

## LAC/SAA Report to MHOAC

Report Template

8-7-2013

\_\_\_\_\_ Miles City \_\_\_\_\_ LAC/SAA

Reporting Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Reporter: Carla R Bichler; those attending: Jeanette Prodggers, Pam Buford, Roseann Raschkow, Kathleen Kaiser, Diana Seleg, Shad Barrows, Fr. Samuel Spierling, Jeanne Vetch

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<b>Crisis Services: Advocate for Community Crisis Services for Children</b>	1. A support group for survivors of family and friends who have completed suicide. 2. 3.	1. kathleen Kaiser is going to have a flyer ready for the walk that will give people information and encourage them to sign up for the first session. 2. 3.	September 6
<b>LAC/SAA Top 3 Priorities</b>  <b>#1: Have a presence in our community</b>	1. community involvement with other groups that share our mission 2. OOTD walk 3.	1. Will submit Home Depot grant to assist young veteran returning to MC after medical DC. 2. We will have planning meetings on the following dates and times: <b><u>Wed. Aug. 21<sup>st</sup>, 5 pm, Wibaux Park, Carla will bring pizza. Wed. Aug. 28<sup>th</sup>, 5 pm, CCCHC conf. room, Wed. Sept. 4<sup>th</sup>, monthly LAC meeting, 5 pm, HRH board room</u></b>  We discussed the pin-ups as Reynolds would feel more comfortable donating food for the kickoff dinner. <b><u>Kathy</u></b> will be requesting the ingredients for the cheesy potato dish from	Aug. 13, 2013

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		<p>them. <b>Shad</b> will ask Albertson's for plates, napkins, forks, water and if we can hang our sign on their fence again. <b>Carla</b> will talk to Betty V. RSVP re cookies and bars for the two day event. <b>Carla</b> will purchase coffee and lemonade for Friday night. She has already requested the recycling bins from EMI for these two days. We will do the pin-ups both Fri eve and Sat. at the walk. There are still posters to put up around town and encourage your family and friends to sign up for the walk.</p> <p>3.</p>	

**Other Information Requested:**

When Does the LAC/SAA Meet? (Monthly, Quarterly, Designated Week, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_Monthly\_\_\_\_\_

Please Note the Number (#) of Mental Health Local Advisory Councils Reporting to SAA For **This** Reporting Period? \_\_\_\_\_

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**Topics of Concern or Discussion Not Included in Priorities Above:**

Topic	Discussion	Action Items	Responsible Party & Due Date
Fr. Samuel Spierling	Fr. Spierling told the group that he would no longer be able to be involved with the LAC because of his commitment to online classes	We regretfully acknowledged that he will be absent from our meetings but encouraged him to join us whenever he could.	n/a
MT conference on Suicide Prevention	Information re the upcoming conf. was shared with the group.	Participants were encouraged to attend. If someone from the LAC is able to attend perhaps we could discuss if we have funds assist with expenses.	Conference is Fri. Sept. 20 <sup>th</sup> in Helena. Registration is fee and there is CEU's available.
Carla purchased a cart for hauling our supplies and also purchased the movie for Aug. to have in our resource library.	There were no objections for reimbursement of those invoices.	Carla will get the receipts to Jeanne V. There will also be an invoice from our last STAR ad for the film.	Carla B Jeanne V

**Local Advisory Council and SAA Successes?**

Topic	Success	How Achieved	Other Partners Involved
Film festival	We had 45 people attend our last film "Silver Linings Playbook" with lively discussion afterwards.	Next movie will be Thursday, aug. 29 <sup>th</sup> back at the VA auditorium. Rose R. is available at this point to assist with the popcorn. Everyone needs to spread the word and get posters up for this film.	Carla will send the ad that Jean completed to the Star. Jeanette noted that we had the wrong date. This will be corrected. Jeanne V. will talk to Bob Z. re leading the discussion again.

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