

Infectious Disease Action Team Meeting 08-05-2016 --- Summit Planning Meeting #2

Agenda Item	Discussion
1. Welcome, purpose, and introductions	Overview of SHIP Planning process and work of the group to present.
2. Transition in DPH Lead Convener	Heidi Jenkins (DPH) will transition to DPH co-lead for group Kathy Kudish will participate – representing Immunizations
3. New Action Team members (present and invited)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSS – Dr Zavoski • DPH Office of Local Health - Juanita Estrada • Andrea Boissevain – CADH • SBHC – Jesse White-Frese • CBIA – Jennifer Herz
4. Report on the July 27 th SHIP Council meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Council agreed we continue on HIV/Immunizations • HPV • HIV 90/90/90 	Rich reviewed the presentation given to AC on July 27 th <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proposing HPV mandatory for HS students letter needs to be drafted by action team members. • HPV letter from Cmr – purpose of letter was to advocate to providers to encourage advising parents of teens on why HPV vaccine recommended • Red light – funding request denied in 2016. In 2017, will try a broader participation of partners for advocacy • Group wants to continue with current priorities for 2017
5. Overview of recommended 2017 Action Items from Meeting #1 including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DPH survey • HPV letter • HPV factsheet 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HPV Fact sheet shared– Linda Niccolai – ACS, CDC and AAP have packets or toolkits addressing --- how & why to promote HPV. The fact sheet could be sent to Pediatricians. • Some challenges to promoting HPV vaccine include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ providers are hesitant to discuss with parents; ○ parents are hesitant to discuss ○ some parents have the general belief that 11-12 year olds not having sex; ○ Concern that immunity will not last (Current research shows no significant waning of titers.) • Suggestion to maybe change wording to hit directly at provider questions. • Group would like to do something local and focused. There is a need for education. • HPV priority for DSS – offered cosign of DSS Cmr



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SBHC--- HPV vaccine survey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 2011—12 school year – HUSKY ins vaccinated 716 kids av 60-70 for each center. ○ Challenge being able to offer vaccine to those with private insurance ○ 2/3 of responding SBHC’s provided to uninsured – Center absorbed cost of vaccine ○ Cost barrier ○ 83 % said would vaccinate at reduced cost ○ Some centers have gotten special consent for HPV and that parents were aware of what they were signing ○ Could not use DPH vaccine for private insurance ○ Mixed feelings – however, most willing to do vaccine if barriers removed. ○ Advantage in SBHC – easier to catch for all three doses in the series ○ Parents have to enroll child for child to receive services – permission forms different from community to community; some sites have modified forms for kids to opt out of mental health services
<p>6. Flu Vaccine</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSS – data on utilization by provider; promotion, and cosign • Juanita – sending info to local health depts.; will send out survey monkey survey for LHD • Andrea Boissevain – CADH – speaking to organization to get more LHD input • CT Cancer Partnership – would help with Advocacy • SBHC – interested in HPV vaccine initiative • Immunization of adults through schools?? – SBHC – cannot perform this function • LHD have partnered with SBHC – after school hours brought in DPH vaccine • Daycares – flu shots – mandated – some LHD had partnered; concern this year with flu mist efficacy • LHD currently not getting reimbursed for flu vaccine – makes daycare challenging. • Working through employers – economic incentive to make sure staff not out sick or infected anyone else. • DSS is willing to explore proposal to allow LHD to be reimbursed for flu vaccine through Medicaid funding.
<p>7. September 8th SHIP Action Summit</p>	<p>Next Meeting: 09-08-2016 8:30 am-4:00 pm @ Chrysalis Center, Hartford</p>