings for Sac Community Advisory Council: June 11, 2012

Next scheduled meeting for BVCS 3-County Board meeting “Big Board”: May 2nd, 2012 Trinity Lutheran Church in Odebolt at 10:00 am.

2000 Days: There are approximately **2000 days between the birth and the first day of kindergarten**. The first **2000** days of a child’s life can have a **PROFOUND** and **LIFELONG** impact on **physical and emotional wellbeing, readiness to learn and succeed**, and ability to become a **productive citizen**.