

June 2011 Program Updates
Submitted By: Maranda Miller

Office of Suicide Prevention Grant, The Colorado Trust Preventing Suicide Initiative and Project Safety Net

- 6-1- Presented QPR to the older adults at the Ovid Meet and Eat Site.
- 6-6- Presented QPR to the LPN student at NJC.
- 6-13- Received a phone call from the Journal Advocate requesting suicide prevention information to include in story about a man who ended his life in a Sterling park.
- 6-15- Presented QPR to CMHC staff in Fort Morgan.
- 6-21- Recorded a radio segment for KSTC about suicide prevention.
- 6-24- Presented QPR to the RN students at NJC.
- 6-24- Met with Kris Schell from RE-1 Valley to discuss needs of our community after the recent suicides.
- 6-28- Participated in a webinar about connecting with the Latino community for prevention work.
- 6-28- Met with key agencies to discuss needs of the community and resources for the community after the recent suicides. Nine individuals attended.
- 6-28- Michelle and I traveled to Denver for Zeik Saidman's retirement party. Zeik helped guide our initial suicide prevention grant from The Colorado Trust.
- 6-29- Met with Mary McMahan to discuss upcoming ASIST training.
- 6-30- Participated in a webinar with Suicide Prevention Coalition of Colorado.

Other Suicide Prevention Information

RE-1 Valley wrote a school based suicide prevention grant and received it. We will be providing QPR training for 300 staff members and ASIST for 20 staff members. I am very excited about the pro-active attitude they have developed.

Second Wind Fund

6-23- Attended the SWF annual affiliate meeting in Denver.
Accepted 2 referrals this month.

Other Activities

6-3- Michelle and I worked at the surviving summer safety fair in Akron.

June 2011 Program Updates
Submitted By: Glenda Bang

Fatherhood Program

- 6-07- Helped coordinate food and supplies for Kit Carson Correctional Facility's Family Visit Day.
- 06-14- Participated in webinar, "Co-Parenting When Living Apart"
- 06-21 – Participated in National Fatherhood Council webinar

06-21 – Conferenced with Jackie re: program budget revision
06-22- Attended monthly Fatherhood Council meeting via teleconference
06-22 – Telephone visit with Wm. Madden regarding wrap-up of Elbert Co. classes
06-27 – Met with Forrest H. to discuss Logan Co. Jail fatherhood classes
06-30 – Processed MIS information for Kit Carson Correctional Facility classes and ordered supplies and materials for new classes at the Facility.

Healthier Living in NE Colorado

06-07- Attended Older Adults Meeting in Fort Morgan
06-13 – Prepared news release for HLC classes in Sterling
06-15- Distributed flyers and brochures to various business and agencies regarding Healthier Living Classes
06-28 – Began Healthier Living Classes in Sterling, 1:30 pm – 4 pm; 4 participants

SSUF Grant

6-10 – Attended GAP graduation in Limon
6-01 thru 24 – assisted with meal arrangements for GAP classes

Coordinator Report Michelle Sharp

Women's Wellness Connection

6/1/11 – put WWC information on Rural Solutions website under Programs
6/3/11 – was on KPMX 105.7 talking about WWC
6/6&7/11 – worked on pulling together the navigator luncheon around women's health
6/9/11 – Attended Action Team meeting in Akron, talked about WWC, visited with Teresa Waite from ACS
06/13/11 – took WWC information to the chiropractor offices in Sterling
6/15/11 – Hosted and attended the Patient Navigator meeting in Fort Morgan, which was facilitated by Joanne Vermeulen at Komen and brought together other organizations around breast and women's health.
06/16/11 – cold called women that have participated in Rural Solutions programs to let them know about WWC
6/20/11 – took WWC information to the eye doctor's in Sterling
06/22/11 – sat in on the phone conference call with the state, Rural Solutions and RCRC about the next year, budget and how to market WWC.
6/23/11 – checked on WWC flyers in Sterling
6/27/11 – pulled together and mapped out new locations to take WWC info in the 4 counties
6/28/11 – talked with several women about WWC that had either called into the office or had cold called

Healthier Living

06/28 – Started the Healthier Living workshop in Sterling with Glenda, we have 4 participants, it will be for 6 Tuesday's in the afternoon

Other

06/01 – Attended the raffle drawing

06/07 – Went to the Surviving the Summer Event in Akron with Maranda to help RCRC & WCC

06/14 – Went to the RETAC meeting in Ft. Morgan to find out about the teen safety coalition group that is being pulled together

06/23 – Helped Jerri Spear with the Reggie Bicha luncheon over the month and attended the luncheon

06/28 – Went to Denver with Maranda for Zeke Saidman's retirement party from the Colorado Trust