# Substance Use Workgroup Minutes

**Date:** April 4th, 2019  
**Time:** 11:00 - Noon  
**Location:** Conference Rm. C Health Department

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| Northwoods Coalition (NWC) Updates| DITEP (Drug Identification Training for Education Professionals)Training coming to Cameron WI April 29th and 30th  
Regional Media Plan – The Northwoods coalition regional team of (Barron, Rusk, Washburn, and Polk) Created a media plan which will consist of 1 press release and 4 facebook post each month.  
Feb: Teen Dating Violence  
March: Bring Drinking  
April: Drug Take Back Days, Alcohol Awareness Month  
May: Parents Who Host Lose the Most (Polk)  
June: LGBTQ and Substance Abuse  
July: Summer, Cabin, Underage Drinking, Water Safety  
Aug: JUULing (Polk)  
Sept: Mental Health  
Oct: Bullying, Stop Abusive Messaging (Polk)  
Nov: Meth  
Dec: Mental Health | **Action Item:** Don’t forget to register for the DITEP Training April 29th and 30th at: https://ntcforms.formstack.com/forms/ditep_northwoods_coalition_cameron  
DITEP is designed for case workers, educators, guidance counselors, school nurses, administrators, emergency medical service personnel and police school liaison officers who will gain the skills needed to identify chemically impaired individuals and different types of drugs. Participants must attend both days. The training, manuals, Certificates of Attendance and food are provided at no cost. Registration is required.  
If you have thoughts or ideas about the topics that are Polk’s responsibility please share with Elizabeth: elizabeth.hagen@co.polk.wi.us |
| **Alcohol Compliance Checks** | Sherriff Waak is set to support us in completing 30 compliance checks at gas stations, convenience stores, and grocery stores. We also discussed implementing and promoting the SAMHSA “talk they hear you campaign” you can find out more at: [https://www.samhsa.gov/underage-drinking/about](https://www.samhsa.gov/underage-drinking/about) In addition to promoting the use of the phone app. We discussed creating conversation starters to put on pizza boxes and table tents at restaurants throughout the county. | **Action Item:** If you know youth age 18-20 that would be willing to conduct alcohol compliance checks please email their contact information to Elizabeth Hagen: Elizabeth.hagen@co.polk.wi.us |
| **Block Grant – Prevention Set Aside** | Lisa L. would like to do more community forums around Meth and Opioids. | **Action Item:** if you have other thoughts and ideas about what to do in 2019 please email them to Elizabeth Hagen: Elizabeth.hagen@co.polk.wi.us |
| **Meeting for Businesses** | Elizabeth heard back from Jeremy at Jennie-O about his willingness to speak to other business owners in Polk County. He has to talk with his bosses/corporate and will be getting back to me. | |
| **Wrap up and next steps** | If you know of people or organizations that would be an asset to this workgroup please invite them to attend or give them Elizabeth’s Contact information. | **Next Meeting** will be May 2nd at 11:00am. |