

MINUTE RECORD

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (MDHHS) OFFICE OF RECOVERY ORIENTED SYSTEMS OF CARE (OROSC) State Epidemiological Outcomes Workgroup (SEOW)

WORKGROUP NAME State Epidemiological Outcomes Workgroup (SEOW) Core Team
DATE Wednesday, March 21, 2018
TIME 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
LOCATION MDHHS, Lewis Cass Bldg., Cass 1 North Conference Rm.
320 S. Walnut, Lansing, MI
CHAIRPERSON Joel Hoepfner
RECORDER Su Min Oh (B)

ATTENDEES

Face to Face: Lisa Coleman, Joe Coyle, Lisa G. Cram, Patrick Hindman, Joel Hoepfner, Tom Largo, Brittany Leek, Su Min Oh, Brooke Rodriguez, Larry Scott, Chelsea Walker, Megan Walsh, Gabrielle Stroh Steiner

Phone: Liz Agius, Dawn Radzioch, Jane Goerge, Brian Hartl, Gery Shelafoe, Danielle Stolicker

Absent: Bret Bielawski, Sandra Bullard, Richard Isaacson, Jeanne Kapenga, Kim Kenyon, Kim Kovalchick, Nicole Kramer, Mary Ludtke, Sarah LyonCallo, Em Maier Ashley Miller, Eva Petoskey, Sarah Rockhill, Brenda Stoneburner, Jeff Wieferich, Jill Worden, Dianne Perukel, Angie Smith-Butterwick, Stephanie VanDerKooi. Denise Herbert

SUMMARY OF KEY POINTS

Introductions, Welcome, and Approval of Agenda/Minutes – Joel Hoepfner

- Joel welcomed members and members and introduced themselves.
- Agenda reviewed and approved.
- The Minutes of February 21 minutes contains four edits to be reviewed and approved at April 18, 2018 meeting.

Update on Next Steps/Action Items from Previous Meeting – Joel Hoepfner

Share Alcohol Fact Sheets – Patrick – sent to all members. More discussion later.

Monitor S.O.S – Su Min – Ongoing

Monitor Outlet Density Report – All – N/A

Monitor HEP A Outbreak (www.Michigan.gov/hepAoutbreak) – Su Min Oh - 25 deaths, 609 hospitalizations, and 751 confirmed cases; same as February 2018.

Morbidity and Mortality Initiative Agenda Items – Su Min, Ashley, and Chelsea - Ongoing

Draft Drug Poisoning Death Infographic – Su Min/Patrick – Discussion to take place later

OROSC Updates – Larry Scott

- **SAMHSA Block Grant** – Received approval to use funds for SUD and Opioid Surveillance. He also approached SAMHSA regarding other uses for the block grant, such as syringe service programs, among one other, such as the STR.
- **Central Data Repository (CDR)** – Spoke of the CDR and issues affecting it. Su Min will send Liz the List of details.
- **STR Grant** – Applied for continuation year two.
- **Omnibus Package** – Stated funding allocations for opioid and mental health initiatives.

Emerging Issues and Trends - Su Min Oh/Patrick Hindman/Group

Opioids and Prescription Drugs, Alcohol, Heroin, Marijuana, E-Cigarettes - Su Min Oh/Group

- **E-Cigarettes** – No movement
- **Legalizing Marijuana** – Su Min communicated that Michigan Licensing and Regulatory Affairs (LARA) have shut down 40 medical marijuana dispensing shops who are not licensed and will be sending out warning letters to the

others. She stated the emergency rules regarding licensing and shutdown. The MPA, Marijuana Task Force through John Chronic, and Cherry Health are sharing all updates. Dawn communicated about John Chronic's work on the boot camps being formed throughout Michigan and they are seeking regional sponsors. Awaiting agenda. Language not determined for ballot. Connect through *Mobilizing Michigan, Clearing the Smoke through Oakland County or Healthy and Productive Michigan* through Scott Greenlee. According to the LARA, there are over 277,000 or 2.8 percent of Michigan's population who hold a medical marijuana card. Dawn to send update on statistics for holders of medical marijuana card holders and caregivers to group members who asked.

- **Alcohol** – Patrick communicated about senate bill (SB) 902; on premise licensees to remain open on weekends, national/state holidays from 2:00 am to 4:00 am in Detroit; populations of 600K or more. Will write a brief on the public health impact and share with upper management.
- **Heroin and Prescription Drugs** - Working with 2016 data and receiving many media requests. Someone said seeing novel drugs, research chemicals, synthetic opioid marketing push changing the dynamic.
Fentanyl – Brittany presented highlights of the *American Association for the Treatment of Opioid Dependence (AATOD)* conference she attended in New York City March 8 through 14. Some of the highlights included fentanyl test strips being used in the field, law enforcement safety measures, and harm reduction.
- **Legislation** – N/A

Partner Updates – All

- **Office of Highway Safety Planning (OHSP) – Dianne Perukel – Tabled**
Bureau of Epidemiology and Population Health/Division of Communicable Disease/HAI, Infectious Diseases Update - Joe Coyle
More information regarding the conference attended in Louisville, Kentucky for a six-month learning lab sponsored by the National Governor's Association on integrating infectious disease better in the opioid response and seeking MDHHS buy-in. Communicated syringe service programs (SSPs) and the science behind this initiative and the outcomes (do not increase drug use, good for first responders, integrations of vaccinations, linkage to care, etc.). Also talked about integrating infectious diseases better in the opioid commission in Michigan that needs to be on the radar. Action plan forthcoming. Communicated about specific funding sources for syringe service programs, such as Ryan White HIV rebate dollars to open to be used by SSPs. Mention of a bill introduced at the federal level to amend the public health services act to expand and reauthorize of surveillance and education by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) regarding infections associated with injected drug use (eliminating opioid related infectious diseases related to the opioid epidemic), as well as the funding. He also spoke about other non-funded infectious diseases and efforts to bring them to the forefront.
- **Bureau of Health and Wellness/Division of Chronic Disease and Injury Control/Tobacco Section/Injury and Violence Prevention Unit - Chelsea Walker**
 - **Data Driven Prevention Initiative for Prescription Drug Overdose**
Stakeholder meeting held on surveillance and data; moving forward with the action plan. There are two breakout groups; two focusing on outreach and education related to CDC prescribing guidelines and MAPS utilization. Two groups focusing on data and surveillance; one on how to improve current surveillance data systems and one on how to develop new surveillance systems and their status. Continuation grant is in process for final year three. Focus is on Academic Detailing; direct one-on-one training sessions with prescribers to tailor education and training. Working with the National Center for Academic Detailing out of Boston and hosting a training for 15 persons in June 2018, depending on the level of interest. She also mentioned other trainings with subcontractors carrying out additional academic detail training. Supplemental funding notice received for 9/1/2019; plan is to focus on surveillance. Joel requests sharing of the committee work plans at their completion.
- **Bureau of Epidemiology and Population Health/Division of Environmental Health/Environmental Surveillance Section - Tom Largo/A. Miller/Gabrielle Stroh Steiner**
 - **Michigan Opioid Morbidity and Mortality Surveillance**
Tom communicated the status of Michigan's morbidity and mortality surveillance, funding, accuracy, and sensitivity, as well as the syndromic side. Gabrielle talked about the syndromic part of the project on opioids and drug overdoses. Guidance has been received from the CDC. Letters were sent out yesterday to some of the medical examiners. She also said they have been supporting the medical examiners with the data regarding unspecified overdose deaths.

➤ **2016 Drug Poisoning Deaths Infographic-** *Su Min Oh/Patrick Hindman*

The draft of infographic was distributed to the group by e-mail. The data was explained. At this point the group was asked for their ideas and suggestions on the design of the infographic. Discussion, ideas, and suggestions were offered. Larry made mention of not only the death factor, but the infectious disease risk. Su Min mentioned the various content, such as trend data, manner of death (intentional vs non-intentional), etc. Next meeting will bring as separate pieces and construct.

➤ **Wayne State University (WSU)**

● **Michigan Young Adult Survey Report -** *Liz Agius*

The survey report was sent to the group, which was also placed on Facebook and with partner agencies/networks. This survey attracted more White females than anyone else but are attempting to diversify our samples. An explanation of the survey data was communicated. Will send the survey link to whomever requests it. Communicated an expansion of who should be included in the survey.

● **CDR Updates and Data Feedback Survey –** *Liz Agius for Brook Rodriguez*

Hired a new developer for the CDR. Top priority is to repair the CDR. New HEP A link that is live on the opioid tab. Described what the new developer is set to accomplish, such as language and formatting to industry standards, TEDS data, among others. Will be creating overlay maps. Received very little feedback on the CDR but would like more. Su Min explained the opioid and heroin related death tab, as well as how the data will be displayed. Suggestion was offered on how and when (completeness) the data should be displayed

OTHER: None

Next Steps/Action Items – *Joel Hoepfner*

Conclude updating the Minutes of February 21, 2018 - *All*

More information on SB 902 – *Patrick Hindman*

Prescription Drug overdose committee workplans – *Chelsea Walker*

Infographic for more dialogue – *Su Min Oh*

Youth Survey use – *Liz Agius*

Adjourned

NEXT MEETING

Date: Wednesday, April 18, 2018

Time: 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM

Location: Lewis Cass Building
320 S Walnut, Cass 1st Fl. North Conference Room
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