



North Jersey Health Collaborative

health matters

County Committee: Sussex County Committee Meeting

Date: April 12, 2018

Location: Romano Conference Center, at Newton Medical Center

Time: 12:00pm – 2:00pm

Number of attendees: 19

See sign-in sheet for contact information/listing.

AGENDA	PRESENTER	DISCUSSION	ACTION/FOLLOW-UP/RESPONSIBLE PARTY
Call to Order 12:00p- 12:15p	Tracy Storms Mazzucco (Sussex County Division of Health, SCC chair)	Welcome and Introductions <ul style="list-style-type: none">Welcomed everyone and each attendee gave a brief introduction about where they work and what they do	N/A

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12:15p-12:25p	Catherine Connelly (NJHC)	<p>North Jersey Health Collaborative</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Reviewed mission, vision, and theory of change -Open leadership positions available -Need Communications Committee Chair <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collaborative News <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -First annual report released -Board of Trustees pursuing strategic planning session -Community Voice Survey (CVS) ends April 30 – need more from Sussex County -Partner engagement from first quarter was presented and chart is becoming more diverse • Needs Assessment –CHNA Plan/Timeline <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -First quarter: CVS, secondary data analysis -Second quarter: CVS, exploring data and filling gaps -Third quarter: Share results, assess inventory, further data collection -Fourth quarter: Open meetings (idea lab) • Community Voice Survey Progress/Gaps <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Morris: 1426 -Passaic: 320 -Sussex: 315 -Union: 98 – -Warren: 236 	

<p>12:25p-12:55p</p>	<p>Data Committee: Tracy Storms-Mazzucco and Catherine Connelly</p> <p>Feedback from county partners</p>	<p>Data Streams for Needs Assessment</p> <p>Catherine encouraged all to review data spreadsheet before next meeting. Sussex County data is available here.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Top issues - Community Voice Survey snapshot (to date) Low engagement for male, non-whites, 18-20 year olds, and 65+. Need more surveys from Montague, Vernon, Newton, & Hopatcong. Thinking about extending the survey to increase numbers. Top Issues for Sussex County: mental health care, access to care, substance abuse disorders, obesity and transportation.• Secondary Data Analysis “Scoring” described. Indicators e.g. quality of life, not having transportation. County is assigned a score based on comparisons (NJ counties, NJ overall, USA). Presented worst-performing health indicators, negative disparities.• What do we know or have we learned from our current efforts (workgroups and strategies)? Ideas: group will send the CVS out to their contacts. Faith-based, senior housing, Facebook groups, College, etc.	
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<p>12:55p-1:20p</p>	<p>Tracy Storms-Mazzucco</p> <p>Support: Catherine</p>	<p>County Health Improvement Plan: Progress Reports and Q&A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mental Health Reporting: Cindy Armstrong, Sussex County Director of Mental Health The group has developed flyers and distributed the materials to the group. • Obesity Reporting: Tracy from Sussex County Division of Health Program is still continuing to move forward. 2/3 of the schools in Sussex County have participated in the program and have written the follow-up report on the project. Plan to start marketing and requested the assistance of the NJ Herald. Are also assisting participating schools with the establishment of wellness committees. Have offered them the tools available and have added more members to our group. Will also have the assistance of Rutgers University to assist with our project. More to follow... • Access to Care Reporting: Carol DeGraw, United Way of Northern New Jersey Had a loss of workgroup participants and need more members. • Substance Use Reporting: Annmarie Shafer, Center for Prevention & Counseling DEA take back day is scheduled for April 28. 	
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<p>1:20p – 1:40p</p>		<p>Have a new grant kick off for older adults. On April 24th, will be passing out surveys at Older Americans Day. On April 13th, celebrating Wear Purple Day. Also conducting focus groups with partners and planning a webinar on the Legalization of Marijuana. It will be 2 hours long and cost \$50/person</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transportation Reporting: Christine Florio, Sussex County Dept. of Human Services Transportation survey was previously conducted and need more county information. Will change the strategy based on results of data that was collected. The date for data release is June 2018. • Forward, Franklin Reporting: Laura Hawkins The Organizational Group continues to grow. Adult Infinity group is having a little less attendance, but the Youth Infinity Group is doing well. The Community Organizer is on board and working hard on the project. There will be a Wellness Expo on May 20th and it is open to all residents of Franklin, but others will not be turned away. Looking for projects for Franklin. (Shared Mission Statement) <p>County News & Networking</p> <p>Jim McDonald, SCDOH Will have staff send message out about CVS and post on social media</p> <p>Katherine Luther, Housing Partnership</p>	
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<p>1:40 p</p> <p>1:40p – 2:00 p</p>		<p>There is a Housing Expo on 4/28</p> <p>Jeri Doherty, SC NAMI NAMI Sussex event on 5/21/18 See flyer for “The Mental Health Players”</p> <p>Christine Florio, SCDHS There is a transportation meeting on 6/19/18 at 12 pm at SCCC.</p> <p>Alma Dhuyvetter, SC YMCA There is a program called “Livestrong” at the Y, starting on 4/23/18 and “Healthy Kids Day” in on 4/21/18</p> <p>Laura Hawkins, AHS – Newton and Hackettstown Medical Centers Offered to provide assistance with clarification and direction during the restructuring of AHS</p> <p>Robin Ennis, United Way NNJ There is a Caregiver’s Conference on 4/28/18 from 9a-1p, see flyer.</p> <p>Tina Aue, CFPC Spring Clean Program on 4/28/18 from 10a-2p, see flyer.</p> <p>Closing: Next Meeting July 11</p> <p>Workgroup Breakout Session</p>	
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Note Takers: Tracy Storms- Mazzuco, Sussex County Division of Health
Irma Ortiz – Intern with