



CCDFA Monthly General Coalition Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, Nov 13, 2024
9:00am – 10:30am

Welcome/Introductions/Icebreaker

Alexis Bond, NKHD	Laura Brinson (ECS)	Lindsey Honaker (Passport)
Jill Fessler, Silver Grove City Council	Caroline Mullins, NorthKey RPC	Mary Schneider, (KCP) - Vice Chair
Linda Bates (WellCare of KY) Secretary	Chrisite Jefferds (NKCES-NKISP)	Brianna Wolken (NKODCP)
Courtney New (NKY ASAP-NKSWOMHA)	Sarah Sharp, (Bellevue Independent Schools)	Alexis Bond (NKY Health Dept) Board Member
Nicole Frevola (Director)	Sarah Bishop (Coordinator)	Grace Dyas (Intern)

Minutes Review

Courtney New motions to approve the minutes, Jill Fessler seconds.

Director and Coordinator Report

Were reviewed. It had been approved by the Board during the Board meeting.

Financial Report

Nicole reviewed. Christie Jefferds makes motion and Alexis seconds.

Remaining funds in each grant are:

STOP: \$23,500.93

DFC: \$ 208,362.73

CARA: \$64,868

Guardian Savings: \$25,000

Upcoming Events:

- Nov 22 5:30-8:00 Mentoring Plus, will host an open house and are looking for people to table the event. The new building is at 840 Washington, Newport, KY, Holy Spirit Junior High School. Cold Stone Creamery will be giving away ice cream.

- Blue Christmas on Dec 5. This is a free evening for those who find the holidays difficult. It is a free dinner, night of remembrance and camaraderie.

Recent Events:

- Everything You Need to Know About Cannabis- Courtney gave an overview of the training
- Youth Summit on Oct 23, CCDFFA brought the mini brain to this event with some additional financial support from other DFC organizations. Christie reports the Brain received many positive comments from youth.
- NKU Drug Take Back Days on Oct 24 and Community Take Back on Oct 26. NKY combined collect 1248lbs. Lock Boxes were also given out each day
- Red Ribbon Week—Nicole and Sarah set up at schools and had a game for youth to play. The coping kits were a big hit with students.
- Campbell County Health Fair at Newport Library, small turnout but did give out lock boxes.

New Business:

- SPF: grant submission deadline has been pushed back to April.
- DFC: grant submission is due in March.
- Strategic planning for grant submission: if we want to apply for DFC again, we need to focus on a sub-section of the community. We would focus the application on providing services on the River Cities, Bellevue, Newport, Dayton. This would be a different focus than we had in years past, as the coalition originated out of the southern end of the county. It was suggested that Silver Grove, Melbourne, California be included in the “River Cities”.
- Met with Ryan Salzman is working with a smoke free ordinance in Wilder.
- Medical Marijuana, during the election, all cities voted yes to have a dispensary. So what direction do we want to take as a coalition and addressing prevention? Christie recommends we focus on education because people do not understand the potency of today’s marijuana. We could highlight the increase in overdoses from edibles. Ideas for education could be mailers, videos, articles in LINK, leveraging social media. Include NKU students, high school, and middle school students. NKU Fuel, Brighton Center YLD, Sunshine Club at Bellevue, Opportunity House, Mentoring Plus.
- Hosting a day of distributing information and lock boxes, partnering with Bellevue Schools,
- Reach out to Jennifer and see if we can get some students and get the video’s going.

Old Business:

- Bellevue had some KIP surveys but the numbers were really low because of the opt in condition.
- Bathroom stalls project: Grace has created a “news flyers” for each month to put in the stall’s local schools.
- Sarah is updating the website, all info is current but need new educational materials. There is a calendar with important dates on it including committee and general meetings. If you have any suggestions of items to put on the website, send to Sarah.

Committees:

- Sustainability meeting will be meeting on Wednesday, Nov 20 from 9-10:30 via Zoom.
- Broke into committee groups for Outreach and Education.
- Outreach Committee found some educational material to add to the website.

Announcements:

- NorthKey is hosting a needs assessment for Campbell County and if anyone takes
- NKY ASAP is hosting NKY State Legislator Meet and Greet on Dec 12 from 3:00-4:30 at Northern KY Health Dept. RSVP to Courtney New @
- NKY ASAP is accepting applications for mini grants and are due by Dec 16. Must be related to Prevention, Treatment, Law Enforcement.
- NKY ASAP has a needs assessment that closes on Dec 2 please share with
- On Friday, November 15 from 11:30am-1:30pm at One Stop Help Center, 1613 Madison Ave., Covington, KY: There will be Mobile Units and Resource Boxes give away. Food Boxes need to be pre-ordered through Be Concerned, UK Health Care will have mobile units, VA Homeless Mobile Health Clinic will be there, Parish Kitchen will be providing lunch and a bike clinic. Household items will be distributed as long as supplies last .

Adjournment: Courtney makes motion to adjourn and Alexis seconds work. Adjourned at 11:22am

Submitted by: Linda Bates

The next coalition meeting will be on **Wednesday, January 8, 2025, from 9:00am to 10:30.**

In-Person ONLY (520 Licking Pike Wilder, KY- **Wilder City Bldg. Lower Level**)

Common Prevention Acronyms

ATOD	Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs
CADCA	Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America
CARA	Comprehensive Addiction & Recovery Act
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
CSAP	Center for Substance Abuse Prevention
DASH	Department of Adolescent Student Health
DFAA	Drug Free Action Alliance
DFC	Drug Free Communities Support Program
HEAL	HEALing Communities Study
KASAC	Kentucky Adolescent Substance Abuse Consortium
KY ASAP	Kentucky Agency for Substance Abuse Policy
KY ODCP	Kentucky Office of Drug Control Policy
KPN	Kentucky Prevention Network
KY PES	Kentucky Prevention Enhancement Sites (PES):
	Alcohol PES
	Cannabis PES
	Mental Health Promotion/Suicide PES
	Nicotine PES
	Stimulant PES
NIAA	National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism
NIDA	National Institute on Drug Abuse
NIH	National Institute of Health
NCADI	National Clearinghouse for Alcohol and Drug Information
NKISP	Northern Kentucky Institute for Strategic Prevention
NKY Coalitions	Boone County Alliance (BCA)
	Campbell County Drug Free Alliance (CCDFA)
	Carroll County Champions
	Covington Partners
	Erlanger-Elsmer Early Childhood Community Collaborative (E3C)
	Gallatin County Champions
	Grant County Champions
	Kenton County Alliance (KCA)
	Owen County Drug Prevention Task Force
Pendleton County Champions	
NKY ASAP	Northern Kentucky Agency for Substance Abuse Policy
NKY ODCP	Northern Kentucky Office of Drug Control Policy
NREPP	National Registry of Effective Prevention Programs
PIRE	Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation
RPC	NorthKey Regional Prevention Center
SAMHSA	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration
SPF	Strategic Prevention Framework
STOP Act	Sober Truth on Preventing Underage Drinking Act
ONDCP	Office of National Drug Control Policy

