Lenawee Suicide Prevention Workgroup
Let’s talk about the Elephant in the room

Monthly Meeting

August 1, 2018   4:30 PM   LCMHA

Minutes

Welcome and Introductions

Action Plan

- MOU’s by Superintendents update – Addison, Adrian, Clinton, Morenci, Onsted, Tecumseh Superintendents have signed Memorandum Of Understanding. Jennifer will talk with Kelly Coffin to see if this could be brought up again at another Superintendents meeting.

- Other Action Plan updates
  - School trainings – the Social Workers Group will meet on 9/20. Jennifer will see if she can get us on the agenda.
  - safeTALK scheduled trainings – next one is 8/8/18
  - media/cinema ads
    - WLEN – Community Conversation schedule – Jennifer, Barb R and Kay will attend the recording on 8/28 at 3:00 pm. This is to be aired on 9/5 at 6:16 pm.
    - Cinema ad – Should be running now
  - Making Strides walk – nothing to report currently

Tool Kit workgroup report

- Update
  - Workgroup to complete by 8/15 then we will look at ordering posters etc.

Community involvement planning –
• Suggestions included yard signs, party in the park, first Fridays, farmers market, Celebrate Children, Senior Citizens – flyers for Meals on wheels, presentations at Senior Centers, Project Connect,
• Discussed Adrian College and SHU homecoming weekend, possibly tailgating. Possibly have a table, give out free hotdogs with Suicide info. Jennifer will talk with Adrian College, Kay will contact SHU.

**Review of Next Steps/ Assignments**
• Toolkit completion by Workgroup
• Adrian College/SHU homecoming tailgate feasibility

**Meeting Schedule** – to be determined