



**Grand Traverse County
Drug Free Coalition**

November 14, 2019 Meeting Minutes

| TIME | TOPIC | DISCUSSION | OWNER |
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| | SPEAKER | <i>Pam Lynch – Northern Lakes Community Mental Health</i> | |
| | ATTENDANCE | Lauren Reed, Pam Lynch, Jordan Wieber, Michelle Peterson, Christina Eickenroth, Scott Scholten, Mark Bak, Bill Myers, Chip Cieslinski, Lisa Anderson, Sharon Vreeland, Lyn Conlon, Gerry Morris | |
| 4:00pm | CALL TO ORDER | | Lauren |
| | APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES | APPROVED | |
| | ANNOUNCEMENTS/ INFORMATIONAL | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Munson Medical Center will be offering turkey sandwiches on Thursday, November 21 in the hospital's Café from 10am-2pm for those who want to quit smoking cold turkey and to celebrate the Great American Smokeout day. • Catholic Human Services has a meeting scheduled with GTC to discuss using liquor tax funds for treatment in the jails. • Next year's Co-Occurring Disorders Conference will be held on Friday, May 8, 2020 at the Hagerty Center. The guest speaker will be Dr. Kevin McCauley. • On November 14 Governor Whitmer, the MDHHS, and other members of the Michigan Opioids Task Force announced steps that the state is taking to combat the opioid epidemic, with the goal of cutting opioid-related overdose deaths by half in five years. | Group |

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| | <p>STANDING ITEMS</p> | <p>1. Executive Committee Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Executive Committee will be meeting on 11/18 to discuss the vision, mission, and goals of the coalition. We will discuss as a full coalition at our January meeting. <p>2. 5 County Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The “Know the Dangers” prevention campaign has launched! For information and materials, visit the website at www.knowthedangers.com. <p>3. FAN Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ At their November meeting, FAN had a gratitude session where attendees could reflect on what they are grateful for. ▪ The board is meeting in December for strategic planning. <p>4. Updates from each workgroup:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Emergency Department providers at Munson are being trained to be able to prescribe MAT. ○ Munson’s website now includes vaping resources, visit www.munsonhealthcare.org/services/vaping-resources/vaping-resources-in-northern-michigan • Law-enforcement <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Jordan Wieber, from TCPD, will regularly be attending our meetings. • Treatment/Recovery <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Shatterproof is a national non-profit organization dedicated to ending the devastation addiction causes families through education and advocacy, for more information visit their website at www.shatterproof.org • Prevention <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Lisa is now the official Naloxone trainer for Hope Not Handcuffs and has recently also done a training at the Women’s Resource Center. | <p>Lauren</p> <p>Sharon</p> <p>Gerry</p> <p>Christina</p> <p>Jordan</p> <p>Gerry</p> |
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| | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • STAND <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The annual Youth Summit was held on October 30, this event brought together students from TC Central High School, TC West Senior High, Kingsley High School, and some student presenters from Manistee. The students had fun while learning from their peers and left with many resources to help guide their STAND activities for the upcoming year. ○ The TC High School STAND students were unable to attend the summit, but we did have a separate meeting to plan activities for the upcoming year. Their first event will be held on November 21 to celebrate the Great American Smokeout, they will be handing out bags filled with stress balls, candy, and gum to help students refrain from smoking on this day. | <p>Lisa</p> <p>Lauren</p> |
| 4:15pm | NEW BUSINESS | Harm Reduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attached to this email is a copy of Pam’s presentation slides, which includes a link to a short video on the last slide. • Pleasure Unwoven is a documentary by Dr. Kevin McCauley to help better understand addiction, www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLA8F89537FD4C3FD1 | Pam |
| 5:00pm | ADJOURNMENT | Next meetings: January 9, February 13, March 12 **NO MEETING IN DECEMBER – see you in 2020** | |