



## Medication Disposal Coalition of Montcalm County

### Meeting Minutes

4/26/2019

10:00am - 11:00am at: Midi-Michigan District Health Department

*Mission:*

*To provide education and resources for proper disposal of medications in an effort to protect our environment, prevent childhood poisonings, and reduce substance abuse.*

Present: Ray Holloway, Leslie Kinnee, Mary Thomas, Phil Milerov, Ron Finegood,

**Law enforcement update**          None Given

**New drop box for GPS**              No Action Taken

#### **Upcoming Drop off day**

May 18, 2019 during the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Montcalm County Public Safety Celebration between the hours of 9am and 12pm.

- Mary contacted the Public Safety committee and got the OK for us to participate.
- 4 tables, 2 trifolds; Leslie will supply pics etc. for trifolds, and we are asking for the youth trifold display
- Ron suggests red for skirts to tie in with the red drop boxes
- Leslie will provide new rack cards and contact paper for advertising
- Mary will place notification on Facebook
- Phil has tubs tables, etc.
- We're Good to Go! 8am set up time

#### **Sharps**

There was a question about our involvement with Spectrum's Sharps Container Exchange program.

We supply funding for sharps containers Spectrum uses for the public to participate in their program

Spectrum Health offers a sharps container exchange program. Sharps **MUST** be dropped off in an approved medical sharps container.

#### **BRING ONE-GET ONE (empty sharps container)**

- Spectrum Greenville Convenient Care: 1202 W Oak St. Suite 200, Entrance A Greenville 616-754-4685
- Spectrum Belding Family Medicine: 1227 W State St. Belding 616-794-0940
- Spectrum Lakeview Family Medicine: 418 Washington Ave. Lakeview 989-352-6474

#### **Other Items**

MSHN allocated us \$800.00 through the State Opioid Response (SOR) – Overdose Education & Naloxone Distribution (OE/ND) grant project. Billboards advertising medication disposal messages would be a good use of these funds.

#### **Montcalm Prevention Collaborative update**

negotiations ongoing for new Co-Coordinator

#### **Communications Team update:**

the focus of the team has been on their website. We have asked for sticker signage for the Sharps Containers.

#### **Next meeting:**

June 21st at 10am at: Midi-Michigan District Health Department

Respectfully submitted: E. Ray Holloway

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