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| **District: Central**  | **Date: September 20, 2012** |
| **Brief review of decisions and outcomes from Executive Committee and DCC meetings held since last SCC meeting. For agendas and copies of minutes, please see district’s website at:** [**http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/boh/olph/lphd/index.shtml**](http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/boh/olph/lphd/index.shtml)At theJuly 24 DCC meeting, Joan Orr and Jodi Beck from MaineGeneral Health discussed the new Kennebec Valley Community Care Team. We also discussed workgroup progress and work on the district Community Transformation Grant (CTG). |
| **Ongoing or upcoming projects or priority issues:** Community Transformation Grant workplan and deliverables; 2011 District Public Health Improvement Plan implementation (see below); Oct DCC meeting |
| **Progress with District Public Health Improvement Plan (DPHIP):** *Activities planned for completion during the quarter & whether activities were able to be completed on schedule** Develop EPHS #7 Workgroup work plan and work commitments – we’ve received a small grant to implement a portion of our mental health integration/access to care strategy.
* Develop EPHS #3 Workgroup work plan and work commitments – the Workgroup has developed a work plan for quarterly coordinated district messages, and completed the four messages.
* Develop & implement medication management messaging campaign encouraging patient engagement in their own care – we’ve received a small grant to adapt materials and implement a medication list/management campaign in the district, and will reconvene stakeholders this fall.
* Use Central District Public Health Unit Updates and DCC website to communicate important information to DCC, LHOs, & partners – ongoing task with updates going out weekly as needed.
* Conduct 1-2 LHO certification & training programs in 2011 – done; another being developed
* Establish & implement DCC Vaccination Work Group & communication network – ongoing
* Provide Input for State Health Plan & HealthyMaine 2020 – scheduling in fall

*Successes achieved** EPHS #3 Workgroup developed/delivered 4th coordinated messaging campaign, ‘Farmers’ Markets’.

*Barriers encountered** Staff and volunteer resources to focus on DPHIP plan implementation and workgroup support.
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| **Progress with Community Transformation Grant:** *Activities planned for completion during the quarter & whether activities were able to be completed on schedule** Awarded four mini-grants to enroll district early care and education sites in CTG
* Provided ‘Let’s Go 5210’ and ‘Smart Moves for ME’ training for teachers and child care managers
* Started work on district communications plan

*Successes achieved** Final budget and workplan approved by Maine CDC

*Barriers encountered** Volunteers from multiple sectors for CTG Oversight Committee
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| **Structural and Operational changes, including updates in membership.**  None this quarter.  |
| **In-district or multi-district collaborations:** National Drug Take Back Day, arsenic study with the University of Maine Cooperative Extension and Columbia University, Somerset Pertussis Clinic publicity. |
| **Other topics of interest for SCC members:** Steadily building participation in and awareness of the DCC has led to more interest in using the DCC to recruit partners and ‘asks’ to take on work as a district – a good success, but one that highlights our lack of champions, focus, and resources to complete work identified by the whole DCC in the DPHIP. |