

Morris, Sussex and Warren (MSW) HIV/AIDS Advisory Committee

Advisory Committee and Early Intervention and Retention Collaborative Meeting Minutes

1 MEETING INFORMATION

Date	11/13/18
Location	Human Services- 1 Medical Dr. Morris Plains
Start Time	11:10am

2 ATTENDANCE AND QUORUM

Members present	Total Members	Majority	Two-thirds
9	21		

Members Present: Shelia Carter- Human Services, Jennifer McGee-Avila- Northeast/Caribbean AETC, Jennifer Amaya- Visions and Pathways, Ed Barron- Community Member, Kelly Martins- NJAS, Johanna Moore- Zufall, Marisol Knox- Hope House, Xiomara Vargas- Zufall, Lydia Sanchez- Family Health Center (on the phone)

Other Attendees: Maria Fodali- Family Promise, Kelly Curry- Single Stop, Summer Brown- Family Health Center, Jaclyn Cruz- Family Health Center, Chelsea Huesing- NJAS, Brittany Cochran- NJAS

Members Absent: Ken Bryant, Aliya Onque, Geri Summers, Becky Carlson, David Saltzman, Michele Verones, Ron Ritzie, Allison Delcalzo-Berens, Ricardo Salcido, Duane Robinson, Oscar- Ruge Jimenez, James Webb

3 MINUTES

A motion to approve the minutes was made by Ed Barron at 11:17am. Minutes were approved

4 SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

Lunch and Learn Project	Holistic Approaches to HIV Care- Zufall- February 19 th 2019 Housing Updates- Hope House- April 16 th 2019 Navigating ADDP, HIPP, HIPCS, and medication assistance- Human Services June 18 th 2019 HIV Prevention and Prep- Family Health Center- September 17 th 2019 Clinical Trials- NJAS- November 12 th 2019 *Zufall and NJAS may switch due to presenters availability**
Consumer Advisory Board	11/27/18 11-1pm The Tri- County CAB and Gilead will present on the low down on inflammation and HIV

5 PRESENTATION

Maria Fodali and Kelly Curry gave an overview on the Single Stop program and how it helps households out of poverty. It is a tech system that screens people for benefits and has the ability to give additional referrals. Cash benefits/GA qualifiers will need to go into OTA for a face/face interview, however, non-cash benefits are able to do phone interviews. Singlestopconnects.org is an outreach tool that will refer qualifying persons to Family Promise for a more in depth evaluation.



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6 AGENCY UPDATES:

Ryan White Provider Agencies- Family Health Center- Linkage to Care position to be posted, NJAS—World AIDS Day event on 11/30 (flyer given out) and expansion to LGBTQ services flyer distributed, Zufall- Medical Case Manager position open and Maternal Wrap around Program flyer distributed. This program will give a case manager to a mother with substance abuse issues during and for 1 yr after her pregnancy.

Resource Partners- No updates

Advisory Members- No updates

7 ANNOUNCEMENTS

Barron mentioned he would like more people to be involved with bird-dogging. He is hoping to become a liaison to Mikie Sherrill for the LGBTQ Community and those living with HIV.

8 ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Ed Barron to adjourn the meeting at 12:19pm.

