

Steering Committee October 2018 Meeting Summary

Attendance

Steering Committee Members

Present: Trish Cortes, Ann Davis, Nancy Graebner, Norman Herbert, Scott Menzel, David Sarns, Doug Strong, Brent Williams

Phone: Connie Conklin, Ginny Creasman, Peter Jacobson, Ellen Rabinowitz, Rosalie Tocco-Bradley, George W. Waddles, Jr.,

Absent: Jack Billi, Tony Denton, Gregory Dill, Mark LePage, Sharon Moore, Alfreda Rooks, Pam Smith, Marianne Udow-Phillips, Marti Walsh

Work Group Chairs: Tim Florence, Ruth Kraut (phone), Nancy Siegrist

Guests: Marci Scalera, Jeanine Kochkodan, Patrick Li, Jennifer Neva

CHRT staff

Present: Nancy Baum, Jeremy Lapedis, Kathryn O'Grady, Gregory Powers, Carrie Rheingans, Erin Spanier, Karin Teske, Molly Welch Marahar

Key Summary Points

- **Opioid Project Updates:** Marci Scalera (WHI Opioid Project Co-Chair)
 - The Washtenaw Opioid Summit will be held at Washtenaw Community College on Monday, October 15th. Over 300 individuals registered so far. The afternoon session targets professionals while the evening session will be community oriented.
 - The group has conducted a community gaps analysis for most of 2018, and found that physicians report that it is difficult to communicate with people with substance use disorders and active substance use. Alternative pain management issues was another gap identified.
 - Washtenaw Intermediate School District would like to provide input into the opioid curriculum development for k-12.
 - Brent Williams will put the Opioid Project group in touch with Paul Hilliard at Michigan Medicine regarding the two-day opioid summit for UM providers that is happening November 1st and 2nd at Eagle Crest.
- **Review Aggregated Social Determinants of Health Screening Data:** Maggie Randolph (CHRT)
 - The SIM PCMH sub-committee developed a screening tool to identify social needs of patients; the screening is administered mostly at primary care well-visits. The group reviewed the first output of aggregated, community-level data.
 - 131,000 screens were done by the provider organizations (POs) in Livingston and Washtenaw counties, including HVPA, IHA, and Michigan Medicine.
 - There were minor differences in the screenings across the three POs, for example, Michigan Medicine did not ask a question about social isolation nor do they ask if the patient would like assistance with their need- instead, Michigan Medicine patients are referred to the MM Guest Assistance Program.

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- IHA has a higher percentage of patients screening positive for at least one need, which may be due at least in part to the fact that IHA screens for three additional needs.
 - Almost 20% of black/African American individuals screened positive for at least one need, which was a higher percentage than other racial/ethnic groups.
 - The data have several uses: getting individuals connected to the services they need, informing what the needs of the broader community are, and identifying capacity issues among providers/agencies.
 - The survey wording will continue to be modified in an attempt to reduce false positive screens. Additional analyses of the data will be included in future reports.
 - Pastor Waddles identified Doug Campbell at Hope Clinic as a potential resource for how the clinic serves the community.
- **WHI Updates:** Carrie Rheingans (CHRT)
 - **Member Survey Results**
 - Six opportunities for improvement were identified as a result of the 2018 WHI Member survey, and the WHI Executive Committee proposed action steps for each (as listed in attachment D of the meeting materials). The Steering Committee approved all six proposed action steps.
 - **WHI Stakeholder Meeting:**
 - CHM deputy director Mike Harding will provide the latest updates about the public safety and mental health millage. The UNITE Group will facilitate round table discussions of their 2018-2019 community assessment and implementation programs and projects to address top community health needs. In addition to the hospital assessment, this data will be used by the WHI Steering Committee and WHI as a whole to decide next steps. Four terms for community member positions on the WHI Steering Committee expire this December, and three members wish to continue. There will be one opening for a term starting in 2019. The agenda was otherwise accepted as presented.
- **SIM Updates:** Jeremy Lapedis (CHRT)
 - Capacity issues have been raised by the hublets and options are being considered for potential solutions.
 - Gaps in the community include transportation, substance use treatment, and mental health treatment for those with mild or moderate mental illness. Affordable housing continues to be a community gap, and, through MDHHS' SIM funding, Avalon Housing received 25 vouchers to house individuals who also require intensive case management.
 - Four Medicaid health plans have signed BAAs to allow for the sharing of information between health plans, although careful planning is needed for successful collaboration before widespread sharing begins.
 - MDHHS is developing a plan to provide some state funds to sustain the Community Health Innovation Region (CHIR) model of the SIM. In addition to state funding, the SIM team seeks to involve other funders, such as health systems, health plans, and foundations.
- **Announcements:**
 - ABLe Change is facilitated by researchers from MSU and will help our community focus on identifying and addressing root causes of substance use disorders in our community, and the facilitators will assist in creating action plans.
 - November 7th/8th are the first 2 days of a 3-part series.

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- Please talk to Carrie about who from your organization can attend if you are unable. Registration ends October 24th.

Next Meeting

Tuesday, November 13, 2018 10:00 –11:30 AM