



HSCB Focus

HSCB is the state-designated community collaborative for Macomb County.

Safe and Together Trainings Start

UPDATES

- The Macomb County Health Department offers the Hepatitis A vaccine. For more information, call (586) 469-5372.
- The Macomb Children's Health Care Access program (MCHAP) has expanded to Oakland County. For more details visit their new website www.macomboaklandchap.org
- Macomb County Prosecuting Attorney Eric Smith has sent a letter to Macomb County parents indicating that threats made against schools will not be tolerated and listed the punishments and additional consequences linked to making these threats. All threats are taken seriously and will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

As part of a countywide initiative to improve the safety and well being of families, the Macomb HSCB is sponsoring a series of trainings on the Safe and Together Model™ for professionals responding to domestic violence.



The Safe and Together Model was developed by national

consultant David Mandel, M.A. This model helps cross-system collaboration by keeping the focus on the domestic violence perpetrator through language and documentation. Workers partner with domestic violence survivors to create more effective and efficient child-centered safety plans by looking more comprehensively at the survivor's day-to-day efforts to promote the safety and well being of the children.

The trainings are coordinated by the HSCB Safe and Together Implementation Committee, chaired by Carmen Wargel, Macomb Community Domestic Violence Council and Dawn Walker, DHHS. Financial support for these trainings is provided by the Prosecuting Attorney's office and in-kind contributions from HSCB member agencies.

TRAINING FOR SUPERVISORY STAFF

A half-day training for agency directors, supervisors, program managers, and second tier managers will introduce the Safe and

Together Model and provide supervisory and policy ideas, tools and strategies for immediate implementation. Two training dates for supervisors are: Tuesday, April 17, 2018 from 9:00 A.M. - 12 Noon **OR** Thursday, April 19, 2018 from 1:00 - 4:00 P.M. at the Macomb Intermediate School District, 44001 Garfield, Clinton Township, MI 48038.

TRAINING FOR FRONT LINE STAFF

A second training for front line staff, case workers, screeners/intake staff, therapists, counselors, coaches, teachers, or equivalent staff will be held on Thursday, June 7, 2018 from 9:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. and will introduce the Safe and Together Model, provide direct service ideas, tools and strategies for immediate implementation.

Registration closes two weeks before each training. To register, go to:

<https://goo.gl/forms/V873Vaw6LvFefTq1>

For more information about the HSCB Safe and Together Implementation Committee, contact the Co-Chairs:

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Portal of Service

The HSCB Portal of Service Committee has worked for more than two years to establish a computer program to identify needs and connect Macomb County individuals and families with services. The work is almost complete and the system is named MATRIX (**M**acomb's **A**ccess to **R**esource **I**nformation **X**press).

Working with a team of experts from Macomb County's IT department, ten (10) questions were identified which allows the user to indicate their unique situation (i.e., senior citizen, veteran, etc.) and their need/s (utility assistance, health care, food, etc.).

Listing all service needs would require additional questions, making the survey time-consuming, so only frequently cited needs are included in the questions. For all other needs, users will receive an e-mail with the link to [The Right Connection](#), Macomb County's user-friendly directory of free, low-cost and unique services: www.connection.misd.net

Once the survey has been completed, MATRIX sends an e-mail to the participating HSCB member agencies providing these services. These agencies then contact the MATRIX user.

Participating MATRIX agencies are: Community Mental Health, Department of Health and Human Services, Health Department, Macomb Community Action, Martha T. Berry Medical Care Facility, Michigan Rehabilitation Service, MSU Extension, Michigan Works!, and Veteran Services.

Kiosks and laptops will be available at select sites. Some agencies will have the survey available on computers. Either the person or their worker may complete the survey.



The survey on MATRIX is available to be taken in English, Spanish, Arabic and Bengali. The survey was also

tested on the JAWS Screen Reading Software, a computer screen reader program for Microsoft Windows that allows blind and visually impaired users to read the screen.

The MATRIX system is HIPAA compliant. HIPAA, the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, sets the standard for protecting sensitive patient data.

The MATRIX project was coordinated by the HSCB Portal of Service Committee, chaired by Laura Rios, Chief of Macomb County Veteran Services. Funding was secured from Macomb County, as recommended through the Department of Health and Community Services. MATRIX content was also reviewed and approved by Gabriel Orzame, Jr. Macomb County's Corporation Counsel.

For more information about MATRIX, contact Laura Rios, Department of Veteran Services, (586) 469-6507.

HSCB Elects New Vice Chair



Dr. Lynn Fontanive, Director of the Preschool and Assessment Center Services at the Macomb Intermediate

School District, was elected Vice Chair of the Macomb HSCB to serve a three-year term of office ending in 2021.

Fontanive has served on the HSCB Executive Council since October 1999.

The responsibilities of the HSCB Vice Chair are:

In the absence of the Chair, to take the Executive Council through the meeting agenda.

To attend HSCB Executive Council planning sessions to prepare for

HSCB Executive Council meetings.

To represent the HSCB at community events, state and local meetings and other venues, in the absence of the HSCB Executive Council Chair.

From the Lead Agency Chair

John Kinch
HSCB Lead Agency Chair



The Executive Council of the Macomb HSCB develops an Annual Working Agenda which lists inter-agency service delivery issues and/or public policy concerns to be addressed by the HSCB.

The 2018 Agenda was recently approved by the HSCB Executive Council and includes continuation goals as well as new goals.

This Agenda is not intended to limit the scope of work of the HSCB. Other service and/or policy issues, concerns and/or initiatives may also be worked upon by the HSCB through the course of the year as need dictates within the community or as identified by the HSCB Inter-Agency Initiatives Steering Committee (ISC).

The ISC Steering Committee was established by the Macomb HSCB in 2015 to provide a forum to share information and identify issues/

projects demanding inter-agency collaboration. Two projects developed out of this Committee are the Safe and Together Implementation Committee (see page 1) and the Portal of Service Committee (see page 2).

The 2018 HSCB Annual Working Agenda is posted on the HSCB website: mhscb.mccmh.net

Opioid Overdose Prevention Programs

Five **free** educational programs on opioid overdose prevention are available and all five programs include free overdose prevention training and free Narcan Kits. Narcan is a medication that interrupts an opioid overdose. There is no registration for the public/family groups - just show up. NOPE trainers go to a business or groups to provide the trainings. To schedule a NOPE training, call (586) 307-9463.

NARCAN PRE-RELEASE EDUCATION PROGRAM

This program is open to the public and for family/friends of users. The program includes information on overdose prevention and community resources for ongoing help. The sessions are from 7:30 - 8:00 P.M. on April 3, 10 & 17, 2018, May 1, 8, & 15, 2018, and June 5, 12, & 19, 2018 at Clinton Counseling Center, 2 Crocker Blvd., Mt. Clemens, MI 48043.

NARCAN FAMILY AWARENESS AND OVERDOSE PREVENTION GROUP

This program is open to the public and for family/friends of users. The program includes information on overdose prevention training (recognize, respond, rescue), medication safety, a **free** locking medication pouch, addiction awareness, and local resources for ongoing help. The sessions are from 5:30 - 7:00 P.M. on April 3 & 17, 2018, May 8, 2018, and June 5, & 19, 2018. at Clinton Counseling Center, 2 Crocker Blvd., Mt. Clemens, MI 48043.

FAMILY STRATEGIES GROUP

This program is open to the public and for family/friends of users. The Family Strategies Group meets from 5:30 - 7:00 P.M. on April 10, 2018, May 1 & May 15, 2018 and June 12, 2018.

NARCAN OVERDOSE PREVENTION EDUCATION (NOPE)/NOPE PRO

is for any business or group in Macomb County. NOPE Pro is for Macomb County Community Mental Health and Macomb County Office of Substance Abuse provider panel programs.

These five programs are offered by the Clinton Counseling Center Jail Program.

Federal, State and Local funding for these programs has been provided through the Macomb County Community Mental Health - Office of Substance Abuse to support project costs.

For more information about these programs, call (586) 307-9570.

2018 Traveling Tours

The 2018 HSCB Traveling Tours are scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday, May 16 & 17, 2018. The theme of this year's event is "Macomb County Services: Breaking Barriers, Building Bridges."

Tour sites include: Animal Shelter, Baker College Dental Clinic, CARE of SE Michigan Peer Recovery Coaches, CMH Specialized Children and Family Services, Community First Health Centers, COMTEC, Creative Employment Opportunities, CSDD Life Enrichment Academy, Human Trafficking, Lake House, Macomb County Jail, Macomb County Family Resource Center, Sheriff's Department - Marine Division, Martha T. Berry Medical Care Facility, MSU Extension, Pediatric MotorWerks (sic), Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE), Play-Place for Autistic Children, Prosecuting Attorney's Office, Sacred Heart Rehabilitation Center, SE American Indians, Sensory Systems and Thompson Family Resource Center.

Registration Information Brochure

The Traveling Tours information is posted on the HSCB website: <http://mhscb.mccmh.net/> under the "Trainings" tab.

REGISTER IS ONLINE ONLY. THE REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS FRIDAY MAY 11, 2018.

Registration is online only at: www.misd.net

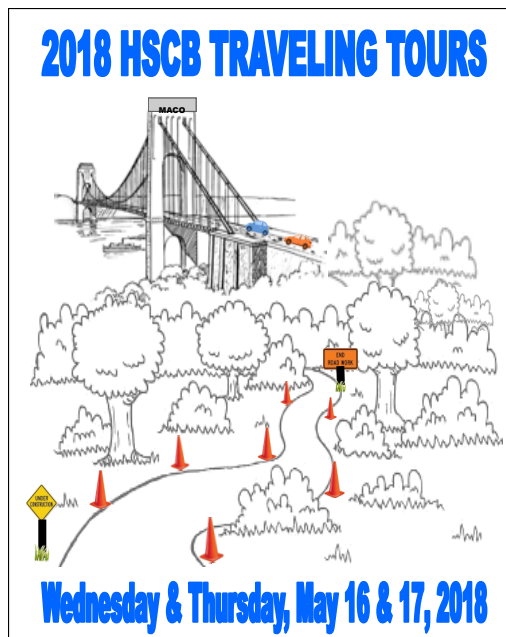
- Click on the "Course Offerings" tab on the top menu
- Click on the "Complete List of Courses/Events" drop down menu
- Click on the "By month" tab
- Change the month to "May"
- Scroll down to "Traveling Tours"
- Select your tours

If a tour is filled, the registrant will automatically be placed on a waiting list and will be contacted if a space becomes available.

The 2018 Traveling Tours Co-Chairs are:

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