



# Behavioral Health Board – Region 3

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### CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH AND PROVIDER SUB-COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES Wednesday, June 24, 2020

Present: Melissa Mezo, Jeff Cappe, Joy Husmann, Sydney Young, Amanda Goldston, Daphne Lightfoot, Megan Gomez, Kelly Aberasturi, Ali Shields, Brenda Willson, Darren Bushee, Jeri Gowen, Lori Farrrens, Linda Pratzner

#### **ALLOWABLE CARRY OVER FUNDS**

Jeff Cappe presented. There is a total of \$40,000 left to carry over to the next fiscal year; these funds need to be spent by September 15<sup>th</sup> and billed to Office of Drug Policy by September 21<sup>st</sup>. Realistically, this carry over needs to be spent by the end of August 2020. This money can be used for the mental health screenings towards youth. Darren Bushee from Optum will research summer camps for mental health screenings for youth. Jeff Cappe will get the Be the Parent bookmarks translated to Spanish and have the Self Rescue Manual and the Adolescent Resource Guide printed and translated into Spanish. Linda Pratzner will ask a Southwest District Health employee. Their time will be coded to the PFS grant. Vallivue is having a prom; Jeri Gowen will check into this. Use the PChat meetings for district 3 to distribute bookmarks, manuals and other materials. Jeff was able to send the Be the Parents bookmarks with the homework from schools. COSSA is holding summer schools; reach out for screenings as well as Elevate Academy. Joy Husmann will send Jeff Cappe contacts. Jeff will resend the survey to schools in June and then access the kids in July. Jeff Cappe will create a survey card and/or QR card for the survey to give to youth. Kids 14 years or older can fill out the survey without parent consent. Parks and Recs holds the lunch program; Darren Bushee will check to see if this will be running this summer to piggy back on this program. Creating grocery bags with Be the Parents logo and then fill the bags with the other PFS merchandise.

At July's subcommittee meeting, Cristina Froude will be joining as co chair and the subcommittee will be reviewing the strategic plan, creating a more detailed report for the Action Plan and Strategic plan by using the new survey data from Treasure Valley United Way.

#### **REVIEW SELF RESCUE MANUAL AND THE ADOLESCENT RESOURCE GUIDE**

Linda Pratzner sent this out for changes. When the guides are completed; Jeff Cappe can make copies. Linda Pratzner will look for the emails regarding COVID aid and add to the guides.

**Action:** Linda Pratzner will make the changes to the Self Rescue Manual and Adolescent Guide.

**Next meeting scheduled: Wednesday, July 22, 2020 at 12:00 p.m., Southwest District Health Canyon Room**