



Riverside County Suicide Prevention Coalition **Training Meeting Minutes**

7/25/2022

3:30 PM – 4:30 PM

Attendees:

Andrea Deaton
Sandy Awad
Kathy Cho
Kayla Henry
Josephine Perez
Tiffany Escorcia
Carina Gustafsson

I. Welcome

- Those who were present made self-introductions.

II. Introduction TIS principle for the month of July (Collaboration & Empowerment)

- Andrea explained the concept of "Together we are Better".
(To take the opportunity to connect, Support, empower and build healthy relationships.
Andrea encouraged members to collaborate and empower one another first, and second, approach decision-making with compassion and empathy.

III. Discussion (Andrea)

- **Following up with Creating a testimonial video About Suicide Prevention- Training:**

Andrea asked members about their opinion on what this video must include and who can be a presenter:

-Kayla shared that the first thing she could think about is the Peers, also to reach out "Take My Hand" And to reach out to Channon, Christian, and Debbie for making a video. And to reach out to the "Higher risk Population", "Community Organization", and also the "Older Adult Organization"

-Carina mentioned reaching out to "NAMI".

-Kathy suggested that Veterans can be involved, as well as Elderly population affiliation with any hospitals"

Josephine had an idea of implementing BH staff, and she will follow up on this topic, as she shared about the April Device and the mobile application which can be an alert of early intervention for suicide.

Andrea will contact The Center and the Veterans. And for filming it will be in Rustin, as our marketing department can take care of all the technical details.

IV. Next meeting

- August 29, 2022

