

MEETING:	MHLAC	MEETING DATE: September 7, 2017	MEETING TIME: 12:00 pm
LOCATION:	Holy Rosary Healthcare, Rm 3	CHAIRPERSON: Vacant	
PRESENT:	Antonia Klein, Jennifer Winkley, Jeanne Vetch, Kathleen Kaiser, Diana Seleg, Beth Ann Wiedeman, Mary Beth Squires, Brenda Kneeland		
TOPIC	DISCUSSION/CONCLUSIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS	ACTION	Timeline
Youth Dynamics	Jennifer reported that Youth Dynamics is in the process of planning a Youth Mental Health First Aid class. Four individuals have signed up and they need to have 10 to make it possible.	Will update at October meeting.	
Strategic Planning	The BHLAC discussed strategic planning for the upcoming year and ideas were presented. It was decided that Antonia would contact Karl Rosston for a community suicide prevention presentation sometime next year. Other ideas were asking Jim Hajny of the Montana Peer Network to give a presentation on recovery and the role of peers.	Will continue discussions at October meeting	
CNADA	Diana reported that the Powder Puff football game is scheduled for October 14 at Connors Stadium, 6:00 p.m. The Pink (oneHealth) will battle the Purple (CNADA) and the teams are full. October is Domestic Violence Awareness month.	Will continue to discuss at October meeting.	
Cancer Awareness	Mary Beth reported that the Pink Night Out event will be held at MCC on October 7 th beginning at 5:00 p.m. Pink Night Out is an educational awareness outreach for cancer awareness. October is Cancer Awareness month. Kathleen shared her recent experience in being told she had cancer and some of her ordeal. One thing Kathleen emphasized is that her cancer was found through the new 3D option mammogram and was told her cancer would not have been found had it been with the regular mammogram method.	Will update at October meeting.	

Treasurer's Report	Jeanne reported that two obligations were paid leaving a balance of over \$6,000 in the account.	Update at October meeting	
Mental Health First Aid	Mental Health First Aid class is scheduled for Saturday, September 23, 8-5 at MCC, Room 106. Mary Beth Squires of HRHC graciously offered to provide snacks and lunch for the participants.	Update at October meeting.	
Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training (ASIST)	An Assist training class will be held Thursday and Friday, September 21 & 22, beginning at 8:30. The class is being held for counselors and educators.		
Eastern Montana Community Mental Health Center	Brenda Kneeland reported. The Crisis Intervention and Jail Diversion committee is currently working on the crisis beds availability. Plans continue to hire a psychiatrist. Brenda stated that she applied for the County matching grants and included a request for funding of peer support services. If those monies are awarded, EMCMHC hopes to partner with Rosebud County. Eventually, EMCMHC hopes to partner with other communities for peer support services. EMCMHC plans to expand services in Wibaux, Richland, McCone, Dawson, and Prairie counties. Brenda reported that the Forsyth office is now fully staffed and open 5 days per week. LACs and therapists have been hired for the Glendive office and currently recruiting for an LCPC.	Will update at October meeting.	
Miscellaneous Events	<p>RSVP has planned a Jewelry event fundraiser which will be held at the Waterworks Art Center, October 21, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. If anyone has old or used jewelry to donate please take it to Betty Vail at RSVP, third floor at the VA.</p> <p>Jason de Shaw has a concert Monday, September 11th at 2:00-3:30 at Custer County District High School. The event is being sponsored by the Montana Primary Care Association in conjunction with oneHealth and the Miles City BHLAC.</p>	Will update at October meeting,	

Next Meeting	Thursday, October 5th at 12:00 at HRHC in Conference room 3.		
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