



Ohio Injury Prevention Partnership (OIPP) Leadership Meeting

August 18, 2011 8:45 AM – 9:50 AM

Location: Ohio Health, Westerville Medical Campus

Meeting Notes

Meeting facilitated by Dara Bakes

Attendees: Allisyn Leppla, Cameron McNamee, Christy Beeghly, Cindy Penn, Dara Bakes, Jamie Weaver, Jolene DeFiore-Hyrmer, Judi Moseley, Kelly Metcalf, Liz Fries, Lois Hall, Sara Morman, Sarah Denny & Vince Caraffi.

Action Group /Advisory Committee Updates

- **Prescription Drug Action Group** - Judi Moseley reported for the PDAAG. Judi shared that ODH is continuing its work with Fleishman-Hillard on the [Prescription for Prevention Campaign](#) and that the campaign will be expanding to the following counties: Clark, Jefferson, Clinton and Mahoning. She also shared that Fleishman-Hillard has agreed to do pro-bono work in established counties with the existing campaign. Judi shared that she will be working with Ohio Domestic Violence Network to discuss prescription drug abuse in the shelters.
- **Child Injury Action Group** – Sarah Denney shared that the CIAG is continuing work on their strategic plan and that it will be completed shortly. The plan includes the following policy priorities: bike helmets, booster seats, infant sleep suffocation, teen driving and sports related TBI. Sarah announced that the Governor has designated "[Wear your Helmet to School/Work Day](#)" on September 21, 2011. They are looking forward to this opportunity to increase awareness of the importance of bicycle helmet use across Ohio.
- **Ohio Older Adults Falls Prevention Coalition** – Susan Sutherland reported that the Falls Coalition had their first regional meeting on July 21, 2011 at the Developmental Disabilities offices in Delaware County. September 23, 2011 is [Falls Prevention Awareness Day](#), which is also the day of the Southwest Regional meeting. The coalition plans to use the feedback from the 1st regional meeting to shape the direction of the SW meeting and are currently in the process on scheduling the other regional meetings. She reported that the toolkit and Governors Proclamation for Falls Awareness day will be finalized soon. She also recommended we watch [Finer with Age on Ohio Department of Aging's website](#) which features several members of the coalition (Anne Goodman) and ODH Director, Dr. Ted Wymyslo.
- **Data Action Group**- Christy reported that the DAG held its second meeting. The agenda continues to highlight existing statewide sources of injury-related data by requesting members to share information about their respective data sources. They plan to assist other OIPP action groups with their data needs and will survey OIPP members to determine their specific needs.

New Infrastructure Action Groups

- **Evidence Based Injury Prevention** - Kelly reported that the evidence based group is still hoping to bring Dr.'s Gielen and Fowler from the John's Hopkins School of Public Health to Ohio to provide the evidence based/evaluation training. The group will also be working on their strategic action plan and hope to have the draft ready by the November 18th OIPP meeting.
- **Injury Prevention Policy and Advocacy** - Cameron shared that they are in the process of developing an Injury Prevention Advocates Program and an injury resource book for policy makers to highlight 10 injury topics.

New Advisory Committees

- **Membership and Outreach** - The group has reviewed the OIPP orientation/recruitment PowerPoint and incorporated the comments of OIPP members. They will send it out for member use.
- **Funding Update/ Discussion** - Christy shared with us that the CDC funded 8 additional states for the Core Injury Program. In addition, Ohio has been awarded an additional \$150,000 for the motor vehicle policy (MVP) component for which we applied in February 2011. These funds will enable the CIAG to advance their motor vehicle/child safety objectives in the state strategic plan. She shared there is a small amount of funding available for the six Children's Hospitals so they can provide assistance with policy change activities.
- **Changes to OIPP bylaws** - Christy explained we will be updating the OIPP bylaws as a result of the Core Grant funding from CDC. The ODH staff will work on any needed changes/updates and then bring it to the leadership team for approval and then on to the larger group for final approval. There was group consensus in favor of adding an Immediate Past Chair position to the OIPP leadership. Dara has agreed to continue to serve in the role next year.
- **Funding and Sustainability Committee** - Christy explained that the leadership group will take on this role for the OIPP, as no members volunteered for this group. She has asked Safe States for some feedback on possible alternative funding streams for injury prevention activities in other states, but received a response from only one state (NC). Members who are interested in working on funding/sustainability for IP in Ohio should contact either Christy or Lois Hall.

Awards

The group reviewed the proposed criteria for the [OIPP promising practice and champion award](#). They agreed that up to three promising practices and up to two champions should be recognized. The group agreed to submit final comments before the call for nominations went out to the entire OIPP. Awardees will be recognized at the November Annual meeting in the morning before the strategic planning session.

2012 Elections

Elections for the new OIPP Chair-elect position will be held at the November 18th annual meeting. The LT discussed the nomination process; Dara agreed to assist Vince as he takes over as OIPP chair by serving in the official capacity as Immediate Past-Chair. Several LT members (Lois Hall, Sarah Denny) were suggested for the Chair-elect position for 2012; however they respectfully declined. Susan Sutherland thought Teresa Jeffers may be interested and will ask her. Kelly suggested Liz Fries who agreed to consider the position and will let ODH know. If you are interested or would like to nominate someone for the position, please let Cindy Penn Cynthia.penn@odh.ohio.gov know ASAP.

2012 Annual Meeting Agenda

- Christy explained that, as a requirement of our new CDC Core Injury Grant, we will need to update our state strategic plan. She proposed using most of the November annual meeting agenda for this purpose. The annual meeting time will adjourn at 2:00 PM. Action group meetings will then be shortened to only 1 hour to work on the OIPP strategic planning process. A facilitator will be brought in to guide us through the process.
- Action groups can change leadership positions if they wish at the November 18th meeting. Please notify Christy or Cindy ASAP if you will be nominating new leadership for the November meeting.
- Judi explained the PDAAG may need to move their November meeting as the Ohio Education Prevention Conference is being held at the same time. The next PDAAG meeting will be Friday, November 4th.

Announcements

Cameron has moved the OIPP application into Survey Monkey and the process should be more efficient now.

Adjourned for the general OIPP meeting.

Respectfully Submitted: Cindy Penn, Christy Beeghly