



Summit County Opiate & Addiction Task Force  
**Criminal Justice Subcommittee Meeting**  
November 13, 2018 @ 2:30PM  
Location: *Summit County Public Health (Command Control Room)*  
1867 W. Market St., Suite A. Akron OH 44313

# MEETING NOTES

Date: Tuesday, November 13, 2018

- Present:
- China Krys Darrington
  - Chief Jack Davis
  - Keri Defibaugh
  - Louis Gaurdiola
  - J. Cunningham
  - Leila Trevalian

Next meeting: Tuesday February 8, 2019 2:30-4PM (Summit County Juvenile Court – Conference Room A/B)

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## AGENDA

No formal agenda for this meeting

## DISCUSSION

Approval of Previous Meeting Notes from 08/28/18: (passed)

[https://www.dropbox.com/s/7toqmx86v6e1ga/SummitOTF\\_CJ\\_082818\\_MeetingNotes.pdf?dl=0](https://www.dropbox.com/s/7toqmx86v6e1ga/SummitOTF_CJ_082818_MeetingNotes.pdf?dl=0)

- Review of the 08/28/18 Criminal Justice subcommittee meeting notes
- Summit County Jail aligning the ASAM and ODRC suggested recommendations of continuing MAT of inmate while incarcerated

**ACTION @LORI P : FOLLOW UP WITH BILL HOLLAND AND THERESA CUMMINGS (MEDICAL @ JAIL) TO SEE IF THERE IS A FORMAL POLICY TO SUPPORT THIS.**

- Chief Davis reported that the Cuyahoga Falls Police Department has been seeing an influx of marijuana from other states where it has been legalized in some form as well as from Canada where recreational marijuana became legalized province-wide.
- Made inquiries if the Policy & Advocacy subcommittee has looked into any policy concerning the significant trafficking of drugs using the US Postal Services

- Chief Davis reports the increase of number of methamphetamines involved incidents
- Inquired about a county-wide or facility-based policy of where to take methamphetamine involved persons
  - *ADM Crisis Center*
  - *PEZ*
  - *Emergency Department*
- John Ellis reported that while attending the Integrated Health Conference in Akron he saw a report of abuse using the anti-diarrhea medicine Imodium to produce an opioid-like effect, but that it can have extreme adverse effects on the cardiac system
- The group inquired on the status of the Summit County Public Health including naloxone in an inmate's personal property upon release to bypass the need to go to Summit County Public Health.
- China Darrington reported that several months ago a conversation was had with Jackie Pollard from Summit County Public Health and that the barrier to this happening was not SCPH's willingness to provide naloxone, or even work with Summit County Jail, but in the face-to-face requirement with the inmate to get Project DAWN kit and the staffing issues within the jail which needed to provide security for this service.
- Chief Davis reported that in Cuyahoga Falls, they were now able to give out Project DAWN kits when the QRT teams went out. So, something might have changed.

**ACTION: FOLLOW UP WITH ANGELA GENET AND/OR JACKIE POLLARD TO CLARIFY THE PROCESS AND RE-ADDRESS THE SUMMIT COUNTY JAIL POSSIBILITY.**

- We have a new co-chair for the Criminal Justice subcommittee: Kerri Defibaugh from Summit County Probation will take over duties with Chief Jack Davis
- Jeff Cunningham from Summit County Probation also attended the meeting
- We had an OMHAS researcher, Louis Gaurdiola, attending the meeting while here doing research interviews for the 21st Century CURES data for the state
- It was mentioned about Ohio Issue 1 (Proposed Constitutional Amendment) failing in the midterm election

**ACTION ITEMS**

- ✓ [@china d](#) will email the Universal Release form to [@john e](#)
- [@China d](#) will email a Dropbox link with all the 2018 (and some archived 2017 documents) to [@kdefibaugh@cpcourt.summitoh.net](#) [@jack d](#) to make sure the co-chairs have access to the same documents, folders and files regarding Criminal Justice subcommittee work.
- [@china d](#) will email meeting notes to all members of Criminal Justice
- [@china d](#) will add [@kdefibaugh@cpcourt.summitoh.net](#) , [@rebelrecovery2016@gmail.com](#), [@jcunningham@cpcourt.summitoh.net](#) to the Criminal Justice email list
- ✓ [@Lori P](#) will check with Bill Holland and Theresa Cummings from the Summit County Jail regarding the policy regarding continuing MAT in the jail.
- [@china d](#) will attempt to see if there is any county-wide protocol for dealing with persons needing services under the influence of methamphetamine (detox, psych, emergency, etc.)

**PROPOSED 2019 CRIMINAL JUSTICE SUBCOMMITTEE DATES**

*(2nd Tuesday Quarterly - 2:30PM - 4PM - Summit County Juvenile Court)*

- February 8, 2019
- April 9, 2019
- August 13, 2019
- November 12, 2019