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| Membership Total (30) | **Chair:** Alina Soto, Department of Children and Families  
Juliet SanJuan, Connect Familias  
Monica Gonzalez, Epilepsy Foundation  
Yasmin Dias Guichot, Health Foundation South Florida  
Valerie Turner, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade  
Patricia Sherrill, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade  
Missia Escobar, Simply Healthcare  
Kenneth Soler, City of Hialeah  
Johanne PetitJeune, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade  
Aileen Saraceno, Prestige Health Choice  
Esther McCant, Metro Mommy Agency  
Christina Sudduth, Mailman Center  
Deborah Billings, Kristi House  
Gina Gonzalez, Anthem  
Nancy Vazquez, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade  
Arlene Bouzo, MDPROS Parks and Disability  
Rosemarie Caro, Spring of Life  
Francesca Belluomim, FCAAC  
Helen Figueredo, Providence Healthcare  
Grace Giraldo, Well Care  
Maybell Perez, UF Hialeah Dental  
Arielle Ashkenazi, United Way  
Andrea Catalina Silva, WIC  
Natalia Cap, Healthy Start Coalition of Miami-Dade  
Pricilla Oprandi, Nicklaus/TCT-School of Health  
Tenesha Avant, Health Council of South Florida  
Betty Alonso, Connect Familias  
Suecia Mendez, Sunshine Health |
**CONSORTIUM FOR A HEALTHIER MIAMI-DADE**  
Children Issues Committee Meeting  
Friday, April 20th, 2018  
9:30am-11:30am EST

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<th><strong>Via Conference Call:</strong></th>
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<th><strong>Welcome and Introductions</strong></th>
<th>The monthly meeting of the Consortium for a Healthier Miami-Dade Children Issues Committee was brought to order by Dr. Valerie Turner. All members were welcomed and introduced themselves.</th>
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<th><strong>Approval of Minutes</strong></th>
<th>There was a motion to approve the February 2018 Children Issues minutes by May Perez; the motion was seconded by Helen Figueredo.</th>
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| **Subcommittee and Workgroup Updates** | Dr. Valerie Turner provided the Executive Board update:  
- The Board discussed the sustainability of the Consortium to support all work and initiatives.  
- The Board is working on the creation of a sustainability plan that is scheduled to be completed and reviewed in May.  

Esther McCant provided the Healthy Baby Taskforce update:  
- The purpose of the taskforce is to help mothers, fathers, and families to be as healthy as possible. |
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| **Presentation** | Dr. Valerie Turner provided the Consortium Speakers Bureau Template/ Website presentation. The following was discussed:  
- How to sign up to become a speaker.  
- Review of the speaker’s PowerPoint presentation template.  
- Review of the speaker’s request form.  
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<th><strong>Presentation</strong></th>
<th>Maria Montalvan with the Epilepsy Foundation of Florida provided information pertaining to Epilepsy: Definition, potential causes, types, and what to do or not do when encountering a person experiencing a seizure.</th>
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### Work Plan Review/Discussion

Indicator: Implement community obesity prevention services guided by December 31, 2018. The survey and cover letter have been finalized and will be sent to committee members to share with the community to learn what services are currently provided to help those with unhealthy weight issues.

Indicator: Appear at local commissioner and municipalities and government assemblies and targeted communities by December 31, 2018 – This subtask group is managed by Alfie Leon. He will report at the next meeting.

Indicator: Educate childcare center food vendors to facilitate process of implementing healthier food choices by December 31, 2018 – The annual childcare center food vendors meeting will be attended to discuss offering healthier food options.

### Previous Action Item

A continued discussion of Human Trafficking was addressed with the intention of raising awareness and obtaining the tools needed to tackle this issue within our community.

### Committee Partner Updates

Committee members were able to briefly announce their current work/initiatives/projects:

- Disability Fair, April 26
- Miami-Dade Maternal Mental Health Symposium, May 3 @ Jackson Memorial Hospital
- Walk the Talk for Epilepsy, May 5 @ Tropical Park
- Breastfeeding Awareness Walk, August 4 @ Tropical Park
- Harvest Festival, October 20

### Adjournment

The next meeting will be held on **Friday, May 18th, 2018 at Beacon Center, 8323 NW 12th Street, Suite 212, Conference Room, Doral, FL 33126.**