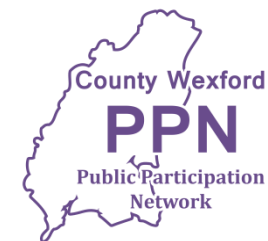


PPN Rep Meeting Report Template

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Date of Meeting	29/3/2017

Other Reps who fed into this Report (if applicable)



Agenda Item	Notes	Outcome/Decisions Made	Actions Required - by Who & When
Data sub group	Dr. Marie Claire Van Hoot is elected as vice Chair	As she is an expert in research, her role is to form a sub - committee to make up to date data ready for SERDATF	To develop proposal for sub group straight away by DR.VH. To form a sub group – interested members of the SERDATF.
Family Support Network(FSN)	Gave a presentation on the recent FSN conference held in New Ross.	Need to change form medical model to a recovery based model.	What is recovery? What needs to be done to ensure model is changed? Trauma informed care.
Action 14 of the National drugs strategy	Information leaflet in relation to Gardai searches and Rights of people	Rights of people and the role of Gardai in searching is to be clarified and a leaflet developed to distribute in the region.	Joint project to develop this leaflet. Lead to be Gardai. Project underway. Distribution of leaflets taken on by all SERDATF members as soon as they are available.
Homeless substance misusers	Accommodation for all homeless people is a problem. There are sub-standard accommodation premises being lived in also	AS there was nobody from housing in attendance at meeting this could not be discussed fully.	SERDATF administrator to raise this issue with relevant agencies.
Arrest and referral system	Suggestion made for people who are arrested for substance related charges to be automatically referred to services for support	This would be difficult to implement at the moment looking into options	Gardai and service providers are looking into how to implement this service as there would be an influx of people to services providers that are

			already at capacity.
Prescription drugs	The use of both prescribed and black market prescription drugs has increased	Many people have reported adverse reactions to these, and yet they are readily available. GP's have more stringent controls over prescribing now, but benzodiazepines still used by many	To monitor and discuss in more detail at the next meeting when a rep from HSE may be present.

Other Comments/Actions required from PPN	
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Date of next meeting	TBC	Signed (PPN Rep)	Ann Lacey
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