



**CONSORTIUM FOR A HEALTHIER MIAMI-DADE**  
 Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Committee Meeting  
 Tuesday, July 17th, 2018  
 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM



TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION NEEDED
Membership Total (13)	<p><b><u>Vice-Chair:</u></b> Teri Arvesu, Miami-Dade County            Melissa Maytin, Florida Department of Health            Beatriz Pola, Florida Department of Health (Intern)            Amie Jacobitti, Healthy Schools LLC.            Mayra Garcia, Florida Department of Health            Arielle Ashkenazi, United Way            Maria E. Toruno, Prime Health            Priscilla Martin, Prime Health            Solina Rulfs, University of Florida/FNP            Monica Gonzalez, Epilepsy Foundation            Monica Dawkins, University of Florida/FNP</p> <p><b><u>Teleconference</u></b>            Cristina Brito, United Way            Herman Edwards, Jessie Trice Community Health Center</p>	
Welcome and Introductions	The Consortium for a Healthier Miami-Dade Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Committee meeting was brought to order by Teri Arvesu at 2:05 pm. All members were welcomed and introduced themselves.	
Approval of Minutes	There was a motion to approve the June 2018 Health Promotion and Disease Prevention minutes by Teri Arvesu; the motion was seconded by Amie Jacobitti.	
Executive Board Updates	Teri Arvesu (Miami-Dade County) provided the following updates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The Executive Board had a presentation from the Health Council of South Florida on a variety of health indicators.</li> <li>▪ The Consortium Annual Event will be happening on Friday, October 14<sup>th</sup> at the Rusty Pelican. Sponsorship packages are available, please contact Leyanee Perez at: <a href="mailto:lp7777@msn.com">lp7777@msn.com</a></li> </ul>	
Work Plan Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The committee identified an initiative where HPDP can engage in to address chronic disease rates in Miami-Dade County.               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– The committee continued their previous discussion regarding various projects that</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

	<p>they could engage in to meet this indicator.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– The committee decided on hosting a “Resource Fair” at the Stephen P. Clark Government Center.</li> <li>– Various dates were discussed, but the committee decided on Wednesday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2018 from 10am-2pm. Teri Arvesu (Co-chair) will confirm if the location is available on this date.</li> <li>– Teri Arvesu (Co-Chair) will also explore the possibility of having a “Health Promotion” key message on the digital boards and trains at the center.</li> <li>– Various committee members expressed an interest in participating in the Resource Fair. Melissa Maytin (Liaison) will contact these members and confirm their participation as well as request their logos for the flyer.</li> <li>– The committee will still meet for their regular meeting on Tuesday, October 16<sup>th</sup> since a presentation from the Epilepsy Foundation has already been confirmed.</li> <li>▪ The committee identified community activities that can leverage HPDP efforts             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– The 7th Annual Breastfeeding Awareness Walk is taking place on August 4th at Tropical Park. For more information, visit: <a href="http://www.7thannualbfwalk.eventbrite.com">www.7thannualbfwalk.eventbrite.com</a></li> <li>– The 2018 DOH-Miami Dade Community Partner Fair &amp; Conference will be taking place on Friday, October 19<sup>th</sup> at the Miami Airport Convention Center. If your organization is interested in participating, please contact: <a href="mailto:DOHMiamiDadeOutreach@flhealth.gov">DOHMiamiDadeOutreach@flhealth.gov</a></li> <li>– Commissioner Martinez is spearheading a health fair on August 4th at Fuchs Park.</li> <li>– On Saturday, July 28<sup>th</sup> Commissioner Keon Hardemon will be hosting a Back to School Health Fair at Charles Hadley Park.</li> <li>– On Saturday, July 28<sup>th</sup> the Florida Kidcare Coalition of Miami-Dade County will be hosting Back to School Health Fair at the Joe Celestin Center.</li> <li>– The Lotus Village will be opening a new clinic with Jessie Trice on August 11<sup>th</sup> and the community is invited to join from 12pm-5pm. It is located at 217 NW15th St. Overtown.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
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<p>Workgroup Updates</p>	<p><b><u>Journey to Wellness Rx Green Prescription</u></b>        Mayra Garcia (Florida Department of Health) provided the following update:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Green Prescriptions are a free resource for organizations and are available in three languages (English Spanish, Creole). If your organization is interested in partnering and distributing Green Prescriptions, please contact Melissa Maytin at <a href="mailto:Melissa.Maytin@flhealth.gov">Melissa.Maytin@flhealth.gov</a>.</li> <li>▪ The Health &amp; Wellness Center in Liberty City at the Frederica Wilson and Juanita Mann Health Center continues to provide free biometric screenings to the community. The Health &amp; Wellness is open every Monday from 9:00am-3:00pm and the first and third Saturday of the month from 8:30am-2:00pm.</li> </ul>	
<p>Partner Updates and Upcoming Events</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade County is conducting a Wellbeing Survey and is asking Miami-Dade County residents to participate. The survey addresses various areas about the quality of life in your neighborhood and takes approximately 15 minutes. The survey can be accessed at: <a href="http://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MDCWellbeing">www.surveymonkey.com/r/MDCWellbeing</a></li> <li>▪ UF/Family Nutrition Program is federally funded to teach free nutrition education curriculums throughout the county to parents and children as well as food demonstrations. Classes are offered in English, Spanish, and Creole. For more information, visit: <a href="http://www.miami-dade.ifas.ufl.edu">www.miami-dade.ifas.ufl.edu</a></li> <li>▪ There will be two presentations at the next Elder Issues Committee meeting: CMS (Medicare/Medicaid management) and Solina Rulfs of the UF Expanded Food and Nutrition Program.</li> <li>▪ Healthy Schools LLC, provides free flu shots to students in schools. Parents can register their children to receive a flu shot at school at: <a href="http://www.fight.miamidadeflu.com">www.fight.miamidadeflu.com</a></li> <li>▪ Through a grant the Epilepsy Foundation hosted an 8-week art program for adults with epilepsy. They are currently looking for a space that can be used for approximately 3 hours every 2 weeks for approximately 10 participants.</li> <li>▪ Prime Health is a new company (7 years old). Their central office is on 8th street and 147th Ave. Prime health takes care of billing and coding for their affiliated providers. They have recently started a Chronic Care Management program that Medicare pays for.</li> </ul>	



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Adjournment	The next meeting will be held on <b>Tuesday, August 21st, 2018 at Beacon Center – 8323 NW 12st Suite 212 Conference room Miami, FL 33126.</b> The meeting was adjourned at 3:25 PM	