

City of Columbus Early Childhood Obesity Prevention Coalition
Steering Committee _____ Working Group 1
_____ Working Group 2 X Full Coalition

Date: September 27, 2011 Time: 10:00 am – 11:30 am

Location: Columbus Public Health
 Meeting Room 119E
 240 Parsons Ave.
 Columbus, Ohio 43215

Facilitator: Autumn Trombetta, Columbus Public Health

Attendees: Allyse Engelder (CPH), Ali Segna (CPH/HCHW), Shelby Sutphen (CHA), Bob Holomuski (CPH Strategic Nursing Team), Cheryl Graffagnino (CPH), Pat Riederer (OSU Extension/EFNEP), Carol Smathers (OSU CPH/PRC), Doug Wolf (NCH), Sheri Sheterom (CPH-Caring for 2), Jacqueline Broderick-Patton (CCS), Rebecca Madine (Mount Carmel RN), Karen Dorman (CHA), Merv B (Kicks for Kids), Dave Ciccone & team (UWCO), Bobbi Shannon (YMCA), Matt Baldwin (CPH), Terri Mangano (Mid -Ohio Food Bank)

Meeting at-a-glance:

- Program Updates
- United Way of Central Ohio “Community Conversation”

Meeting Outcomes:

- This Community Conversation will be added to other discussions that United Way has collected and the results will be disseminated to the Coalition, as well as other community partners

Next Steps:

- Next meeting: Tuesday December 6, 2011, 10:00am -11:30am at Columbus Public Health, Room 119E. Capital University Students are working on a healthy prenatal weight gain needs assessment in our community and will present at this meeting, along with our 2011 achievement.
- Next healthy prenatal weight gain subgroup meeting TBD

Agenda Item 1: Program Updates

Partner/Organization	Supporting Breastfeeding	Supporting Physical Activity	Supporting Healthy Eating	Increasing Screening and Referral	Other
Bob Holomuski (CPH)		Doing several flu clinics. Recently has done public speaking on other topics, but has tried to include childhood obesity into discussion. Also, Jackie Broderick Patton was inducted into the Nursing Honor Society at Capital University			
Rebecca Madine (Mt. Carmel)		Also doing flu clinics and health fairs, responsible for being a church liaison. Works with churches to provide food and healthcare in churches, so they are more accessible.			
Ali Segna (CPH/HCHW)	Using an OSU grad student to do an evaluation of Healthy Children, Healthy Weights to see how menu changes and policy implementation are going. Ali also had a request to the group for someone who does special needs/autism nutrition, in order to fulfill a need in the community for the Childhood League Center to do a nutrition night for parents struggling with kids with autism eating healthy.				
Cheryl Graffagnino (CPH)	ACHIEVE CAP was submitted with edits and has been finalized. Should be receiving funding in a few weeks. Went to Neighborhood Best Practices conference where Pastor Damon Lynch spoke on needs assessment vs. highlighting assets that neighborhoods have. OSU PRC pamphlets are an example of this.				
Sheri Sheterom (CPH-Caring for 2)			Placemats have still been a huge success with clients and are being incorporated into education visits with babies.		
Pat Riederer (OSU Extension/EFNEP)	Continue to teach English & Spanish pregnancy classes on nutrition, food safety and physical activity in Franklin County				
Shelby Sutphen (CHA)		Working with homecare providers to revamp trainings and change environment to support better nutrition			
Carol Smathers (OSU CPH/PRC)	Passed out final pamphlets from Southside focus groups, conveys great information that parents and grandparents already have and are doing to exercise and eat healthy.				
Karen Dorman (CHA)		Nothing particularly new, working with community partners			
Terri Mangano (Mid-Ohio)			Mobile market at CPH,		

Food Bank)			trying to move toward providing healthier foods (produce, etc.) Using the truck for dairy, eggs. Also working with moms to be in Weiland Park once a month, looking for other sites. Amy, new RD on site. Working with 4H for nutrition education and community gardens.	
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Agenda Item 2: United Way Community Conversation

Dave Ciccone from United Way and his health impact team led this discussion, which is not merely a focus group. Health is one of the four pillars of United Way and United Way hopes to move beyond merely being a funding mechanism for other community groups, but to move forward to really understand a community's needs. This interactive and important discussion enabled Coalition members to voice hopes, concerns, and ideas for our community and for health. UWCO has also hosted numerous Conversations around the City and they have been an important part of UWCO's efforts to listen to the community, build energy for action, and lay the groundwork for mobilization. These Conversations will be linked with other data gathering/disseminating efforts such as community health needs assessments and shared with stakeholders, decision makers, and community partners. The following questions were discussed, but a summary document will later be disseminated.

1. What kind of community do you want?
2. What do you want health and wellness to be like in the community?
3. How are things going regarding health in our community?
4. How do health and wellness affect you personally?
5. What is keeping us from being healthy and well?
6. When you think about health and wellness, what kind of things can be done to make a difference?
7. Where do we talk about these things?
8. Questions? Follow up?
9. Will we receive a summary document?