



CONNECTICUT
HEALTH IMPROVEMENT COALITION
Partners Integrating Efforts and Improving Population Health

Healthy Connecticut 2020
State Health Improvement Plan

Mental Health and Substance Abuse ACTION Team
Meeting AGENDA

Date: 11/13/2019
Time: 1:00pm - 3:00pm
Location: DPH Conference Room 1C, 410 Capitol Ave, Hartford CT

Attendees: Cathy Sisco, Wheeler Clinic (Co-lead); Lauren Siembab, CT Dept. of Mental Health & Addiction Services Ramona Anderson (Co-lead), CT Dept. of Public Health; Erica Garcia-Young, CT Dept. of Social Services; Susan Bouffard, CT Dept. of Mental Health & Addiction Services; Robyn Gulley, North Central Area Agency on Aging; Shawn Lang, AIDS CT; Carleen Zambetti, CT Dept. of Mental Health & Addiction Services; Laurie Ann Wagner, CT Dept. of Public Health (DPH Facilitator); Chantelle Archer, CT Dept. of Public Health

Agenda Items		Discussion	ACTION Items and person responsible
Welcome / Introductions Cathy	5 min		
SHIP Policy Agenda Laurie Ann	15 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Topics for final consideration at Advisory Council Meeting on 11/19/2019</i> • <i>Expand on recommendation made at Summit about trauma screening</i> <p>It was noted that establishing a trauma screening billing code would need to be taken up with the American Medical Association (AMA). The challenge with establishing a code is being able to quantify the code and understand it from a billing perspective. It can remain on the policy agenda even though it is not actionable due to lack of sponsorship. It is an issue that people should be aware of.</p> <p><i>Additional items to add to SHIP Policy Agenda:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Opioids</u>: The team wanted to consider the possibility of requiring that naloxone be made available next to automated external defibrillators. • <u>Marijuana</u>: The team is interested in focusing on education and prevention efforts. • <u>Youth Suicide</u>: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Youth depression and anxiety rates have increased. 	



		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ A statewide needs assessment is necessary for LGBTQ youth. DPH has a SOGI internal workgroup 	
SHIP 2.0 <i>Laurie Ann</i>	20 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview of where we are in the process: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) <i>SHA Public Comment</i> <p>SHIP partners were invited to comment on draft chapters of the State Health Assessment (SHA). All comments will be distributed to DPH Team Leads to consider for final versions of the SHA.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> b) <i>Framework Matrix – inclusion process</i> <p>SHIP 2.0 will be organized around the social determinants of health (SDoH). During the SHIP Summit, attendees participated in an exercise where they were first asked to prioritize their top five most important/relevant health indicators that would have the most impact on improving the health of CT residents. Secondly, participants were asked to identify all of the SDOH that contributed to, or most impacted their identified top five health indicators. During the final step of the exercise, participants were asked to write their top five health indicators on post-it notes and place them on SDOH flip charts posted around the room. Housing, poverty, and education were cited as impacting MHSAs issues.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> c) <i>Communication Committee – Action Team “ask”</i> 	
SHIP Summit <i>Laurie Ann and Cathy</i>	20 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Results of SHIP Summit group activities</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>Social Determinants of Health (See attachment)</i> ○ <i>Jigsaw Exercise (See attachment)</i> • The results of both exercises will be utilized in framing SHIP 2.0. A full day planning event will be held during the last week of March or the first week of April to identify objectives, followed by a half day planning event to develop strategies. 	
Action Team Future Activity <i>Group Discussion</i>	20 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>What 2020 looks like for the SHIP MHSAs Action Team</i> <p>Members were informed that DPH won't be able to simultaneously facilitate Action Team meetings in 2020 and drive planning for SHIP 2.0. DPH can still assist</p>	



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		with reserving meeting space and scheduling meetings. The team expressed interest in continuing to meet next year. Prior to the next Action Team meeting an email will be sent out to members asking them to bring any data and reports to the meeting in order to update the Action Agenda.	
Action Agenda Update <i>Cathy</i>	35 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>What has happened in the last three months</i>• <i>What is planned for the next three months</i>	
Next steps <i>Cathy</i>	5 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Next meeting scheduled for: Wednesday, February 5, 2020 410 Capitol Ave, Hartford, CT</i>	