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Welcome and thank you for joining!

Wyoming Dept of Health Updates:

- 988 update (Lindsay)
 - Noncompetitive grant with SAMHSA should be awarded in April
- Legislative Update (Lindsay)
 - \$200k put aside for MHFA T4Ts
 - Dust settling over next few months/weeks until decisions can be made
 - \$2.1 Million in ARPA funding for lifeline call centers!! Will help to achieve 100% 24/7 coverage. Will be combined with the other \$400k currently appropriated. Waiting for final signature from Gov.
 - Discussion around mental health in multiple committees, should have more updates in April on other items that may eour work
- Governor's Challenge (Lindsay)
 - Additional conversations with Dept of Ed on Purple Star Project (k-12 system living in military families), possible opportunities to bring to WY
 - Discussing messaging around Ad Council work on suicide prevention for veterans and adding onto Kayla's work on messaging and looping into WDH's messaging. Opportunity to leverage a coordinated effort.
 - Last and final site visit in April, support will continue through the year
 - Monthly newsletter will include link to training portal and elevating resource each month and monthly honoree. Hoping to start in April.
- Free QPR Training Codes
- MHFA Sponsored training, application closed.
- Zero Suicide calls, monthly, last Tuesday @ 10:30
- Symposium Planning
- Updated 2020 data from CDC
 - Wyoming is still first with 31.3 /100,000 suicide deaths

Suicide Rate per 100,000 Residents by Year



Due to changes in the way data is collected, Self-Harm Hospitalization Rates are not comparable before 2016. There is no national comparision available for Self-Harm Hospitalizations.

- **CAMS**-Care Sponsored Training

- Collaborative Assessment and Management of Suicidality. therapeutic framework for suicide-specific assessment and treatment of a patient's suicidal risk. The clinician and patient engage in a highly interactive assessment process and the patient is actively involved in the development of their own treatment plan
- 50 trainees, roughly 10 hours of coursework, June 8 all-day training, application pushing out soon

Work Group Updates:

1 Population Based (Megan Selheim, Ashley McRae, Jeremy Bay)

Discussing upstream approaches, getting into the communities, identifying risk factors.

2 Prevention Strategies (Beverly Shore, Jeremy Bay and Megan Selheim)

Breaking down what types of strategies they want to focus on and where they fit.

3 Access to Care (Jen Swaney, Andrea Shipley)

Discussed SWOT analysis and barriers to care- no telehealth, access to care, training gaps. Next meeting will discuss goals.

4 Policy and Planning (Ann Perkins, Jen Davis, Doug Bebout)

Watching to see other group goals and what policy implications they may need help on.

Other Community Updates/Highlights?

- Safe2Tell
- Lucy Pauley- Agriculture
 - UDSA grant, 1 year funding

- Supporting WY 211 to strengthen Ag resources
- AgriSafe partnership to host training for rual providers, Farm Response,
 3.5 hrs virtually (150 seats) to understand Ag
 Producer/Farmers/Ranchers life
- QPR for Farmers/Ranchers
- Counseling Vouchers in potential discussions
- Quarterly round table open to anyone interested- email Lucy
- AFSP/SPRC Blueprint https://www.aap.org/en/patient-care/blueprint-for-youth-suicide-prevention/

Next Meeting: June 2nd 12-2pm

Questions for me, WDH, or the large group?

- Ralph- Currently training someone that should get them to coverage for 4am-4pm slot that was otherwise not covered.
- Katie Baxter- Project AWARE- Suicide prevention, anti-bullying, and substance abuse.
 Offering counseling services, training for families and community members, YMHFA coming up. February SafeTALK and MHFA. Biggest barrier is lack of basic needs (childcare, food, transportation). 6 counties, % year, open to any collaboration to help fund and coordinate their efforts. Fremont, Park, Campbell, next will be Carbon, Unita, Sweetwater.
 - G42B potential to provide funding to provide childcare during training
 - Wyoming Telehealth can provide support if needed- Andrea Shipley

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