

**Community Board 9
890 Nostrand Avenue
Brooklyn, New York 11225**

**Health and Social Services
Committee Meeting Minutes
Tuesday January 7, 2020**

Attendees:

Francisca Leopold, Committee Chair
Amy Hendershot, Community Committee Member

Absent:

Tessa Hackett-Viera, CB9, Committee Member
Sabrina Lewis, Community Committee Member
Jennifer Liggins, Community Committee Member
Mary Rollerson-Blackett, CB9 – Excused
Rosemary Evering, CB9 – Excused

Visitors: Mia Hilton CB9, ADM

Meeting start at 7:12 pm

Old Business

Census

- The next Census Count Committee meeting will be held on Monday January 13th at 6:30 pm at the Brooklyn Museum. Health & Social Services members will attend to find out the following:
 - Fliers and materials
 - List of questions that will be included on the census
 - One pager with reasons why the census / being counted is important
- HSS will get a list of churches and business in the area to target for outreach with the goal of collaborating with the census team to send a representative to do outreach alongside the committee.
- HSS will partner with Assembly member Richardson, Senator Myrie, and Councilmember Eugene in a joint effort for better outcome in the signup.

Mental Health Training and Forum

- HSS will conduct their partnered training with Thrive NYC on a Saturday and Sunday
- HSS will partner with Kings County Hospital, Zellnor, Diana Richardson, and Matthieu Eugene and the Human and Equal Rights Commission to bring a Forum to school that address mental health topics, has resource tables, a training area and breakout sessions for youth.

Smoke Detectors

- HSS presented the opportunity for smoke detector procurement for community residents at the December General Board Meeting.
- CB9 has been asked to send out the form in the next resource email blast.

Opioid & CPR Trainings

- HSS will look for a partner for CPR training to be offered to the community.
- HSS will partner with Yacoov Behrmen from CB9 to provide opioid / naloxone trainings to the community.

Maternal Health Awareness Forum

- HSS will host a continuation to the 2019 Maternal Health Awareness Forum in August or September 2020

New Business

Senior Wellness Day

- HSS will host a Senior Wellness Day in the summer at a school that will focus on information segments, suicide prevents, opioid use, diabetes, housing and discrimination as well as offer services such as fitness instruction and spa services.

Shredding Day

- HSS will ask Assembly member Diana Richardson / AARP to host a senior shred day or two in front of the CB9 office so that seniors can come and shred old documents.

Next Steps

- HSS attend the Census Meeting Monday January 13th.
- Amy to look into American Heart Association for price of CPR Certification Classes.
- Amy to reach out to Yacoov again regarding the Opioid Training.
- Francisca will contact Thrive NYC to get dates for mental health training.
- Francisca will contact Sidney to arrange a meeting at the CB9 offices.

Adjourned at 8:30 pm.