
Rush County Health Board Meeting

Tuesday October 15, 2019, 7PM

Attendees

Tai Morrell, FNP-Chairperson
Kendra Steible- Vice Chairperson
Carol Yager
Rachel Clark-NREMT

Jonathan LeSar, DPM
Emily Ellis-PharmD
Vicky Lindsay, ANP
Geoff Wesling- Attorney

Guests

Dixie Meyer, RN

Chuck Kemker, EMS

Tai asked Chuck if he had anything he wanted to discuss. He told her that Julia had asked him to attend so the board could meet him and he could inform them what he has done since taking over the Preparedness position, he gave them a report on things that he has done.

Last Meeting Follow-up


There was one correction needed on the September Minutes. Rachel moved to accept the minutes, after the correction is made. Vicky seconded. All members voted to accept. Motion Carried.

The board reviewed the Nursing Report. Tai asked Dixie about our vaccines and what all we offered at the office. She told her we offered the flu vaccine, but not the extra strength one, and pneumonia, all the vaccines for school-only for children who don't have insurance or are on Medicaid. We offer the adult TB test, and the whooping cough vaccination. Kendra moved to accept the Nursing report. Carol seconded. All members voted to accept. Motion carried.

Dixie also informed the board that she will be helping the hospital out on the drug take back day on Saturday,

New Business

Dixie informed the board about Julia signing up for the vaping training. It is four lessons at thirty to forty minutes each. Julia wanted Dixie to let the board aware of this training. Dixie told them that the new part time nurse is very knowledgeable and has picked up on how things are done in and out of the office. She also had done some flu shots today. Dixie



told the board that Debbie Johnson, the Home health Aide) had taken a course to get a food safety certification, so she can get cross trained in helping with food inspections.

In Progress

The website meeting update, Ashley met with IT, and her site will be separate, which means that she cannot help fund the County's website with the grant money. There will be a second meeting TBD sometime in November with the remaining parties.

There was some discussion about the budget and how much we had to cut this year and how much for next year. Tai wants Sherry to make a spreadsheet and keep track of the spending and the money coming in.

Old Business

They discussed the Community Assessment Survey and how many have been turned back in. There have been around two hundred and sixty eight that have been returned. They have it available through our website. They are going to take some to the jail and have them fill it out. We have some copies in the office if anyone wants to take some and pass out at their place of business. We also have some in the hallway for anyone passing by to pick up and fill out.

Steven and Geise: They have until midnight October 15, 2019 to cap their septic and pump and haul.

Emily moved to adjourn the meeting. Kendra seconded. All members voted to accept. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 PM

Next meeting November 17, 2019 at 7:00 PM