

Early Learning Hub of Linn, Benton & Lincoln Counties

Health Care Integration Work Group Meeting Minutes

MEETING COMMENCED	9:30am, October 13, 2020 Online via Zoom
MEETING CALLED BY	LeAnne Trask
WORK GROUP MEMBERS PRESENT	Connie Adams, Jessica Barker, Mary Jackson, Amy Yardley
VERSION	Final

Agenda topics

DISCUSSION ITEM	Program Updates, LeAnne Trask
<p>Bright by Text – Pollywog is offering this free texting program to local families. Parents sign up to receive information based on their child's age from contributors like Sesame Street, PBS, CDC, etc. The work group discussed questions like how to sign up multiple children, how to promote a local group, sending out information like availability of food from local farms, sending emergency notifications, and other texting programs in the area, like Samaritan's.</p>	
<p>Oregon Healthy Authority – The highest number of cases recently has been in the 20-29-year age range, and the most deaths are in people over 80 years old. OHA is encouraging everyone to get a flu shot.</p>	
<p>SHARE program – stands for Supporting Health for All Through Re-Investment. This is similar to the DST, will have an RFA out shortly with focus on housing, food, transportation grants. The group discussed whether to ask for a grant for dental programs.</p>	
<p>Benton County Health – Local COVID-19 numbers are up due to colleges opening and Labor Day. The department is supporting approximately 600 people in local motels due to wildfire evacuations.</p>	
<p>Disaster Preparedness – Oregon ASK, which usually coordinates programs for after school care, is coordinating the Two Weeks Ready program as well. They encourage all households to have supplies for at least 72 hours, but it's better to have at least two weeks' worth of supplies. The Red Cross is collaborating with the Oregon Office of Emergency Management and have a handy Disaster Preparedness Calendar available online.</p>	

NEXT MEETING	November 10, 2020
To be held online via Zoom until further notice.	
MEETING ADJOURNED	10:30am