

Daisy Meeting 5/8/2018

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Dr. Ben Thigpen, Assistant Superintendent of Federal Programs, Support Services and Athletics, opened the meeting and advised everyone to sign in. He also explained that the president, Bridgett Huffman, will not be attending today due to a sick child and Dr. Thigpen is stepping in for her.

Minutes from 2/13/2018 were approved by the Committee.

**Jeff Thigpen, Special Advisor for Transportation and Operations**, presented Vitaloxide, a new cleaning product that would be used by the transportation department in the schools. This product can be used as a disinfectant, odor eliminator and has the strength to kill molds and mildew.

Questions ask:

Training

Allergy tested for students that have allergy

Is its effect against the flu – should be better than Clorox

Daisy Committee is comfortable in endorsing the use of this product.

**Lucia Reseda, RN UNC Chapel Hill,**

Presented a program that would be used to help identify students before they get to the point of suicide. The Depression Tool kit would have a screening tool that has been approved by the CDC to be used with students from 6-17 age. Referral form for medical provider. Social workers will be working with Ms. Reseda to see if this is something that would work for Duplin County Schools. If this project was approved then there would be a training in September for the nurses and social workers to assist in the behaviors of a student who could possibly be suicidal.

Questions

Who helped to write the algorithm: Lucia and 2 drs.

What happens with the information: nurse would complete a screening page that she would turn into the project manager.

How are we to determine what student will qualify for this program – staff referred and more information in the training services.

How did you choose Duplin County Schools: she called several schools and when she reached Sue Ellen and Sue Ellen agreed so she stopped searching. Because of the time frame of this project she is only using Duplin County Schools. Because of the amount of medical staff in the rural area is another reason.

June 5 will be speaking with Jimmy Dixon on how do we bring in more medical facilities.

How do we get permission from parents – will supply in the tool kit.

Nurses and Social Worker are on board with the Support of the Daisy Committee

**Erika Taylor, MS, LMFTA, Behavioral Health Clinical Faculty, Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist Associate, East Carolina University Department of Family Medicine, Brody School of Medicine**

Healthier Lives at School and Beyond Team General update

*Healthier Lives at School and Beyond* project being implemented by ECU Brody School of Medicine, Duplin County School System, and Goshen Medical Center.

Currently, a total of 13 students have participated in either the behavioral health and/or nutrition portion of our services. There has been a total of 44 consults completed with these 13 students (22 behavioral health consults and 22 nutrition consults). Consults are scheduled bi-weekly and include 30-40 minutes of psychoeducation and/or behavioral or nutrition-based clinical interventions.

Since January 1, 2018, over 55 consultations have been completed collectively across services.

We continue to offer all services (acute medical, behavioral and nutrition) to administration and staff of each participating school (Warsaw Elementary, Wallace Elementary, and Beulaville Elementary). Nutrition and behavioral health services are currently at no-cost to the recipient. In addition, teachers of students enrolled in the behavioral health portion of the project are eligible to receive free consultation on classroom and behavior management techniques, offered by the ECU School Psychology PhD program.

**Lisa Jones, Chinquapin Elementary PE Teacher**, attended the state SHAC Conference Wellness team suggestions:

1. Possible members at the school level– Assistant principal, SRO, Social Worker, Counselor, Nurse, Health teacher, Classroom teacher from each grade level, local community service members (from each area of the schools)
2. County team – One member from each school's team, Local social worker, hospital (doctor, psychologist), Board of Education team member (in charge of meetings) Family Health/mental, DSS (Social Services) Head of local Police
3. Jobs for each:

County team – set standards, guidelines, checklist, that can be used to bring attention to the students and their family that can be in danger or might endanger others.

School team – identify students in trouble mentally, psychologically, or physically by using the identifying checklist. Meeting to bring attention to possible kids in the school that need checking into due to possible behavior changes, grade changes or family situations that have changed. Looking for intervention procedures to keep these children from become a statistic

**Dr. Ben Thigpen, Assistant Superintendent of Federal Programs, Support Services and Athletics**, provided the Lea/State 2016-17 DATA point Comparison chart. Dr. Thigpen explained that we are only one of 11 LEA's that has a nurse for every school. We had no administration error and we are above most school districts in the state.

Tobacco Free School signs will be provided to all of our schools for free by the Greer man.

Duplin Christian Outreach ministries reporting period 7-3/18. Beth Lanier explained that this was added to our summer program and the group has been very helpful to help us.

**Beth Lanier, Lead Social Worker**, updated the DAISY Committee on the McKinney Vento Summer Program. Currently we have 20 students registered and we are hoping for at least 30 students for the program. Our Mckinney Vento Program Audit will be on Monday, June 4<sup>th</sup>.

Sue Ellen Cottle, Lead Nurse,

Smiles for America will be finishing up 431 dental screening 330 referred and secured care. Zoey II came and performed all dental screening for Pre k High Schools did not participate.

Duplin Schools will have ECU student for next school year

Final vision and hearing report to the state end of the year. We submit monthly  
2812 vision screening  
357 referrals  
322 secured care  
90% secured care

Hearing

3060 hearing screens

68 referred

52 secured care

76% secured care

Medicine out of the schools for the end of the year parents. Finalized for the new school year.

**Ellen Matthis, Goshen Medical** reported that they have a wellness medical unit and we can contact Sprunt Hall at the corporate office for that schedule.

**Antinone Jennings, Vocational Rehab** -shared that the referrals have increased but not to the magnitude that it needs to be. The increase is for the physical needs but not mental health. Rarely does she receive a mental health referral. Ms. Jennings is able to work with the school system regular population and are currently working with the EC. Please make referrals.

