

# **Power Based Violence Prevention Committee**

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Zoom Meeting Agenda & Minutes

Date: April 13, 2022; 10 am-12 pm

## Please view the minutes from this meeting below.

Attendees: Taniayah O-S, Vicki C, Heather N, Nanci M, Emma G, Sasha M, Lenny O, Tony T, Emily S, Megan G, Zola H

1.	Welcome & Introductions	15 mins	Megan G & Zola H
2.	Mission Statement and Community Agreement	10 mins	Vicki C , Sasha M, Emma G, & Megan G
3.	Update on Last Meeting	5 mins	Zola H
4.	Continue to analyze what projects we add to the strategic plan	20 mins	Megan G
5.	Group work on identified strategies	50 mins	Zola H & Megan G lead in small groups
6.	Report out on progress from groups	10 mins	Megan G
7.	Closings/ Updates	10 mins	Zola H
Thank you for your contributions to this group!			

# Next meeting: May 11, 2022, 10 am-12pm

**Mission Statement:** the mission of the coalition is to mobilize Montgomery County to prevent youth substance use and promote positive mental health through the implementation of evidence-based prevention strategies and community collaboration.

**Power Based Violence Defined**: Power-based violence can be committed by friends, partners, acquaintances, or strangers. Power-based violence is rooted in the assertion of power, control, and/or intimidation with the intent to harm another.

Violence defined by APA - The expression of hostility and rage with the intent to injure or damage people

# By 2026, improve the professionals engaged in prevention efforts' perception of the community response to PBV by 10%.

#### Minutes:

- 1. Introductions:
  - Question of the day: In honor of #SAAM we recognize the work we all do in the community around this issue. What draws you to the power-based violence committee?
    If you would like share something personal you can.
- 2. MCPC Mission, PBV definitions, and community agreement
- 3. Recap of the last meeting
  - o Discussed the survey and finalized the questions moving forward with the opportunity statement
    - Questions were shared out in Feb. for confirmation and edits
  - o Decided on three action steps to begin
    - Split into groups to work on
- 4. Projects to add to action plan:
  - o Looking at the strategies where we do not have any actionsteps added
    - Strategy 3
      - Enhancing victim support (linking to resources in the community; local help now, resource guide)
        - o Making the resources known and making sure to label the resources for the services they provided (DV, SA,)
        - How do we make it easier for people to get support and how do make the services known to the various agencies
        - o Adding question to survey "Does your agency provide victim support or do you refer out?
    - Strategy 5
      - Give certificates to schools for having X number of people completing the PBV signs of abuse and reporting training/ Develop certificates for administering or coordinating prevention curriculum/training
        - o Working with schools of excellence that provide PBV curriculum
        - o What trainings count for the certificate (Child abuse 101, Safe Bars Healthy relationships)
        - o Who is getting the certificate
        - o What are the parameters of getting the certificates
        - o Adding CEUS on PBV trainings
        - o Do we need to create a training?
        - o Creating a cohort/ series and giving the certificate for that
          - Child Abuse 101, MHFA, Handel with Care, Madadted Reporting
            - Sasha help with that process if needed or connect the group with Becky who does it for ADAMHS trainings if they decide to go that direction (Summer/Fall)
      - Highlighting people that are doing the work in the community around PBV
    - Strategy 6

- Educating on what is a safe space and developing a coordinated effort to make spaces more safe
  - o Maybe develop a policy guide to share for organizations could be an activity
  - o A Dialogue Zone(UD)
- Improve lighting in public spaces. (coordinate with sucicide prevention committee and policy committee)
  - MCPC Suicide Prevention (Soft Barriers) Sasha/ Zola
  - or strat 6 on lighting-maybe just make a note to coordinate with neighborhood associations/community groups to help identify those spaces that need

## 5. Small Groups

- Coordinate trainings: Nanci, Emma, Sasha
- Local Support Groups: VIcki, Heather, Zola, Taniayah
  - Artemis offers many confidential support and education groups during which survivors share their experiences with others who have lived with domestic violence. 937-461-HELP - Connecting them to see what is needed for a person to receive assistance - Vicki
  - Possibly adding to the strategic action plan How can we assist the community(Campus and Q+) in adding in PBV groups(Q+ Center and Have a Gay Day) - Zola
  - Boonshoft Pride and Rainbow alliance Checking to see what groups they have for PBV- Vicki
  - Women Helping Women Vicki/Zola
    - Do they provide service to Montgomery county?
    - What hospitals do they assist in going to
    - What things do they provide?
    - If they do not come out this far do they know of any service that do
  - YWCA Dayton
    - Bi-monthly sexual violence support groups are held in partnership with Womanline on the first and third or second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at 6:30-8 p.m. Held virtually during the COVID-19 pandemic. Groups are private; email cssv@ywcadayton.org to join.
    - SOAR (Survivors Overcoming Abuse & Rape) Join us and co-facilitators from the Greater Dayton LGBT Center on the first Monday of each month, 7-8 p.m. Open to anyone identifying as LGBTQIA+ who has been affected by sexual

violence, including survivors, family, friends, and/or loved ones. Meets virtually (email cssv@ywcadayton.org for link) or in person at the Greater Dayton LGBT Center, 24 N. Jefferson St., Suite #200, Dayton, OH 45402.

- Weekly online group chats for sexual violence survivors, friends/family of survivors, and those seeking information and resources about sexual health are held in partnership with RAINN per the schedule below. Follow link below to join. HelpRoom is an anonymous, confidential online group chat option that allows those who have been affected by sexual violence to connect with one another. Trained staff facilitate these group discussions to ensure a safe environment for all visitors.
  - Survivors of Sexual Violence Support Group Wednesdays @ 10-11 a.m.
  - LGBTQIA+ Identifying Survivors Support Group Fridays @ 2-3 p.m.
  - Friends and Families of Survivors Support Group Fridays @ 10-11 a.m.
- HelpRoom link: https://affiliate.rainn.org/helproom/ywcadayton

RAINN & Victim Witness Division- Prosecutor's office - Colleen Family services association - Support group - Colleen