

DeWitt ROSC Meeting Minutes

DeWitt Piatt Bi-County Health Department

April 28th @ 1 pm

Join Zoom Option:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88259912593?pwd=czVvVEVUN3FyU0ltZlp1bGkzTVNxUT09>

Meeting ID: 882-5591-2593 Passcode: 685135 Dial by your location: (312) 626 6799

1. Attendees – Maggie Memmott (DeWitt County ROSC Coordinator); Holly Thomas (Ple); Michelle Eliason (PCMHC); Kelly Burton (WHHS); Tia Schum (PCMHC); Tony Kirkman (PCMHC); Linda Coleman (Advocate); Cory Baxter (Heritage Behavioral Health); Ashlyn Burrus (DOVE) Jamie Porter (PCMHC);

a. We need CIAs signed – we need a CIA from the faith-based?

b. Where else can you help spread awareness about Naloxone training/distribution?]
(*This is a great step in introducing ROSC into a community!) Maggie has emailed the High school about doing a naloxone training

c. Community enrichment group—Both enrichment groups are going great! We had 10 on Thursdays and 10 on Sundays. Two people were 60 days sober, and one was 90 days sober! We have great news: Next school year, we will be doing an enrichment group at Clinton High School.

1. Talk about Speaker Jam donations – We will have chips and hot dogs off the grill, cookies, and bottled water. This money will come from the 708!

2. Prevent Through Art- We have our 3 winners who did an amazing job! They have their artwork up on the billboard the whole month of May! Gift cards will be handed out this week! GREAT JOB Jr High Students.

Guest speakers Piatt County Mental Health- Tony Kirkman talked about challenges for prevention, including limited funding and a lack of a significant workforce. Tony discussed the criminal legal system as a high-impact setting for interventions to address the overdose crisis. He presented provisional drug overdose data for 12 months, showing a

decline in deaths from 112,910 in October 2023 to 84,076 in October 2024, thanks in part to Naloxone. However, there are still a lot of deaths. Tony also talked about our new grant year starting in July and ways to continue hosting sober events, with the help of the 708 to keep ROSC going. The council came up with ideas to host more events.

3. Future Promo Events/ Past Events- **Health Fair May 15th and Speaker Jam May 24th**
4. In-person feedback/Satisfaction- **No Comments**
9. Adjournment – **The next Meeting is scheduled for May 19th @ 1 pm**