

**Ripon Opioid Initiative – Four Pillar Approach
Drug Free Communities of Fond du Lac County**

Date: February 27, 2017

Recorder: Ellen Sorensen
The meeting was called to order at 4:00 pm

Present: Katie Barzano/Family Med. Agnesian; Alex Berg/DFC; Candy Fitzwater/community; Connor Hanson/Ripon Drug; Alysha Kloeckner/Families United; Ann Kloeckner/Families United; Chad McKnight/Ripon Printers; Tami Moffat-Keenlance/RMC; Cheryl O’Grady-Richie/RMC; Jan Rene/community; Ellen Sorensen/DFC; John Teachout/Ripon PD/EMS; Wendy McCulloch/Ripon Area School; Anna Ewerdt/Alliance Laundry Systems; Mary Lyke/

Absent: Holly Brenner; Deb Carver; Tim Lyke; Michelle Ries; Carol Sache; Jolene Schatzinger; Gary Wetzel

Excused: Dr. Gauthier/RMC

Topic	Major Point Discussed	Resolution and Action Required	Assigned to
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome and Introductions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alex began introductions and gave a little background and asked everyone to introduce themselves. 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Four Pillar Updates 	<p>Prevention - updates on drug drop. STAAND, ATOD, Funeral Home directors, Realtors, Dentists.</p> <p>Harm Reduction - Narcan trainings. Reviewed the FDL training. Next training in Ripon is Saturday, March 4th. Past trainings had 14 people. Anyone can attend. Needle exchange. A mobile unit visits FDL county. We don’t think he has come to Ripon. Ripon folks do exchange at the Winnebago Public Health department which houses the exchange on behave of the ARC. Intern at FDL County Health department researching best practices.</p> <p>Law Enforcement – drug drop box is still being used. Discussion of the difference in folks who need assistance in drug disposal. The box remains very popular. Drug Court has some referrals from Ripon. Transportation remains an issue. Field administration of Narcan. It was successful. Thinks meth has been nipped in the bud. Still seeing a lot of heroin. Fentanyl has been the problem in cutting heroin. Discussion of flyers for families when an overdose occurs for family and/or friends for reference and resource.</p> <p>Treatment – Vivitrol Treatment program is being beta tested in FDL two people in out-patient treatment a third is in intensive day therapy. A fourth is in the pipeline.</p>	<p>Posters are available for distribution. Affinity, Generations, Heartland. Research hospices for providing information.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Update secure/disposal of medication for spring campaign 	<p>Reviewed earlier in the meeting. Discussion of School letters, Meals on Wheels. Sewer and water bill on the fall for each household. We will do a brief survey to realtors, funeral home directors etc. to see how successful they were in disseminating information.</p>	<p>Distribute flyers.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Building Capacity 	<p>Addition of clergy. Addicts and the recovery community. Discussion of how to respectfully address someone in recovery. A representative from Ripon College will be invited. Speak with Websters. Also, reps</p>	<p>Candy will follow up with her perspective. Alysha will work with folks in recovery to see if she can invite someone. Alex will</p>	<p>DFC staff/Committee members</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ripon Report • Addiction Run Walk 	<p>from assisted living facility. Speak to someone at Sodexo. Other businesses. HR round tables. Speak to the Alliance Laundry Union regarding partnering with Alliance on prevention. Bus lines should be contacted also.</p> <p>Alex updated them. Reach out to businesses to develop educational/prevention trainings for employers and staff.</p> <p>Schedule for April 8th. Materials will be emailed out to meeting participants.</p>	<p>research assisted living facilities. Anna from Alliance will reach out to her HR group.</p> <p>Send out registration to the group.</p>	<p>DFC Staff</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open discussion 			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Next Meeting 	<p>TBD Doodle Poll late in the day. Should meet monthly.</p>		