

PHC Partner Meeting
September 17th, 9-11am
Via Zoom

Attendees:

Board of Directors

Nicole Coleman, DHMC; Rudy Fedrizzi, VDH; Brett Mayfield, Vermont Town Health Officer, Hartford; Julius Turner.

Advisory Council Members

Meghan Butts, Upper Valley Lake Sunapee Regional Planning Commission; Elizabeth Craib, Granite United Way; Barbara Farnsworth, Pop. Health at DHMC; Anna Hullinger, UPV PHEP; Jenna Newbern, Lake Sunapee Region VNA & Hospice; Peggy O'Neil, WISE; Liz Swanton, APD.

Partners/Staff

Kristin Barnum; Jan Eberly, VDH; Alice Ely; Wendi Germain, Directory of Nutrition and Wellness for Senior Solutions; Nadine Lamontagne, Unite US Coordinated Care Network for NH; Danielle Mackey, DHMC; Dana Michalovic, Good Neighbor Health Clinic and Red Logan Dental Clinic ; Heather Rigney, VDH; Hilary Schuler, DHMC/ All Together ; Andrea Smith, DMHC/ All Together ; Bridgett Taylor, NHADACA; Martha Tecca; Kym Williams.

Welcome

COVID-19 Updates

VT (Heather Rigney): Planning for large booster clinics as soon as clearance is provided.

NH (Anna Hullinger): Seeing uptick in cases; having conversation with state officials about providing boosters to those most vulnerable; gearing up for school-based flu vaccine clinics.

Lyme Health & Wellness Fair will offer COVID-19 vaccinations.

Planning for the Future of the PHC

Kym Williams provided an overview of the survey results received to date (>60). Slides are available with notes.

- Breakout Discussion by Opportunity Theme
 - Is PHC the right workgroup to do this?
 - Is it feasible for PHC? What resources and staffing would be needed?
 - What would this work look like? Please give examples.
- Report out and Discussion

Individual reporters will send notes to Alice. Kym will use the notes to begin drafting recommendations for a strategic plan. The PHC Board will share the final strategic plan at the Annual Meeting in November.

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Other Updates and Announcements

- All Together:
 - Community Survey results, working on holding parent/ guardian of teens focus groups, asking for help to disseminate flyer and reach parents
- Meghan Butts
 - Regional housing needs assessment, could be a funding source for COVID recovery, hoping to use funds for housing sources (can't build houses)
- Alice Ely
 - PHC Flu clinics: Will share list of community flu clinics
 - PHC flu clinics will be on the events page and on a blog post
 - Many other flu clinic opportunities coming up