# Linn, Benton, Lincoln Partners for Health (Partners for Health) Virtual through Microsoft Teams 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. March 12, 2024 Meeting Summary

**Participants:** Jeannie Davis, Ed.D., Luis Acosta, Sumaya Aryan, Maisa Athamneh, Shelagh Baird, Elizabeth Bauermeister, Carolyn Black, Deb Fell-Carlson, Glenda Lonstron, Sommer McLeish, Jolynn Meza Wynkoop, Michelle Means, JoAnn Miller, Stephanie Miller, Shannon Rose, Edelyn Solis Medina, Alli Stephenson, Jacob Stewart, and Shelley Hazelton

#### Welcome:

Dr. Jeannie Davis welcomed everyone to the meeting and led introductions.

### **Meeting Minutes:**

The February 13, 2024, meeting minutes of Linn, Benton, Lincoln Partners for Health were presented. Sommer McLeish made a motion and Shelagh Baird seconded to approve the meeting minutes as presented. The motion was voted upon and was unanimously approved.

## Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) Grant - Addressing Violence in Rural Oregon Communities:

Sommer McLeish reported on the Addressing Violence in Rural Oregon Communities Grant.

- The Strangulation Training is scheduled for May 3, 2024, at the Boulder Falls Conference Center in Lebanon. Lunch will be provided.
- ABC House is providing counseling services in the new medical clinic in Sweet Home.
- On February 19, 2024, there was a forum with Spanish speakers that lasted for two hours. 23 people attended. Involved a free Zumba class and talking about different topics back and forth. The next one is scheduled in Lincoln City in the morning on March 21, 2024.
- The Violence Performance Summit is scheduled for May 17, 2024. Rebecca Bender will be the keynote speaker. There will be a panel and resources available.
- The Center Against Rape and Domestic Violence (CARDV) is providing health relationship curriculum in the community with stickers in the bathrooms and coordinating with partners on safe places.

#### 2024 Linn, Benton, Lincoln Partners for Health Summit:

Discussion focused around the 2024 Partners for Health Summit.

- Date for the event August 23, 2024.
- **Title -** *Communities Supporting Youth Together.*
- **Location** Different options were noted:
  - a. **Boulder Falls Conference Center** Can provide catering for an additional cost. \$2,000 for rental of space plus cost of a media person/company for virtual option.
  - b. **YMCA** We would need to find a caterer for the event. Cost \$800 for day if finished by 3:00 p.m.
  - c. **Linn-Benton Community College (LBCC) Chinook Hall, Corvallis** Looking at waiving rental cost, but would need to pay for AV Tech person/Housekeeping.
- **JoAnn Miller** Would suggest LBCC Chinook Hall in Corvallis location, especially being free and we pay for an AV Tech/Housekeeping. We did have our summit there a few years back. They have great parking at the facility.

- **Dr. Jeannie Davis** The LBCC location is a good location and they have Zoom capabilities in all the classrooms and having an IS person available to help would be great.
- It was agreed to have the summit at LBCC Chinook Hall in Corvallis.
- **JoAnn Miller** Does prefer in-person. Sometimes with virtual and hybrid there are issues. Would encourage and vote for in-person.
- Carolyn Black In-person is more engaging.
- **Jolynn Meza Wynkoop** In-person does make sense now that we have secured a more central location in Corvallis.
- Members present agreed the summit would be in-person.
- **Keynote Speaker** Dr. Max Derenoncourt. He is confirmed.
- Workshops:
  - a. **Dr. Paulina Kaiser, Samaritan Health Services (SHS)** Data as it relates to youth. Dr. Paulina Kaiser is confirmed.
  - b. **Jacob Stewart, ABC House** Anti-bullying. Jacob Stewart is confirmed.
  - c. Youth prevention workshop *Jolynn Meza Wynkoop Can reach to the Partnership Against Alcohol and Drug Abuse (PAADA)*. PAADA does prevention work and focuses on the schools in Lincoln County. They also have Youth Leadership Academies twice a year. We can see if youth could also present with them.
  - d. **JoAnn Miller** Linn Together also has a group that focuses on youth.
  - e. **JoAnn Miller** The Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians has the Community Efforts Demonstrating an Ability to Rebuild and Restore (CEDARR) Coalition that has a youth component to it.
  - f. Jolynn Meza Wynkoop Will follow up with both PAADA and Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians to see if CEDARR can present as well.
  - g. **JoAnn Miller** There is a Latino youth group in the valley.
  - h. **Luis Acosta** There is Casa Latinos Unidos.
  - i. **JoAnn Miller** Would recommend seeing what youth groups we have in our communities. Thinks the high school also has an LGBTQ+ group as well.
  - j. Edelyn Solis There is Movimiento Estudiantil Chicanx de Aztlán (MECHA) that is at the high schools and involved in community events and is a Latino based group. They do different events in the community and have music, cultural appropriate food, representation of the culture. Can reach out to MECHA to see if they are interested.
  - k. **JoAnn Miller** Likes the idea of the MECHA group. There is also an IMPACT (Individual Movement and Physical Activity for Children Today) group with OSU that supports young adults with disabilities and getting them engaged in continued lifelong physical activity. Would be interesting to hear from this group. Also, at the Oregon Public Health Association conference they had a lady share successes and challenges of people with disabilities. Would be great to bring in someone to talk about disabilities and youth.
  - 1. **Shelagh Baird** It was Christine Getman that presented at the Oregon Public Health Association around disabilities.
  - m. **JoAnn Miller** *Can reach out to see if the Black Student Union could present.* Could also look at having different representatives from schools present.
  - n. **Dr. Jeannie Davis** We will have a workshop in Spanish. Would Casa Latinos Unidos be the organization presenting in Spanish?
  - o. **Luis Acosta** Believes they could present in Spanish. Will have interpretation from Spanish to English.

p. **Michelle Means** - There is the Linn County Students Taking Action Not Drinking (S.T.A.N.D.) Youth Council, which are students throughout Linn County that enhance positive school climate through media campaigns and activities that address underage drinking, tobacco use, and mental wellness.

#### • Panel:

- a. **Dr. Jeannie Davis** Would love to include Jackson Street Youth Services as part of the panel.
- b. Could include someone from juvenile justice, CARDV, Sarah's Place, ABC House and include Jackson Street Youth Services.
- c. The panel can identify their program and how they support youth.
- d. **Dr. Jeannie Davis** Likes the idea of discussing how all organizations work and link together to help youth.
- e. **Glenda Lonstron** Look at including someone from the Department of Human Services (DHS) on the panel. Children are referred to the ABC House through DHS and law enforcement.
- f. **Edelyn Solis** Child Welfare would be helpful in multiple areas and has experience with survivors, but some people are uncomfortable around DHS.
- g. **Dr. Jeannie Davis** Does DHS have a family support coach?
- Glenda Lonstron ABC House has resources that could be shared. Good to have other organizations share as well.
- **Jolynn Meza Wynkoop** The OSU Student Health Center has services for students (college geared). They have a good list already of resources.
- **Shannon Rose** 211 has a resource parent line.
- **Dr. Jeannie Davis** Is there an organization that can address gaps in services?
  - a. **Michelle Means** Communities Helping All Negotiate Change Effectively (C.H.A.N.C.E.) may be interested in presenting. They help youth access treatment and recovery programs, but not sure if they could talk about gaps.
  - b. **Carolyn Black** What about Jackson Street Youth Services? Maybe even look at someone from the Oregon Department of Justice. They have a crime survivors' team and I imagine they help children, too.
  - c. Jackson Street Youth Services has a youth services team and provide wrap around services.
  - d. **Shannon Rose** What about Ophelia's Place?
  - e. **Michelle Means** Can reach out to Linn County Alcohol and Drug Youth prevention.
  - f. **JoAnn Miller** The state has a youth advisory group.
  - g. Dr. Jeannie Davis Can reach out to Jackson Street Youth Services to serve on a panel and see if they can address gaps in service.
- **Edelyn Solis** What about having Old Mill Center as part of a workshop. They do counseling and provide mental health services.
- **Dr. Jeannie Davis** Family Tree Relief Nursery is also a good one and they provide peer mentors and family training.
- We can reach out to both Family Tree Relief Nursery and Old Mill Center to see if they can do a workshop or resource table.

#### • Catering:

- a. **Dr. Jeannie Davis** Still has some funding from last year we can use toward food. Have approximately \$1,200 available.
- b. We want to make sure we have available options for vegetarians and those with dietary restrictions.

- c. **Edelyn Solis** There is Forks and Corks.
- d. **JoAnn Miller** Will look at various caterers. Forks and Corks is expensive.
- e. There is Panera and Food Trucks.
- f. **Carolyn Black** A smorgasbord of sandwiches, salads, fruit, veggies, meat trays, buffet bar style would be good. Fred Meyers is inexpensive, but your group is much larger than the group of 65 they paid for.
- **JoAnn Miller** Has put in \$4,500 from the Community Health Promotion Department at Samaritan Health Services. A contribution toward the summit was made by Oregon Health Authority Oregon Health Insurance Marketplace. We could look at gift cards for presenters/panelists.
  - a. **Dr**. **Davis** Even coffee cards are nice.
  - b. **Jolynn Meza Wynkoop** Agrees that coffee cards/gift cards are a great idea. Could also do SamFit passes if we want to give them a "healthy" option.

#### • Resource Tables:

- a. 211 is confirmed.
- b. Oregon Health Insurance Marketplace is confirmed.
- c. Suggested ABC House.
- Shelley Hazelton Will check how many resource table we can set up at LBCC Chinook Hall and if we can have resource tables upstairs.
- Jolynn Meza Wynkoop Will reach out to Olalla Center/Bravery Center to see if they would like a resource table.
- Do we want a closing speaker?
  - a. Members present agreed to have a closing speaker.
  - b. **JoAnn Miller** Linn-Benton Health Equity Alliance, Mica Contreras, would be a good closing speaker. *She will follow up to see if can present.*

#### **Next Meeting:**

The next meeting of the Linn, Benton, Lincoln Partners for Health is scheduled for April 9, 2024, at 1:00 p.m.

#### Adjourn:

With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted, Shelley Hazelton Community Health Promotion