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**STATEWIDE COORDINATING COUNCIL FOR PUBLIC HEALTH
SEPTEMBER 20, 2018**

AGENDA

10:00 – 1:00

(please feel free to bring your lunch)

**Maine State Library, Room 307
Call-in number: 1-877-455-0244
Conference code: 879 303 3495#**

Welcome (*Patty Hamilton and Kristi Ricker*)

Introductions (*All*)

Review of Agenda, Meeting Materials (*Chair, All*)

Welcome New/Re-appointed Council Members (*Dr. Bates*)

Annual Nominations for Chair and Co-Chair (*Dr. Bates*)

- Nominations will be taken from the floor; voting will take place electronically in December

Steering Committee Vacancy (*Dr. Bates*)

- Nominations will be taken from the floor; voting will take place electronically

Governance – Proposed Amendments and Process (*Dr. Bates*)

SHIP/PHHSBG Updates (*Nancy Birkhimer*)

Shared Community Health Needs Assessment (*Nancy Birkhimer*)

District Reports (*Time permitting and only if in addition to posted reports*)

Next Steps, Evaluation (*Patty Hamilton*)

- **December agenda – Prevention Focus**
 - *Doug Michael and Erin Guay – Prevention Initiatives*
 - *Dawn Littlefield and Victoria Rogers - Let's Go Overview*

Adjourn

****Voting Items: Electronic voting to take place on Steering Committee nomination****

The Statewide Coordinating Council for Public Health, established under Title 5, section 12004-G, subsection 14-G, is a representative statewide body of public health stakeholders for collaborative public health planning and coordination.



Statewide Coordinating Council for Public Health District Coordinating Council Update

District: Aroostook District	Date: September 21, 2018
<p>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/mecdc/public-health-systems/lphd/district8/council-main.shtml</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA) and Heroin Response Strategy presentation and discussion with DCC members/law enforcement officials stationed in Aroostook District. ➤ Dates of note in Aroostook District: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Next DCC Meeting: November 7, 2018 • Next Steering Committee Meeting: October 3, 2018 • Next Access to Care Committee Meeting: October/November 2018 • Next Healthy Aging Committee Meeting: October 18, 2018 • Next Shared (CHNA) Community Engagement planning meeting: October 2018 	
<p>Ongoing or upcoming projects or priority issues:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Five <i>Aroostook DCC Standard Operating Procedures</i> currently under review by the Aroostook DCC and will be voted upon at the next meeting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Protocols: Risk Communication – Dissemination of Messages; Risk Communication – Resources for Rapid Communication Response; Aroostook DCC: Meeting Communication; Aroostook DCC: Meeting Minutes; District Representation to the Statewide Coordinating Council 	
<p>Progress with District Public Health Improvement Plan:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Healthy Aging Committee in process of prioritizing focus area for the coming year. 	
<p>Structural and Operational changes, including updates in membership.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Aroostook DCC and Steering Committees are now regularly utilizing Adobe for meetings via Maine CDC’s licenses. ➤ Three law enforcement representatives added to the Aroostook stakeholders. ➤ HRH representative to the Steering Committee, Vicky Moody, is stepping down. New individual identified to assume seat on Aroostook DCC, Nichole Cullinan. 	
<p>In-district or multi-district collaborations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ 8/22/18 - Maine State CHNA Community Engagement Committee ran a dry run. 	
<p>Other topics of interest for SCC members: None to report at this time.</p>	

District Name: Aroostook

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<p>Ongoing or upcoming projects or priority issues: coordination with hospital Implementation Strategies and the new round of Shared CHNA; District-Wide Prevention Messaging to priority populations, MGMC/District Oral Health Implementation Grant Community Health Worker (CHW) support and increasing/sustaining resources for community health workers; transportation services and volunteer efforts; recruiting/maintaining sector membership; coordinating with recipients of the Maine Prevention Services contracts; vulnerable populations HAN; ongoing sustainability of successful initiatives</p>	
<p>Progress with District Public Health Improvement Plan (DPHIP): <i>Activities planned for completion during the quarter and whether activities are able to be completed on schedule</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Use Central District Public Health Unit updates and DCC website to communicate important information to DCC, LHOs, and partners – ongoing task with updates going out weekly as needed ▶ Establish and implement DCC Vaccination Workgroup and communication network – ongoing ▶ The Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) Workgroup was asked to re-convene and assist with district Drug-Free Communities (DFC) grantees’ school and community efforts to build resiliency ▶ DCC Leadership continues to review workgroup charges and possible partnering alternatives to determine how to proceed with funding changes <p><i>Successes achieved</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ District Oral Health Grant Community Health Worker services to connect low SES children to dental appointments, parent education, and outreach to/referrals from district pediatric practices, school nurses, Maine Families, KVCAP, WIC, and the Children’s Center ▶ ACEs Workgroup is completing an environmental scan of community and school efforts in the district ▶ District-Wide Prevention Messaging Workgroup met, discussed needs and gathered messages for fall buses, started a clearinghouse, and identified additional settings to share prevention messages ▶ Development of DCC role as Advisory Committee for district HRSA Substance Abuse Treatment grant <p><i>Barriers encountered</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Volunteers for DCC initiatives are reporting that they are increasingly being asked to serve beyond the scope of their funding sources ▶ The Substance Use/Mental Health Workgroup has identified creating recovery supports as a priority yet does not have resources or grassroots engagement to advance the priority 	

Structural and Operational changes, including updates in membership: updating Workgroup charges and membership; ongoing review of membership and adjusting to turnover/filling gaps in sector representation

In-district or multi-district collaborations: Oral Health Grant; District-Wide Prevention Messaging/PICH Communications Sustainability, MaineGeneral HRSA application; Senior Transportation and Neighbors Driving Neighbors pilot; Poverty Action Coalition; UWMM and Drug-Free Communities Grant recipients collaboration on ACEs/resiliency; Flu vaccination in schools

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 resources to complete some work identified by the DCC.

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District: Cumberland

Date: 9/17/2018

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<http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/mecdc/public-health-systems/lphd/district2/council-main.shtml>

Brief review of decisions and outcomes from Executive Committee and DCC meetings held since last SCC meeting:

Twenty-three people participated in the full Council meeting on July 20th, 2018. Emily Bartlett, Council Member and UNE MPH intern with the Council presented on a survey she had conducted of youth and childcare providers in Cumberland District about their awareness and application of the principles of Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs). Based on her findings, Emily recommended: strengthening training requirements, and support from employers for these; strengthening mandating for reporting; and improved community collaborations to address short and long-term needs of youth. Kristine Jenkins, Cumberland District Liaison reported on the results from an immigrant health assessment meeting that she and Heather Shattuck-Heidorn, State Refugee Health Coordinator had organized on July 25th in Portland. 50 participants took part in the meeting, representing a range of organizations and communities. The top priorities identified by participants were:

- 1) Policy/Advocacy (40 votes)**
- 2) Mental Health/Depression (24 votes)**
- 3) Representation and Empowerment (14 votes)**
- 4) Health Literacy (14 votes)**
- 5) Cultural Competency and Implicit Bias Trainings for Providers (13 votes)**

At the meeting, the Council formally agreed to align with Thrive 2027 collective impact plan and actions. Council Chair, Zoe Miller provided an update on the Council's work to identify priorities for July 2018- June 2019. Council priorities are:

- 1) Mental Health**
- 2) Adverse Childhood Experiences & Poverty**
- 3) Sexual Health**
- 4) Opioids & Substance Misuse (including tobacco)**
- 5) School Climate and Safety**

Cross-Cutting Considerations: Creating funding sources for CHOWs to do some work on these with immigrant and refugee communities.

Zoe reported that the Executive Committee had identified roles played by the Council as: Networking; Information Sharing; Coordinating and Connecting; Advocacy; Funding and Resource Development. The Council approved the EC's proposal to use the CDPHC's discretionary funding to hire a consultant to develop the Council's capacity for advocacy, and to create a communications plan. It was agreed that the EC would develop a Scope of Work (SOW) for the Consultant.

The CDPHC Executive Council met on September 7th.

The full Council will meet on September 21st, from 10am-12noon at Greater Portland Coalition of Governments (GPCOG) in Portland. There will be a presentations on statewide Maine Prevention Services Substance Use work and from local substance use prevention providers. September is National Suicide Prevention Month and Maine Suicide Prevention

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Program will present to the Council on its work.

Ongoing or upcoming projects or priority issues:

The Chair developed an SOW for the Consultant position that was discussed and approved by the EC and that will be presented at the next full Council meeting, on September 21st.

The Executive Committee has agreed to review the new funding opportunity from Maine CDC for implementation of district-level strategies related to the DPHIP. The District Liaison will work closely with members of the EC to identify strategies that would be appropriate for such funding, and these will be discussed at the September full Council meeting.

Progress with District Public Health Improvement Plan:

There was a final presentation to Council members of the results of the CDPHC priority-setting process at the July 20th full Council meeting.

Structural and Operational changes, including updates in membership:

N/A

In-district or multi-district collaborations:

The Cumberland District Liaison is participating in the Community Engagement Advisory Group for the Maine SCHNA, and is co-convening and facilitating the MeSCHNA forum planning group. EC members, Kristen Dow and CDPHC members Anne Lang (City of Portland) and Cathy Bean (VNA) are participating in the district-level MeSCHNA planning groups. Public forum dates and locations for Cumberland District are being shared with Council members, interested parties and others across the district.

Other topics of interest for SCC members:

Flu shots will be available at the September 21st Council meeting, courtesy of VNA.

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Template updated 03/2015 (CTG section removed)

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<p>Brief review of decisions and outcomes from Executive Committee and DCC meetings held since last SCC meeting. SCC meeting materials and general information can be found at http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/mecdc/public-health-systems/lphd/district7/council-main.shtml.</p> <p>District Public Health Council Meetings July 20, 2018 at the Moore Library in Steuben with twenty-two participants (sixteen in person and six by Adobe Connect). The agenda action items:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Youth Policy Group from Narraguagus HS presented an interactive activity on stereotypes and mental health issue.• Deeper Dive: Trauma and Its Impact on the Developing Child: Julie Redding of the Community Caring Collaborative presented a brief overview of ACES and introduced their Early Childhood Consultation and Outreach (ECCO) program.• District Public Health Priorities: Cancer Awareness Project addressed by Courtney Willey, our Hanley Intern; Prevention Services Substance Use: Doreen provided an overview of work plan and we heard from Healthy Acadia on local work. <p>2018 Meetings: 1/26, 3/16, 5/18, 7/20, 9/21 and 11/16</p> <p>Executive Committee Meetings August 24, 2018 by conference call</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Change in membership; Meredith Alexander, Community Initiative Manager, United Way of Eastern Maine.• CHNA update.• DEPHC One Pager was reviewed and accepted by the council.• The Council was provided with the current index of procedures currently created and discussed a way to get them reviewed by the council.• How to best go about the Council Coordinator's deliverable of a QI project was discussed.• Overview of DPHIP Priority Cancer work and proposed Cancer Elimination Plan.	

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September 11, 2018

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Ongoing or upcoming district projects or priority issues:

- Drug Treatment: Multiple partners collaborated to develop a hub and spoke model of a substance treatment center and connecting it to other services and primary care. The center opened in April 2018 in Ellsworth and offers medication assisted treatment.

Progress with District Public Health Improvement Plan:

- Cardiovascular Health
- Drug and Alcohol Use
- Mental Health
- Cancer==breast cancer screening ads in newspapers and radio running in Washington County; preparations for breast cancer awareness month in October.

Structural and Operational changes, including updates in membership:

- Lynn Dwelley is the new Director of Washington County EMA.
- Maria Donahue is the new SCC representative.

In-district or multi-district collaborations:

- Emergency Preparedness Committee will be coordinating health care emergency preparedness exercises across the two counties.

Maine Community Health Needs Assessment (Maine CHNA):

- Washington County Forums: Machias on 9/20 and Calais on 9/26.
- Hancock County Forum: Ellsworth on 10/30.

Questions/Comments for SCC:

Key points to share from Downeast Public Health Council Meetings:

- *How do our district priorities relate to our neighboring district's?*
- *Is there an opportunity for multiple districts to utilize resources to meet objectives of priorities?*

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District: Midcoast	Date: September 20, 2018
<p>Brief review of decisions and outcomes from Steering Committee and DCC meetings held since last SCC meeting.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Steering Committee continues to monitor the Shared Community Health Needs Assessment (SCHNA) process within the District. • Staff is working with the Steering Committee on its annual membership gap analysis and identification of potential Council members. • At the September 18th DCC meeting Rachel Keefe, the Midcoast District Epidemiologist, provided us with an overview of her responsibilities and a summary of reportable diseases in the Midcoast District. We also heard Prevention Service grant updates from the Substance Use and Tobacco Prevention Services vendors. 	
<p>Ongoing or upcoming projects or priority issues:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public Health Districts have been notified about funding through the Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant (PHHSBG) in the amount of up to \$3700.00 per district. The Council Coordinator and District Liaison are working with the Council’s oversight committees to identify a strategy from the District Public Health Improvement Plan (DPHIP). Applications for the funding will have to propose work that falls under that strategy. 	
<p>Progress with District Public Health Improvement Plan:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Elevated Lead Levels Oversight Committee continues to work with a pediatrician in Knox to begin capillary testing at checkups rather than referring patients to a lab for a blood draw, cutting down on the steps that patients need to take to get test results. If efforts in Knox County are successful, the Committee will extend the strategy to other providers in the District, beginning in Waldo County. • The Obesity Oversight Committee is working to ensure that outdoor recreation opportunities, trails, events, and activities are compiled in a single database so that people can access resources near them. They decided to use an existing resource, Maine Trail Finder, and cross check with other lists to ensure that it covers all available outdoor opportunities in the District. 	

- The Mental Health Oversight Committee convened a panel of professionals at the June DCC meeting to discuss social isolation and mental health in adults. They are currently following up with speakers to determine how the Council can best affect change.

Structural and operational changes, including updates in membership:

- No changes in structure or membership since the last SCC report.

In-district or multi-district collaborations:

- On Tuesday, September 4, 2018, Midcoast Transportation, a branch of the Waldo Community Action Partners, held an official grand opening of its Rockland Downtown Area Shuttle (DASH) service. DASH began running in May and provides public transportation in the Rockland area on weekdays. District staff has participated in the Transportation Area Work Groups planning process, which began in November 2017.
- In June, Maine CDC Public Health Emergency Preparedness staff, the Waldo County Emergency Management Agency Director, and the District Liaison met with the Executive Director of the Waldo County Points of Dispensing (POD) site to update the POD plan for the location. POD plans are being updated throughout the District, with the goal of beginning Tabletop Exercises as part of the preparedness process.



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District: Penquis	Date: September 20, 2018
<p>Brief review of decisions and outcomes from Steering Committee and DCC meetings held since last SCC meeting.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Steering Committee is engaged in Shared Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA) planning, a possible collaboration with Food and Medicine’s Bangor Food Council, and how to utilize the incoming DCC funding. • The September DCC meeting featured presentations on progress of the Prevention Services grants in the District from Doreen Fournier with Maine Substance Use Prevention Services and Kristen McAuley with Maine Tobacco Prevention Services. • Presentation on vaping by Kristen McAuley 	
<p>Ongoing or upcoming projects or priority issues:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Council Coordinator and District Liaison continue work on Council governance, membership, communications plan, and policies/procedures. 	
<p>Progress with District Public Health Improvement Plan:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phoebe Downer, the council coordinator, is continuing Nicole King’s work on an eco-map on food insecurity in the district. The map shows connections between food security resources in the district and is intended to be a tool for the council and stakeholders to assess resources in the district, gaps in services, promising practices, and potential connections between organizations. • Steering Committee is reviewing the opportunity to award \$3700 to a district partner to do work in behavioral health or poverty. 	
<p>Structural and operational changes, including updates in membership:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chris Muffet, the new COO at Health Access Network, is joining the Steering Committee and council. Meredith Alexander, Community Initiative Manager, United Way of Eastern Maine, is joining the Steering Committee and the council. 	
<p>In-district or multi-district collaborations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bangor Livable Communities • Prevention Service Grant: Maine CDC • Community Health Leadership Board, Greater Bangor • Thriving in Place (MeHAF Grant Initiative), Millinocket, Old Town, Orono, Veazie, Dover-Foxcroft • Health Communities (MeHAF Grant Initiative), Dover-Foxcroft, Bangor • Save-a-Life Coalition in the greater Lincoln Region • Substance abuse HRSA Planning Grant: Health Access Network, Lincoln • Helping Hands with Heart 	

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District: Western

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Brief review of decisions and outcomes from Executive Committee and DCC meetings held since last SCC meeting:

6/29/2018 DCC Meeting:

Logo Conversation:

The public health district websites are being updated, and the new websites will include district logos. Most districts already have a logo, either specially designed for their district or one that incorporates the NACCHO logo. The Western district didn't have a logo, so one was created for the website. It incorporates the NACCHO logo with "Western District" written across the top. It can be adopted by the DCC or used until a different one is designed and approved. Jamie will send it out to DCC members and request feedback. The new website is nearly ready; Jamie will notify DCC members and send a link when it is ready.

Document Distribution Q&A:

With the DCC's move from monthly to quarterly meetings, we want to be more efficient with time at the DCC meetings. "Document Distribution Q&A" will be a standing agenda item for DCC meetings, with informational documents (preventative health services reports, etc.) distributed with the agenda and other meeting materials. DCC members are asked to review prior to the meeting and bring any questions they may have for discussion at the meeting.

Communication Plan Document Review:

The Western district previously started creating a communication plan in order to provide clear and understandable information to DCC members, partners and the community at large (both for emergencies and non-emergencies). The DCC has already developed and approved an organizational document that lists ~~out~~ types of internal and external communications to be included in the communication plan.

The Steering Committee has ~~now~~ started defining protocols for each type of communication in the plan. The council coordinators are working as a team to create protocols which will be brought to Steering Committees and the DCCs to review, revise, and adopt. The goal is to produce a process manual for each district that will guide all district communications. The first protocol, "Letters of Support", was distributed with the meeting agenda. DCC members are asked to review and send any comments to Jamie. Subsequent protocols will be brought to each DCC meeting for review and approval.

DCC Discussion:

The group started the conversation about the current DCC structure and the activities it should undertake in order to meet its mission. Discussion points are as below:

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- Place most recent DPHIP priorities on flip charts for review, discussion and prioritization at DCC meeting.
- Review current priorities in light of new data (which is due out shortly) and results of statewide CHNA process in October.
- Align strategies with other districts and SCC so that all are working on same priorities and headed in same direction.
- Acknowledge that this year's change in administration may mean changes in available funding for projects.
- Create a strategic plan with priorities to be worked on regardless of funding.
- Form a workgroup to document the great work the district is doing and tell our story. Shawn will organize a small workgroup (2 people from each county); Jamie/Karen to assist with logistical support.
- The Steering Committee is still looking for an Androscoggin County rep. Shawn will discuss with Christine Hufnagel.
- Will plan to review new data at next DCC meeting, scheduled for September 14th in Lewiston. If the data is not available in time for that meeting, it will be rescheduled to October.

9/14/2018 DCC Meeting:

1. Updates:

- a. River ~~valley~~-Valley has hired a new Executive Director who will start in October.
- b. Erin gave an update on CHNA forums. Health Androscoggin has their annual meeting on November 8th.
- c. Lori: talked about preparing for the CHNA and MYAN survey
- d. Shawn: Community Concepts hosted a community event to help in introduction of services and collaboration.
- e. Jim: Has a new SNAP ED educator, ~~healthy-Healthy oxford-Oxford hills-Hills in-is~~ now covering the whole county for SNAP ED. A new substance use prevention coordinator has been hired, who has a background in substance use treatment.
- f. ME CDC: Provided a flu update, and a vector borne disease update.

2. Deepening Connections:

- a. What made you happy in the past 48 hours.
 - i. Shawn has a new grandson, Jackson
 - ii. Allie was able to have some time to herself after a busy start to the school year.
 - iii. Erin had a touching moment with her daughter
 - iv. Jim's mother passed away last Monday. She was 90 years old. He started how much of a gift the past few months before had been, and she was not in pain when she went.
 - v. Lori was excited to fix her dryer.

3. DCC Funding Discussion:

- a. Provided information on the funding, ie. MCD as fiscal agent, dates of contract, etc
- b. Shawn: would like to utilize the funding.
- c. Jim: would also like to utilize the funding.

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- d. Erin: would like to use the funding, but worried ~~their~~there might be takers, or have enough people without a conflict of interest.
- e. Shawn ~~suggesting~~suggested using college students to be evaluators.
- f. Erin: suggested having Jamie ask for interested parties to evaluate to ~~see if you could~~ come up with a committee.

4.—Erin: put forward a motion to have Jamie recruit at least 3 people to serve on a committee, then the RFP will be released. This was supporteded by all in attendance.

Ongoing or upcoming projects or priority issues:

The Community Health Needs Assessments have involved many DCC partners' collaboration as part of planning committees over the past months.

Progress with District Public Health Improvement Plan:

Ongoing discussions have been difficult due to loss of funding. New discussions are happening around funding opportunity.

Structural and Operational changes, including updates in membership:

Seeking district representative for Androscoggin county

In-district or multi-district collaborations:

Other topics of interest for SCC members:

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Brief review of decisions and outcomes from Executive Committee and DCC meetings held since last SCC meeting:

The Executive Committee continues to meet regularly.

The council just is busy planning for the September 27th Shared CHNA forums to be held at York County Community College and Saco City Hall. If you would like more information please reach out to either Betsy Kelly to Adam Hartwig.

Kristen McAuley of Mainehealth presented to council members and interested parties on Vaping. This training included data and the current climate around use. This was well attended and well received meeting.

Ongoing or upcoming projects or priority issues:

The DCC is also working on election of new officers, Betsy Kelly was reelected to her position of DCC Representative to the SCC. Sarah Breul and Clay Graybeal PhD. Both of UNE are up for reelection as Co-Chair and Chair as well.

Recently we completed an attendance tracking and sector representation project. Council members were asked to reaffirm their commitment to serve. Also, we are looking for new representation for selected sectors.

The council is also working on RFP development around the funds ME CDC has made available for DPHIP Objectives. The DCC will continue to use these funds to future progress on Oral Health initiatives.

Progress with District Public Health Improvement Plan:

Substance Misuse:

- Working group for Drug Free Community grantees and recipients of Manie Prevention Services funding continues to talk about workplans and goals for 2018 to try an align efforts.

Physical Nutrition and Obesity:

- The York County Physical Activity Guide is continuing to be updated and should be uploaded to the ME CDC York webpage in the next few weeks.

Oral Health:

- Working to develop and RFP to refund this objective.

Structural and Operational changes, including updates in membership:

Jon Stimmell of Great Bay Services has agreed to join the More Healthy More Happy work group. This was formerly know as the obesity task force. Jon will help us ensure we are also inclusive of those with developmental disabilities in our work.

Jackie Tselikis RN a long-standing member of our executive committee and council members has stepped down. The Council would like to thank Jackie for her years of dedication and hard work. She was an asset and conduit to schools in Maine.

In-district or multi-district collaborations:

Other topics of interest for SCC members:

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- (2) Ensure that the national goals and strategies for health in tribal lands and the tribal district health goals and strategies are aligned and that tribal district health goals and strategies are appropriately tailored for each tribe and tribal health department or health clinic