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**AHSA Quarterly Meeting
Standing Committee Agenda & Meeting Minutes
Integrated Health & Safety Committee**

| DATE OF MEETING: 11/15/18 Time: 1:30-3:00 PM | | LOCATION OF MEETING: Pendergast 3802 N. 91 st Ave Phoenix, AZ |
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| COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT: Alice Haverland (CoP); Carol Giddens (PGCCS); Chrisanda DeBois (MC); Connie Morrison (PGCCS); Jordan Bohrn (CPC); Liz Hernandez (CC); Luz Anderson (PGCCS); Marcia Archer (NACOG); Nicole Neal (CoP); Sarah Harrison (USFCA); Sonia Loya (PGCCS); Gloria Valdivia (PGCCS) | | |
| MEMBERS ABSENT: Ariana Rangel (USFCA); Bari Nemeth (SWHD); Carolyn Willmer (CoP); Jessica Varela (SWHD); Marcela Zepeda (CPLC); Margaret Velasco (CoP); Marya Olmos (WACOG); Melinda Hansen (SRPMIC); Selina McCabe-Charley (CoP); Veronica Parra-Mungarro (SWHD) | | |
| VISITORS: Jenna Kinion (PC/Board Rep-PGCCS); Julia Wacloff (ADHS); Karen Woodhouse (Eye On Learning) | | |
| NEXT QUARTERLY COMMITTEE MEETING: Date: Feb 21, 2019 Location: TBD | | |
| AGENDA ITEM | DISCUSSION/RECOMMENDATION | PERSON(S) RESPONSIBLE/ PRESENTER |
| I. Call to Order & Welcome | Welcome and introductions Meeting called to order at 1:20 | Connie Morrison |
| II. Adoption of Agenda | Approval of agenda 11/15/18 Liz/Chrisand; none opposed | Connie Morrison |
| III. Approval of Minutes | Approval of minutes 8/23/18 Liz/Chrisand; none opposed | Connie Morrison |
| IV. 1:45 Presentation | Eyes On Learning Overview – See Handout Program to Standardize Screening Rules and follow up on screening | Karen Woodhouse |

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| | <p>results. Reviewed website: much information for parents, Teachers, providers, etc. Public Service Campaign: Children Don't Know What They Don't See. Using a positive approach.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Focus groups included parents, advisory board, and eye professionals; and were conducted in English, Spanish and Native languages. • Parents showed a trust for their pediatricians, so there is a need for pediatricians to do the screening. • Public Service channels: mobile & tablet apps; posters, ads, billboards & signs <p>Connection to services: photo screening (Vitalyst Health Foundation), VSP (Vision Services Program), and Lions' Club. Needs/Assets Survey to community health services around the state. Funders to purchase equipment for them. VSP "Sights for Students" program now has an on-line app. School nurses and Lion's Club also have certificates. There will be a text project to contact parents regarding school screening and follow up. Three test sites so far (2 community health centers and 1 school district) will pilot it. Arizona is 48th in the Nation for Vision screening of 0-5 age group. Medical Claim data shows a 5% decrease in vision screening between 2013 and 2017. Arizona is also 1 of only 8 states that do not require vision screening for school age children. Arizona schools do it anyway, but it is not required at this time.</p> <p>Data Sharing Spreadsheet: Request was made for data sharing. No names; just numbers and percentages of vision screening and follow up. Members felt we could pull the information easily enough from our systems to provide the data via a spreadsheet that Chrisanda developed to help with the project.</p> <p>Presentation was emailed out to all members after the meeting.</p> | <p>Chrisanda DeBois</p> |
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| <p>V. 2:15 Presentation</p> | <p>Brush Up on Oral Health: Dental Hygiene Liaison project Dental Liaison Project</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Goal: Oral Health Education to Head Start from the National Center on Early Childhood Health & Wellness. • Grant to Maternal & Child Oral Health Resource Center, to state and territorial dental directors, and to dental hygienist liaisons (one for Arizona). • Role: link between hygienists and Head Start, collaborate, promote evidence based screening. If no resources, she can help link us up. • NCECHW Topics: Oral Health Messages and Partnering with Parents. • Newly approved: Dental Therapists by last year's legislation for high risk populations. They have the same role as a mid-level dentist; can provide mid-level extractions and dental care; they will refer to a dentist if advanced care is needed. <p>Silver Diamine Fluoride Project: 4 year grant for a pilot project, then will report to AHCCCS. This product kills the cavity, so there is no need for dental procedure. It is used only if the care needed does not involve the root or pulp of the tooth. It costs approximately \$150 per bottle and can treat 15 teeth. They are currently looking for partners. Members can email Karen contacts for dental providers who would be willing to partner in this project. She has already approached the U of A Dental Outreach program and is confident that they will be willing to partner.</p> | <p>Julia Wacloff</p> |
| <p>VI. Committee Up-date:</p> | <p>AHSA is represented on the following state/regional committees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Obesity & Food Insecurity: Maureen & Chrisanda • State Hearing Rules: Meagan, Connie, Luz, Carolyn, Marcia, Gloria, & Carol • Oral Health Coalition: Chrisanda, Marcia, & Jordyn • Eye on Learning Committee: Chrisanda • Asthma Coalition: Liz | <p>All Members</p> |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School Readiness Coalition: Liz • Lead Coalition: Marcia, Carol, Gloria, Luz, Connie, Liz, & Carolyn | |
| VII. AHSA goals | <p>Discussion – Tabled. Ran out of time. Members will report back via email. Connie will send the goals sheet out to members with the minutes via email and request that members report back on their progress</p> | Connie Morrison |
| VIII. Sharing | <p>Items to share – Tabled. Ran out of time. Members will report back via email. Bari was unable to attend, but wanted to know what everyone is doing regarding the EpiPen/EpiPen Jr shortage.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SWHD is having parent bring the pens daily if they are not expired. Otherwise, they ask the provider to write what to do if no EpiPen is available (i.e.; call 911 or whatever the provider suggests). | All Members |
| IX. Adjournment | Adjourned at 3:00 | Connie Morrison |