

HCA Steering Committee Meeting

May 3, 2017

Noon-1:15pm

AGENDA

Attending: Steve West (via phone), Bev Purtlebaugh (via phone), Phylliese Beatty, Heather Williams, Molly Hunt, Kathy Bartlett, George Branam, MD, Jen Bunch, MD, Nathan Taylor, Steve Anderson, Jacey Foley, Amelia Clark, Tricia Stanley, John Disher.

**Agenda for All Partner Meeting 5-11-17:** John presented a proposed agenda for the All-Partner Meeting on May 11. After discussion the group approved.

**Partner Recruitment brainstorming:** John noted his goal was to obtain 3 new Partners per month in 2017. He asked the Steering Committee for help in accomplishing this. John is willing to make presentations if a committee member can make initial contact and set up a discussion.

Phylliese- will approach concerned clergy group

Kathy- will approach Unity Center, Star Financial and Eden Church

Jen will approach the Jar Church

Amelia will approach Christian Ministries

Other suggestions to approach-

Del. Co. Prevention Council (John contacted Pat Hart on 5-16-17)

The Gathering Church

Urban Light Church

St. Mary Church

Burris School

Dr. George Branam suggested that it is important to establish standards and accountability for our Partners as to how they are influencing their audiences. Group discussion ensued. Consensus was to keep encouraging Partners to find ways to encourage audiences within their own business model and for us to provide the 'why' as to the importance of this influence. Opportunities to 'wrap around' our partners will develop over time and through the Workgroup process.

**Tobacco Free Delaware County Coalition:**

Jacey reported on several Coalition activities, including American Lung Association donation of Freedom from Smoking course materials, the Reach CoNext program, No Menthol Sunday. More info at

<https://www.facebook.com/delco.tobaccofree>

**April Nutrition Meeting recap:** John highlighted some of the activities and conversations that took place at the meeting on 4-11-17. Meeting notes available at

<http://www.healthycommunityalliance.org/index.php?module=ResourceLibrary&controller=index&action=view&id=103634291502886048>

**IUH BMH Pilot Project- Grissom School and Arrowhead Plastics:** John provided a presentation regarding an IUHBMH initiative to “wrap around” HCA Partner organizations with resources to help combat obesity and tobacco use. The projects involve several community and HCA partners including Ball State University. Pilot programs have been implemented at Grissom Elementary School and Arrowhead Plastics Engineering.

**Updates- Purdue Extension, DC Wellness Pros, other**

Nathan noted that it is likely that 4-6 more companies will go through the AcheiveWell process this year; there will be a 2<sup>nd</sup> phase of the Indiana Healthy Community Recognition later this year.

Molly described a Purdue Extension partnership program called Future Choice, addressing chronic disease. She also noted that Chelsie and Kortey’s work continues related to indoor playgrounds, and farmers markets.

Next meeting: June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017, Noon-1:15pm.