


Violence, Injury, & Trauma Action Team Meeting

Thursday, July 22, 2021

Agenda

1. Introductions
 2. Suicide
 3. ACEs/Trauma
 4. Youth Dating Violence & Domestic Violence
 5. Partner Updates
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Attendance

- Kelly Jay - Project Chesapeake
- Suha Ansari - St. Mary's County Health Department (SMCHD)
- Stephanie Freeman - SMCHD
- Kathleen Arban - Salisbury University School of Social Work
- Angela Cochran - SMCHD
- Ann-Marie Combs - Department of Juvenile Services
- Melanie Adams - Department of Social Services Infants and Toddlers Program
- Tammy Loewe - SMCHD
- Marcus Johnson - SMCHD
- Johnn Cave - SMCHD
- Lisa Shehan - St. Mary's County Child Advocacy Center
- Misty Bell - SMCHD
- Judy Nathavong - SMCHD
- Laila Moasser - SMCHD
- Jourdan Cucinotta - SMCHD
- Maria Reynolds - SMCHD
- Marta Kelsey - Commission for Women
- Japan Bhalja - SMCHD
- Taylor Spencer Davis - Southern Maryland Center for Family Advocacy
- Jacquie Heaney - SMCHD
- Laura Stewart Webb - Pyramid Walden
- David Jones - SMCHD
- Bruce Beauverd - Walden University
- Helen Ann Lawless - St. Mary's College of Maryland

Suicide

- AFSP Resources/Menu
- September is National Suicide Prevention Month
 - Parent event - AFSP's More than Sad Parents
 - Greg suggested virtual event
 - Date options: 9/30 (special session post HSMP Annual) or 9/8; 5:30 - 6:30
 - Our role: attendance/host, help to advertise/share with your networks.
 - Jacquie will reach out to Greg to finalize date and request AFSP pre-developed flyer
 - Youth Event - AFSP's It's Real & Mental Health
 - Greg suggested in-person events (he can speak)
 - Jacquie will connect Greg and Robin to schedule
 - Johnn can reach out to Ryken/Kings Christian Academy
 - Talk Saves Lives
 - Jacquie reached out to DAHS about potentially having Greg speak at one of the Senior Centers. Will update when she hears back.
 - We would like to assemble participant packets for these events.
 - **Action item:** Send info to stmaryspartnership@gmail.com before August meeting - or bring link to pdf to August meeting
 - Ideas: Resources/links to care

ACEs/Trauma

- Local trauma informed trainings for organizations
 - The team discussed the idea to poll local providers on who is ACEs trained/what current knowledge is.
 - SMCHD has been providing trainings on an ongoing basis - Tammy sends these trainings out to their listserv. Many providers are becoming trauma certified. SMCHD has some academic detailing around ACEs coming for Primary Care providers.
 - BH Division at SMCHD can help to facilitate the survey on a tri-county level. We can also send out via the Southern Maryland Psychological Association.
 - **Action Item:** Finalize questions and send out survey
 - Questions to ask: are you trauma trained; what trainings have you taken
 - Tammy, Angela, and Kathleen will finalize questions. Jacquie will develop the survey.
- There was discussion around developing a local resource guide?
 - Angela/Tammy have a list- can use it as a starter
- Local data collection - The team previously discussed collecting local ACEs data potentially comparing the original ACEs survey with the Philadelphia ACEs survey
 - Kathleen has a Salisbury University student starting an internship in the fall who might be able to help to help with the data collection.

Youth Dating Violence & Domestic Violence

- October - Domestic Violence Awareness
 - Taylor working with her Director tomorrow to solidify what they'll be doing in October - we can work to do this as a group effort. Update at August meeting on this.
- February- Dating Violence Awareness Month
 - Co-host event with Commission for Women: Bill Mitchell - When Dating Hurts
 - He's willing to present; looking for a bit more information on what we're looking for. He'd be interested in having the event in person.
 - Market for the entire community - including youth
 - Date ideas: week of/before Valentine's day
 - Potentially at a high school, Lex PArk Library meeting room, or Tolerance Hall at fair grounds
 - **Action Item:** Angela will reach back out to Bill to solidify date and provide him with more info.

Partner Updates

- SCMHD Health Equity Team - Community Health Outreach Workers have been doing lots of outreach in the community (tabling events and door to door canvassing). Vaccine equity is focus but also addressing other community needs based around equity.
- Healthy St. Mary's 2026 plan was released at the beginning of the month. Please share with your organizations and contacts!
- Registration is now open for the 2021 HSMP Annual Meeting! Register here! If you are interested in participating in the Virtual Exhibit Hall - fill out this google form.
- SMCHD is hiring for an HSMP Coordinator to support all of HSMP's action teams and programs. Apply here!

Communications

- **Submit event and news updates/information at:**
<http://healthystmarys.com/newsletter/> or email
stmaryspartnership@gmail.com
- **Follow HSMP on Social Media**
 - Facebook: Healthy St. Mary's Partnership
 - Twitter: @HealthyStMarys

Upcoming Meetings

- Thursday, August 26, 2021 from 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.