

**Carroll County Responds to Substance Use Disorder
Prevention / Continuum of Care Work Group Agenda
Tuesday, August 7, 2018
(9:00– 12:30)**

9:00 Introductions

The 2018-2019 year ahead for our group

- Roles & responsibilities of the Workgroup.
 - o From Carroll County Promise 2020 (Community Health Improvement Plan or CHIP): Workgroups associated with each priority will be identifying and establishing benchmarks that are readily measurable on an annual basis and for which baseline data exists or can efficiently be gathered. Benchmarks will be chosen to closely align with key objectives outlined in the New Hampshire State Health Improvement Plan. To Address each goal, we will highlight a small group of promising evidence-informed approaches that are already underway or can be embarked upon by county wide workgroups to make a difference. The benchmarks will be used to measure our progress and hold ourselves accountable to our promise.
 - o Review of CHIP Priority Focus: Substance Misuse and Addiction
 - o Review of CHIP Priority Focus: Access to Comprehensive Behavioral Health Services
- Ground rules – group generated. Creating a meeting space of respect and productivity.

A Focus on Prevention

**9:30 Guest: Kat Howland, Partnership for a Drug Free NH,
Recovery Hub Website**

**10:15 Upcoming Events:
Team Wolfeboro Forum
Advocacy Workshop – Wolfeboro Public Library
*DEA Take Back Day – October 27, 2018***

10:30 Partner Updates

**10:45 Work Plan Development for Prevention
Review of [NH Governor's Commission Task Force on Prevention's Recommendations](#)**

Think about how we might incorporate these recommendations in our individual organization's work plan as well as the RPHN Prevention Network work plan.

The task force recommendations expand the priority areas for prevention initiatives across the age span. It provides us an opportunity to identify how our individual mandates and missions collectively contribute to the prevention of substance misuse and substance use disorders in Carroll County.

10:45 - 11:00 Break and Networking

A Focus on the Continuum:

11:00 Assets and Gaps scan of Carroll County

Submitting your service updates

...to the NH Treatment Locator, <https://nhtreatment.org/submit-edits/> Complete this form to submit changes to a current listing or submit a new listing. If you are submitting an edit, you may complete only the section that needs to be updated and we will replace your current listing with the new information.

...to NH 2-1-1. Check out new NH 2-1-1 site. *If you are a service provider who wishes to be added to our database or to update current information, please click here.*
<https://www.211nh.org/search/> Then, click on **Service Provider Tools** button for online survey.

11:30 Early Identification and Intervention Updates:

Young Adult Strategies – Screening, Early ID awareness education for young adults 18-25.
Central NH VNA Healthy Families America

Young Adult Leadership – NAMI CONNECT peer educators trained in Carroll County June '18

Other updates?

Early Identification / Intervention Priorities Addressed:

To **Collect information about local Emergency Department responses** to overdose; Explore opportunities to promote more effective continuum of care transitions.

Collect information about local school and community based efforts for screening, early identification and intervention activities that prevent early first use of tobacco, alcohol and other substances at or before ages 12-14; Explore opportunities for expanded screening.

To **deliver community education activities related to Trauma Informed Care.**

11:45 Treatment Updates

White Horse Addiction Center – North

Granite Recovery Centers

Other?

Treatment Priorities Addressed:

1. In partnership with NH Providers Association, regional health care collaboratives, **facilitate a group of SUD treatment providers** in the region to promote communication and collaboration.
2. In partnership with local treatment providers, promote activities **to raise awareness for a Trauma Informed Community, and public understanding of addiction as a chronic illness.**
3. In partnership with local and regional resource and referral networks, **build and maintain a current listing of existing treatment services and raise community awareness of the need for expanded local treatment options**, accessible to Medicaid, Medicare, and the uninsured.

12:00 Recovery Supports Updates:

White Horse Addiction Center

MWV Supports Recovery

Recovery Hub website: <http://nhrecoveryhub.org/>

Recovery Friendly Workplace: <https://www.recoveryfriendlyworkplace.com/>

Conway Peer Support Center. Nichole Schiller. <https://www.alccenters.org/conway-nh>

Other?

Recovery Supports Priorities Addressed:

1. In partnership with local recovery support organizations, social service providers and local media, **facilitate public health messaging that promotes a recovery supportive community.**
2. To **actively participate in local collaboratives that seek to expand capacity for services** related to housing and homelessness.
3. To **actively participate in local collaborations that seek to expand capacity for transportation** options for individuals to access treatment and recovery support services.

12:15 Roundtable updates of OTHER community assets and identified gaps in prevention, early identification, intervention, treatment or recovery

Next Meetings: Oct 2, Dec 4, Feb 5, Apr 2, Jun 4