



**April 26th, 2023 Meeting Minutes
Meeting held via Zoom**

Welcome from Denise

Virtual Attendees:

41 Total; 26 in-person and 15 via Zoom

Announcements:

- We are in need of a Web Administrator and Corresponding Secretary on the board, email partnership with interest or questions.
- Law Enforcement Work Group is interested in getting back together
- Looking for speakers for our meetings.
- Open Community Health Educator at BJC in StL doing prevention education-send partnership an email.
- Contact Mark Knott! Free Narcan: email NARCAN@chestnut.org or 618-512-1781
- Tipping the Scales airs Friday, April 28th, 2023 900am-1100am
- St. Clair County Drug Prevention Alliance May 11th at noon at PSOP in Belleville, June (date TBD) there will be an education seminar held regarding stigma and harm reduction
- Jen Nagel is doing a presentation tomorrow virtually (April 27th) at 12pm-130pm on Stigma Reduction
- PAL is holding an event Celebrate Life in Breese on September 24th 12-6pm

Guest Speaker:

Chestnut Health Systems-Brent Cummins (Clinical Integrated Care & Emma Melvin (Health Center Services)

- Crises residential and detox beds were relocated to Maryville, IL
- Requested an adult male and female unit for residential treatment, approved for one currently-need both units to be opened to be fiscally viable

Partnership Spotlight-

None

General Business:

Workgroup updates:

Education & Prevention workgroup starts next at 1130am!

Reminders

Next Meeting: Riverbend Head Start 550 Landmarks Blvd, Alton (3rd Floor)-in person & Virtual.