



Program Report Form

Work group: Substance Abuse

Today's Date: 21 August 2008

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Dates of Report: July 1, 2007 – June 30, 2008

Factor(s) Being Addressed

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Improve attendance/behavior in school | <input type="checkbox"/> Improve functioning of children with ED or SED diagnosis |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Child & family health | <input type="checkbox"/> Improve permanency or family stability/family functioning |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Participation in illegal activities | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Decrease need/demand for later intervention |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child development | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization, community, systems change | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other prevention and early intervention | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Experiences of abuse or neglect (improve child safety) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please list): _____ | |



PART I: DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION OF CHILDREN SERVED

Numbers year-to-date by gender (unduplicated):

Male: _____ Female: _____

Total: _____

Numbers year-to-date by race (unduplicated): This data wasn't collected.

Numbers year-to-date by grade level (unduplicated): This data wasn't collected.

ZIP codes of families served:

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| 56514 (Barnesville): _____ | 56547 (Glyndon): _____ | 56560 (Moorhead): _____ |
| 56525 (Comstock): _____ | 56549 (Hawley, Rollag) _____ | 56580 (Sabin): _____ |
| 56529 (Dilworth): _____ | 56552 (Hitterdal) _____ | 56585 (Ulen): _____ |
| 56536 (Felton): _____ | | |

PART II: OUTCOMES

Definitions:

Goal: A specific statement about direction; what we want *clients* to attain; the change we’re working toward making

Input: Resources the organization puts in: people, money, facilities, time, technologies (knowledge, information technology, medical/therapeutic technologies)

Output: Output is about “us.” It measures the activities we engage in, for example: number of clients served, number of sessions, number of service units, etc.

Outcome: Outcome is about “them” -- the change experienced by the client.

| Program / project goal | Input | Output | Outcome |
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| Provide education (including prevention programs) and training to parents, children, and professionals in order to decrease substance abuse. | <i>Clay County Student Prevention Coalition:</i> Schools provide transportation for their students. They take turns providing meeting space and refreshments. | <i>Class Action</i> curriculum (purchased last year) was used during the summer at Moorhead Area Public Schools. 2/8: Discussion on treatment programs for adolescents 3/19: Panel discussion on diversion programs <i>Clay County Student Prevention Coalition:</i> 5 meetings during the school year; March 4 presentation to County Board The work group has begun to create a chemical health web page on the Collaborative’s “Resources” page. | Assessment on Class Action? Work group members are better-informed about treatment options for adolescents; service providers were made aware of gaps in the services they provide. All who attended the diversion panel (including the presenters) have a better understanding of how diversion works in our county. Students are beginning to feel comfortable as a group and become accustomed to speaking in public (and to their peers) about preventing underage alcohol use. |
| Continue to research recovery schools in order to assess the feasibility of beginning one in Clay County. | Jane Bolin and Scott Matheson regularly update the work group on the Clay County Recovery School at YES and the progress on the Crossroads | The work group sponsored five people from YES (FY07) and five from Moorhead Area Public Schools (FY08) to attend the National Recovery | |

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| | Recovery Track at Moorhead Public Schools. Several work group members serve on the advisory board for the recovery options. | School conference that was held in the Twin Cities last summer. At the end of the school year, 4 students were enrolled in the recovery school and ___ were attending sessions in the recovery track. | |
| Support the development of a juvenile drug court in Clay County. | No formal action was taken on this goal this fiscal year. Work group members Tama Puhr and Jan Jones work with the adult drug court and regularly update the work group on its progress. | | |

Narrative (including case study if appropriate)



PART III: COLLABORATION

Work group members come from the following partner organizations: Access of the Red River Valley, Clay County Family Court/MN Dept. of Corrections, Clay County Public Health, Clay County Social Services, Hawley ISD #150, Moorhead ISD #152, Prairie St. John's, Rural Enrichment & Counseling Headquarters, West Central Regional Juvenile Center and Youth Educational Services.

Moorhead State University Moorhead student Amanda Malaski joined the group in December. She's getting a major in Community Health and is assisting Dr. Suzanne Williams in implementing the US Department of Education grant to reduce binge drinking on MSUM's campus.

School staff (teachers, school-resource officer, counselors) who work with the county-wide student prevention coalition include Jane Bolin (Youth Educational Services), Kyle Gylland & Jeff Tharaldson (Barnesville ISD #146), Mark Haugen (Hawley ISD #150), Kathy Martin (DGF ISD #), Scott Matheson (Moorhead ISD #152), Therese Vogel and Kelly Anderson (Ulen-Hitterdal ISD #). Gina Nolte (Clay County Public Health) facilitates the group.

Presenters on the February 8 panel on treatment programs for adolescents included: Cathy Kottenbrock (Prairie St. John's), Gerard Kottenbrock (Prairie St. John's), Kiki Schatz (Drake Counseling Services), Sandy Hanson (Red River Recovery Center), Bobbi Stinson (ShareHouse, Wellness Center)

Presenters on the March 14 diversion panel included: Jill Wenger (Restorative Justice/Clay County Sheriff), Sue Kadrie (Juvenile Diversion Program Coordinator/County Attorney), Dick Schaefer (Touch Love), Jose Sanchez (Truancy Intervention/The Village Family Service Center), Nancy Taralson (Moorhead Police Department)

Work group member Rick Paczkowski organized a community forum with State Director for Chemical Health on April 25. Mark Haugen participated in a panel on underage drinking prevention efforts. Several work group members attended.

Other?



PART IV: ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Should student prevention group go here?

PART V: FINANCIAL REPORT

| CATEGORY | AMOUNT OF LCTS | OTHER SOURCES OF FUNDING | TOTAL EXPENDED |
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| | FUNDS REQUESTED | | |
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| Research (site visits, conference attendance, etc.) | \$500 | | \$0.00 |
| Education/training For families and professionals | \$500 | | \$675.98 |
| Implement Prevention Programs (programs and training for facilitation of programs) | \$3000 | Gina Nolte (Public Health) applied for and received a \$1500 grant from Minnesota Department of Education for the Student Prevention Group as well as one from FACE for \$500 of materials for community presentations on alcohol use prevention. | \$39.30 |
| total | \$4000 | | \$715.28 |

Carry over to FY09: \$3284.72