

AGENDA
LAFAYETTE COUNTY HOMELESS COALITION MEETING
THURSDAY December 15, 2016 8:30AM
Darlington United Methodist Church
Darlington, WI 53530

1. Call to Order by Hannah at 8:30

2. Approval of Minutes: Motion to approve the minutes Amanda, 2nd Shari, minutes approved.

3. Speaker: Chris Bell: Free Clinic's

Chris shared with us her presentation that she presented at County Board on Tuesday. (Handout)

Some highlights: County is buying the clinic—there is a designation that clinics can receive, may receive higher reimbursement—nothing is moving forward until it is investigated if the Free Clinic will/will not affect their reimbursement rate.

Go to the internet and search for “county health rankings Wisconsin”

Slide 6 of the handout is the data that is very startling—what we need to work on

Lafayette County would need to start it on their own. Dodgeville would give recommendations and help us get started but they cannot take on another clinic.

There are two paid positions at the Free Clinic: Rebecca Steffes is the nurse manager at the Free Clinic and pharmacy coordinator (not full time). Nurses and doctors volunteer.

Try to get everyone at \$4 plan at the Big Box Stores

Main Street in Darlington has a place that is available and cheap rent (Wally Oshalouski).

Discussion about the Affordable Care Act and Badger Care

4. Follow-up: Salvation Army

3 weeks of bell ringing in Darlington: \$1671.80. Donations can be dropped off at the bank, Shari

5. Family Promise: presentations about Family Promise (Green and Grant Cty).

6. Future Agenda Items: 6. Future Agenda Items (staff from Clarity Clinic and Neighborhood Health Partners, Douglas O'Brien on the Housing Authority)