



August 26th, 2025
Meeting Minutes
Virtual

Welcome from Taylor Birch, Chair

Attendees:

Taylor Birch, Stacy Seitz, Sean Berghoefer, Sean Hill, Veneta Wadlow, Toni Randall, Amanda Depew, Karen Tilashlski, Jessica Harman, Lainie Ward, Christina Manchen, Mark Knott, Deborah Humphrey, Katie Wilson, Joe Jackson, Kristin Degler, Brad Woelfel, Amanda Phelps, Karla Schulte, Kenlea Avella, Morgan Hempen, Marla Nelson, Sarah Armstrong, Ali Knox, Marla Nelson, Tyrone Hill, Alex Easton, Chas Swearingen, Valerie Rasche, Ashley Ramos, Meagan McGlasson, Sheena Langhauser, K Juenger, Clara, Jen Nagel-Fischer, Rebecca Arnold, Kara McLaughlin, Jeshua Pearson, Stephanie Dalton, Kendra Kadiri, Kathy Kehrner, Christina Manchen, Marianne Drainer, Eli Horner, Amanda Phelps, Theresa Cornelius, Tasha Meeks, Conswala Jones, Jessica Duft, Ken, Melanie

Announcements:

Contact Chestnut for Free Narcan: email NARCAN@chestnut.org or 618-512-1781 and training via Zoom monthly. Testing strips are also available.

Amare hosting Rockin' for Recovery in Bethalto Park on September 20th, 2025 1-6pm.

Overdose Awareness event in Bond County on the Courthouse lawn from 6-8pm on August 31st, 2025.

Nami Walk on in the morning September 20th, 2025.

International Drug Overdose Vigil is August 31st 4-8pm.

Car show October 26th at IRC

Guest Speaker: Brad Woelfel Resource Officer-Madison County Sherriff Dept- provided information related to current trends and youth substance use.

Partnership Spotlight: None

General Business:

New executive workgroup is working on developing a procedure manual for the partnership.
Potential for future survey to hear feedback related to meetings.
Send ideas to Taylor about future meetings and feedback.

Workgroup updates:

Strategic Planning Workgroup- Working on Meet & Greet in December.

Justice Workgroup- No updates

Drug Endangered Children- Will send out fliers to the Partnership from Chestnut related to handling children with care after a traumatic experience. Currently doing training with officers and local community.



Education & Prevention- If you would like to be on the email list, please send Kendra. August 31st, Overdose Awareness day-this year is a virtual campaign, a countdown. Visit the page every day!

Next Meeting: In person IDOT Meeting Room September 23rd, 10-1130am.