

Pueblo Continuum of Care Meeting August 15, 2017 10:00am
Pueblo County Emergency Operations Center
101 West 10th Street, Pueblo, CO 81003
Sister Nancy Crafton-Facilitator

I. Updates and Introductions: If your agency has extensive updates consider emailing them to Meagan.Schroeder@posadapueblo.org prior to the meeting so that all the information is entered correctly in the minutes.

II. Minutes from July 2017: (any corrections/additions)

III. Continuum of Care:

- A) RFP
- B) Coordinated Entry
- C) Balance of State Board Representation

IV. Back to School

V. Stand Down

VI. Other Business

Adjourn no later than 11:30am

Pueblo Continuum of Care

Minutes for July 18, 2017

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Facilitator Sister Nancy Crafton

Recorder Meagan Schroeder

Members Present: Sister Nancy Crafton – Los Pobres; Meagan Schroeder, Anne Stattelman, LaTanya Yarbrough – Posada; Brittney Moudy-Colgate, Alison Gerbig – RMHS/HAV; Stephen Bundy, Barbara Turner – VA HUD/VASH; Kimberly Yarbrough, DSS; Brenda Nemick – ADRC/211; Barbara Ripperger, Kenna Lawson – King of Kings Lutheran Church; Mary Rivera – Pueblo Step Up; Kathy Cline – Salvation Army; Cindy Bernal – Pueblo EPIC; Bella Vigil – Crisis Intervention Center; Melissa Bruce – Health Solutions; Jacinta Ramos – Parkview Medical Center; Avanye Renner, Christina Leal – Pueblo Community Health Center; Mary Lucero-Hill, Ernest Bilinski, Kristen Carr – SCAP; Tina Sauer – Children First; Jackie Jaramillo – PRM; Kristen Castor – CO Cross Disability; Susan Lindeman – Center for Disabilities; Trevor M. Hardin – SRDA; Adrian Medina – Pueblo County Veteran Services; Gail Rodosevich – CO Legal Services; Nancy Arredondo, Rebecca Tamez – CDOC-Parole; Leanda Turner – Centura; Adina Vega – Pueblo Rape Crisis; Natasha Leslie – NeighborWorks; Candace Rivera, YWCA; Vanessa Brazee – PCCHD; Jill Kidd – Pueblo City Schools; Karen Ashcraft – PCSO ESB; Edie De La Torre – Cooperative Care

I. Updates and Introductions

Mary Lucero-Hill – SCAP: Hired 2 new CM positions. Approximately 95-115 cases of HIV in Pueblo County. Southern CO is close to 500.

Ernest Bilinski, SCAP: We have 3 prevention programs; free rapid HIV/Hep C testing, provide financial assistance, direction to prescriptions; Access Point Pueblo – syringe access program, open Tuesdays from 10am-12pm and 1:30-4pm. 807 N. Greenwood St. Suite 200. Wed and Thurs offer testing only.

Adina Vega, Pueblo Rape Crisis: June very busy month, high count of kids 16 and under.

Natasha Leslie, Neighborworks: Energy Outreach Program, supply lower income family with fridge, swamp cooler, LED lightbulbs. This year income guidelines have increased to help more people. People on housing can apply for services now. We have an employee who goes to houses and puts in new lightbulbs. They do not have to be home owners. Renters need approval by landlord. Complete online through website.

Brenda Nemick, SRDA, ADRC 211: End of June, no longer an assistance site to assist people in enrolling for Connect for Health Colorado.

Stephen Bundy, HUD/VASH: Utilizing voucher services, moved Wednesday services to 111 N. Union 12p-3p.

Karen Ashcraft, PCSO ESB: We will be asking for help on the Emergency Plan for Pueblo County.

LaTanya Yarbrough, Posada: We have moved services out of 225 Colorado. We are seeing clients at DSS Desert Flower location, 8am-12pm, M-F.

Jill Kidd, Pueblo City Schools: Serving at risk suppers at the libraries and 10 schools, free of charge. At the end of 2016-2017 school year, there were 1327 students that were homeless. Total enrollment was 17,000 for D60.

Susan Lindeman, Center for Disabilities: Open enrollment for housing programs. 80 people have signed up. 901 W. 8th location.

Tina Sauer, Children First: They do not have a list of childcare providers any longer. Call 1 877 338 2273 for help with that. If you have changes to the Resource Guide call 719 549 3407.

Cindy Bernal, EPIC: Looking for Board development if anyone is interested.

Kathy Kline, Salvation Army: Doing utility assistance currently inundating staff time. For referrals, we will take their names and get back to them. We have done 50-60 applications, need to process 30-40 more.

Edie De La Torre, Pueblo Cooperative Care: We issue clients vouchers for DMV and Broadway Pharmacy, but clients do not actually go there to use them, which causes the business to lose money. Working on a new process. Opened 340 new files from out of state. Doing a Men's clothing drive.

Brittney Moudy-Colgate, Intern, RMHS / HAV: Clients can call 855 838 7428 to apply for program. Active clients please call 719 471 5300. New office is located at 827 E. 4th St.

Christina Leal, PCHC: Homeless that need medical send to her at 1008 N. Grand Ave. 8:30am-12pm M-F.

Anne Stattelman, Posada: The youth program is still running out of 225 Colorado, 8am-12pm M-F.

Kristen Castor, CO Cross Disability Coalition: Focused on saving Medicaid long term care. Secure for now.

Jackie Jaramillo, Pueblo Rescue Mission: Working on rehabilitation in the building. A bid is out for construction. We will be open no later than November 1. 100 beds total; 60 for Men, 40 for Women. We can hold 150 clients on cold nights.

Gail Rodosevich, Colorado Legal Services: Increased people being turned down for AND, please send them to us. For service call 719 545 6708 Ext. 444. Have all paperwork with them, from 9-3pm can come to local office. Still doing protection orders, ID program, Helping seal records. Our Pilot program, Kinship Adoption, is extended to grandparents. We are providing a clinic 9/18/17 6-8pm, Hope for Children, at 801 W. 4th. There is no screening of clients. On 10/27/17 is Legal Resource Day at the Judicial Building 9am-3pm, no screening, safe environment.

II. Minutes from May 2017

Minutes were accepted.

III. Continuum of Care

IV. Pueblo Issues

- a. Current services
- b. Upcoming Standdown
The upcoming Standdown is taking place September 29, 2017.
- c. Debrief on Community Picnic
The Community Picnic had a good turnout. 8 clients were memorialized.

V. Other Business