

Healthy Connecticut 2020 The Connecticut State Health Improvement Plan

Agenda

Focus Area: Injury & Violence Prevention Meeting3: Objectives & Strategies Date: June 20, 2013 Time: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Location: 300 George Street, New Haven, CT

Meeting Notes

Attendees:*

Amanda Durante, Pina Violano, Kristin Sullivan, Carol Bower, Nadine Fraser, Paula Crombie, Pamela Puchalski, Deb Shulansky, Faith Vos Winkel, Karen Wexell and Amanda Ayers

Goal: Create an environment in which exposure to injuries is minimized or eliminated.

Goal for our meeting today:

- Generate 1-2 objectives for each area and come up with suggestions for strategies
- Begin with Healthy People 2020 objectives
- Focus should be on disease/behavioral outcomes for the objectives

Areas of Concentration for Injury & Violence Prevention:

- 1. Motor Vehicle Crashes
- 2. Homicide/Community Violence
- 3. Poisoning
- 4. Suicide
- 5. Falls
- 6. Child Maltreatment
- 7. Traumatic Brain Injury
- 8. Combat Injuries
- 9. Occupational Injury
- 10. Sexual Assault

Homicide/Community Violence:

• Consider disparities; like to focus objective on disparity directly

Objective 1: Reduce the firearm homicide rate in BNH males between the ages of 12 and 35 by X to X. Objective 2: Reduce the firearm injury rate in BNH males between the ages of 12 and 3.5 by X to X. Objective 3: Reduce the incidence of rape.

Motor Vehicle Crashes:

Objective 1: Decrease alcohol-related crashes, injuries and fatalities from X to X by ____

Objective 2: Reduce the number of unrestrained occupants in fatal crashes from X to X by _____.

Objective 3: Increase the statewide observed seatbelt rate to at least 95% by 2020.

Objective 4: Increase the % of children in child safety restraints. (data source?)

Objective 5: Decrease the injury and fatality rate for 16-19 yr. olds.

Objective 6: Decrease the injury and fatality rate for motorcycle drivers and passengers by X to X.

Objective 7: Decrease motor vehicle traffic death rate for people ages 80 and over by X to X.

Child Maltreatment:

Objective 1: Reduce child maltreatment deaths.

Objective 2: Reduce nonfatal child maltreatment.

Traumatic Brain Injury:

Objective 1: Decrease the incidence of deaths, hospitalizations and ED visits resulting from TBI.

Poisoning:

Objective 1: Decrease the rate of death and injury due to unintentional or undetermined poisoning.

Falls:

Objective 1: Prevent an increase in fall related deaths among all persons.

Objective 2: Prevent an increase in fall related deaths among adults aged 65 years and older.

Objective 3: Prevent an increase in Emergency Department fall related deaths among adults aged 65 years and older.

Meeting adjourned at 12:30 p.m. Please bring sample strategies to the next meeting.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, June 26th 9 a.m. – 12 p.m., 300 George Street, New Haven, CT