

WINNEBAGO COUNTY SAFE STREETS INITIATIVE

DATE: Friday, July 17, 2020

TIME: Noon

LOCATION: **ZOOM Meeting** (connection information previously provided by email)

MINUTES

Committee Members Present: Karen Seifert, Jon Bellows, John Matz, Carol Morack, Eric Sparr, Paul Eisen, Joan Koch, Christian Gossett, Gordon Hintz, Melissa Pingel, Paul Eisen, Christopher Rose, Bill Wingren, Michael Schraa,

Approve minutes of last meeting

Minutes from 4/17/2020 approved

Public Comments

None

Update on Overdose Fatality Review pilot program for Winnebago County and Public Health Update: Doug Gieryn

OFR (Overdose Fatality Review) Update: Contact Stephanie Gyldenvand, sgyldenvand@co.winnebago.wi.us, 232-3368, <https://www.co.winnebago.wi.us/health/divisions-program-areas/community-health/mental-health-substance-use-prevention/substance-use>

- Will be conducting a review in August and will try conducting a virtual review for the September meeting
- Working on the OFR annual report, we are waiting for the final 2019 overdose numbers to come out by September (hopefully).

Drug Court: Jen Delfosse

PHASE 1: 4

PHASE 2: 5

PHASE 3: 11

PHASE 4: 2

GRADUATES: 144

PENDING REFERRALS: 3

- OTHER UPDATES: We just had a graduation ceremony for three participants on 7/2/20 via Zoom. Drug Court is currently being held via Zoom at this point. Client sessions are done via phone or Zoom as well, though DOC is working on integrating client's back into their office, so they will be seen face to face by the Agents, and I will meet with them over speaker phone with the Agents.

24/7: Sheriff Matz

Alcohol Jan-Jun avg 99.7 participants

Alcohol today 117

27 referrals for charges Jun 18%

Drugs Jan-Jun avg 15.7 participants

Drugs today 23

13 referrals charges Jun 57%

Keep in mind that one person may have more than one referral.

SSTOP: Carol Morack

Current open SSTOP clients:

OPEN SSTOP	Totals	Percentage
Males	46	69.70%
Females	20	30.30%
Total	66	

AGES	M	F
25 and under	11	6
26 to 50	27	11
51 and over	8	3

TRTMT VS EDUCATION	Trtmt	Education	% Trtmt	% Education
Males	21	10	45.65%	21.74%
Females	8	6	40.00%	30.00%

Closed SSTOP clients from inception:

CLOSED SSTOP	Total	Percentage
Males	1043	74.87%

Females	350	25.13%
Total	1393	

RECIDIVISM	3rd	4th	5th and above	Percentage
Males	97	114	6	20.81%
Females	38	36	1	21.43%
Total	135	150	7	

AGES	M	F
25 and under	201	64
26 to 50	685	233
51 and over	153	54

Good Choices:

**On the agenda for the next meeting the committee will discuss whether or not to continue with the Good Choices Program. Attached to that agenda will be the history and statistics of the program for committee members to feel fully informed before voting.*

MISSION STATEMENT:

To create an educational diversion program to give low level offenders an opportunity to reduce the negative implications of poor choices on their future and on the community as a whole.

OBJECTIVE & GOAL STATEMENTS:

- 1) Provide education and awareness in lieu of further police contact.
- 2) Create an opportunity for low level offenders to make one poor choice and not endlessly pay for it.
- 3) Maintain and provide a program that is not only quantifiable but also evidence-based to determine the impact on recidivism.

Participants pay a \$50 fee to view a 4 segment video that requires them to take a quiz after each segment. Participants must get a 100 percent on each section to successfully pass or they are required to pay the \$50 fee again and reattempt the quizzes.

The first video segment is Judge Woldt welcoming and going over the history of how the program started and why. He explains that you must answer all the questions correctly after each video to move on to the next video. He tells them that if they successfully complete this program, there will be no charges referred and they will not have a record on CCAP.

The second video segment is District Attorney Christian Gossett explaining the referral process, the record process you start, the typical process for charges, the typical outcome/penalties and examples of how a person's record has effected them.

The third video segment is Sheriff Matz explaining why they were chosen for this program, why law enforcement backs this program and how records are typically generated if it was not for this program. He talks about the consequences of typical record charges (*retail theft, drugs, dc*) and ends with explaining they will be charged if they do not finish this program.

The fourth video segment is Melissa Pingel, Clerk of Courts who explains CCAP and the process of charges for ordinance and criminal charges. She explains background checks and the inability to clear CCAP. She goes over the potential efforts of a record (*whether civil or criminal*) on employment, ability to rent, entrances to college, loans and grants, and the public perception (*i.e. the public doesn't really understand what happened for someone to get the charge they just see what the charge is etc.*)

District Attorney Diversion Programs: Eric Sparr

7/10/2020								
	Active	Pending Offers	Extension Pending	Pending Offers-Warrant	Pending Dismissal	Pending Revo's	Pending Revo's Warrant	TOTALS
Pre-Charge Misdemeanor	58	5	0	0	0	0	0	63
Pre-Charge Felony	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
Pre-Charge Drug	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
Pre-Driver's License OAR Diversion	96	9	0	0	0	0	0	105
Total Number of Precharge Agreements	173							
Post-Charge Misdemeanor	64	11	0	2	4	15	15	111
Post-Charge Felony	15	5	0	0	0	2	1	23
Post-Charge Drug	3	1	0	5	0	3	9	21
Child Support	1	1	0	0	0	1	3	6
Overdose Program	10	4	0	0	0	4	4	22
Total Number of Post Charge Agreements	83							
GRAND TOTALS	256	38	0	7	4	25	32	362

Teen Court: Sarah Whitman

15 participants, 4 volunteers. Very high numbers due to COVID- court was set for Aug for 9 hearings to get everyone caught up.

WCDAC (Winnebago County Drug & Alcohol Coalition): Update from Doug Gieryn
Contact Sam Hilker shilker@co.winnebago.wi.us, 920-232-3036,
<https://www.co.winnebago.wi.us/health/divisions-program-areas/community-health/mental-health-substance-use-prevention/substance-use>

1. Winnebago County Drug & Alcohol Coalition (WCDAC) Working on re-branding! Watch for a new brand identity to include a new name soon!
2. Launching a podcast! In conjunction with the new brand identity, we will also be launching a podcast. Common topics will include:
 1. Substance use prevention
 2. Substance use treatment & resources
 3. Recovery & Recovery Stories
 4. Youth Engagement, Leadership and Experience
 5. Community Protective Factors
 6. Alcohol Policy & Community Impact

If you have any suggestions or requests for topics or guests please let me know!

1. Working on a PSA type video production project
 1. Keep any eye out for 'actor requests'
 2. Anxiously awaiting school district decisions and a decision on YRBS administration – we may have to adjust how we gather core measures data for the DFC grant in the future.
 1. We are working to understand the new alcohol landscape (price, promotion, social and retail access) and how it is impacting the youth.
 2. We are also working on a municipal inventory of alcohol related policy, mapping outlet density, and understanding alcohol related calls for service (police) in the area
 3. Marijuana is our other drug of focus – we are hoping to gather information from youth via key informant interviews to better understand the thoughts and trends of middle and high school aged youth on this subject, so we can target our prevention efforts to match.
- If anyone has middle or high school children in the OASD or Winnebago County Schools and they would be interested in doing a key informant interview via zoom or phone, please let me know!**

StepUp: Officer Vang

Reported StepUp was going very well until the pandemic hit.

Update from District Attorney office regarding new justice program

CONNECT case manager will be back from FMLA on 8/25/2020. Referrals will be made at that time. The basement of the Orrin King building has 3 offices ready and available for staff. Due to COVID staff have not made the move yet and bids for construction have not gone out.

New Business

None

Next Meeting

October 23rd 2020 at noon. Meeting will be held over Zoom. Connection information will be listed on the agenda.