

## Home Safety Action Team Minutes

Date: 12/10/08

**Present: Beth Dadko, Aliza Gomes, Veronica Leyva, Kate Mack**

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION/ BY WHOM/BY WHEN/FOLLOW-UP
<p><b>Introduction and Announcements</b></p>	<p>Grant updates- Marsha reported that the home safety group did not receive the Speedway grant. She is applying for another grant in February for \$6,000 for home safety equipment- she is advocating for home safety!</p> <p>Fundraising- group discussed need to raise funds. Decided to approach charity organizations like 20-30 clubs or Kawanis clubs (not Rotary because bike and ped safety group is targeting these)- must coordinate</p> <p>Burbank Housing updates- Aliza met with director of property management and good news. Residents cannot add dead bolts to front doors (fire code) or make exterior changes, but they can make changes on inside. Can add gates, latches, etc. Residents just have to patch up holes when moving out. The maintenance people could replace door knob handles for reasonable accommodation. Resident wouldn't have to pay for labor, just cost of door knob ~\$30. Burbank would like resource sheet of safety items to recommend for how to childproof.</p> <p>Red Cross meeting- Beth met with Rosiris Guerra from the American Red Cross to share home safety for the home visitor materials. She was very excited and thought that they could incorporate the slide presentation and other materials into their first aid/ safety classes.</p> <p>SRJC/ Elsie Allen day care provider training programs- The HealthSource @ Kidsake is in the process of training 40 teens at Elsie Allen that will be available to do child care on site. They are going through a 15 hour program. The Health Source has included a home safety portion in the program.</p>	<p><b>Marsha-</b> to update group on grant status</p> <p><b>Group-</b> to each take write a letter- choose in January/ coordinate with other action teams.</p> <p><b>Aliza-</b> to communicate to Elizabeth  <b>Elizabeth-</b> to communicate to Public Health Nurses and Families First Home visitors</p> <p><b>Elizabeth/ Beth/ Aliza-</b> to create sheet for Burbank with home safety supplies</p> <p><b>Beth-</b> to follow up with Rosiris to see how implemented.</p> <p><b>Kate-</b> to contact Carol Levy from Elsie Allen Day Care Provider program and Joel Gordon from SRJC Day Care Provider program to share home safety materials/ see if they can incorporate into their classes</p>
<p><b>Home Safety Teaches</b></p>	<p><b>Bubank Housing-</b> have a new property- Colgan Meadows- by Elsie Allen</p> <p><b>Head Starts-</b> Kate reports that they have scheduled presentations for February</p> <p><b>4C's-</b> did 9 teaches this past Fall with SSU students. Worked well.</p> <p><b>Kaiser-</b> on hold</p> <p><b>Foster Parents-</b> the Health Source at Kidsake is already training these parents in their trainings every other year.</p> <p><b>Memorial pre-natal classes-</b> taught by the Health Source 1x/month</p>	<p><b>Aliza/ Veronica-</b> to bring list of properties to Jan meeting- arrange Spring dates/ times</p> <p><b>Kate-</b> to update group</p>

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<b>Equipment update</b>	Kate reports that there is equipment. Group discussed purchasing more equipment and creating sustainable system. Charge \$10/ gate gives value to equipment and we can reach more people.	<b>Kate-</b> to take inventory of equipment for Jan. meeting
<b>2009 Action Planning</b>	Group reviewed 4-year strategic plan and 2008 action plan and created 2009 action plan. Discussed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recruiting more members</li> <li>• Recruiting volunteers to give parent presentations instead of just working with SSU Nursing students</li> <li>• Distributing Home Safety curriculum to home visitors via e-mail</li> <li>• Media blitzes in May and November</li> <li>• Encouraging groups that already to trainings/ classes to pick up home safety material</li> </ul>	<b>Beth-</b> to send out 2009 Action Plan with minutes <b>All-</b> review Action plan and provide comments- to vote in January for approval
<b>Recruitment Update</b>	<p><b>CAPCC-</b> Maria Zavala cannot staff. She was going to talk with Grace Harris at CPI to see if anyone could attend.</p> <p><b>Redwood Empire Food Bank-</b> Jill Barron is interested in partnering, not sure about coming to table. ACP (A Child's Portion) food distribution sites would be good to have home safety presentations.</p> <p><b>CPS- Emergency Response-</b> Stephanie was going to contact Betty.</p> <p><b>WIC Indian Health-</b> Kay Robbiano-Chlebda suggested talking with Vivian Helper who does a 6 wk behavioral health class with parents. Bonnie Richardson is community health representative- a potential rep.</p>	<p><b>Beth-</b> to follow up with Grace Harris from CPI</p> <p><b>Beth-</b> to follow up with Jill and invite</p> <p><b>Veronica-</b> will invite her niece, Maricela Orozco to the next meeting. She works in CPS Emergency Response now</p> <p><b>Beth-</b> to call Vivian Helper 521-4553 and invite or offer home safety curriculum</p>
<b>Next meeting</b>	<p><b>Thursday, January 29, 2008</b></p> <p><b>3:30- 4:30 p.m.</b></p> <p>625 5<sup>th</sup> St. Santa Rosa, Ca 95404</p>	<b>Please mark your calendars!!!!</b>