Summary of Minutes

Call to Order:
Co-Chair called the meeting of the Jackson Care Connect (JCC) Community Advisory Council (CAC) at 4:08pm. October 2018 minutes were approved.

Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP) Grant Presentations:
• Kid Time – Sunny Spicer, ED – Power Point Presentation - Questions and Discussion held.
  • Sunny also talked about their new building –The Old Carnegie Library.

• Big Idea (United Way) - Talia Matthias, Community Impact Director Education and Health- No PowerPoint.
  • This program started when the current juniors were in 5th grade. The cohort usually hovers at approx. 1300 students. The goal is 100% high school completion. Jackson County graduation rates continue to rise. Originally began in Medford School District, Eagle Point School District and Illinois Valley School District have joined.
  • They gather together and talk about leadership.
  • Work with OSU Nursing program.
  • Healthy Teen Survey – tracking moods – the committee is getting good data and they are monitoring the students. This tracking helps with attention to, and conversations around self-harm, unsafe sex, not safe at home, etc.
  • Committee - A grand idea – trying new things and recognizing what works is great and what doesn’t they can let go off. As juniors, the students are doing a lot of testing. It became evident that one way of helping the students was to make sure they had full tummies before they tested.
  • The committee has help in many individual ways as well, such as helping to pay rent, lots of eye doctor appointments, food for families, fixed truck for dad
  • 94% of their students have one healthy adult in their lives
  • Educate on Suicide Prevention and Postvention
  • Equity and Inclusion
  • Graduation Coach – Illinois Valley and Eagle Point School District

Discussion and Questions held. What happens after graduation 2020. There will be a lot of good data to help future students.

All presenters left the meeting.
Food Stamp Update – EBT Edge: CAC Member
CAC Member talked about the food stamp program ABOD program.
He shared a slide that showed how to access EBT Edge – Link

CCO Advancing Health Equity Conference: CAC Member & Nancy
Nancy talked about the focus of the conference. Not just ethnic diversity but also how we are different and how are we the same.
CAC Member shared –The first workshop that CAC Member attended called Embedding Equity for staff, board and committees. Looking at ourselves with regard to equity. He was impressed with the enthusiasm of the groups and speakers. CAC Member liked the activity on privilege, although he wished there was more of a conclusion to the activity.

Susan Bash says, “Good Bye”: All
Susan had to leave early and she shared that this is her last meeting. She is very busy with her family and other commitments. She thanked everyone.

Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Activity: Jovita
Jovita asked what our group is interesting in learning about Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion.
CAC Member suggested doing a privilege exercise and would like data on demographics on JCC CAC Membership makeup. Don suggested touching on other issues and factors around Health Equity. What are the specific measures, or disparities Jackson Care Connect is focusing around Equity? Jovita indicated we are focusing on: The impact of geographic isolation and Emergency Department Utilization with a focus on SPMI.
CAC Member suggested learning more on Socioeconomic status and another CAC Member would like to know more about housing.

Oregon Health Authority (OHA) Updates: Belle
See handout for Belle’s complete report and contact Belle with any questions.

Engagement Opportunities: Nancy
Flyer attached

Word on the Street:
Use “Word on the street” as a platform for community opportunities.
CAC Member – Appreciates JCC’s help with insurance – he had a medical appointment and had a great experience.

Nancy sent and invitation to the CAC Members for the meeting for the final Report for the Community Health Assessment 12-10-18.

Next month we have a Joint Meeting with the Board of Directors, CAP, CAC and N&Q – December 13 at 3-5pm. We will have our regular CAC meeting on December 19th we will have some sort of celebration.

Meeting adjourned at 6:05pm. Next meeting December 19th, 2018 from 4-6pm.