## SPF SIG Monthly Summary February 2010

## Workgroups:

- The Executive Management Team: Did not meet this month. Next meeting scheduled for March 3, 2010.
- **SPF Advisory Board:** Did not meet this month. Next meeting scheduled for March 11, 2010.
- **Community Epidemiology Surveillance Network:** Did not meet this month. Next meeting is scheduled April 12, 2010.

## Other Items:

- February 7, 2010: HMP Leadership Council Meeting was held in Augusta. The Executive Director of Health Policy and Finance for Maine presented on the District Report Cards, which links health indicators with hospitalizations. The new <a href="www.KeepMeWell.org">www.KeepMeWell.org</a> website was launched. Discussed MCDC application for use of ARRA funding and those communities receiving ARRA funds.
- OSA has begun their Substance Abuse Prevention Conference Call Series.
   The first one was held on February 18, 2010 entitled Evaluating Your
   Efforts. The presenter for this call was Sarah Goan from Hornby Zeller
   Associates.
- O In March, trainings on Table Talks (Facilitator Training and Training-of-Trainers for "Table Talks: Parents Connecting for Alcohol-Free Youth") will take place in Bangor and Portland. OSA has been granted approval from SAMHSA to allow Maine to implement "Table Talk" program versus the traditional Town Hall Meetings that were held in the past.
- o HMP quarterly reports were submitted by February 17<sup>th</sup> and are currently being reviewed by Project Officers and content specialists.