

**Lenawee Health Network (LHN)
Full Meeting
Meeting Minutes – November 10, 2022**

Attendees (22):

Name	Agency	Name	Agency
Kelly Bredeson	<i>Adrian Public Schools Head Start</i>	Cody Waters	<i>Boys & Girls Club of Lenawee</i>
Juliana Moore	<i>Care Pregnancy Center of Lenawee</i>	Sue Lewis	<i>Catholic Charities Jackson, Lenawee Hillsdale Counties</i>
Brian Elliot	<i>disAbility Connections Inc.</i>	Jennifer Ferrari	<i>Family Medical Center of MI</i>
Becky Selenko	<i>Lenawee County Health Department</i>	Monica Hunt	<i>Lenawee County Health Department</i>
Madeline DeMarco	<i>Lenawee Community Mental Health Authority</i>	Jackie Bradley	<i>Lenawee Community Mental Health Authority</i>
Vickie Pfeifer	<i>Michigan State University Extension</i>	Frank Nagle	<i>ProMedica</i>
Amy Gilhouse	<i>ProMedica Hickman Hospital & Farms</i>	Martha York	<i>Region 2 Area Agency on Aging</i>
Laura Covey	<i>Thome PACE</i>	Laura Schultz Pipis	<i>United Way Lenawee & Monroe Counties</i>
Beth Deakins	<i>YMCA of Lenawee</i>	Jennifer Hunter	<i>Adrian Dominican Sisters</i>
Dr. Bill Doherty	<i>Doherty Family Dentistry</i>	Molly Bowman	<i>ProMedica Charlotte Stephenson</i>
Cari Rebottaro	<i>Lenawee County Department on Aging</i>		

Frank Nagle called the meeting to order at 8:02 a.m.

Agenda: Motion: MY; Support: JF – motion carries to approve agenda as presented.

Minutes: Motion: LP; Support: JF – motion carries to approve minutes as presented.

Leadership Updates

Inspiration & Appreciation:

- “Being vulnerable is a risk we have to take if we want to experience connection” – Brené Brown
- “We are like islands in the sea, separate on the surface but connected in the deep.” – William James
- Appreciation:
 - o Madeline DeMarco: “I appreciate Matthew Raad! Matt has been a great community partner to work with. For things from Day of HOPE to the Veteran's Day training, Matt is excited to be part of things, eager to learn, and always thinking about new things we can bring to Lenawee County. Plus he always shows up with a laugh and lots of freebies. :) Thank you, Matt for being you!”
- Please submit quotes of inspiration or notes of appreciation please send to frank.nagle@promedica.org by the 4th Friday of each month.

COVID-19:

- As of 11/07/2022, Lenawee County has 29,263 positive cumulative cases:
 - o 107 total active cases
 - o 28,809 discontinued from isolation and improving
 - o 347 deaths

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- 54.1% fully vaccinated
- 70% is vaccination rate goal

- Lenawee County Health Department is now offering the new COVID booster by appointment. To schedule, please call 517-264-5226 and select option 2.
- Lenawee County Health Department is changing testing site hours, effective October 31, 2022. The new hours of operation are Monday/Thursday from 9-2:30 pm at the Lenawee Transportation garage. At home testing kits are also available.
- For real-time data and updates for testing and vaccines in Lenawee County please visit <http://www.lenawee.mi.us/931/COVID-19-Case-Testing-Information>
- For real time data and updates for Michigan, please visit <https://emhsd.maps.arcgis.com/apps/opsdashboard/index.html#/ea9fb6d9caaa4937995113dbd5d0a87a>

Collective Impact Core – Trauma & Resilience Common Agenda

- Guiding Principle #5 – Empowerment, Voice, Choice
 - Definition – Every person’s experience is unique and requires an individualized approach. This builds on what individuals and communities have to offer, rather than responding to received deficits.
 - Marth York shared that Region 2 Area Agency on Aging is hosting a Dementia Minds event where people with dementia are having a chance to share their stories and give voice to their experience of living with dementia. The aim is to dispel the “tragedy narrative” that many stigmatize dementia as being, and instead show how they still have things to contribute in our society. Being part of this Dementia Minds group and hosting a public event that shares their stories gives them a sense of purpose as they work to educate the greater community on how to value and include people with dementia.”
 - Laura Schultz Pipis shared that during the community’s response in supporting residents at Riverview Terrace, DHHS, Department on Aging, Share the Warmth and other organizations dedicated resources to ensure all residents were connected to case worker that could support their individual needs. The team also formed a taskforce and were able to secure resident participation to ensure their voice was at the table and part of shaping the decisions and supports provided.

- Guiding Principle #6 – Cultural, Historical, & Gender Issues
 - Definition – The community actively overcomes cultural stereotypes and biases, is culturally responsive, leverages the healing value of traditional cultural connections and recognizes and addresses historical trauma.
 - Examples will be shared at the December LHN meeting and a summary of all guiding principles and examples shared during LHN meetings will be drafted and made available in 2023.

CHIP Strategy & Collaborations

Agency Spotlight Presentation:

- Jennifer Hunter, Chief Operating Officer with the Adrian Dominican Sisters attended this month’s meeting to provide information about the organization’s Growing up Resilient Initiative in east Adrian.

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- The Adrian Dominican Sisters is a congregation of over 400 women world-wide. Their location in Adrian, Michigan was founded 150 years ago to set up the 1st hospital and later branched into Education, St. Joes Academy and Siena Heights University.
- 200 Sisters are on the Adrian Campus, which is separate from Siena Heights University but often associated as one. Their campus is located in east Adrian on 120 acres.
- Every 6 years, a new leadership team is elected and establishes the guiding principles and enactments that will be established over the term of their leadership. In 2016, the Resilient Communities enactment was affirmed, “recognizing racism, violence and intolerance of diversity fuel marginalization, we pledge our lives, money, and other resources to facilitate and participate in creating resilient communities with people who are relegated to the margins, valuing their faith, wisdom and integrity.
- This enactment is affirmed world-wide across Adrian Dominican Sister’s location in Adrian, Chicago, Pacific Northwest, Florida, Flint, and Dominican Republic.
- The investment in Adrian is focused on historic east Adrian area (map with exact geography in Power Point Slides)
- This is a collaborative initiative with Boys & Girls Club, All About Adrian Resident Coalition, Adrian Rea Literacy Center, and ProMedica Adrian Ebeid Neighborhood Promise to implement programming and services that:
 - o Develop Life Skills
 - o Connect youth and their families with community services
 - o Expand literacy and family education programs in east Adrian
 - o Creation of an ADS Youth Center for Learning

Agency Updates & Emerging Issues

Martha York – Region 2 Area Agency on Aging provided the following update(s):

- Medicare open enrollment opens October 15, 2022, through December 7, 2022.
- This is a time that people can meet with a Certified Medicare Counselor to make sure their coverage best fits their needs, to switch from original Medicare to a Medicare Advantage Plan, to switch from a Medicare Advantage Plan to Original Medicare, to join a new Medicare Part D Prescription Plan, to change their current Medicare Part D Prescription Plan.
- Appointments can be made over the phone, virtual or in person and can be made by calling the main line at Region 2 Area Agency on Aging at 517-592-1974.
- Wellness through Physical Activity Partnering Grant Project is an in-home physical activity program that includes assessment, training, and partnering with caregivers to help improve physical activity levels, range of motion, stamina, and social connectivity. By pairing people up and teaching motivational strategies, our aim is to have both the caregiver and the participant view physical activity and exercise as fun, beneficial, and desirable for home-bound older adults. **ACTIVELY RECRUITING PARTICIPANTS AT THIS TIME:** Contact Martha York @517-395-7891 or email livingwellprograms@r2aaa.net if interested.

Madeline DeMarco – Lenawee Community Mental Health provided the following update(s):

- Lenawee Community Mental Health Authority is hosting a November Mental Health First Aid Training that still has spots open to participate. The training takes place virtually on November 15, 2022, from 9:00 am – 4:00 pm. Please contact 517-264-0181 for more information.

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- A free training is available at the Lenawee County Human Services Building today in honor of Veterans. A virtual option is available for those that cannot attend in person. Trainings include VA Save and Military Culture Training.
- Residents can receive Narcan at no cost from Lenawee Community Mental Health Authority. Please contact CMH or Pathways Engagement Center for more information.

Laura Schultz Pipis – United Way of Monroe & Lenawee Counties provided the following update(s):

- Lenawee Health Check in October served 70-72 residents with low to no cost blood panel testing and wrap around health screenings provided by partner organizations. Flyer for 2023 April & October events will be available soon!

**LHN's next meeting is scheduled on December 08, 2022, from 8 – 9 am via ZOOM.
LHN Leadership meeting is TBD.**

Respectfully Submitted,

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Chairperson, Lenawee Health Network
ProMedica Social Determinants of Health
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