

To: Matt Cherry, President and Members of City Council
From: Wade Kapszukiewicz, Mayor
Subject: Appointment to the OneOhio Recovery Foundation Region 4 Board
9/15/2022

I Recommend the Following Appointments to the OneOhio Recovery Foundation Region 4 Board

Appointee	Appointee Replaced	Proposed Term of Office	Section 61 waiver as a special engagement	Reserved Slot / Type	Recommended by (if applicable)	Attendance Record	Resume attached
Matt Bell	new appointment		yes	City of Toledo	Mayor		yes
Celeste Smith	new appointment		no	City of Toledo	Mayor		yes



Wade Kapszukiewicz
Mayor



PROFILE

Father, husband, person in long-term recovery from drug addiction, and CEO & Founder of Team Recovery. I am a Toledan, a public speaker, a prevention specialist, and an advocate for change and growth. I have been involved with a handful of successful organizations and businesses since becoming sober in 2015, and I look forward to continuing that.

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HOBBIES

Golf
Exercise
Traveling
Food
My Family

MATT BELL

CEO & Founder, Team Recovery

EDUCATION

St. Francis de Sales
Toledo OH
4.0 GPA

University of Toledo

Current
3.92 GPA, senior year in Social Work Program

WORK EXPERIENCE

Team Recovery

2015-Current
Founder. Ran the organization and focused in prevention and treatment linkage until 2020. Opened recovery housing in 2021. Opened treatment services in 2022.

Midwest Recovery Center

2017-2022
Founder and CEO. Built from 15 beds in 2017 to 500 beds in 2022. Began as a small private facility in northwest Ohio with CARF and 20 employees, and expanded to 5 counties, 500 employees, and all levels of care. Sold equity in 2022 to fully transition to Team Recovery

Matt Bell Properties

2017-current
Own and operate a property umbrella that consists of 96 houses and 100,000 sq ft of commercial real estate. Fully self-managed.

ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

- Board of trustees, St. Francis de Sales High School
- Owner, Prime Asset Management
- Owner, Midwest Catering LLC
- Former founder & owner, Drip IV Hydration & Aesthetics
- Host of Full Belly Podcast
- LCMHRSB 2017 Advocate of The Year
- 20 under 40 Award Winner

Celeste R. Smith
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Skills

Experienced Health Care Leader with over 30 years of experience in healthcare and community engagement as well as a longtime resident of Ohio. Excellent leadership and communication skills along with driving overall operational improvements. I have many years of experience in working in health care management that would help me to establish and modify goals and objectives for any organization, local or state government as well serve as a liaison.

EDUCATION

INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	DEGREE	YEAR COMPLETED	FIELD OF STUDY
University of Akron, Akron, Ohio		1981-1983	Business Management
University of Toledo, Toledo, Ohio		1995-2001	Sociology
St. Vincent School of Nursing, Toledo, Ohio	Certificate	1999	Advanced Nursing Assistant
Spring Arbor University, Spring Arbor, Michigan	BA	2003	Family Life Education
Spring Arbor University, Spring Arbor, Michigan	MA	2007	Counseling

Skills Summary

Licensed Professional Counselor
Thirty plus years of Health Care experience
Public speaking
Responsible for management of grants in excess of \$9 million
Ability to communicate effectively and coordinate work with other staff members for day to day activities
CPR Certified
The Grantsmanship Center Certified
Certified Mental Health First Aid Adult/Youth Trainer
Certified Bridges Out of Poverty Trainer
Certified COPE Facilitator
Trainer of Certified Community Dialogue Facilitators
Executive Producer Infant Mortality: Black and White in Lucas County

Professional Experience:

2022 HERE'S MY TURNING POINT, Chief Operations Officer

- Supervises all daily operations of the company.
 - Works closely with the CEO on all matters related to the organization.
 - Performs employee reviews and develops employee action plans.
 - Develops and implements strategies, procedures and business plans needed to enhance organizational growth.
 - Provides support and guidance to facility management and employees.
 - Responsible for hiring, development, training and communication to ensure effective and efficient operations.
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2019- 2022 Health Partners of Western Ohio, Regional Director

- Participates in and promotes health and wellness activities within the organization
 - Supports a patient-centered healthcare home
 - Supports open patient access
 - Participates in the support and implementation of the mission, vision, and values
 - Provides leadership to Center Directors
 - Provides leadership for the development of policies and procedures
 - Participates in planning and problem solving
 - Maintains knowledge of, complies with, personnel, nursing, medical, dental, chiropractic and clerical policies and procedures
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Professional Experience:

2014- 2019 Toledo/Lucas County Commission on Minority Health Local Office Director, Community and Minority Health Supervisor, Toledo –Lucas County Health Department

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- Community Engagement
 - Data Collection and Reporting
 - Health Education and Promotion
 - Mobilizing and Empowering Community Partners
 - Developing Policies and Plans to Support Health Efforts
 - Interviewing and selecting perspective employees
 - Orients, trains, and evaluates the work of Office on Minority Health staff
 - Supervision of Office on Minority Health staff
 - Project implementation
 - Assists in developing and presenting in-service programs for staff and other related professions related to diversity and cultural competency
 - Initiates relationships between the programs and other community agencies and resources
 - Co-Chair Cultural Diversity Council
 - Writes required progress reports for funding agencies
 - Plans and coordinates all Minority Health Month Events
 - Grant writing
 - Grant reviewing
 - Interviewing and selecting perspective employees
 - Supervision of staff
 - Strategic Planning
 - PHAB Accreditation
 - Responsible for monitoring all financial, data, and support related information for all grants
 - Monitor expenses for multiple Federal, State, and Local grants, as well as private funding
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2008-2014 Program Coordinator/Help Me Grow, Contract Manager/Supervisor Healthy Connections, Choices and Hope for Families (MSVMC)

- Interviewing and selecting perspective employees
- Orients, trains, and evaluates the work of project staff
- Supervision of staff
- Project implementation
- Conducts weekly staff meetings to communicate with staff and Project Director regarding operational issues as well as dealing with problems identified as implementation of projects occur
- Conducts weekly staff individualized supervision for all project staff to insure coordinated, timely. Individualized client services
- Develops, revises, secures approval of and administers project policies and procedures
- Assists in developing and presenting in-service programs for staff and other related professions
- Initiates relationships between the programs and other community agencies and resources
- Responsible for monitoring all financial, data, and support related information for all grants
- Monitor expenses for multiple Federal, State, and Local grants, as well as private funding
- Approve check request and purchase requisitions
- Monitor current salary distributions
- Assist in annual audits
- Assures the development and implementation of a documentation system to provide systematic and easily retrievable data, while ensuring client confidentiality
- Writes required progress reports for funding agencies
- Grant writing and Grant reviewing

2006-2008 Case Manager, Healthy Connections (MSVMC)
 1998-2006 Abstinence Educator, Positive Choices (MSVMC)
 1996-1999 Serenity Adult Group Home, Owner and Manager
 1986-1998 Information Service Specialist, (SVMMC)

GRANTS AND RESEARCH

Office of Adolescent pregnancy Programs	\$1.25M
Lucas Co. Department of Human Services, community expansion of Positive Choices	\$406,000

Stranahan Foundation, teen pregnancy prevention	\$70,000
Ohio Commission on Minority Health Month, Youth Empowerment Summit	\$4,000
HRSA, MCHB, special Projects of Regional & National Significance, Positive Choices	\$1.49M
ACF, Children's Bureau, Interventions for Substance Exposed Newborns and Family	\$650,000
HRSA, MCHB, Women's Health Grant, depressions and obesity in pregnancy	\$431,250
ACF, ACYF, CB, Comprehensive Services for Families with HIV/Substance Abuse	\$2.11M
	\$53,000 annually
Ohio Commission on Minority Health	2014-2019
Ohio Department Medicaid	1.3M

Presentations:

Conference	Title/Topic	Location	Date
Adolescent Family Life Conference	Mental Health Issues for Teens	Memphis, TN	2007
Naomi Transitional House	Substance Exposed Newborns (SEN) Program	Toledo, OH	2008
Social Issues in Pregnancy	SEN Program	Toledo, OH	2008
Englewood Peace Academy	Suicide Prevention	Toledo, OH	2008
Lucas County Children's Services	SEN Program	Toledo, OH	2008
Lucas County Family Drug Court Cross Training	SEN Program	Toledo, OH	2008
17 th National Conference on Child Abuse and Neglect	Responding to the Needs of Substance-Exposed Newborns and Their	Atlanta, GA	2009

	Families		
17 th National Conference on Child Abuse and Neglect	Identifying and Serving, Substance-Exposed Newborns: Lessons from Four CAPTA Demonstration Projects	Atlanta, GA	2009
Social Issues in Pregnancy	Meeting the Needs of Pregnant Substance using Women and their Babies	Toledo, OH	2009
National AIA Resource Center	Collaborative Approaches to Identifying and Serving Substance Exposed Newborns from Four CAPTA Demonstrations Projects	Berkeley, CA	2009
Zero to Three 24 th National Training Institute Connecting Science, Policy, and Practice	Identifying and Serving Newborns Who Are Substance Exposed: Lessons From Four CAPTA Demonstration Projects	Dallas, TX	2009
2010 AMCHP Annual Conference	Collaborative Approaches to Identifying and Serving Substance Exposed Newborns from Four CAPTA Demonstration Projects	Harbor Springs, MD	2010

AIA/SEN Grantees Meeting	<p>Identifying & Treating Pregnant Substance Users</p> <p>Three Approaches to Identifying & Engaging Pregnant Substance Users</p> <p>Effective Interventions with SEN & Their Families</p> <p>Strategies & Lessons Learned for Notifying & Collaborating with Child Welfare Agencies</p>	Old Town Alexandria, VA	June 2010
Catholic Health Association of United States	Pathways to Better Birth Weights Among African-American Mothers	Denver, CO	June 2010
4 th National Conference on Women, Addiction, and Recovery	Substance-Exposed Newborns, Mothers & Child Welfare: Collaborative Strategies	Chicago, IL	July 2010
15 th Annual Perinatal Conference	Resensitize to the Dynamics of Substance Abuse and Addiction During Pregnancy thru Post-Partum	Perrysburg, Ohio	October 2010
Mental Health & Disproportionate Minority Contact	The Importance of Hiring Minority Staff	Delaware, Ohio	January 2011
11 th Annual Mercy St. Vincent Medical Center Research Symposium	Women's Wellness	Toledo, Ohio	May 2011
Social Issues in Pregnancy	Drug Abuse in Pregnancy	Toledo, Ohio	May 2011
Putting the Pieces Together for Children and Families The National Conference on substance Abuse, Child	Substance Exposed Newborns, Mothers, and Child Welfare: Collaborative Strategies in Response to CAPTA	National Harbor, MD	September 2011

Welfare and the Courts			
Social Issues in Pregnancy	Substance Exposed Newborns	Toledo, Ohio	May 2012
Social Issues in Pregnancy	Opiate use During Pregnancy	Toledo, Ohio	May 2014
Consortium of Public Health Students	Impacting Diverse Communities	University of Toledo Student Union	April 2015
Social Issues in Pregnancy	Importance of Community Engagement "A Personal Story"	Toledo, Ohio	May 2015
Eastern Star State Conference	Black Infant Mortality Disparity	Toledo, Ohio	October 2015
CareSource Community Meeting	Infant Mortality Toledo/Lucas County	Toledo, Ohio	March 2016
Lilies of the Trumpet	Understanding Poverty	Toledo, Ohio	July 2017
National City Match Conference	Local Efforts Impacting Infant Mortality	Nashville, TN	September 2017
Global Infant Safe Sleep Center	OEI Birth Equity Webinar	WebEx	April 2018
March of Dimes Prematurity Prevention Summit	Building a Birth Equity Movement	Arlington, VA	May 2018

Peer Reviewer:

Federal Grant Reviewer AFL OAPP Prevention & Care
Federal Grant Reviewer ACF SPRANS
Federal Grant Reviewer Office of Minority Health
Federal Grant Reviewer OPHS
Federal Grant Reviewer HRSA
Ohio Department of Health
City of Toledo Department of Neighborhoods CDBG Reviewer

Community Involvement:

Toledo-Lucas County Commission on Minority Health
African American Male Wellness Walk Initiative Committee Member
United Pastors for Social Empowerment
Ohio Collaborative to Prevent Infant Mortality/Co-Chair Improving health Equity, Social Determinates of Health and Eliminating Racism
March of Dimes State Program Selection Committee
March of Dimes Regional Board Member

North West Ohio March of Dimes Program Service Committee
Region V CoIIN Strategy Team Member
Getting to 1, Toledo/Lucas County Initiative to Reduce Infant Mortality/Co-Lead
Toledo Community Coalition
Interdenominational Ministers' Alliance
Healthy Lucas County
University of Toledo President's Committee on African American Recruitment, Retention, and Scholarship Support
United Way African American Council
Cherry Street Legacy
Live Well Greater Toledo
Disaster Preparedness Team
Dialogue to Change
Healthy Baby Court Community Stakeholder
Family First Coalition Member
Impact Coalition Member
Covering Kids and Families
The Movement/ Health Captain

Awards:

Title/Topic	Month
March of Dimes Health Leadership Award	November 2011
Ohio Commission on Minority Health Shero Award	March 2012
Toledo Urban Federal Credit Union 2018 Honoree	November 2018