**Vermillion – Parke Health Coalition**

**Zoom Meeting – September 3, 2020 – 10 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.**

**Attended:** Lisa Wood, Danny Wayne, Mary Margaret Rhees, Elaine Pastore, Mindy Duckett, Jenna Wozniak, Tatum Lohse, Allison Finzel, Suzanne Downs, Mike Phelps, Sylvia Maxiner, Larry Addison, Andrea Williams, Karen Hinshaw, Kris Aninger, Kathy Clifford, Jessica Southard, Elaina Smith, Kati Colvin, Sara Baine, Lori Bouslog, Gail Wright

Lori Bouslog opened the meeting.

Introductions were completed. Several new members in attendance.

Notes from the last meeting attached to email. There were no corrections or additions.

Lori asked to consider others that should be included and email her. She will continue to be invite to attend.

**UPDATE FROM CADI –** Jenna Wozniak, Coalition Director

* Slides Included over survey results
* Don’t forget to register for the Hackathon brainstorming event on September 24th or September 28th! – Slide 5 for more information
* Sheriff Phelps asked about mental health and including in overall health. Jenna stated that is very much a part of overall health. Lori noted Sheriff Phelps attended Mental Health First Aid and he noted there is a need for more specialized training at times in the corrections system – stating many in jail should be in a mental health facility for care.

**VISION, MISSION, GOALS –**

* Lori noted the Vision, Mission, and Goals subcommittee met prior to the meeting. They were sent with the Zoom invite.
* *After Vision read*, Lori asked for feedback from the group. Sylvia Maxiner stated that she liked the term healthy communities
* Kathy Clifford also like the broadness– noting that it takes so much for health (physical and mental)
* Lori asked for comments *after Mission read.* Jenna likes the mission and noted that it leaves open to all areas of health and is able to change with the times and needs of the communities.
* Lori noted terms used to include everyone – discussed use
* *Goals* were read. Lori stated that language was adopted from other organizations and that many were looked as examples. Lori asked how the 5 prior goals could fit under the current 3 – now proposed. Gail stated each could have a part that would fall under each of the 3 areas. Allison agreed. Mindy agreed and discussed advocacy making all have a voice – even those in underrepresented groups (low socioeconomic)
* Jenna added collaboration is going to push overall not just those areas. Jenna asked if there would then be workgroups in areas of need – mental health, chronic disease, food insecurity, addressing needs. Lori stated yes
* Mary Margaret noted that she felt things fit in multiple areas and likes the vision, mission, and 3 goals
* Lori asked for other thoughts.
* Alison asked if there were any others we missed
* Mary Margaret asked about including “Participation”
* Lori noted that participation is a result.
* Jenna questioned the one original goal stating schools and industry – and it was noted it should include more
* Allison stated she felt participation is the buy-in. Gail agreed.
* Mindy stated participation is not exactly a goal – but part of collaboration. All workgroups work toward the greater goals – of those 3 goals – and not listing any of the original 5. She noted that these were taken from the Hendricks County Health Coalition which notes only the 3.
* We will move on with the 3 Goals

**PURDUE NURSING STUDENT REPORTS** – Lori had sent 3 last reports to review. They were: Clinical Prevention Services, Environmental Quality, and Injury and Violence.

Lori led the discussion with **Clinical Prevention Services**. She stated that although some good information, some information not accurate. She noted that the students stated all clinics are in Clinton and that a Mobile Health Unit is needed. VPCHC has a site in Cayuga and provide the Mobile Health bus.

**Environmental Quality** information was discussed next. The 3 areas on concern were poor air quality, low walkability, and low water quality. Kathy stated although some good points that there is a trail alliance providing some great routes, and parks not mentioned – Glenn Park, Montezuma Park that are very accessible noting other great resources. The active presence of our counties soil and water conservation was noted. They do a great job testing well water, etc. Elaine reiterated the trail system.

**Injury and Violence** – Lori led discussion. There was little noted in discussion but “chat box” asked if anyone does education. CODA does presentations in schools, etc. on the subject.

Lori thanked those that have participated in the Listening Sessions. She asked Karen Hinshaw to discuss Connections in Health, sessions, etc. Karen extended invitation to the Connections in Health Annual Meeting on 10/1/2020. Lori will send the invite to all.

Lori reminded all of the new website.

Lori noted that our next meeting is also on 10/1/2020 and asked if the group would like to begin at 9 a.m. – to leave people free to join the Connections in Health Annual Meeting at 10 a.m. It was agreed to change meeting time on 10/1 to 9 a.m.

**ORGANIZATION SHARE:** Jessica Southard stated there is a new Children’s Bureau Director that will start in the next few weeks – Amanda Smalls. If you have any needs in Parke or Vermillion County before then – please contact Jessica or call the main office.

Allison noted the Food Distribution through Catholic Charities at the Vermillion County Fairgrounds on August 20th was a great success with 800 boxes of food being distributed. She is leading discussions to hold2 more in Vermillion, 1 in Parke, and 1 in Vigo. Lori noted she sent a flyer for volunteers and appreciated all of those that assisted.

Lori Bouslog stated the next meeting will be on

**OCTOBER 1ST at 9 AM**