

**Chair:** Beth Kinnaird-Iler, Clinical Director  
**Recorder:** Mila Valli, Administrative Coordinator

**Attended by 14 community partners**

**1. Welcome/Intro**

**B Kinnaird-Iler**

- ✓ Approval June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017 Agenda – approved as circulated
- ✓ Approval of March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017 Meeting Minutes (attached)

\*corrections: Windsor Leamington and Area Family Health Team and spelling of Bresolin

**2. Community Information Session**

- ✓ Welcome Centre Shelter - Samantha Bresolin  
\*power point presentation
- ✓ Bulimia Anorexia Nervosa Association (BANA) - Luciana Rosu-Siezia & Dana Dupuis  
\*power point presentation

**3. Community Partner Updates**

**All**

**WECHC**

- ✓ Glen has really enjoyed his time in Windsor and is glad they were able to recruit Neelu prior to leaving. He welcome Patrick in his new role as Executive Director.
- ✓ Neelu is the most recent member of the weCHC team, hired as Clinical Director for Diabetes Wellness, Chronic Disease Management and Pickwick. She looks forward to working with everyone.
- ✓ Pickwick Update: they are now open Monday through Friday with extended hours on Tuesdays and Thursdays and are offering primary services for our vulnerable.
- ✓ Flyer for Motivational Interviewing went out last week. If interested, please register ASAP.
- ✓ weCHC now operates out of six locations, five within the city and one in Leamington with primary care being offered at five of those locations. Lots of good things happening at all of our sites as we work to ensure our vulnerable population have access to good health care.
- ✓ Street Health offering harm reduction kits.

**Essex County Youth Diversion Program**

- ✓ Removed fee for community presentations.
- ✓ Presentations are for youth 10-17 years old and include information on: Bullying, Sexting, Substance Abuse and Stealing
- ✓ Information poster attached.

**Windsor Essex Health Unit**

- ✓ Guidelines and standards will be changing in December including current protocols, directives, accountability agreements etc.. Waiting to see what their role will be and how they will be better integrated with the LHIN.

**Aids Committee of Windsor**

- ✓ 5th year annual testing campaign will be June 23-28<sup>th</sup>, 2017; their week of HIV awareness. The organization works to get community involved and offer testing for AIDS and STIs. Testing will be offered at four community locations and is free, anonymous and requires no health card to participate. Advertisement attached.
- ✓ Health care providers are encourage to get tested to better understand the fear and anxiety associated with testing.

**Windsor Residence for Young Men**

- ✓ 'Our Kid Next Door' project is in full swing. This project gives homeless males the same opportunity as their peers by allowing them the opportunity to earn money by assisting seniors with yard work and homecare. Program services Windsor and Suburbs.

**Family Services Windsor Essex**

- ✓ Will be presenting at the September meeting at which time more details about the organization will be shared.
- ✓ Forming a partnership with The Erie St. Clair Clinic to assist with the opioid crisis by providing an anxiety group.

**Community Living Essex County**

- ✓ The father of a local boy who has intellectual disabilities is rowing across the Atlantic Ocean to raise awareness and support for persons with disabilities and their families. Event is Saturday June 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017 from 9am – 12pm at Beachwalk Fitness in Essex.
- ✓ May was Community Living month.
- ✓ 27th Annual Charity Golf Fundraiser will be held on July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at Sutton Creek Golf Club.
- ✓ Newsletter distributed.

**Windsor Family Health Team**

- ✓ New doctor joining the team in July. Please feel free to refer anyone looking for a provider.
- ✓ Walking group at Jackson Park runs on Wednesdays at 12:15pm – ending soon for dummer.
- ✓ Facebook page has information about programs and services.

### **Windsor Essex Local Immigration Partnership**

- ✓ Currently working with 96 different local organizations and continually engaging with various agencies to ensure immigrants receive culturally appropriate care and accessible healthcare services.
- ✓ Partnership meets four times year.
- ✓ If anyone has questions regarding the different types of claimants, please feel free to contact us.

### **Windsor Woman Working with Immigrant Woman**

- ✓ Currently running an English conversation circle on Wednesdays from 3-5 and Thursdays from 11-1 at the Ouellette Ave location. Will continue to run through the summer with days and times TBA.
- ✓ Wellness Session for newcomers and migrant workers planned for July and August. Dates and times TBA.

## **4. Closing Remarks / Thank You**

**B Kinnaird-Iler**

## **5. Next Steps**

### **Presenters for 13 September 2017**

1. Windsor Youth Centre – Tamara Kowalska
2. Family Services Windsor Essex – Erin Flannery

### **Presenters for 13 December 2017**

1. Windsor-Essex Health Unit - Nicole Dupuis
2. Essex County Diversion Program – Brittney Lawrence

## **6. Adjournment**

**B Kinnaird-Iler**

The meeting was adjourned at 10:45 am

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2017 from 9:00 am – 10:30 am at the WFCU Centre – Ontario Room (8787 McHugh Street)