

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

Approved Minutes

DATE: March 14, 2007

TIME: 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: Fillmore Street Complex

PRESENT: James Holtvluwer, Matthew Hehl, Jane Ruitter, James Holtrop, Joyce Kortman

STAFF & GUESTS: Bill Rymond, MI Works!/CAA Director; Loren Snippe, Department of Human Services Director; Dr. Paul Heidel, Medical Director; Lisa Stefanovsky, Health Officer; Sherri Sayles, Deputy Clerk; Greg Hofman, CMH; Becky Young, Health Department; Janet Shangler, OAISD; Erika Rosebrook, Assistant Administrator; Greg Rappleye, Corporation Counsel; Media; Karen Youngs-Hartley, LCC Director

SUBJECT: CONSENT ITEMS

Approve by consent the Agenda of today as presented and approve by consent the Minutes of the February 7, 2007, meeting as presented.

SUBJECT: DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. Golden Shoe Campaign – Becky Young, Health Department, explained the Golden Shoe Campaign which is a program aimed to get Ottawa County residents moving. The campaign's kick-off is April 20, 2007. The campaign features designated walking routes in Grand Haven, Holland and Zeeland.
2. Great Start Collaborative – Janet Shagler, OAISD, explained Great Start is a partnership of local stakeholders and parents working toward a comprehensive early childhood system that will be aligned so as to address all factors that influence a child's readiness for school and life. The grant was received this past winter. The Collaborative meets quarterly.
3. Michigan's Guide to Public Health for Local Governing Entities – Lisa Stefanovsky, Health Officer, distributed and explained the Michigan's Guide to Public Health for Local Governing Entities.

4. Community Mental Health Department Overview – Greg Hofman, CMH, presented the Community Mental Health Department overview. He distributed to the Committee the CMH Organization Charts, the Michigan Community Mental Health Ambassador Handbook, and the Community Mental Health Handbook.
5. Lakeshore Coordinating Council Department Overview – Karen Youngs-Hartley presented the LCC Department overview. LCC serves the counties of Allegan, Berrien, Cass, Muskegon and Ottawa with a total budget of a little over \$7 million. She requested additional time for LCC on the May agenda to present the Outcome Data.
6. Human Services Coordinating Council Update – The Human Services Coordinating Council update was presented by Lisa Stefanovsky.
7. Department Updates:

Health Department – Dr. Heidel reported the Bird Flu death rate remains around 70%. He reported the Health Department has been briefing jail deputies on MRSA and will present the briefing to the Committee at the next meeting.

Lisa Stefanovsky reported the Health Department received a \$10,000 grant from the Robert Wood Foundation Grant Fund which will be used for quality improvements.

Michigan Works!/Community Action Agency – Bill Raymond updated the Committee on Trade Adjustment Funding and Incumbent Worker Grants. He reported Community Action Agency is in jeopardy of losing \$2 million in funding because of relocation of funds going to the Department of Human Services.

Lisa Stefanovsky asked the Committee for any support as there is a lot going on in the Michigan Legislature effecting local dollars.

SUBJECT: ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 2:40 p.m.