



LBK Community Newsletter

"You can't be neutral on a moving train"

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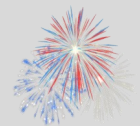
LBK Network 2nd Quarter Activity

All aboard! The quote above is actually a title of a book whose author, a white man, taught at an HBCU during the civil rights era. He realized then, as he watched his students grow more in tune with the climate and their increasing desire to participate, you can't be neutral on a moving train. You are either going to move with the train or not. He decided he would move with it, his book details his journey. Thank you for seeing the vision, jumping in, and doing all you can to learn and use the platform, working collaboratively to

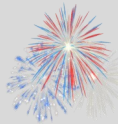
address social determinants of health (SDoH). This effort, what we are trying to do together as a Network, addressing SDoH in our community, is a fast *moving train* in our state and nation. Though you have chosen to *move with it*, I know it has not been easy to do, which is why the efforts you have made and are making ring loud. Below you will find data about our 2nd quarter activity and the Network's overall performance numbers. We love what we see, and hope you do as well. Additionally, we are so excited that we got to on-board (no pun intended) 6 new outstanding agencies this quarter, and pleased to share platform utilization has been steady! Lastly, 43 people participated in the LBK survey! Thank you to our Super Users who helped provide a summary about the results: *people who use the platform find it is helpful; and those who have not used it, more often than not, indicated they plan to; while, most respondents said they would recommend the Network to other agencies.* Seems there is an overall positive vibe about the Network and platform! Outstanding! I hope we will continue to grow and learn together as this train forges ahead. *Let's do this, LBK!* ~ Seydia Adkins

Not a Good-bye **NEW**

We want to thank the following leaders, who are also founding members of the LBK Community Network Advisory Council, for their distinguished leadership, support, and advocacy; and who, in June, honored their 2 year commitment to serve on the council. I learned so much from each of them, and will miss their presence and support during our meetings. I hope we will be able to partner in other ways, and look forward to seeing you again soon! Not a good-bye, but "until next time." Thank you, Paulett, Nancy, and Carla!



Paulett Rozneck
Coordinator
Student Health
Services
Lubbock ISD



Nancy Trevino
Director
Texas Tech
Mental
Health Initiative



Carla Olson
Executive Director
Parenting Cottage

Second Quarter Numbers: April-June

- Contacts Created: **87**
- Needs Identified: **140**
- Program Referrals Made: **86**
- Agencies On-boarded: **6**

Network Performance Data

In the past **24** months, Network partners have utilized this fantastic tool!

- Total Contacts Created: **381**
- Total Needs Identified: **668**
- Total Program Referrals Made: **403**
- Number of Partner Agencies: **31**

Current Top 5 Needs:

- Food Vouchers
- Case Management
- Food
- Utility Service Payment Assistance
- Medical Expense Assistance





PARTNER SPOTLIGHT *NEW*

It's summer! This means many of our families may need extra support like: day care, summer day camps/activities, food, parenting education and/or counseling. Below is a list of some of our partner agencies who help meet these needs and more!



Boys & Girls Clubs nurture young people's self-esteem by instilling in them a sense of belonging, usefulness, influence and competence. Clubs do this daily by providing young people with one-on-one relationships with caring adult professionals and fun, age-appropriate, well-rounded programming. We help them with their homework each day and provide a nutritional meal for them every day after school. For more information, please call [806-792-2880](tel:806-792-2880)



At **Buckner's Family Hope Center**, our programs seek to engage through family assistance and community events; equip families through education, financial empowerment, child and youth development and spiritual development; elevate families through family coaching, counseling and spiritual enrichment. To learn more about this ministry, please call [806-799-0990](tel:806-799-0990)



Many kinship families think they have to figure things out on their own, but the Kinship program at **Catholic Charities** is here to help with support and resources. For more information, please call [806-765-8475](tel:806-765-8475)



At **Children's Hope**, we work in conjunction with foster families to rebuild trust within each child. By demonstrating Christ-like love and acceptance, the foster families offer unconditional love, respect, and value for each child. Children's Hope staff are committed to supporting, training, and equipping families with the necessary tools to make a difference in the life of a child. For more information: <https://childrenhp.org/>



Early Learning Centers offers an educational, hands on program to help all children grow and develop in their own unique way. Children will leave the Early Learning Centers Kindergarten ready. Early Learning Centers also provides a nutritional program through the Child and Adult Food Program (CACFP). We provide breakfast, lunch and snack to the children each day. We also provide baby formula, baby bottles and baby food at no additional cost. For more information, please call [806-765-9981](tel:806-765-9981)



FCS provides individual, family, marriage, and group counseling services. You can choose your price point based on what you can afford. LPC's are \$60 per session, LPCA's are \$20 per session, and the Master's Level Interns are free. All counselors set their own appointments. To request an appointment, click on the SIGN UP TAB on-line or email fcs.intakes@gmail.com



FGOC offers parenting, wellness, life skills, and anger management classes free of charge. This is how we reach parents, grandparents, foster parents, daycare workers, and so many more. We want to give you the tools you need to feel educated and empowered.

FGOC also provides free outreach programs to each local elementary, middle, and high school, as well as surrounding area schools. These programs deal with topics like anger, bullying, self-esteem, goal setting, and much more. If you would like more information, please call: [806-747-5577](tel:806-747-5577)



Centers
Guadalupe-Parkway Sommerville Centers

The **Guadalupe-Parkway Sommerville Centers** provide multiple opportunities for children to grow and learn. Instruction in computers, literacy, competitive sports and fine arts are offered. Enrichment classes provide opportunities for children to develop self-presentation, character, confidence, leadership and discipline. For more information, please call [806-763-3963](tel:806-763-3963)



Hub City Outreach Center's eclectic team is comprised of compassionate individuals that each come from diverse backgrounds and vast areas of expertise. Our organization applies a holistic approach on prevention efforts. We treat everyone equally while respecting the unique qualities they possess. Together, we aim to help youth understand their own personal value and guide them towards a bright and successful future through Prevention Services. Programs include: Substance Abuse Prevention, Wellness Presentations for youth and adults, and LeadHERship League Mentoring. For more information: Team@hubcityoutreachcenter.org or call [806-701-1687](tel:806-701-1687)



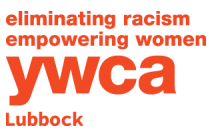
Literacy Lubbock prides itself on helping where the need is greatest. To that end, we've made numerous programs designed to promote literacy from the tiniest of tots to the back-to-school adult. For Tiny Tots program questions, please call [806-775-3636](tel:806-775-3636)



The **Parenting Cottage** helps parents learn to be their child's first & most important "teacher" through play and interactions. Parenting education in many different areas also helps parents appreciate many of the joys of parenting while also learning how to handle even the most challenging areas of parenting. All services are provided at NO COST to families choosing to participate. For more information on the individual programs available at the Parenting Cottage, click on the Programs tab or call: [806-795-7552](tel:806-795-7552)



South Plains Food Bank: The Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) provides nutritious meals to children during vacation periods that are similar to those offered under the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs (NSLP) during the school year. Meals are provided to children 18 years of age or under, and to individuals over 18 who have been determined by the State to be mentally or physically disabled and who participate in a public or nonprofit school program established for the disabled. For more information, please call [806-763-3003](tel:806-763-3003)



The **YWCA** summer camp program plays a critical role in assuring that young people have a safe and fun environment to spend the day while parents are at work. By staying actively engaged through the summer, children return to school in the fall ready to learn. Summer Camp will run from **May 31st to August 6th**. Summer Camp hours are Monday-Friday from 7:30am - 6:00 pm. **NOTE: Summer Camp is at capacity, but you can be added to the wait list:** <https://www.ywcalubbock.org/summer-camp/>

2nd QUARTER Busy Bee Spotlight *NEW*

The following Users have been busy in the platform OR engaged in Network activities. We love to see it!
APRIL-JUNE



Brooke Woelfle, LMSW
University Medical Center



Lori Schott
Community Outreach Coordinator
Legacy Adoption Services



Deanne Milford
Program Coordinator
Parenting Cottage



Antrionette Lewis, CHW
Certified Lifestyle and
Diabetes Coach
University Medical Center

NOT PICTURED: Jordan Medley, UMC



QUICK REMINDERS

LBK Super User Meeting (*meets bi-monthly*) - next meeting in **August**

LBK Refresher Training (*open to all Users*) - **July 15th @11:00am** via Zoom. A Zoom link has been sent. Subject matter to be covered: From Start to Finish! (*from creating a case over the phone to making a referral*)

ADDITIONAL REMINDERS:

- Be sure to log in to your account at least once a month so your account remains ACTIVE.
- Because more in-network/partner referrals are being made, and the response time for those referrals very important, we encourage everyone to stay alert and at the ready! *Way to go, LBK Community Network!*

ANNOUNCEMENTS NEW

LBK Community Network, will you help me welcome our NEW Advisory Council:

NEW MEMBERS:



Ayda Chapa
Director,
211 TX South
Plains
South Plains/Pan
Handle Aging/
Disability Re-
source Center



Cole Watts,
LCSW, LCDC,
Owner / Chief
Clinical &
Operations
Officer, Stages
of Recovery



Karl Ihfe
Preaching
Minister,
Broadway
Church of
Christ

RETURNING MEMBERS:



Denise Rudd
Director of Community Impact
South Plains Food Bank



Kyle Galyean
Director of Social Services
University Medical Center



Monica Garcia
Unit Manager
Navigation Programs
TTUHSC, SON
Larry Combest CHWC

NOT PICTURED:

Katherine Wells
Director of COLHD

Madeline Geeslin
Health Promotion Manager
COLHD

Seydia Adkins
Public Health Liaison
COLHD

PARTNER & COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lubbock Impact: Dental Clinic

As of 6/20/22, dental appointments are booked through July; please refer to CHCL or other places who provide services for free or who have sliding scale fees.

YWCA: Two events

Astronight - July 9th from 6:30pm-8:30pm, hosted by the TTU Department of Physics and Astronomy, FREE for all families. There will be a presentation on variable stars, experiments, and telescope viewing. **Location:** YWCA, 6501 University Avenue

Digital Literacy for adults offered virtually on July 29th @ 6:00pm-7:00pm, hosted by AT&T : will go over access to internet, access to applicable apps and email, and they will teach parents how to access their students grades digitally. Interested individuals can use the link below to register. **In person session in September.**

<https://ywcalubbock.salsalabs.org/attdigitalliteracyforywcaparentsandstaff>

North by North East Art Festival

If an agency is interested and/or able to host a table for Children’s Art activities on October 8th, please contact Marisa Huerta for details:

marisa_huerta@yahoo.com OR call 806-548-7622

To find a current list of partner agencies, please scan:

