

Opioid Coordination Council

Date: 11/6/2017

Location and Time: 1-4:30 p.m. Waterbury State Office Complex

Present: A. Gobeille, T. Anderson, J. Leddy (Co-Chairs). L. Augustyniak, J. Bowen, B. Bick, M. Bucossi, S. Byers, G. Cowles, S. DiSanto, T.J. Donovan, L. Genge, B. Grearson, M. Levine, MD, P. Mallery, R. Marcoux, D. Ricker, K. Sigsbury. Staff: J. LaClair, R. Gowdey. Support: T. Houston, J. Zanin

Absent: D. Allaire, A. Bunting, J. DeLena, S. Thompson

Signed-In: Mary Kate Mohlman, Beth Tanzman, Judy Rex, Will Eberle, Jane Helmstetter, Kevin Veller, Intern

Meeting Facilitator and Note Taker: Notes: R.Gowdey, J. Zanin

Meeting Objectives: Monthly meeting		
Agenda Item	Discussion	Notes/Next Steps
<u>Welcome:</u> Chairs Gobeille, Anderson & Leddy <u>Minutes:</u> Review/approval	Minutes accepted. (moved S. Byers, seconded B. Bick)	
Monthly Recap: Director LaClair	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have had great conversations, grateful for everyone’s work • Present draft strategies to Gov. Scott on November 21 • More data development needed: • Coming up soon: Wisconsin providers to see Hub and Spoke; First Lady of North Dakota to visit Vermont • Marijuana: How Council should address? Research needed. • Setting context for review of draft strategies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ No budget considerations today (further development needed) (Discussion – How does level-funded budget influence prioritizing the strategies?) 	Members invited to Roundtable.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ There will be a budget notation and lead entity inputted into the strategies before presented to Governor. ● Response to National Governors’ Association opioid priorities from Governor Scott: Letter October 25, 2017. Created with commissioners help and sent to NGA and President’s Commission. 	
Strategy Polling Process	<p>FRAMEWORK for POLLING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 13 “yes” needed to achieve 2/3 agreement on moving a strategy forward (including D. Allaire who provided early “yes” to all strategies). ○ List in document is not prioritized ○ Discussion: Framework of recommendations should note that this is a callout to all of Vermont, as well as State Government. 	
Strategies Decisions (Possible votes: 19. Polling options: yes; unsure; no)		
19/19 yes	1. Develop a Continuum of Care from pre-birth to at least three years	
19/19 yes	2. Grow and Support Vermont’s Workforce	
19/19 yes	3. Grow and Support Vermont’s Workforce	
A. 19/19 yes B. 18 yes; 1 unsure	<p>4. Education and intervention: School-based</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Statewide comprehensive system for school-based primary prevention programs B. Primary prevention professionals in 100% of schools 	
19/19 yes	<p>5. Education and intervention: Community-based</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Comprehensive statewide system for primary prevention B. Strong community-based models C. Family supports - 2-1-1 	
18 yes; 1 no	<p>6. Harm Reduction</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Expand Syringe Exchange programs B. Sharps disposal: support creation of a community tool kit C. Sustain and enhance drug disposal D. All law enforcement and first responders provided and trained in use of Naloxone 	
19/19 yes	<p>7. Health Care</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Prescriber and patient education B. Increase use of Vermont Prescription Monitoring System C. Expand Integration of SBIRT 	

19/19 yes	8. Expand MAT in Correctional Facilities	
J. Berry Bowen leaves meeting. Vote count = 18	9. Maximize use of non-pharmacological approaches to prevention, treatment and recovery	
18/18 yes	10. Drug Treatment Courts/Family Treatment Courts to expand access to treatment docket techniques	
18/18 yes	11. Support expanded use of Medicaid and Medicare for treatment	
18/18 yes	12. Strengthen Vermont's recovery network and recovery centers	
18/18 yes	13. Expand the availability of family supportive housing and recovery housing	
See 2A	14. Employment in recovery	
18/18 yes	15. Implement a roadside drugged driving testing	
18/18 yes	16. Provide drug recognition training	
18/18 yes	17. Resources for drug trafficking investigation	
18/18 yes	18. Data collection and analysis	
Public Comment		
Adjourn	Moved and approved	