

Early Learning Hub of Linn, Benton & Lincoln Counties

Health Care Integration Work Group Meeting Minutes

MEETING COMMENCED	1:00pm, January 24, 2018 CASA, Albany
MEETING CALLED BY	Lynn Hall
THWORK GROUP MEMBERS PRESENT	Lynn Hall, Kristi Collins, LeAnne Trask, Cindy Cole, Rich Waller, Rebecca Austen, Madeleine Sprague and Neva Campbell
VERSION	Draft

Agenda topics

DISCUSSION ITEM	ASQ Training and Tracking Initiative
Lynn recaps the successes of the project funded through IHN-CCO.	
Dr Amador agreed to become qualified to teach START trainings for Oregon Pediatric Society (OPS), ASQ coding increased for IHN-CCO, and connections were made between early learning professionals and medical providers.	
Cindy appreciates the decrease of service duplication.	
Neeva explains that standardization encourages communities to streamline processes and services for children and families.	
Cindy asks how we can continue the START trainings for interested medical providers. Lynn contacted Julie Shultz at (OPS) about this, our grant year is over so we don't have funding to continue trainings.	
The budget portion will be added before submitting the final report in mid-February.	

DISCUSSION ITEM	Revising the OPIP Medical Decision Tree, Early Childhood Decision Tree, and Parent Referral page
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review/Revise Draft Parent Referral Page 	
Cindy recommends organizing the parent letter by county. Lynn will do this.	
Rich recommends the parent letter being included in the after-visit meeting.	
Neeva presents the Final PCPCH bubble document located on basecamp. It explains the duties of health care professionals at Samaritan.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review/Revise Draft Medical Decision Tree 	
Rebecca comments that Group C and B are identical. Lynn corrected the error.	
Kristi explains there are certain medical/other circumstances that may put a child in the black or gray, but who don't actually need to be referred to EI. The group recommends adding examples in Group C.	
Rich recommends having a designated resource for each county.	
Rebecca agrees to forward Lincoln county resources to Lynn.	

DISCUSSION ITEM	Immunization Planning
The source for OHA County Immunization Rates documents is the Oregon Immunization Alert.	

The group doesn't understand why the total two-year old shot rate is so much lower than each of the individual shot rates.
Karen Walker with the Health Department was unable to attend today's meeting; however, she should be able to attend our February meeting.
Neeva believes low immunization rates is a clinic issue.
The group needs to focus on the two-year shot rate.
Two-year olds are children up to 35 months of age. The shot series is required by the CDC.
Neeva presents various documents that are available from the CDC website; some documents explain the requirements. There are minimum number of weeks between immunizations. She explains that 9-month-old visit is a great catch-up opportunity if a child falls behind.
Parents who opt-out of immunizations must now watch a video, this is a reason that the number who opt-out has decreased.
Neeva believes parents are more willing to get their children immunized, but some families are following their own schedule. This poses a barrier for CDC requirements.
How can the EL Hub support IHN-CCO's immunization rates?
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Pollywog Parent Newsletter plans to approach families on immunizations in a friendly but educational manner. • Neeva suggests there is an issue with decreased participation at the two 15-18 month visits. This should become a best practice for parents. • Neeva suggests creating simple handouts intended for family education. Many flyers, posters and videos are available on the CDC website. In addition, developing a strong connection between parent and physician is key. • Help parents who have their child on their own schedule to complete the shots by 35 months.
Cindy explains that not every office reports immunizations to ALERT.
Where OHA receive the incentive metric data?
Kristi agrees to contact Kim Whitley about immunization data.

NEXT MEETING	Wednesday, February 28, 2018
1:00-3:00pm, Western Title Building, Room 207, Newport	
MEETING ADJOURNED	3:00pm