

LAC/SAA Report to MHOAC
Report Template

___Miles City _LAC/SAA

Reporting Date: _Wed. July 2, 2014_____

Reporter: Carla R Bichler; others present, Diana Seleg, Vicki Hamilton, Antonia Klein, Mark Bichler, Pam Columbik, Patty Lavine, Kathleen Kaiser, Laura Wetherelt

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Education/Prevention: Provide advocacy in funding and promotion of Early Intervention Strategies to promote holistic wellness.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. reduce suicides in Custer County and eastern MT 2. Complete psychiatric emergency brochures. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Summer Mental Health Film Festival. Antonia is still looking for a venue. She will order the movie about Muriel Hemingway's family. As soon as we have a date and place there will be an ad in the paper. 2. Kathleen will check on printing of brochure and it was decided that a list of providers would be included with the brochure. 	July 2014
<u>LAC/SAA Top 3 Priorities</u>	1. Committees meet on their own and report monthly to the MHLAC meetings.	1. Discussion re kickoff for OOTD walk: it was decided that we will participate in the FamFest which is to be held Fri Sept. 5 th 3-6pm. We	September 2014

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<p>#1: Miles City Out of the Darkness community suicide prevention walk</p>	<p>2. Awareness and destigmatization of seeking help for mental illness</p> <p>3.</p>	<p>will have a booth with suicide prevention materials. FamFest would like an interactive activity at each booth. Carla will follow up with Scott Rapson re more ideas for the booth/table. Ideas for door prizes for both adults/youth included: movie passes, i-tune cards, coffee gift cards</p> <p>2. thus far we have sponsorships from US Bank, HRH, oneHealth, 1st Presbyterian Church</p> <p>3. Carla has ordered promotional items. We discussed the use of the dog bandanas this year. Carla will contact the city and our AFSP area rep.</p> <p>4. Niki Haidle is interested in helping with the walk. Her name was given to Antonia. Carla will provide the OOTD binder for her review.</p> <p>5. Carla will talk to Betty Vail re RSVP volunteers providing bars/cookies for Fri night and Sat. events.</p> <p>6. Wibaux Park has been reserved and liability ins. in place thru AFSP.</p> <p>7 Laura Wetherelt confirmed her availability to help with medical support.</p> <p>8. Mark Bichler confirmed that he will be available for logistics and that if we go with a “pet friendly” walk that logistics would be responsible for cleaning up after the dogs. ☺</p> <p>9. We still need people that will sit at the t-shirt table</p>	

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		and “police” the pizza. ☺ 10. Antonia will talk to Bob Zadow regarding his band for the music again this year.	
		11. Carla will follow up re speaker(s) for prewalk program.	

Other Information Requested:

When Does the LAC/ Meet? (Monthly, Quarterly, Designated Week, etc.) _____ 1st Wed. of each month _____

Topics of Concern or Discussion Not Included in Priorities Above:

Topic	Discussion	Action Items	Responsible Party & Due Date
Community Fundraising	Some of the group attended the meeting earlier today. Next meeting a person from Red Lodge will be available to answer questions and/or someone from Bozeman to discuss the possibility of a community foundation.	MHLAC are encouraged to attend to find out more info and offer suggestions	All July 6, 2014

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