

SWFLHCC Mental Health Task Force Meeting

Thursday, July 13th , 2023 11:00AM-12:00 PM ZOOM

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Meeting Called By:				
Attendees:	1	Brian Massey	SWFL Health	care Coalition
	2	Peggy Brown	Health Plann	ing Council
	3	Olga Fernandez	Health Plann	ing Council
	4	Alicia Hyatte	Bay Pines VA	Healthcare System
	5	Alyssa Cenzi	Sarasota Phy	sicians
	6	Angela Canfield	Desoto Mem	orial
	7	Anna Kane	FDOH Charlo	tte County
	8	Dan Seper	Sarasota Me	morial Hospital - Venice Campus
	9	Dan Sieber	San Carlos Pa	rk Fire
	10	Eric Garver MD	Lee County N	ledical Association
	11	Frank Matus	FDOH Charlo	tte County
	12	Gloria Graham	Lee Health	
	13	James Spadola	Oaks at Avor	
	14	Jennifer Hood	FDOH Hendry	/ Glades
	15	John Gountas	FDOH Hendry	/ Glades
	16	Karyn Hartline	Sarasota Bay	Club
	17	Kevin Gingras	Lee County E	M
	18	Kristy Mathews	City of Fort N	lyers
	19	Lorie Jackson	FDOH Highla	nds
	20	Marshall Frank	Sarasota Fire	Department
	21	Nicole Hansen	Lee County E	MS
	22	Syndi Bultman	Lee Health	
	23	Terri Lopez	Gulf Coast Er	doscopy Center of Venice
	24	William Damewood	City of Fort N	1yers
	25	Yamilet Santana-Reye	es American Re	d Cross
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Call to Order/	If you attended and do not see your name on this list, please email coalition@HPCSWF.com Peggy Brown brought the meeting to order at 2:01PM			ase email coalition@HPCSWF.com
Introductions	reggy	brown brought the med	eting to order at 2.01FW	
Meeting	Peggy Brown opens with an overview of the Southwest Florida Healthcare Coalition, our mission, the			
	benefits of joining, and the Mental Health Task Force's Purpose.			
	Brian Massey went through some what the Task Force accomplished last year:			
	UCF REACT for first responders and healthcare workers.			
	Mental Health First Aid Training			
	Mental Health First Aid Train the Trainer Helpad approved Martel Health on the Frontlines Conference bringing light to the ground.			
	•	Helped sponsored Mental Health on the Frontlines Conference bringing light to the mental health and resilience of first responders and health care workers.		
	health and resilience of first responders and healthcare workers. The new Coalition website is now live and will be a helpful resource for the membership:			
	https://swflcoalition.org/			
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Our guest speaker is Alicia Hyatt from Bay Pines VA. She goes through some of the important things her and her team are accomplishing with suicide prevention in veterans.

Their focus areas include:

- Identifying service members in the community.
- Screening for suicide risk.
- Promoting the care and transition of veterans.
- Creating connection and access to resources for veterans.
- Increasing legal means for safety
- Safely planning for those at elevated risk of suicide by giving them plans and ways of coping.

They are looking to work with other agencies in the community to get veterans care and support by building an awareness in the community of the needs specific to veterans.

If you would like to contact Alicia, you can reach her at Alicia.Hyatte@va.gov

Mental Health First Aid:

The Coalition last year sponsored several trainer's certification for MHFA. We are willing to promote and aid with trainer partnership.

- Syndi Bultman volunteered to host a MHFA training in October or November.

UCF Restores Training:

This peer support program teaches students how to recognize and assist individuals that have stress injuries. The Coalition is looking to bring down the 8-hr. training for peer support programs within organizations.

- Kevin Gingras expressed the need for this program to be brought to the region quickly and offered the to host at the Lee County EOC.
- That the Coalition will be reaching out to UCF immediately to try to get the peer program training scheduled

Suggested Priorities of Task Force

Training possibilities:

- Workplace violence mitigation
- Suicide prevention
- Dr Garver expressed support for the workplace violence.
- Alicia Hyatte expressed support for the Suicide prevention and offered some of the VA training to those members who have served.
- Gloria Graham suggested Trauma informed response training.

Exercises:

- Tabletop exercises
- Functional exercises

If you have any suggestions on trainings, exercises or any other resource that might benefit the members, please email us at: Coalition@hpcswf.com

Next Meeting

The next Mental Health Task Force meeting will be September 14th, 2023, at 2:00PM



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Open Floor	No Additional Comments				
Adjournment	Meeting adjourned at 2:57PM.				