PROFESSIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Meeting Notes

March 23, 2017 | 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

In Attendance

☒ Shawn Lybarger, Chair	☐ Erin Helgren	☐ Pat Sublette
☒ Amber Barrows, Vice Chair	☒ Cati Adkins	☐ Heather Freilinger
☒ Trina Gwaltney	☒ Karin Hardin	☒ Mark Andrews
☐ Nanette Hagen	☐ Cindy Shirtcliff	

Staff Present: Gillian Wesenberg, Cynthia Hurkes, Vanessa Pingleton and Linda Ray

Others Present: Sondra Williams, Kelly Fife, and Chris Bowman

Action Items

Approve March meeting notes.

Motion: Mark Andrews

Second: Karin Hardin

Meeting Notes Approved.

HUB Update – State Assessment

Early Learning Division Site Visit – March 9th went well.

Gillian Wesenberg shared a presentation with the Early Learning Division representative and Hub partners about the Hub History and progress to date. A local systems work group met from 2011 to 2013 to create a Hub system who gave presentations. There was presentations from Home Visiting, FCCN, and Yoncalla Early Works. The region was well represented. The South Central Oregon Early Learning Hub hosted a luncheon with discussions with Hub and ELD partners. The state emphasized that we need to work collectively towards our goals as a region which includes Douglas, Klamath and Lake for regional outcomes. The Hub will be updating our annual plan and strategies with a regional lens. We can look at working together on our goals across the region.
Gillian spoke about Tony Biglan from the Oregon Research Institute. He has included the SCOEL Hub as a great example of the Hub system's Kindergarten Partnership and Innovation Program data. 173 parents, along with learning educators, were surveyed in Lake and Douglas schools (before Klamath joined the Hub). The handout reflects change in percentages, one of the few ways we have to measure change in KPI. Gillian will send out a final report from Tony Biglan which will also be sent to national researchers.

Cynthia Hurkes highlighted the upcoming P3 event about cross sector alignment. Portland State University will be in Douglas County on May 11th. Cynthia provided a handout and registration is open. The last part of the evening will involve brainstorming and parents will be invited to participate too.

Christin Depner will transition to Douglas Public Health Network on April third but will still be connected to Hub.

Cow Creek Tribe Update

Mark Andrews gave a presentation on the Tribe's new webpage. It includes an event calendar with after school activities – reading groups, etc. The Tribe broke the website down into sections for age groups. Vroom helped fund some of the website project and is included on the site. Pre K, Elementary, Middle, High, Adult Education/College – scholarship information is included with exam dates and resources for students as well. There are working parents with children who are looking to transfer to the next level of education and they included an area designated for parenting education. There is an Idea 8 – blog accessible for parents to ask questions of parenting coaches (nationwide). It will also hold news about the Tribe Community Center Career Readiness tab – vocational information, interview skills, and help building resumes. The site is only accessed by the Tribe Members at cowcreekeducation.com. The goal is to keep it fresh and interactive. Community partners can send event information to Mark.

Steam Hub DCPSS Presentation

Steam Hub – Partners for Student Success – local and regional collaborative. Designed on cradle to career approach. Gave a strategic map handout, the goal is that every child graduates.

Umpqua Valley STEAM Hub – has a lending library for community engagement. It is shifting the culture and bringing more awareness to higher education.

Gwen Soderberg Chase – leads the group meeting at the Boys and Girls Club. Shawn shared an invitation to PAC Community Partners to join the group.

Event – 2017 Steam Extravaganza (Attach) Steam Activities available for all aged children. May sixth Douglas County Partners for Student Success.

Advantage Dental Presentation

Cindy Shirtcliff – presented Advantage Dental Oral Health Activities going on in our community. Oral infection from bacteria can transfer from parent to child in the first 6 months. They are trying to approach this topic from a public health perspective. There is a 2288 OHP population that Advantage Dental is trying to do a risk assessment and outreach. They are working with the Mercy Foundation and 18 schools in Douglas County. Advantage participates with the Oral Health Coalition. They meet the fourth Tuesday of the month and Douglas Public Health Network is involved. The program is mapping oral health in Douglas County to identify gaps, expand services, and collaborate with other community partners. They attended last Saturday's Community Baby Shower and will attend the Celebrate Children event. They will collaborate with Mercy Foundation to screen at UCAN, FRN, and WIC. A new idea is to work with pregnant mothers by doing home visits to do oral health education and connect with local dentists. They predict that in the 3rd year of the program they will have quality improvement with the University of Washington. They are identifying the risks, and ruled out three school services based on risk in the future. They have separated the risk assessment into three categories: Low, Moderate, and High Risk. They triage kids in moderate to high risk first using silver fluoride. Hoping to prevent giving kids anesthesia for treatment (risks and even one death – learning disabilities) as silver fluoride is more effective.

Partner Updates

Karin Hardin – Celebrate Children event went well, Over 2000 people came through the event on Saturday April 29th.

Vanessa Pingleton – Home visiting project decided on coordination referral model of no wrong door. She's taking the form to leadership April 18th meeting and hopes to launch by June 1st.

Cindy Shirtcliff – Development of Perinatal Taskforce Hexo – came out of Jackson/Josephine meetings. The Task Force meets the first Monday of the month, and they are looking for more participation from community partners.

Shawn Lybarger -Head Start is in the middle of recruitment working with EL/ECSE and Roseburg Schools joint preschool effort and created a joint brochure and pre-application to send out to parents. Head Start rep at each school for Meet the Teacher nights, a total of 8 schools. May 20th there will be a Resource and Family event community partners invited to participate and it will be at Stewart Park, they are working with the YMCA on the event.

Christin Depner – Hired new positions. New Beginnings hired a behaviorist to work with pregnant opiate dependent women. Will be meeting with doctors to identify the needs of the women. They will get their referrals to UHA Program through doctors. They are working with substance abuse and mental health patients that aren't pregnant, helping to get them connected to resources. They are trying to bridge the gap and get everyone involved working with kids that have mental health issues. The challenge is non-emergent situations as well as locating the needs in the community. A pilot program is Embedded Care Navigators (2 locations) who are with patients assigned to their offices. Dr. Rodney Todd and Umpqua Health Harvard. Shawn and UCAN – Healthy Start – works with Josephine County to reduce infant mortality. Americorp Representative stationed at WIC focused on teen mothers – baby store – getting tickets from WIC to exchange at the store.

April Agenda Planning

1. Work Plan (for region) Visitor. Celebrate Success
2. STEAM: Hub's involvement at event
3. Parenting Advisory Hub Update – send May flyer out, brainstorm ideas for more involvement and look at budget helping with barriers.

Next Meeting

Shawn will talk to Marsha about preparing a budget to present at next meeting for incentives.