



Clinton County Healthy Communities

May 22, 2009 Minutes

Present: Candy Reeder, Patti Smith, Laurie Welch, Danielle Hardy

Treasurer Report: Balance: \$851.00. All money for the dental grant was moved into the Penn State Cooperative Extension account until an office manager is hired. This account is audited by both Penn State and Clinton County so it will account for properly.

TASK FORCE UPDATES:

PRENATAL: No task force/no report

DIABETIC:

Dining with Diabetes: The last class will take place on Friday, June 5th. The next class will be planned for the fall, possibly in Renovo.

Vision Grant: CCHC was awarded the grant. Patti Smith will help facilitate the program. There will be diabetic eye screenings and educational programs in the county.

INJURY:

Safe Kids: We will be writing a bike safety mini-grant for the fall and wrote one for 50 smoke detectors.

Bike helmets: 35 new helmets, plus old ones to use at upcoming events.

TOBACCO PREVENTION TASK FORCE:

Danielle: Finishing “Too Good for Drugs” at the 5th Grade in Robb or Lamar, participated in the Woolrich Health fair, World No Tobacco Day is May 31st and will be working with Jersey Shore Hospital in June with treats to celebrate the day. The Advocates are having an outreach event on Saturday, July 11th from 12-3 at Riverview Park in conjunction with Riverfest. The next Advocates meeting will be held on June 16th at noon. The group is still working on a date to do a Renovo event and are partnering with a “Time to Stand Together” to plan the event.

TOBACCO PREVENTION TASK FORCE:

Shirene: Working at the pediatric clinic at the hospital and working with 4 adults, attended TATU training (Teens Against Tobacco Use), worked the Expo, Woolrich health fair and Careerlinkss “Here to Help “event. Teaching youth tobacco cessation classes and have 2 girls enrolled. On May 27, will be attending the First Quality Health Fair and work with CMMS SADD event with Beth Culvey. Shirene will also attending the First Quality health fair at the Lock Haven site on June 3 and will be doing a second hand smoke presentation in Renovo at the senior center.

DENTAL: We are moving along, ordering equipment, and filling out paperwork to accept medical assistance. Target date to open is September 2009.

Other Business: Clinton County Healthy Communities has applied to become a United Way Agency (in order to receive funds from them in the future). Kathy Allison will be attending the interview process on next week since Laurie will be at training at PSU.

Candy Reeder: The death review team will be meeting on July 8th.

Patti Smith: Patti is trying to get more attention to the AIDS Project in Clinton County

Next meeting: June 19, 2009

Fall 2009 Dates

September	25
October	23
November	20
December	18