

Connect to Protect Los Angeles Schools Subcommittee Meeting

Date: Jul 23, 2014

Time: 2:00PM-4:00PM

Location: Martin Luther King Public Health Center in Watts

Mission: To mobilize the community and create structural change to reduce HIV/AIDS among young gay and bisexual men of color.

Meeting Attendees: Dykee Gorrell, Samuel Gonzalez, Nadiya Juma, Cesar Jass, Kevin Jorge, Milton Smith, Lakhiyia Hicks, Ruth Dawson, LaDawn Best

Present:

Phone: Ruth Dawson, LaDawn Best

Facilitator: Milton Smith

Minutes taken by: Dykee Gorrell

Meeting called to order: 2:07pm

Agenda Item	Discussion	Resolution / Follow-Up
1. Welcome	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Milton welcomed the group on behalf of the 2 co-chairs • Schools sub-committee looks at all levels of education 	
2. Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supervisor Mark Ridley-Thomas is trying to secure a more health based plan • Tracking what's happening with Locke to see about their health and awareness center • All 6 high schools have health and wellness centers, including Jordan • Getting more youth involved with those health centers • Jordan and Locke have Watts health care providers • World Aids day activity was having health fairs at different High Schools • Student led Youth groups • Samuel and his organization had a lot of events on world aids day at the Slauson swat meet 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student led Youth groups • Erin Adams from Mark Ridley-Thomas' office is thinking about hosting a World AIDS Day events off campus for high school students in District 2. Milton will continue discussions with Erin. • ACLU letter of support (Also getting people on board to get people following up on that email) •

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Advertised it on the swat meet website ● Idle location is in the parking lot ● Had a lot of donations from the Dodgers ● ACLU letter of support (Also getting people on board to get people following up on that email) ● California Law doesn't provide partners schools with sex education with the C2P schools ● LAUSD is good about adopting these other ● Providing with LAUSD with advocacy training ● LAUSD has contract they make their LAUSD schools provide, but we haven't though about reaching out to the county ● 	
<p>3. Review Open SCO's</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● SCO 95: Milton will talk with the Mayors office on Thursday about the meeting. ● Drafting of the letter for ACLU and then getting members of the coalition and to get their agencies to do it as well. ● SCO 133: Kieta will give info about this next time they meet ● Dorsey High School has a condom program ● Previously the county also has a condom program ● The Condom program is in current dispute because the county and the High School are two different entities ● Don't have a school nurse ● Helping the SCO 134: Shane was supposed to meet with the new principle that just arrived. ● Not responsive to students needs ● Putting the Health organizations on contract ● View Park High School has a full time health program 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● SCO 135: Trade Tech has lots of space and opportunity. ● Tech is a really good site because the staff and the Admin are on board ● The date is December 31st ● SCO 138: We could combine this and SCO 95 ● Tim did not present on the day he was suppose. Ruth will follow up and see whether the website for his office will be updated with the approval process as stated previously. ● SCO 139: Project U had been instilled in many other schools ● Had scheduled the Project U for Jordan and Freemont coming up

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SCO 141: No Info • SCO 142: No Info • SCO143: No info 	<p>soon. Dykee will get information from Robert.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
<p>4. Care and Testing SCO Discussion Youth Friendly Clinics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth Friendliness has been bad as well as not being able to get care from the health center • Health centers are run by Uma, Saint John’s • LGBT issues were quite prominent • Brainstorm about how it the change should look • Young women are being turned away form services • <u>Notes On Brainstorming for questions to ask on secret shopper form:</u> • What were the general barriers? • Have cultural sensitivity. • County providing services to the LA County (Private, Public, and Charter) • Health care providers and updates to the info menu. • Looking at care issues and doing a joint SCO’s • Looking at County funded programs • Paulina is in the division and said that the county can’t do the work that we would have to. • CDC says that we need to test people starting at age 13 • We will do a joint secret shopping idea with Care and Testing Subcommittee • YELP account idea will be put on websites so that they can be held accountable for the actions that are being committed at some of the health centers. • Everyone was receptive to the ideas proposed. • C2PLA stopped doing the clinic updates a few years back • C2PLA’s work needs to be geared towards schools with neglected youth like at Jordan High School. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Milton will provide the content used to do the youth friendly clinic assessment and will share this info with both Care and Testing and Schools Subcommittee chairs.

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5. UCLA Sex Squad	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meeting with Tim and Robert was identified with 5 schools • Monroe, Hollywood, Monroe, Jefferson and Freemont are the five target schools • SEX Squad was at Freemont and Hollywood • AMP is offered in LAUSD that offers courses through UCLA • Teaching the courses next year, Lakhiyia will be doing • Talking about topics that are in regard to sex and other things. • Toured through LAUSD high schools and preforms the plays • Contraceptive negotiation workshop to be more inclusive • Discussing health issues across the board • Looking at the stories as represented through “Theatre of the Oppressed” 	N/A
6. Capture WGM report items	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SEX Squad • (New Member Cesar Jass) • Samuel met with LACOE to look at the Health centers in all of Los Angeles County schools not LAUSD specifically. • Providing them with policy and procedures on how to talk to students about HIV. Looking at youth in juvenile hall • Looking at LACOE and their influences in the district and looking at influences. • 	N/A
<p>Meeting adjourned: Planned next meeting Next meeting: August 27th</p>		

