

WORKPLACE WELLNESS COMMITTEE AGENDA

Thursday, August 16, 2018

2:00pm – 3:00pm

Attendees:

Tara Fitzgerald, Dutchess County Department of Behavioral Health	Danielle Schuka, American Heart Association
Roxie Raffa, Aldephi University	Bonnie Reyna, WMC PPS
Michelle Kleinman, Rockland County Department of Health	Victoria Reid, HealthlinkNY
Renita Malone, HealthlinkNY	Hisieni Sacasa, HealthlinkNY

I. Welcome & Introduction

Victoria Reid welcomed the group introductions were made and the meeting opened at approximately 2:00 pm.

II. New Business

a. Rockland Update

Michelle Kleinman reported that Bridges signed on to work with Rockland County Department of Health and she will be following up with the Lexington Center and will submit follow up by September 5th. Victoria stated that at the next meeting, we should plan the medals ceremony for Rockland.

b. Westchester Update

Victoria suggested that instead of doing a stand-alone medal ceremony, we will plan another Westchester event and recognize medaling at the beginning of that event. HealthlinkNY will follow up the groups that attended.

c. Dutchess Workplace Wellness Summit

The next item discussed was the Dutchess Workplace Wellness Summit. Tara Fitzpatrick stated that Mohegan Sun will not be able to submit a video showing their success story as planned and mentioned bringing the organization in via Skype. Victoria explained that we have not a good experience incorporating

Skype into past meeting and requested that Tara ask for a PowerPoint presentation from them instead. Tara will contact Lisa Nest of Mohegan Sun to make this request and report back to Victoria and/or Renita.

Victoria told that group that we are still recruiting at cost resources for the morning networking portion of the event. Any suggestions for resources should be sent to Renita and Victoria.

Next, Victoria reported to the workgroup that Danielle Schuka of American Heart Association (AHA) arranged a meeting with AHA, HealthlinkNY and the Dutchess Chamber of Commerce. We will now be promoting the event on their Community Events Calendar; through a radio spot; and via the Chamber's Newsletter mailing in October.

Additionally, the next Chamber Breakfast which may be possible for our medaling ceremony is in April and the Chamber will be meeting with their committee for approval.

Next, Victoria announced the partners for the speed networking section of the event – AHA, Eat Smart NY, Tobacco Free Action Committee, Dutchess County Department of Behavioral Health. Victoria also asked Tara for suggestions on what Dutchess might highlight during the networking section.

The group was also asked to continue sharing the event flyer and encourage people to attend to ensure we have a successful event.

III. Old Business

Next, Victoria informed the group that the video sizzle reel is being revised to not include Orange County so we may use it to promote future events.

Additionally, the workgroup was informed that the Orange County Chamber Breakfast event is where we will be medaling for Orange County medal recipients. The event is scheduled on Thursday, September 13 in New Windsor. Those that are interested in attending the event should register on the Chamber website.



IV. Announcements

No announcements were made during this meeting.

V. Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at approximately 2:30 pm.

Next Meeting: September 20, 2018 at 2:00pm