

## **RHIP Workgroup Updates: September**

### **Behavioral Health: Identification & Awareness (Support: Rebeckah Berry & Nikki Lemmon)**

- This group meets the fourth Tuesday of every month from 8:15-9:15am and currently has 18 members.
- In September, the group continued their A3 process with the aim of identifying and engaging 100% of individuals in Central Oregon that have a behavioral health need, and ensuring an effective and timely response. The group completed a gap analysis in box 4, then created and vetted a draft survey which will be sent out to primary care, women's health, school based health centers, and Indian Health Service to collect baseline data that will be used as a starting measurement for their work plan.

### **Behavioral Health: Substance Use and Chronic Pain (Support: Rebeckah Berry & Rick Treleaven)**

- This group meets the third Wednesday of every month from 3:45-5pm and currently has 23 members.
- In September, the group continued their A3 process with the aim of all Central Oregonians with a substance use disorder that enter the hospital will receive engagement, treatment, or harm reductions services. The group finalized initial state and target state metric boxes, and will design a survey for the hospital to gather baseline data to be used as a starting measurement for their work plan. In addition, the group began a gap analysis in box 4

### **Cardiovascular Disease—Clinical (Support: Rebeckah Berry & Shiela Stewart)**

- This group meets the fourth Tuesday of every month from 3:45-5pm and currently has 10 members.
- In September this group continued their work on their first A3 around asking, engaging, and providing services/support to decrease youth tobacco use in Central Oregon.

### **Diabetes—Clinical (Support: Rebeckah Berry & Shiela Stewart)**

- This group meets the second Thursday of every month from 9-10:30am and currently has 12 members.
- In September this workgroup completed a draft of their A3 which they will finalize at their October meeting and present to Ops on October 20<sup>th</sup>. The group also reviewed survey results asking clinics if they have or want Point of Care testing machines. The results concluded that a need exists and this strategy will be included in their Box 6 experiments. The group also edited a survey to measure the dissemination and usefulness of the prediabetes materials developed earlier this year.

### **CVD & Diabetes: Prevention (Support: MaCayla Arsenault, Sarah Worthington, & Steve Strang)**

- This group meets the fourth Tuesday of every month from 3:30-5pm and currently has 13 members.
- In September this workgroup completed boxes 5-8 of their A3, and are planning a pilot to establish a referral system for providers to prescribe physical activity to youth. They will be presenting their A3 to Ops on October 20<sup>th</sup>.

## **RHIP Workgroup Updates: August**

### **Oral Health (Support: Donna Mills & Mary Ann Wren)**

- This group meets the third Tuesday of every month from 11-12pm and currently has 24 members.
- In September the OH WG met and continued their discussion around the two proposals submitted from Kemple Clinic and Advantage Dental. The discussion concluded and a motion was made to approve the Kemple clinic proposal for one year (\$50k). The A3 surrounding sealants is before the Operations Council on 10/6/17. Next month, after Ops review, the workgroup will move into the implementation stage of their A3.

### **Reproductive Health/Maternal Child Health (Support: Donna Mills & Muriel DeLaVergne-Brown)**

- This group meets the second Tuesday of every month from 4-5pm and currently has 22 members.
- In September the RMCH workgroup met in September and continued their work on the A3 relative to 'unintended pregnancies'. A presentation was given on the program of the Regional Immunization Rate Improvement project, known as AFIX. The up-to-date immunization rate for 24 month olds improved an average of 7% among participating clinics after the first year of participation. The group committed to bringing data to the next meeting that can/could inform, unintended pregnancies by age bracket, to support pilot projects.

### **Social Determinants of Health**

- This group meets the third Friday of every month from 10:30-11:30am and currently has 27 members in Kindergarten Readiness and 24 members in Housing.

#### **Health & Education (Support: Donna Mills & Desiree Margo)**

- In September the HE group (formerly Kindergarten Readiness) met in September and heard a presentation from Friends of the Children. The A3 surrounding social and emotional supports was reviewed by the Operations Council on September 1<sup>st</sup> and ready for specific tactics to meet their aim. The workgroup discussed and reviewed the proposal and a motion was made to approve and fund the proposal (\$75k). Next steps include a meeting with the COHC Quality Manager.

#### **Housing (Support: Bruce Abernethy & MaCayla Arsenault)**

- In September the Housing workgroup discussed proposals for their Box 6 experiments intending to help meet the aims of their data & chronic homelessness stabilization A3s.