

Access to Care Action Team Meeting

Tuesday, May 26, 2020 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.



Agenda

1. Introductions
2. Team Priorities for 2020
3. COVID-19 Resources & Information
4. Partner Updates



Introductions

- Mike Shaw - Co-Chair
- Rachel Solomon - Co-Chair
- Jacquie Heaney - HSMP Coordinator
- Brenda Wolcott - MSMH
- Brittany Jae Inman - Greater Baden
- Elizabeth Conty - Seedco
- Nat Scroggins - MOC
- Jolanda Hipski - TCC SOMD



Team Priorities for 2020

Previous discussions

St. Mary's County Proposed Access to Care Needs

High Need		High Need	
High	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Awareness of Community Resources 2. Oral Health Literacy 3. Language Barriers 4. Overall Health Literacy 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dental Access 2. Primary Care Access 3. Openings for Patients 4. Evening/Wknd Hours 5. Active MA/Health Insurance 6. Youth and DDA Mental Health 7. Workforce Development 8. Access for Uninsured/Non-Documented Citizens 9. Availability of Specialists 	Low
Low	Low Need	Low Need	Low
		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Stretcher Transportation 2. Home Assistance 3. Access to EHR 	

Unsure:

- Racial Barriers
- Vital Documents
- Transitional Housing
- Engagement of Patients



Team Priorities Discussion

Emerging Priorities?

Who is still seeing clients/patients? Greater Baden is still seeing patients, those with symptoms can be seen through telehealth; Online/over the phone enrollment for Seedco; MOC - Flyers/social media to outreach tobacco education with youth

Awareness of Community Resources that are open - how do we share?

Health Literacy & Language Barriers?

Health Information to students via school (wifi in the parking lots) or through libraries?? Information passed out through school lunches/St. Mary's Caring grab & go meals

Encourage people to call their provider directly to see if they are accepting appointments

What is providers are available for those who are uninsured?

Oral Health Literacy:

- Increase knowledge of parents
- Reach out to the providers
- Dental offices open now?
- Provider CME opportunity - video conference option?

Telehealth How-to flyer

Do resources already exist??

****Action items:** Local Inventory on Health Literacy; Nat - point paper for telehealth; Brenda - CME connection for providers; review Horowitz Center Health Literacy Resources; Develop "roadmap" - let us know what you can do!

COVID-19 Resources & Information

- https://docs.google.com/document/d/1AuGlx-14fLkm127y8bb_CLd12E062BF5-6V0dbCpRE/edit?usp=sharing
- smchd.org/coronavirus

Partner Updates

- Ashley - ACCU program up and running minus home visits
- Brenda - We are just doing all-things COVID here and had our highest # of tests done this past Friday with 92; Hospital open for elective procedures
- Liz - Seedco/ Maryland Health Connection is promoting the approaching deadline for the Coronavirus Emergency Special Enrollment Period that will end June 15, 2020. This offers all uninsured and opportunity to enroll in a marketplace plan. Medicaid enrollment is open year round. Our hotline number 1-855-339-3007. ecounty@seedco.org
- Stay tuned for more updates on CHA/Annual Meeting
- Rachel - Pathways is still conducting telehealth. Feel free to reach out to me if you know of anyone who would benefit from more mental health support.
- Jolanda - Wheels 2 Wellness drop in number of rides in response to COVID-19; applied for new grant to try pilot project with dialysis centers
- Be safe, Be healthy :)



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Upcoming Meetings

- Tuesday, June 23, 2020 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

