

## AGENDA ~ September 2, 2015

### Community Support Network Partners Meeting

3:30 to 5:00 pm ~ Gene Albaugh Community Room at the Madelyn Helling Library

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- 3:20 – 3:30 **Greet Incoming Partners** – Susan Sanford, Coordinator  
(Members may place announcements to share on the back table)
- 3:30 – 3:40 **Welcome & Introductions** – Ned Russell, Got 40?
- 3:40 – 3:45 **Meeting Minutes**  
• Accept minutes from June meeting  
• Accept updates to CSN Agreements and Guidelines  
*Both documents were emailed to CSN Partners in advance of today's meeting*
- 3:45 – 3:50 **40 Developmental Assets** – Ned Russell of Got 40?  
Developmental Asset #7 – Community Values Youth
- 3:50 – 4:50 **Meeting Focus** – *"Affordable Care Act Update - Where are we today?" Panel and Moderated Q&A* ~ a panel of local providers fills us in on how ACA is going so far in our community, and what they see on the horizon
- Mike Dent, Director, Department of Social Services, Nevada County Health and Human Services Agency
  - Brian Evans, MD, Vice President, Chief Medical Officer Hospital Administration, Sierra Nevada Memorial Hospital
  - Wanda Mertens, Insurance Agent & Consumer Advocate, Mertens Insurance, a Farmers Insurance Agency
  - Glenn Thiel, DO, Chief Medical Officer, Western Sierra Medical Clinic
- 4:50 – 4:55 **Building the Network** – Mindy Oberne, California CareForce
- 4:55 – 5:00 **Network Announcements and Meeting Evaluation** – Partners may make short announcements about upcoming events/programs. Attendees complete meeting evaluation forms and leave in designated box at back of meeting room.
- 5:00 **Adjournment** – Next Meeting: Oct. 7, 2015, Gene Albaugh Community Room, at the Madelyn Helling Library. ***Please pick up any materials you displayed on the back tables. We welcome your help stacking tables and chairs. Thank you!***

#### CSN Vision Statement

All families in Nevada County have ready access to a well-integrated and coordinated support network that is easily available and well funded.

*Community Support Network of Nevada County ~ [www.csnn.org](http://www.csnn.org)*

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## Community Support Network of Nevada County Meeting Agreements

- Make decisions by consensus.
- Create an atmosphere of mutual respect that includes active listening and listening without judging.
- Start and end on time.
- Maintain a sense of humor and a positive attitude.
- Bring concerns to the whole group. Don't take them to the parking lot after the meeting.
- Set up the room in an inclusive way.
- Take responsibility for a task only if you have the time to accomplish it.
- Everyone is empowered to be a process observer and take ownership for the health of the meeting and is responsible for the health of the whole meeting.
- Be sensitive to others' need for more information. Make sure everyone understands.
- Be careful of injecting your self-interest and label it as such. Be able to layout your agency's interest and be open to other's interests.
- Meetings are meaningful and have a shared purpose.
- This is a living document and can be changed as needed.

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### **Developmental Asset # 7 – Community Values Youth – September 2, 2015**

Youth feel that adults in the community value youth. (Not adults' view of our community support for youth.)

- How DO our youth feel about community support?
- Quote from opinion piece in recent The Union: "I think people look at this generation of students and think that society has failed them. That schools have failed them." Would this imply the current generation is failing or will fail?
- Generation Y vs Generation Z? What effect does giving characteristics to age groups have on how kids in those groups develop? (Expectations).
- Would adults' behavior toward youth be different if we considered them "the greatest generation", i.e. the kindest, smartest, bravest, ...? And promoted the expectation?

Ideas:

- View youth as a resource; ask for ideas and opinions.
- Involve youth in leadership, program planning, and program evaluation.
- Identify barriers to youth participation.

To learn more about the 40 Developmental Assets (Got40?), call 530-271-5617 or email [info@Got40.org](mailto:info@Got40.org) or [NedRussell@pacbell.net](mailto:NedRussell@pacbell.net).

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