

Health Care Collaborative for Children and Youth (HCCCY) Progress Report – 2016

GOAL 1: Collective Impact-Increase the ability of HCCCY members who go over and above their individual missions to collectively have an impact on the health of children and youth.

Objective 1: Accelerate improved health care and health related services outcomes by forming at least 5 data-sharing partnerships for the purpose of measuring their collective impact.

- **Objective ongoing:** The research committee developed a data-sharing plan whose purpose is to track the flow and appropriateness of referrals among HCCCY members.

Objective 2: Increase the impact of health care and health related services through the participation of at least 4 HCCCY members in other collective impact initiatives.

- **Objective accomplished:** At least 4 HCCCY members are involved in the following collective impact initiatives: (1) Cross Collaborative of Service Providers and (2) Black River United Way Committees.

Objective 3: Increase the ability of HCCCY members to use efficient and effective collaborative action strategies through training events sponsored by HCCCY or in conjunction with other groups.

- **Objective accomplished:** HCCCY members co-sponsored the Growing Strong Conference with the Early Childhood Physician's Advisory Council.

Goal 2: Access to Quality Health Services- Increase the number of children and youth who have access to quality health services.

Objective 1: Determine the current availability of health services in the community to establish a baseline from which to show change in access.

- **No progress on objective**

Objective 2: Assess how HCCCY member programs determine evidence of the quality of their programs.

- **No progress on objective**

Objective 3: Through training opportunities and group support help HCCCY members increase their ability to show evidence of the quality of their programs.

- **Objective ongoing:** The training committee has discussed ways that HCCCY members might participate in community events planned by other groups. Several members participated in the Growing Strong conference.

Objective 4: Increase the number of appropriate referrals by maintaining a process of information sharing during meetings.

- **Objective ongoing:** All member groups have made presentations about their programs and at each meeting they make any necessary changes to the “HCCCY Directory.” New members are allowed time to share about their services and at the end of each meeting, members share announcements and updates about their services. The Research committee data-sharing initiative should provide a numerical baseline to determine if at yearly evaluations appropriate referrals are increasing. Secretary Pat Lowery also passes important information about members’ events between meetings.

Objective 5: Increase parent and child access to the services of Nurse Family Partnership (NFP) by serving as their Community Advisory Board.

- **Objective ongoing:** Members of HCCCY continue to serve as the CAB for NFP. The CAB will continue to track the parent and child access to services for Georgetown County. They will determine at the end of each year if services are increasing.

Goal 3: Connection between Health and Learning-Increase actions that promote the connection between health and learning.

Objective 1: Increase stakeholders’ (i.e., educators, health service providers, physicians, decision makers, parents) understanding of the connection between health and learning by providing training events sponsored by HCCCY or in conjunction with other groups.

- **Objective accomplished:** HCCCY members promoted the connection between health and learning as co-sponsors of the Growing Strong conference.

Objective 2: Increase the community’s understanding of the connection between health and learning by developing marketing strategies.

- **Objective Ongoing:** A HCCCY member provided a blog on this topic for the www.youthcollabgtown.org website. The marketing and advocacy committee plans to continue promoting this connection.

Goal 4: Making Healthy Choices-Increase opportunities for children and their parents to learn how to make healthy choices.

Objective 1: Increase the number of opportunities provided by HCCCY members and in conjunction with other groups for children and their parents to participate in programs that promote making healthy choices.

- **Objective ongoing:** HCCCY members have met with Triple P leaders to explore how they might use aspects of this program for parent education that promotes making healthy choices.

Objective 2: Through training opportunities provided by HCCCY or in conjunction with other groups, increase the ability of health care and health related programs to engage children and their parents in programs that promote making healthy choices.

- **No progress on objective.**

Goal 5: Help and Support- Increase the ability of health care and health related service providers to help parents and their children access resources that assist with their basic needs.

Objective 1: Collect the “Intake/Assessment” documents for HCCCY members and create a composite “Intake/Assessment” document.

- **Objective accomplished:** The Research Committee created a composite “Intake/Assessment” document that they will use for their data-sharing collective impact initiative.

Objective 2: Increase stakeholders’ awareness regarding the ability of children and their parents to access resources that assist with their basic needs.

- **Objective ongoing:** Members of HCCCY participate in the Cross Collaborative of Care Coordinators whose purpose is to increase stakeholders’ awareness regarding the ability of children and their parents to access basic needs.

Goal 6: Information and Advocacy - Increase community leaders’ ability to provide for the health of children and youth by informing them of concerns and advocating that those concerns be addressed.

Objective 1: Increase the visibility of HCCCY through marketing strategies to increase their credibility as advocates for the health of children and youth.

- **Objective accomplished:** The marketing committee has created a Facebook Page and an Instagram account. They also have a page on www.youthcollabgtown.org.

Objective 2: Develop HCCCY materials that describe it and that promote community investment in the health of children and youth.

- **Objective accomplished:** The marketing committee created a flyer, developed a logo, and published an e-newsletter in 2016.