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<ul> <li>Introductions/ Updates</li> <li>Second call for new chair or co-chairs</li> <li>Term limit – discuss</li> <li>Location of future meetings?</li> </ul>	Andrea opened floor to anyone interested in being the new chairperson. If any member is interested, she is willing to step down. Until that time, she will continue as chairperson. Jeff Knudson was asked how the AODA Coalition handles chairperson positions. He informed the Council that they went to having co-chairs and term limits. One position goes up for election each year. The remaining co-chair trains the new co-chair.	
Welcome to AODA Coalition member: <u>Jeff Knudson</u>	Jeff Knudson and Karen Knudson from the AODA Council were welcomed. Discussed collaboration between MHIAC and AODA.	
Discuss collaboration between MHIAC and AODA; shared activities, Youth Behavior Risk Survey, increasing community participation	Andrea informed the Council that Yvette Hittle attended a conference where Mark Sanders spoke and he would be willing to speak for "free" at any MHIAC event.  Pam spoke about the collaborative approach between the community and Lac du Flambeau tribal group. She also mentioned that Jeremy just left the PAC group and went to another tribe.  Jaye informed group that she knows a grant writer with the school district that would be willing to write for any mental health grants people see, as long as they are big money grants and worth her time.	Invite Mark Sanders to speak at next years Mental Health Summit.

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	<ul> <li>AODA happenings: (Jeff)</li> <li>The Wednesday night before Prom they will be doing a spot on Channel 12 Live @ Five promoting the Parents Who Host, Lose the Most campaign.</li> <li>They are working with the police, sheriff and schools on underage drinking.</li> <li>They are looking for a new chairperson.</li> <li>They would like to collaborate more with the MHIAC on health fairs, etc.</li> <li>Discussed abuse of pharmaceutical drugs and "Doctor shopping". Electronic medical records will help.</li> <li>Noted there is a lot of denial on alcohol abuse. Vermont is now ranked #1 and Wisconsin is #2 in underage drinking.</li> <li>AODA working with Teen Court</li> <li>Karen spoke about starting a Parenting Network. They need to get information to parents on alcohol and brain development. Flo Hilliard is available to speak to parents.</li> </ul>	Char will e-mail brain insights information that is distributed to WIC clients and postpartum mothers.
	AODA Coalition is interested in working with MHIAC on brain development and parenting network. It was felt a parenting network needs to begin in grade school and follow on into middle school. Suggestion made to check with schools to see if they currently have an active parent	MHIAC Coalition will invite Marshfield Clinic Coalition to next meeting to get their ideas on starting a parenting network (Bob Kovar is the Northwoods region contact.)

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	group. One focus area that needs to be addressed is	Jeff Knudson is on the Board of
	bullying in the schools.	Directors with the Northwoods Coalition. He will discuss with
	Discussed problem of sustaining a parenting group once	Marshfield Clinic at their next
	it is set up. Jaye said to target events that have been	meeting in two weeks.
	shown to get 100% participation: 6 <sup>th</sup> grade &	
	kindergarten orientations, All About Me (kindergarten),	Jeff will look at startup packets
	middle to high school transition and Family Nights where	(workbooks/tools) needed to develop
	food and childcare are provided.	a Parent Network.
	Discussed Youth Behavior Risk Survey. The High	
	School is almost complete. It will then need to be	
	reviewed, along with the recently completed Jr. High	
	survey.	
Mental Health Anti-Stigma		
Campaign ideas/ venues		
<ul><li>Placemats</li></ul>		
	Questioned whether we are reaching correct audience. Is	
Partnership with Doug	radio, tv, dvd and newspaper working? Look at	
Nelson's RHS students-	partnering with Doug Nelson and Nicolet marketing classes. Char suggested combining AODA and the	
articles/ blogs/ radio/ TV	Mental Health Summit at schools. Need to discuss with	
	new principal.	
	Char discussed a mini-grant she is pursuing to cover a	
	QPR trainer. The QPR trainer is available for AODA	
	events if they are interested.	

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	Cathy suggested including students from Doug Nelson's class to get student involvement. Meetings would need to held at the high school	
Ministry Health Fair April (Andrea)	Ministry Health Fair – Saturday, April 21st.	
Children's Mental Health     Calendar Update (Nancy)		
2012 Mental Health Summit – May 11, 2012	Cathy distributed list of presenters, attendees and committee members. The financial report was also distributed.	Next planning meeting for Mental Health Summit:
Status report	Doug Nelson's class will be assembling the folders.	Tuesday, April 10 <sup>th</sup> 1:00 p.m. at Family Partners.
Next MH IAC Meeting	May 1, 2012 St. Mary's Hospital Conference Room 3 12-1 p.m.	
	Future Meeting Dates: 1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month: June 5, July 3, August 7, September 4, October 2, November 6 and December 4.	