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## **Creating a community that embraces and cultivates recovery while reducing the stigma of substance use disorders and mental health**

### **Minutes Lake County ROSC Council Meeting**

**Meeting Date: September 22,2022      Time: 10:30 am – 12:00p**

**Location: Virtual Zoom**

**I.        Call to Order: Dr. Mary Roberson E.D. NIRCO**

**Sectors in attendance:**

Individuals that live in the community  
Local hospital system(s)  
Law enforcement  
Local business owner(s)  
Local government & policy makers  
Persons with lived experience  
SUD Prevention Provider(s) SUD Intervention Provider(s)  
SUD Treatment Provider(s) SUD Peer Recovery Support Services Provider(s)

**II.       Meeting Agenda:**

- Welcome and Introduction
- LCRC updates  
Statewide ROSC Fall Meeting
- Council Presenter/Reginald Handy, LCSW
- Intern Clinical Director/ Lead Therapist
- Family Services of Lake County
- Q&A
- Announcements: Council Attendees

**III.      Council Presentation:**

**Reginald Handy, LCSW- A lead Therapist at The Family Services of Lake County, which has been in business for over 50 years. Reginald has been counseling for many years, his attendance at Family Services of Lake County started in March of 2022.**

**Family Services of Lake County, services the whole Lake County. Family Services of Lake County provides counseling, education and support services to strengthen individuals and families in need to succeed in school, at work and in relationships. Standard hours of operation are Mondays-Fridays from 8am-8Pm.**

The staff team at Family Services of Lake County consists of, a T-care specialist, caregivers, 2 Therapist, 2 clinical interns, 1 intern, and a health care administrator.

Their mission is to help and service the community for their needs.

Method of operations focuses on:

Education – a wide range of education for children, youth, and adults. Many of the programs are designed for the Latino Community.

Counseling – there professional licensed therapist counsel individuals of all ages, as well as couples, and families. Bilingual and bicultural (Spanish English) counseling is available.

Seniors and Caregivers – a caregiver resource center, caregiver support groups, and a Senior Advocate is available to assist seniors and caregivers at no out of pocket cost.

IV. Old Business  
N/A

VI New Business

VII. Announcements:  
NIRCO ROSC Council, will be hosting a Breast Cancer Awareness event, our very own Sister-to-Sister group, which is apart of ROSC education, will be having two speakers come out, husband and wife, sharing their experience with her breast cancer.

Next Meeting: October 27, 2022

Presenter: TBD

VIII. Adjournment  
Dr. Mary Roberson E.D. NIRCO