

**CARROLL COUNTY COALITION
FOR PUBLIC HEALTH**
An Initiative of Granite United Way

**Carroll County
Public Health Advisory Council
Executive Committee Meeting
Thursday, June 30, 2022: 9:00-10:30am**

Zoom

Notes

1. Quick Introductions and updates

- Once around the table.
 - Caleb Gilbert, C3PH, Catalina Kirsch, C3ph; Victoria Paige, C3PH; Damian Santana, C3PH; Chuck Henderson, Shaheen; Valeda Cerasale, NHS; Sandy Ruka, VNHCH; Marianne Jackson, Gibson Center

2. Updates and Discussion – CHIP Priorities:

- Public Health Emergency Preparedness Across the Lifespan - Victoria Paige
 - Losberger Inflatable Tent Shelter – training today. C3PH now has one. Stored at Carroll County Complex
 - Moderna Covid 19 vaccine approved ages 6-17. Ages 6-11 need to receive same brand as dose 1 when getting a booster (Pfizer). The public is being directed to primary care providers. Public health is not currently planning to hold community vaccine clinics. Emergency declaration is scheduled to end today, June 30.
 - Getting ready for fall school-based clinics for flu vaccine and covid vaccine for students, not yet for faculty. Trying not to do both on the same day. Setting up a calendar for October and November.
 - No news locally related to monkey pox. Following updates from the state for situational awareness.
 - Working on a regional shelter plan. Regional Coordinating Committee (RCC) quarterly meeting coming and will discuss emergency response shelter capability. Identifying locations in northern, central and southern parts of Carroll County.
 - Starting this month, will be preparing situational awareness newsletter quarterly or monthly.
 - If you know anyone who is looking to help out the community, please forward the NHResponds.org site. We are hoping to provide more trainings and meetings for our volunteers. We will need some help this fall for our clinics!

- Access to Comprehensive Physical Health Services
 - Pediatric vaccines available at all pediatric providers in the region.
 - For services available at pharmacies, call ahead first to verify what's available
 - MWV Age Friendly Community – promoting 90 Day Granite State Summer Challenge. (<https://nhmoves.org/>)
 - Friends of Constitution Park Ossipee was awarded AARP Livable Communities Challenge Grant to build a 14x10 pavilion.
 - MWV Rec Path is moving forward - Catalina
 - WMCHC has a Community Health Worker, Erin Jones
 - Children Unlimited has a Community Health Worker.
- Access to Comprehensive Behavioral Health Services
 - Valeda Cerasale – Northern Human Services. Still not accepting new clients except hospital discharge and emergency services. Waiting list down to 50 pp. Wolfeboro still has 200+ wait list and four clinician vacancies. Expanding job openings to accept telehealth clinicians. Mobile Crisis doing really well. M-F 5pm-12am, Conway, Berlin, Littleton teams active. Statewide there are 300+ clinician vacancies. Housing shortage is impacting ability to hire and place workforce.
- Healthy Aging
 - Marianne Jackson. Gibson Center. Renee Wheaton will be a Senior Resource Coordinator for Gibson Center, working remotely, similar to how she serves the Town of Freedom. Stay warm, safe and dry program. Service Link also helps with resource navigation.
 - Transportation – Mobility Manager Scott Boisvert serves Carroll County – There's still some resources out there for transportation. Seeking information for how to apply.
- Healthy and Thriving Early Childhood Experiences
 - C3PH serves on the Region 7 Early Childhood Coalition Leadership Team (made up of coalitions in Coos/Upper Grafton, Northern Carroll County, and Southern Carroll County).
 - Currently leading a strategic planning process with the Southern Carroll County Early Childhood Coalition, working with Janet Bergman-Wilkinson, Strategic Planning Consultant from Madison.
 - Region 7 is focusing on the following ECC priorities: workforce development and retention, social and emotional learning resources, and coalition development.

3. Emerging Trends or Issues not yet discussed

- Chuck Henderson. Senator Shaheen
 - Decision on Roe v Wade

- Shaheen supports dropping the filibuster rule
 - In NH there is still access to abortion up to 24 weeks.
- Bipartisan Gun legislation
 - Some gains made
 - At same time some open carry legislation passed, too
- Luncheon with Senator. Caleb attended. Harrison Kanzler of MWVHC attended.
- Damian Santana, C3PH SUD Services Expansion
 - Successful Farmer's Market NonProfit Resource Fair. Another
 - Brain Injury Association
 - Community Education around Community resources and harm reduction
 - Seacoast org will be providing resources to RCOs on how to provide HIV testing and counseling

4. Wrap-up & Adjourn

Next PHAC EC Meeting: Next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, September 29th at 9am