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### \*MEETING MINUTES\*

<b>Meeting Name:</b>	Somerset County Overdose United Team		
<b>Date of Meeting:</b>	February 22 2024	<b>Time:</b>	10:00 a.m.
<b>Minutes Prepared By:</b>	Sharon Creasy	<b>Location:</b>	Somerset County Health Department
<b>1. Attendees:</b>			
Danielle Weber (SCHD), Yvonne Harris (SCHD), Shannon Frey (SCHD), Sharon Creasy (SCHD), Lorraine Buck (Emergency Services), Cherie Meienschein(MD Courts), Elizabeth Justice (SCHD), Latisha Milbourne (Step up from Grace), William Bailey-(ECI), Susan Banks (SCHD)			
<b>2. Agenda Item:</b>	Discussion/Action/Follow-Up:		
<b>Welcome</b>	Danielle Weber – Somerset County Health Department – Health Officer  Danielle welcomed everyone, and had everyone introduce themselves.		
<b>Approval of Minutes</b>	Elizabeth Justice approved the minutes and Susan Banks 2nd		
<b>Update on SCOUT Changes</b>	<p>We have a new logo that shows the changes from opioid to overdose. There is a new billboard on RT 13 that is Fentanyl related and was paid for through SCOUT Funding. We have started to get the equipment in to be able to do a Hybrid meeting, once it's up and running we will let you know. Once we have it up and running, the meetings will change to Hybrid. We would like to hear if anyone would like to see someone from the community at our meeting; we will reach out to get them to come to our next meeting. We are looking to combine the SCOUT meeting with the OFRT meeting.</p> <p>In regards to Co-Chairing for this meeting, we need to wait until July; so we can have more time to have more community members in the meetings that may have an interest in co-chairing this meeting.</p>		

<p><b>Opioid Community Response Plan</b></p>	<p>* Educational Focus*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Changes from Heroin/opioid to overdose prevention</li> <li>● If any Representative or programs that you may have noticed missing please let us know now</li> <li>● Would like the plan to have attachments with locations to services</li> <li>● Will need to add all treatment providers, MAT program, Vending Machines</li> <li>● ReVamp the Opioid Operation Command Center</li> <li>● Hoping to have everything in and ready by July 1, 2024</li> <li>● Remove the HG 8-507 Treatment placement process</li> <li>● Shannon/Yvonne to work on the LBHA part</li> <li>● Adding the Overdose dashboard to the plan</li> <li>● Remove the Samaritan Law</li> </ul>
<p><b>Community Health Fair planning</b></p>	<p>SAVE THE DATE: May 18, 2024. Still need to work on buses to the Health Dept for that day. Would like to see more treatment providers sign up to be a vendor. Will work on the Save the date flier. If you would like to participate in the planning please let Sharon Creasy know.</p>

<p><b>FY 25 Funding Ideas</b></p>	<p><b>Danielle Weber</b>-(SCHD) The new focus will be on treatment and recovery. Hoping to be able to add salary to the funding. What would you like to use the funding for next year's budget? Some suggestion is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Put fliers out in the mail</li> <li>● Yard signs, maybe even wooden signs at the marina, or use the electronic signs around the county (Fire, Sheriff's)</li> <li>● An enclosed trailer to set up like a teenager's room to show the hiding spots for drugs. There is one where Kids go in and learn how to handle peer pressure</li> <li>● Town Hall meetings - at least have 4 meetings. Crisfield, Fairmount, Princess Anne and Deal Island</li> <li>● Gift Cards- Are not allowed. Maybe Gift baskets as prizes if you stay through the whole thing</li> </ul>
<p><b>Agency Updates</b></p>	<p><b>Yvonne Harris</b> (SCHD) Wellness and Recovery is doing training on Support Skills for the Grief of Addiction, Suicide and Other Stigma Losses: Tuesday 2/27/2024 from 9am to 3:15pm. Expungement clinic on April 23, 2024, 40 spots are available for scheduling. Please call and set up an appointment by April 9, 2024 to come on the 27th and work with Shore Legal.</p> <p><b>Susan Banks</b> (SCHD) - Education in the schools, boxes filled with life skills, peer pressure, a 3 day course. Jeopardy game, narcan and fentanyl test strips out in the community. Getting the Van ready with scheduling for the community.</p>

	<p><b>Cherie Meienschein</b> (MD Courts) - Working on Funding for the FY25-Outreach looks to be the same as last year's funding. Another grant was looked into but they were unable to apply due to needing at least 20 unduplicated participants per year. As of now, Somerset only has about 18 participants per year in the program.</p>
<b>Next Meeting</b>	March 28, 2024 @ 10:00 a.m.
<b>Adjournment</b>	11:06 a.m.