



Meeting Minutes of the Governor's Council on Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Law Enforcement Subcommittee September 12, 2023, Approved

Attendees:

Adam Crawford, Gary Krushansky, Chad Napier (co-chair), Shawn Schwertfeger, Justin Smith

Opening:

Chad Napier (co-chair) provided welcome and opening remarks of this meeting of the Governor's Council on Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment, Law Enforcement Subcommittee. The meeting was called to order on Tuesday, September 12, 2023 and was conducted by Zoom conference. The purpose of this meeting was to report updates from the 2023 Town Hall Meetings, review KPI progress for Quarter 3 for the Law Enforcement section of the State Plan.

Agenda Items:

Town Hall Meeting Updates

- In August, all four Town Hall Meetings saw registrations from over 700 participants.
- Carly announced that the report will be ready for the subcommittee's review sometime next week, to aid in their 2024 planning.
- On Monday, September 18th, an extra Town Hall Meeting will take place, focusing on youth and young adults from 10 AM to 2 PM, and subcommittee members were urged to sign up.

2023 Implementation Planning and Review of KPI Q3 Progress:

- Goal 4, Strategy 1, KPI 2: Achieved a 100% completion rate. The Handle With Care Conference is taking place this week.
- Goal 4, Strategy 1, KPI 3: Chad noted that referrals are consistently occurring and advancing progress.
- Goal 3: Justin mentioned that the OD map is making significant progress, thanks to the integration of EMS data, which has improved data quality and system accessibility. The Spike alert feature has proven particularly valuable. Justin is currently in the process of creating an overview of the OD map for alerting QRT personnel and others who require access. The Spike alert is now being used beyond the state for predictive modeling.

- Andrea Darr is now the federal representative for Handle With Care, while another individual represents the state. Considered discussing whether the subcommittee wishes to meet with her and potentially include her in its membership.

2024 Planning:

- The subcommittee will discuss the 2024 planning during the October meeting, once they have received the summary of the Town Hall Meeting.

Additional Discussion:

- During yesterday's meeting with the subcommittee chairs, burnout was a topic of discussion in certain subcommittees. Chad emphasized the importance of reaching out to him directly if any members are experiencing burnout and considering a rotation out of the subcommittee.
- Chad initiated a conversation about finding a suitable replacement for the subcommittee chair who can effectively represent the law enforcement perspective. The subcommittee is encouraged to reflect on potential candidates for this role.

Adjournment:

Chad closed the meeting by thanking all subcommittee members for their attendance and participation. Shawn made the motion to adjourn the meeting and Chad seconded the motion. The subcommittee will meet again in October.