

Boise County Health Coalition Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, September 6th 2023
10:00am – 11:00am



<p><u>Welcome & Introductions:</u> Attendees: Mindy Curran, Brian Hunicke, Darby Fulwider, Jackie Riggs, Amanda Leader, Tonya Heffington, Lynsey Bell, Dawn Gillis, Kelsey Williams, Steve Lynch</p>	<p>All</p>
<p><u>CHANGE Tool Luncheon Update</u></p> <p>Horseshoe Bend CHANGE Tool Luncheon is happening on October 6th, 11:30-1pm @ Horseshoe Bend MS/ HS. CDH will be supporting the food portion of the luncheon. The purpose of this luncheon is to bring community organizations together, feed them lunch and ask them to complete the CHANGE tool survey with their team. The survey will be used to hopefully inform and guide the health initiatives of the BCHC and may help to inform future grant applications as well.</p> <p>A dinner/luncheon has not been planned yet for Idaho City. Mindy will work on reaching out to sites to host the luncheon in Idaho City. Some site ideas were: the Boise Basin Senior Center or City Hall. Mindy stopped by each after the meeting, and no one was at either....Mindy will continue to reach out to them. Idaho City school officials (Brian, Lynsey, Jamie, Tricia) should send their availability to Mindy by 9/15 to help inform when to plan the CHANGE tool lunch/ Dinner.</p> <p>The deadline to have all CHANGE tool survey's complete is Nov 1st.</p>	<p>Mindy Curran</p>
<p><u>Idaho Youth Summit Update:</u> Mindy gave another plug/ reminder about Idaho Youth Summit. Asked school officials to keep an eye on kids now who might be good candidates to go to the summit in the summer. The program can be sold as a leadership training opportunity for students if the "drug free youth camp" does not seem appealing. One barrier to starting IDFY chapters in schools was that school personnel already wear a lot of hats so having an external entity come in to</p>	<p>Mindy Curran</p>

<p>lead/facilitate the chapters would work best for Idaho City School. Mindy can work to try and get chapters started... stay tuned.</p>	
<p><u>Parents as Teachers/ Diaper Program Update</u></p> <p>Tonya gave an update on all the great work she is doing with Parents as Teachers (PAT) in Boise County. PAT is a FREE program designed to provide parents with information and to help build their children’s intellectual, language, social, and physical development from birth to kindergarten age. In total, she is seeing 18 families, and is very close to her capacity. 3 participants are enrolled in the Diaper Incentive Program through PAT, which gives free diapers and wipes to pregnant women or women living in the household with children under the age of 1 who would like to quit smoking or vaping.</p>	<p>Tonya Heffington</p>
<p><u>Roundtable Updates, Announcements, and Ideas</u></p> <p>Idaho City: WIC will be using space in the school clinic every other month to do WIC appointments.</p> <p>There is a provider, who works independently, who comes to the school periodically to provide flu shots and other immunizations. However, there appears to be a lack of consistency with immunizations. Mindy can work with CDH immunization team to find out more about immunization offerings and how to make them more consistent. Perhaps try to plan the immunization clinics on Wednesdays (dump day).</p> <p>IC school received 12k from the Juul settlement. Expects to tentatively get a payment in Oct, and then December. School plans to use them for vape detector devices.</p> <p>School is interested in Teen Mental Health First Aid training for students (Mindy can connect them with Sierra who does those trainings).</p> <p>School also interested in Stop the Bleed training, and potentially incorporating it into health classes (Will connect them with Kalene @ CDH).</p> <p>Idaho City Days is happening on Sept 30th and Oct 1st. BCHC will have a booth at the event. It was recommended to try and bring gun locks and Narcan to the event if possible.</p> <p>Garden Valley: Right now Garden Valley School has no school nurse, only a CNA, and they are working on assessing kids needs still for the</p>	<p>All</p>

school year. They have 5 students w/physical health concerns that they are trying to manage and work to find resources for.	
---	--

Action Items:

- Idaho City school officials (Brian, Lynsey, Jamie, Tricia) should send their availability to Mindy by 9/15 to help inform when to plan the CHANGE tool lunch/ Dinner.
- Mindy work to find site to host CHANGE tool lunch/dinner in Idaho City
- Mindy reach out to CDH immunization team about coordinated immunization efforts
- Mindy connect Idaho City School to Sierra and Kalene
- All: Send Mindy any information or resources that you would like disseminated at Idaho City Days BEFORE SEPT 29th.