



Cass County Interagency Group

JANUARY NEWSLETTER

The *Cass County Interagency Group* is made up of Cass County agencies, businesses, and individuals who have made it their goal to improve the lives of Cass County residents by increasing access to valuable resources and creating new opportunities for the public through collaboration.

This is the official newsletter of the Cass County Interagency Coalition. Use this newsletter to stay updated on community events and opportunities to get involved in the health of your community.

Do you have an event or idea you would like to include in the next issue? Email Bryanna Kampwerth (bkampwerth@casscohealth.org) with a brief summary. All members of the coalition will receive this newsletter as it is released.

Upcoming Events

Central Illinois Community Blood Center

1st & 2nd Monday Monthly

11:00am-6:00pm in the Main Lobby of Passavant Hospital

Register for a donation time at 866-448-3253 or visit bloodcenterimpact.org

Community Closet Open House

January 19, 2020

8:00am-11:00am

Open house located at The First Presbyterian Church in Virginia, IL. Clothing, shoes, accessories, bedding, home décor, and more are available. Questions: 217-452-3057

Cass County Visions Group

January 21, 2020

10:00am- 11:00am

Located at the Golden Age Center in Beardstown.

Festa Jaciliana

February 8, 2020

6:00pm located at Bogarts in Jacksonville

This fundraiser benefits the Jacksonville Area Center for Independent Living.

Safe Sitter at Passavant**February 14, 2020****9:00am– 3:00pm**

Designed to prepare children ages 10-15 to be safe when they are home alone watching younger siblings or babysitting. Cost is \$35. 217-479-5800 to register or online at passavanthospital.com

Doll-I-Day “Bee” Yourself**February 16, 2020****1:00pm-4:00pm at Hamilton’s in Jacksonville**

Presented by Midwest Youth Services. Tickets are \$25 per person. Pizza, cupcakes, hair and nail salon, face painting, photo booth, doll hospital, games and more. Questions? 217-245-6000

JACIL Personal Assistant Training**February 19, 2020****9:30am– 12:00pm at the Cass County Health Department**

This training is needed to apply for a personal assistant to a person with a disability.

Employer Panel and Application/ Resume Workshop**February 25, 2020****4:00pm- 6:00pm at Jacksonville Public Library**

Hear from local employers about what they look for in youth employees, how the interview process works and much more!

Paper Tigers Viewing and Discussion**March 6, 2020****9:30am at Illinois Theater**

A year in the life of an alternative high school that changed the approach of disciplining students.

Announcements

- Census 2020 is coming up. Be on the lookout for ways to help get people counted.
- The Medication Assisted Treatment program at Cass County Health Department serves anyone over the age of 18. Currently accepting new patients.
- CASA is searching for volunteers that would be trained to speak for abused and neglected children in the court system. More info, call Karolina 217-617-6058

Next meeting: March 18th, I I am at the Cass County Health Department in Virginia

After reading this you realize there is something you want to recommend for the community to work on lets start a discussion about it. There is always a possibility of partners to make that event happen! Thank you all for your continued dedication!