

**KEYSTONE HEALTH CENTER
ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE TASKFORCE**

DATE: June 16, 2016

START TIME: 11:00 a.m.

RECORDER: Christina Methner

MEMBERS PRESENT: Joanne Cochran, Kris Culler, Emily Eshleman, Pat McCulloh, Daphne Murray, Linda Noble, Cheryl Selman, Stephanie Unger, Bob Whitmore.

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
Call To Order		Joanne called the meeting to order at 11:00 a.m.
Approval Of Minutes		On a motion by Kris and seconded by Linda, the minutes of the March 17 th meeting were unanimously approved as presented.
Old Business		
Update Membership	A sign-in sheet was distributed. Members introduced themselves and gave a brief description of their job duties.	
New Business		
<p>A. Healthy Franklin County Community Improvement Plan</p> <p>B. Access to Care Goals and Objectives</p>	<p>A. Joanne distributed the Healthy Franklin County Improvement Plan for 2016-2018. She asked members to review the plan and give their thoughts on any changes that should be made.</p> <p>B. The group reviewed the first two goals of the plan and their objectives, and discussed the strategies.</p> <p>Goal 1: Improve Access to Primary Care Services for the Residents of Franklin County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Objective 1.1 – Expand Access to Care Through Primary Care Safety Net Facilities by December 2020. <p>Strategies:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promote and Establish School-Based Health Clinics – This is underway as Keystone got the School Board’s approval to open a health center at CASHS. This will aim to improve truancy, mental health issues and STD rates among other issues in CASH’s students. • Recruit and Retain Primary Care Clinicians and Dentists in Franklin County – Pat said it is difficult to compete with larger cities. They try to recruit students to do practicums in their facilities as they are more likely to want to stay in the area. • Advocate for Advanced Practitioners to Practice to the Fullest Extent of Their Licensure – Summit and Keystone have both accomplished this in the last couple of years. 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promote the Use of Community Health Workers to Improve Access and Coordination of Care – Daphne said it is helpful for the health workers to live in the community and have relationships with the people there using a population model. Gaps exist in the community that need to be filled. There is a possibility of grant funding to pilot this program. Joanne asked Daphne and Pat to form a sub-committee to focus on this. • Identify and Standardize Training and Certification Programs for Community Health Workers – This will be addressed by the CHW sub-committee <p>Goal 2: Increase the Number of Residents in Franklin County Receiving Preventative Services</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Objective 2.1 – Increase the Percent of Providers that Report All Immunizations into the State Innovation Information System by 100% by December 2020. • Obtain Approval from State Department of Health/Governor's Office for Keystone to Immunize All Primary Care Providers in Franklin County – Keystone has already received approval. Pat informed the group that there are area providers other than Summit and Keystone that give care to children including Greencastle and Waynesboro Family Practices, Dr. Swartz, and Dr. Kramer. Pat and Joanne plan to be in contact with these providers. • Open State CFVs Program to All Primary Care Providers in Franklin County – This could happen and would entitle everyone to the free benefits that FQHCs give. Pennsylvania is 46th in the nation in public health. Good things have already been done as immunization laws have become stricter, giving parents only days to immunize their children after the start of school instead of months. • Promote and Establish School-Based Health Clinics – We may change this goal as the school would have to be open to the public without restrictions. This model could pose safety concerns. • Promote and Establish Patient Centered Medical Homes in All Provider Offices in Franklin County – PCMH is an agreement between the practice and its patients. Patients sign an agreement that they will provide their complete information 	
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	<p>including outside care, lifestyle habits, etc. to aid the practice in providing them with the best care possible. Also, patients are asked to contact their primary care provider before going to the ER, urgent care or any other outside physician. It is a team concept where everyone at the practice from physicians to nurses to receptionists work together to get the best results for patients, and patients are involved in setting their own health goals.</p> <p>Goals 3 and 4 will be discussed at the next meeting.</p>	
Updates From Membership:	No discussion.	
Next Meeting	July 2016. Date TBA.	
Adjournment		Joanne adjourned the meeting at 11:55 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by:



Christina Methner, Recorder