



Healthy Connecticut 2020 State Health Improvement Plan

Injury & Violence Prevention ACTION Team Meeting AGENDA & NOTES

Date: 08-24-2017

Time: 10:00am-11:00am

Location or Conference Call Number: DPH Lab – Rocky Hill

Attendees: Lindsey Kelley (DPH), Kevin Borrup (CT Children’s Hospital), Amy Mirizzi (DPH), Andrea Duarte (DMHAS), Phyllis Difiore (DOT), Judy Dicine (Division of Criminal Justice, Office of the Chief State’s Attorney), Sandra Gill (DPH), Chantelle Archer (DPH)

Agenda Items	Time	Discussion	ACTION Items & person responsible
2018 Worksheet <i>(see worksheet)</i>		<p>-2017 Strategy Status - What is done?</p> <p>-What strategies continue?</p> <p>-Opportunities for continued or new policy agenda</p> <p>-Opportunities for collaboration with other action teams on objectives, strategies, -or policy agendas</p> <p><u>Motor Vehicle Crashes:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There was discussion on objective 6, which refers to reducing by 5%the number of deaths from motor vehicle crashes. There was ambiguity as to whether this objective included pedestrians killed in crashes. • There was discussion about a pedestrian and bike awareness campaign titled <i>Watch for Me CT</i>. A community outreach coordinator plans to reach out to stake holders to promote driver awareness. It is funded through the Office of Highway Safety. • There was a suggestion to add objectives 7, 8, and 9 into the 2018 Action Agenda. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>Objective 7:</i> Reduce by 10% the number of motor vehicle crash related emergency department visits. ○ <i>Objective 8:</i> Increase to 90% the statewide observed seatbelt rate. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Seatbelt usage rate for adult drivers and front seat passengers is 90.3%. ○ <i>Objective 9:</i> Increase by 20% the proportion of children in automobile child safety restraints. 	<p>Phyllis will find out if objective 6 includes pedestrians killed in crashes.</p> <p>Phyllis will ask Juliette Little (DOT) for updates.</p>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Seatbelt usage rate for children is 97.7%; there will be new numbers for 2017. - It was suggested that we reach out to the CT Department of Transportation (Juliette Little), Yale New Haven Hospital, and CT Children’s Medical Center. 	
Next Steps		Next Meeting Date/Time: November 2, 2017; 900 AM- 11:00 AM.; Location: TBD	



Focus Area 5: Injury & Violence Prevention				
Goal 5: Create an environment in which exposure to injuries is minimized or eliminated.				
Area of Concentration: <i>Fall Prevention</i>				
SHIP Objective IV-1: Decrease by 10% the number of fall deaths among persons of all ages.				
Dashboard Indicator: Number of deaths from falls among persons of all ages in Connecticut. Number of fall injuries (by age group)				
Strategies	a. Was strategy completed in Y2? (if no, current status)	b. Do we intend to continue work on this into Y3?	c. Are there opportunities for continued or new policy agendas ?	d. Are there opportunities for collaboration with other Action Teams on objectives, strategies, or policy agendas?
<p>Promote implementation of evidence-based multi-faceted programs for community dwelling older adults that integrate fall risk reduction strategies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Universal fall prevention screening for all seniors • All communities have access to fall prevention programming • Promote certification for trainers <p>Need definitions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Residential = living within a facility • Community = non-residential 	<p>Progress made</p>	<p>Yes</p> <p>Dept. of Corrections or other institutional locations – establish protocols</p> <p>Physical Therapist Network</p> <p>Occupational Therapist Network</p>	<p>Codes around remodeling</p> <p>Promote bathroom safety</p> <p>Teaching residents about where they store belongings – i.e. not on the stairs</p> <p>Hoarding education</p> <p>Media Campaign (DPH has funding)</p> <p>Educate home visiting staff to look fall risks in home</p>	<p>Health Systems (work force development)</p> <p>Chronic Disease (Physical Activity/Obesity)</p> <p>Mental Health & Substance Abuse (suggested hoarding focus & other populations)</p> <p>Dept. on Aging/ Area Agencies on Aging – do they have campaign or program on this?</p>

Focus Area 5: Injury & Violence Prevention				
Goal 5: Create an environment in which exposure to injuries is minimized or eliminated.				
Area of Concentration: <i>Motor Vehicle Crashes</i>				
SHIP Objective IV-6: Reduce by 5% the number of deaths from motor vehicle crashes.				
Dashboard Indicator: Number of deaths from motor vehicle crashes in Connecticut.				
Strategies	a. Was strategy completed in Y2? (if no, current status)	b. Do we intend to continue work on this into Y3?	c. Are there opportunities for continued or new policy agendas?	d. Are there opportunities for collaboration with other Action Teams on objectives, strategies, or policy agendas?
Education and statewide enforcement of laws regarding distracted driving, impaired driving, speeding, and unrestrained driving.	Yes	Yes	Seatbelts all positions	Maternal Infant & Child Health
<i>Bike – Ped awareness/education Safe Routes to School ????? – Kevin – Amneris Torres (Injury Center & Hartford Children’s)</i>		<i>NEW – to look into</i>	<i>“Watch for me CT” – media campaign</i>	<i>Chronic Disease – Obesity Capital Region Council of Governments – active bike ped committee</i>

Focus Area 5: Injury & Violence Prevention

Goal 5: Create an environment in which exposure to injuries is minimized or eliminated.

Area of Concentration: *Suicide Prevention*

SHIP Objective IV-12: Reduce by 10% the age-specific suicide rates for persons 15 to 64 years of age.

SHIP Objective IV-14: Reduce by 20% the proportion of students in grades 9-12 who attempted suicide in the past 12 months.

- Dashboard Indicator (IV – 12):**
- [Rate of suicide for persons 15 to 19 years of age in Connecticut](#)
 - [Rate of suicide for persons 20 to 24 years of age in Connecticut](#)
 - [Rate of suicide for persons 25 to 34 years of age in Connecticut](#)
 - [Rate of suicide for persons 35 to 44 years of age in Connecticut](#)
 - [Rate of suicide for persons 45 to 54 years of age in Connecticut](#)
 - [Rate of suicide for persons 55 to 64 years of age in Connecticut](#)
- Dashboard Indicator (IV – 14):**
- [Proportion of Connecticut high school students in grades 9-12 who attempted suicide in the past 12 months.](#)
 - [Proportion of Connecticut students in grades 9-12 who seriously considered attempting suicide.](#)

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<p>Coordinate and implement suicide prevention program and training around the state.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>Jumping – driving off of highway – influence restructure of bridges to include preventive structure</p> <p>Need breakdown in fall data***</p> <p>Firearm suicide prevention – integrate into firearm education</p> <p>Zero suicide policy for state agencies</p> <p>Opioid poisoning</p>	<p>Dept of Education – training of faculty and staff – integrate evidence based education into legislation</p> <p>State lic. Workforce development surveys – address level of competency among providers</p> <p>Zero suicide initiative – DMHAS near ready to pass cmr policy – going through legal review</p> <p>Children’s Mental Health Advisory Council</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> HS MHSA MICH </p>



Focus Area 5: Injury & Violence Prevention				
Goal 5: Create an environment in which exposure to injuries is minimized or eliminated.				
Area of Concentration: Sexual Violence				
SHIP Objective IV-18: Reduce by 10% the incidence of sexual violence.				
Dashboard Indicator: Rate of Sexual Violence Incidents Reported on College Campuses Percent of CT high school students ever physically forced to have sex against their will Percent of CT High School Students who experienced sexual dating violence in the past 12 months Incidence Rate of Sexual Violence arrests				
Strategies	a. Was strategy completed in Y2? (if no, current status)	b. Do we intend to continue work on this into Y3?	c. Are there opportunities for continued or new policy agendas?	d. Are there opportunities for collaboration with other Action Teams on objectives, strategies, or policy agendas?
Disseminate best practices and effective primary prevention strategies of sexual violence to professionals around the state, including evidence-based services to victims.	Yes	Yes		Schools? 8-12; college campus

e. Review the full list of objectives. Out of the ones not part of Y1 & Y2 implementation, are there any emerging issues that would suggest that we act on any of these in Y3?

Phase 1 Objectives	Phase 2 Objectives
Injury and Violence Prevention	
<p>OBJECTIVE IV-1 Ph1 = Decrease by 10% the number of fall deaths among persons of all ages.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-3 Ph1 Reduce by 10% the number of deaths caused by unintentional poisonings.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-6 Ph1 = Reduce by 5% the number of deaths from motor vehicle crashes.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-8 Ph1 Increase to 90% the statewide observed seatbelt rate.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-9 Ph1 Increase by 10% the proportion of children in automobile child safety restraints.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-10 Ph1 Reduce by 10% the number of motorcycle operator and passenger fatalities.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-12 Ph1 = Reduce by 10% the age-specific suicide rates for persons 15 to 64 years of age.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-14 Ph1 Reduce by 20% the proportion of students in grades 9-12 who attempted suicide in the past 12 months.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-16 Ph1 Reduce by 10% the number of firearm homicides.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-18 Ph1 Reduce by 10% the incidence of sexual violence.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-22 Ph1 Decrease by 10% the number of child maltreatment cases.</p>	<p>OBJECTIVE IV-2 = Reduce by 10% the number of fall-related Emergency Department visits among persons of all ages.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-4 = Decrease by 10% the number of hospitalizations for unintentional poisonings</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-5 Increase by 10% the hospital calls and the 911/EMS calls to the Connecticut Poison Control Center among all poison center calls.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-7 = Reduce by 10% the number of motor vehicle crash related emergency department visits.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-11 Reduce by 10% the number of injuries to motorcycle operators and passengers.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-13 = Reduce by 5% the number of emergency department visits for suicide and self-inflicted injury.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-15 Reduce by 20% the proportion of students in grades 9-12 who seriously considered attempting suicide.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-17 Reduce by 10% the number of Emergency Department visits related to domestic and family violence.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-19 Reduce by 10% the number of family violence arrests.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-20 = Decrease by 10% the number of hospitalizations resulting from traumatic brain injury.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-21 = Decrease by 10% the number of Emergency Department visits resulting from traumatic brain injury.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-23 Decrease by 10% the number of child maltreatment deaths.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-24 Decrease by 10% the number of Emergency Department visits for sports-related injuries.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-25 Decrease by 10% the number of fatal occupational injuries.</p> <p>OBJECTIVE IV-26 Decrease by 10% the rate of nonfatal occupational injuries.</p>