

Pikes Peak Elder Abuse Coalition (PPEAC)
Meeting Agenda

September 15 2017; 0800-0900

Location: Silver Key Senior Services, 1625 S. Murray Bl. Large Conference Room

Members Present: Raquel Gibson-Ford (DHS-APS), Kristina Iodice (El Paso County – DHS), Gloria Horne (UCCS-MPA Student), Magistrate Francis Johnson (Probate Court Magistrate), Amy Markwell (Office County Attorney), Tracy Munson (DHS-APS), Dayton Romero (Silver Key), Det. Charles “Chuck” Szatkowski (CSPD-CAARA), Kimberly Richmond (DHS-APS), Tami Hasling (Hasling & Assoc.)

1 Introductions and Organizational-Individual Updates.

2 Subcommittee Updates:

- a. Education and Outreach.
 - i. Chuck reported that three education trainings have been completed.
 - 1. Considering doing quarterly trainings at CSPD.
 - 2. Scott Bartlett & Chuck will do a presentation on Building Effective Relationships with LE at the Ombudsman’s Conference in Westminster on 10/20/2017.
 - ii. Online reporting available for facilities – unique to Pikes Peak Region
 - 1. Primarily for “frequent callers” – can report online as long as there is no injury. Reporter will receive CFS number within 24 hours.
- b. Emergency Housing Network
 - i. Randy reported that a subcommittee meeting took place with Sheri where data collection and demographic information that is HIPPA compliant was discussed.
 - 1. 18 people have been served through Emergency Housing Network
 - 2. Chrissy suggested the data collected could be used for grant opportunities to show community collaboration. .
 - ii. There are currently 12 participating facilities – Randy to send out updated list.
 - 1. Aspen Living Center has been newly added to participating facilities – will be the 12th facility.
- c. Emergency Guardianship

- i. Portage County Wisconsin APS Volunteer Guardianship Program
 - 1. APS caseworkers have a guardian support office in Portage County.
 - 2. Copies of the program documents were emailed to members for review.
- ii. Magistrate Johnson volunteered to chair subcommittee for Emergency Guardian Program
 - 1. Will review documents that model Portage County's Volunteer Guardianship Program.
 - 2. Chrissy suggested getting various community agencies, including hospitals, to contribute to conversation of referring clients for guardianship.

3. New Business:

- a. Tracy volunteered to chair subcommittee specifically for clients who have been placed in emergency shelter to address Medicaid processing
 - i. Lori suggested a checklist to help fast track the Medicaid application process, and help those who are assisting the client with the application know what has & has not been completed.
 - 1. Chrissy & Steve suggested Helping Hands
 - 2. Amy – talked about obstacles to consider
- b. APT-APS
 - i. Tracy provided format and details of upcoming APT meetings.
 - 1. First meeting will be on Sept. 20th at 8:30am. To meet quarterly. Condensed to an hour at 8:30- 9:30am
 - 2. Review of difficult flyers. Specific tasks/ roles are assigned to participating APT members.
 - 3. Forensic model.
- c. New Chairperson
 - i. Chuck resigning position as Chairperson
 - ii. Tami Hasling has volunteered to be new Chairperson
 - 1. Dayton to facilitate transition
 - iii. Vice Chair needed
 - iv. Bylaws needed

4. Reminders

- a. **Senior Life Expo** Saturday, October 7, 2017: Location 4 S Cascade Ave (Antlers Hotel). DRIVE SMART Colorado has paid for a booth. They have opened the booth to any PPEAC member who wants to have a

representative at the event or who simply wants to have material displayed.

- b. **PPEAC Website:** Please review the PPEAC website located at <http://dhs.elpasoco.com/Pages/AdultElderAbuse.aspx>
 - i. Point of Contact for website information is Kristina Iodice {719.444.5533 / Kristinalodice@elpasoco.com}
 - ii. PPEAC information will be updated to reflect current
 - iii. Please review the information for your organization to ensure that information is current and correct.
- c. **Colorado Coalition for Elder Rights and Abuse Prevention:** Please take a moment to sign-up for the CCERAP Newsletter and stay informed of training opportunities. For more information please visit: <http://www.ccerap.org>

NEXT MEETING

October 20, 2017 0800-0900