

NEAR SOUTH SIDE

MEETING MINUTES

| LOCATION: | Virtual - Zoom |
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| DATE: | 03/12/2024 |
| ATTENDEES: TIME: | Gloria Prowell (Near South Side Community Coordinator), Daniel Mendez (EDDR Foundation), Cristina Banda (IL Family Resource Center), Kayla Carmody, 10:30 am -11:30 am |
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Agenda Items

- I. Introductions: Name, Organization, how to stay in touch.
- II. ROSC Overview: What is the ROSC and why it is important to the community.
- **III.** Community Needs Assessment: Will provide comprehensive information about the community's current needs and issues and the recovery community. This will lay the groundwork for developing our strategic plan, which will consist of specific goals and for filling in the identified missing gaps in our community. We have received responses and will compile all the results when the Assessment closes. There will also be a SWOT analysis that is created to review the results.
- IV. Events and Trainings: PAST EVENTS: 2/14, CRCC Recovery Task Force Monthly Meeting; 2/14 Recovery Empowered Language Learning Series; 2/15 CCHHS Behavioral Health Summit; 2/20 Alcohol Misuse as a Risk Factor of Gun Violence; 2/22 Not Just icing on the Cake: Engagement Strategies Designed to Empower, Equip, and Encourage the Faith Community to Become a Vital Part of the Recovery Oriented System of Care; 2/23 Narcan Training; 2/28 Recovery Empowered Language learning Series; 2/28 Expanding Harm Reduction through Increased Syringe Access; 3/11 Ava's Pathways

Meeting FUTURE EVENTS: 3/14 New ROSC Cohort Meeting; 3/19 Statewide ROSC Monthly Meeting; 3/20 EDDR Moves to New Location; 3/26 Monthly Rush Medical Center Training with Dr. Sorrell ; 4/3 Near South Side District 001, CAPS Beat 111 Meeting at Capital One Cafe, 100 S. State Street; 4/5 EDDR Ribbon Cutting; 4/8 Meeting with Alderwoman Nicole Lee (Armour Square/Bridgeport); 4/8 - 4/11 CCAR's Recovery Coach Academy Training

- V. Illinois Family Resource Center: upcoming training 4/10 Substance Use: The Impact on Child Abuse
- VI. Additional Notes: Save the Date Flyer for June 1, 2024 Health Fair in the works. Several agencies have committed to community health services. Additional agencies and services TBD. NSSR flyer in the works. Official flyer TBD.
- VII. Adjournment