



Crow River Area Breastfeeding Coalition

July 24th, 2020 9am

Zoom

Present: Lois P, Meg S, Dixie, Brittany B, Lindsay H, Jayme K, Terri H, Jill Y

Mission: Collaborate with local health departments, WIC, healthcare, businesses, and community members to protect, support, and promote breastfeeding.

Vision: Provide a clear and consistent message through the community about breastfeeding resources and support.

Topic	Discussion/Plan	Action/Do/Follow up
Welcome and Introductions		
Approval of February and June Minutes	February Minutes – Approved Jayme K June Minutes – Approved Lois P	
Financial Update	\$602.25 – no change	
Coalition Accomplishments	Congratulations to Jill Young for receiving recognition as MDH Breastfeeding Friendly Childcare Home! Jill started a daycare in Hutchinson in August of 2019. Started doing BF Childcare in November, submitted in December. Lindsay H worked with Jill under the coalition.	
Review Strategic Plan/ Action Plan	Reviewed as a group – most of workplan has been halted due to COVID. Will update.	
Partner Sharing	Please email updates if unable to zoom in. Terri Healy (Hutch Health Liaison/McLeod) – Not at Hutch Health currently, not going over to see the OB but is	

dropping off Talking is Teaching bags. Only allowing OB nurses in rooms. Guessing not much has changed. Hutch Health IS now letting dads/spouses/support person at OB appointments.

Brittany Becker (McLeod PH)– WIC client switched from HH to GRH for pregnancy care as her spouse was not able to attend appointments at HH but is able to at GRH. Might want HH to know this, big income loss to lose a patient. Still not able to do in person, face to face visits with clients. There is a proposed plan to do contactless weight checks for post-partum new born visits, but still waiting on interim directors approval.

Meg Schlueter (WIC + Peer BF Program) – down with referrals, partly because of in-person WIC not happening and wont be happening over the next few months. Trying to get moms interested. Doing twice a month virtual support groups, updated flyer has been sent out. Any info can be referred to Meg. Peer program is for WIC moms, support program is for ALL moms.

Lindsay Hanson (WIC) – Still doing phone appointments, extended through September. No idea what will happen after September. Sent 3 referrals for peer program and 2 NFP referrals. Positive news – has a mom who is the first at her company to be breastfeeding/pumping. Her company has established a room for her to pump in, very positive and exciting.

Dixie (NFP) – seeing less moms face to face, was seeing a few as they were teen moms/high risk. Was doing weekly weight checks for a premie. Appreciate any referrals.

	<p>Lois (NFP) – Plugging along, did get one referral enrolled. Continuing to do telehealth, sometimes will do outdoor drop offs with PPE and social distancing.</p> <p>Jill Y (Community) – continuing to plan for Big Latch On virtual event. Link to event: https://www.facebook.com/events/482662242638447/</p>	
<p>MN Breastfeeding Coalition</p>	<p>https://mnbreastfeedingcoalition.org/</p> <p>COVID19 and Lactation Resources</p> <p>Share your COVID19 Story - Can submit personal story. See link for more information.</p>	
<p>Upcoming Trainings</p>	<p>Community Health Training Center Multiple upcoming trainings http://www.springfieldul.org/page.aspx?item=13</p> <p>Great Lakes Breastfeeding Webinars 3rd Tuesday every month, 7-8am https://www.mibreastfeeding.org/webinars/</p> <p>http://californiabreastfeeding.org/events-calendar/</p>	
<p>Outreach</p>	<p>Virtual Big Latch On event – unable to host an in person event due to the COVID pandemic. Planning a virtual event kicking off with the virtual Global Big Latch On Saturday, August 1st. Participants can sign up via the Facebook page. Coalition will be hosting educational session, prizes, info, etc over the next week in celebration of World Breastfeeding Week. Email will be sent to coalition with details to help spread the word.</p> <p>Link:</p>	

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Fundraising	No current fundraising efforts being pursued	
Future Meeting Dates	August 28th, 2020 September 25th, 2020 October 23rd, 2020	
Respectfully Submitted:	Jayme Krauth	