



Howard County Local Health Improvement Coalition

Healthy Minds & Suicide Prevention Coalition

March 2, 2023

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Virtual via Zoom

Minutes

Members Present:

Candace Ball, Local Children's Board
Karen Basinger, University of Maryland - Extension
Natalie Hall, Howard County Health Department
Karen Hull, Office of Aging & Independence
Jessica LaFave, Department of Veterans Affairs (Maryland)
Genny LaPorte, Howard County Police Department
Chad Lennon, Adventist Behavioral Healthcare
Sarah McCoy, Grassroots Crisis Intervention Center
Steve Myers, Alpha Foundation of Howard County Inc.
Kat Olbrich, American Foundation for Suicide Prevention
Emily Paterson, Maryland Poison Center
Emily Phillips, Howard County Health Department
Stephanie Reid, Howard County Health Department
Lisa Terry, Howard County Office of Veterans and Military Families
Laura Torres, Howard County General Hospital
Laura Willemin, Grassroots Crisis Intervention Center

Staff Present:

Ashton Jordan, HC Local Health Improvement Coalition
Reena Rambharat, HC Local Health Improvement Coalition
Sonya Lloyd, HC Local Health Improvement Coalition

Topic/Agenda	Discussion	Action/Follow-up
Welcome and Introductions	<p>Ashton Jordan, Community Engagement Coordinator, for the Howard County Local Health Improvement Coalition (HCLHIC), called the meeting to order at 2:00 pm.</p> <p>Mr. Jordan provided a welcome to members in attendance and had members introduce themselves via chat.</p>	

<p>Review of Previous Meeting's Minutes & Announcements</p>	<p>Mr. Jordan gave an overview of the 1/26 meeting minutes. He shared the following announcements with the workgroup members:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The American Foundation for Suicide Prevention is offering Not "Check Box" Training: Real Practices in Resilience for Police April 5, 2023, 9:00am – 10:30am - Bullseye Running will be hosting the 2nd Annual Light the Night 5k for Suicide Prevention occurring March 31st from 7:00pm – 8:30pm - Uplift Leadership Consulting will be hosting CONDUIT a care coordination and claims clinic for all veterans March 11th from 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM. - The American Foundation for Suicide Prevention will be hosting the Stronger Communities: LGBTQ Suicide Prevention Conference March 7th from 8:30am – 4:30 pm. <p>The following announcements were made by the members:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ms. Laura Torres, Howard County General Hospital, announced that the hospital will be launching an SBIRT intervention in the pediatric emergency department. - Ms. Jessica LaFave, Department of Veterans Affairs, shared that the first Friday every month, there is Vetnet happy hour for minority veterans. She also shared that criterion to receive care for veterans experiencing suicide ideation has been expanded through the COMPACT Act. - Ms. Sonya Lloyd, HC Local Health Improvement Coalition, shared that the Movement Workgroup will be meeting on 3/28 at 12pm virtually. - Ms. Candace Ball, Local Children's Board, announced that the Department of Community Resources and Services is hosting a training on ACES, Trauma and Resilience on 3/24. 	<p>Members were asked to share details on the Not "Check Box" Training: Real Practices in Resilience for Police through contacting Kat Olbrich: kolbrich@afsp.org or 202-770-8973</p> <p>Members were informed to register for the 2nd Annual Light the Night 5k through this link: https://www.bullseyerunning.com/event/2nd-annual-light-the-night-5k-for-suicide-prevention/</p> <p>Members were asked to share details about the CONDUIT Care Coordination and Claims Clinic with residents through contacting Dr. X: drx@upliftnrgcoaching.com or 240-575-5383</p> <p>Members interested in attending the Stronger Communities: LGBTQ Suicide Prevention Conference please use the registration link here: https://strongercommunitiesmdd.e.attendease.com/</p> <p>Members interested in getting more information about the COMPACT Act please use this link: https://www.va.gov/COMMUNITYCARE/programs/veterans/Emergency_Care.asp</p> <p>Members interested in joining or getting more information about the Movement Workgroup please contact Sonya Lloyd: sllloyd@howardcountymd.gov</p>
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	<p>- Ms. Reena Rambharat, HC Local Health Improvement Coalition, announced that the Full LHIC Meeting will be occurring April 20th in hybrid format.</p>	<p>Members interested in attending ACES, Trauma, and Resilience training please use the registration link here: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0f4eaeac2aa3f85-howard#/</p> <p>Members were directed to register for the Full LHIC meeting here: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2023-hclhic-full-coalition-meetings-tickets-433126562207</p>
<p>988 Discussion & CAREAPP Presentation</p>	<p>Ms. Stephanie Reid, Howard County Health Department, gave an overview of and lead a discussion on 988 in Howard County. Stephanie overviewed the brief from KFF on 988 suicide crisis lifeline implementations. Ms. Reid posed in the future a longer group discussion on the CDC’s Youth Risk Behavior Survey Report as well as Howard County’s Youth Risk Behavior Survey Report.</p> <p>Group had a brief discussion on what information we wanted collected on callers from 988 calls in Howard County. Suggestions included Volume of calls, method of 988 contact (call or text/chat), and age information.</p> <p>Mrs. Laura Torres, Howard County General Hospital, mentioned that the Howard County Community Engagement Committee are looking for 988 ambassadors to share 988 materials act as 988 experts in the community.</p> <p>Ms. Natalie Hall, Howard County Health Department, overviewed CAREAPP and guided navigation on the provider version. Ms. Hall mentioned that providers can login into CAREAPP to add and claim programs belonging to their organization. Claiming programs gives providers the ability to edit and update their program listing(s). CAREAPP is accessible in many languages</p>	<p>Members were directed to this link to review the KFF Brief on the 988 suicide crisis lifeline implementation: https://www.kff.org/other/issue-brief/taking-a-look-at-988-suicide-crisis-lifeline-implementation/</p> <p>Members were directed to this link to review the CDC Youth Risk Behavior Survey Report: https://www.cdc.gov/healthyyouth/h/data/yrbs/pdf/YRBS_Data-Summary-Trends_Report2023_508.pdf</p> <p>Members were directed to this link to review the Maryland/Howard County Youth Risk Behavior Survey Report: https://health.maryland.gov/phpa/ccdpc/Reports/Pages/State-Level-Data%2c-2021-2022.aspx</p> <p>Members interested in getting more information on becoming an 988 ambassador or receiving 988</p>

	<p>making this useful for families when English is not their first language. She iterated that providers have the ability to receive referrals or create an application for community members to fill out through CAREAPP.</p> <p>Mr. Jordan showcased the updated Mental Health & Suicide Prevention resource guide. The guide will link to CAREAPP and provide community members with information on over 300 mental health and suicide prevention programs offered in Howard County.</p>	<p>“swag” please contact Brian Bice or Laura Torres: bbice@howardcountymd.gov or ltorres6@jhmi.edu</p> <p>Members were directed to this link to create a provider CAREAPP account: https://www.hccareapp.org/login</p>
<p>Next Steps & Wrap-up</p>	<p>Mr. Ashton Jordan mentioned that the next Full LHIC meeting will be April 20th. He also shared that meeting minutes will be available on the LHIC website after the meeting.</p> <p>Mr. Jordan adjourned the meeting at 2:00 pm.</p>	<p>Members were directed to register for the Full LHIC meeting here: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2023-hclhic-full-coalition-meetings-tickets-433126562207</p>

Respectfully submitted by
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