

CONSORTIUM FOR A HEALTHIER MIAMI-DADE
Children Issues Committee – Healthy Baby Taskforce Meeting
Friday, February 19, 2021
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TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION NEEDED
Membership Total (16)	<p><u>Virtual Skype Meeting</u></p> <p>Tenesha Avent, Health Council of South Florida (Co-Chair) Esther McCant, Metro Mommy Agency (Co-Chair) Heather Baker, Healthy Start Coalition of Miami-Dade Lacy Boyles, AHA Lourdes Castaneda, UM AHEC Melissa Howard, FIU Leah Jayanetti, ICU Baby Cynthia Lebron, UM Cheryl Lorie, WIC Suecia Mendez, Sunshine Health Islamiyat Adebisi, Florida Department of Health in Miami Dade Monica FilsAime, Florida Department of Health in Miami Dade Bryanna McDaniel, Florida Department of Health in Miami Dade Candice Schottenloher, Florida Department of Health in Miami Dade Valerie Turner, Florida Department of Health in Miami Dade Lashawnda Williams, Miami-Dade County CAHSD</p>	
Welcome and Introductions	The February monthly meeting of the Consortium for a Healthier Miami-Dade Children Issues sub-committee (Healthy Baby Taskforce) was brought to order by Tenesha Avent at 12:31 p.m. All members were welcomed and introduced themselves.	
Approval of Minutes	There was a motion to approve the January 2021 Healthy Baby Taskforce meeting minutes by Candice Schottenloher, the motion was seconded by Suecia Mendez.	
Previous Action Items HBT Social Media Toolkit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Taskforce during the February meeting reviewed the draft of the Healthy Baby Taskforce <i>Pregnancy and Beyond: A Social Media Toolkit</i>. This draft document included the recommendations from the January meeting. - The Taskforce partners reviewed the recommendations from the January meeting. These included the following: 1.) Updated the getting tested link from a local resource to a more national resource. 2.) Reviewed the key terms section specifically highlighting BIPOC, peer counselor, SIDS and SUIDs. 3.) Shared the second social media posts under the Tobacco Cessation and Education section 	

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Work Plan Discussion	<p>was hyperlinked. 4.) The recommendation to include mother as birthing parent and/ or women of color to be more inclusive was included throughout the toolkit.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Taskforce reviewed the <i>Breastfeeding</i> section of the toolkit. It was recommended for this section to include a social media post related to Baby Friendly Hospitals and to include a post related to the WIC helpline. - The new subsection <i>Pumping at Work</i> of the toolkit was reviewed too. It was recommended to include an informative and positive social media post related to breastfeeding rights while at work. - It was also noted to include a note under the <i>Baby's Health and Safety</i> section to include a short note to refer the readers of the toolkit to information related to COVID-19 to page 27. - Under <i>Health Education</i> for the <i>Mental Health</i> subsection it was recommended to include an actionable national support resource too. - Lastly, the Taskforce members had a robust discussion on the <i>Additional Resources</i> section of the toolkit to update this section to an easy to understand format for the community to refer too. The points recommended during this discussion will be included and updated in the draft of the toolkit to have members review at the March meeting. - After the meeting, the liaison will share the current draft of the toolkit. A deadline was set to have all feedback submitted by Friday, February 26, 2021. This feedback will be included in the toolkit and shared at the March 2021 meeting for approval to begin to disseminate into the community. - Tenesha Avent reviewed briefly the 2020-2021 Work Plan with the Taskforce. An overview of the Taskforce Work Plan was shared with the members. - During the January meeting, we encouraged new members to become a part of the reporting process. - A friendly reminder was shared with the Taskforce members about the next reporting period will include the time frame of January 1 – March 31st, 2020. - An announcement was shared to submit your reporting to Candice Schottenloher, He no later than Wednesday, April 7th, 2021. This report will be submitted to the state by April 15, 2021. - Tenesha Avent shared with the Taskforce partners on how the group wants to continue to invite new partners to join and work with the Taskforce this year. A reminder was shared to continue to invite them to our meetings and to continue to build those relationships with hospital systems, universities, and physicians to work as a network to decrease infant mortality and increase breastfeeding rates. 	
Collective Impact & Building Partnerships Discussion		
New Business		
Preconception Health Conversation	The Healthy Baby Taskforce moved the Preconception Health Conversation agenda item to be discussed during the March Taskforce meeting. The Taskforce wanted to ensure there was enough time for this important conversation.	

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Partner Updates	<p>Taskforce members were able to briefly share an update on their current work/initiatives/projects.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - DOH-Miami-Dade STD/HIV Program: An update was provided by Monica FilsAime. She shared an update on their partnership with Jackson South and Jackson main hospital working together to provide syphilis screenings to pregnant women and women of childbearing age. - DOH-Miami-Dade Tobacco Prevention and Control Program: An update was provided by Islamiyat Nancy Adebisi. She shared if you are interested in resources related to tobacco cessation to contact her for more information. - DOH-Miami-Dade WIC: An update was provided by Cheryl Lorie. She shared WIC is fully operational. All WIC units are open as well as virtual services too. She also shared future updates will be shared on behalf of the breastfeeding quality improvement project as well as starting to plan for the virtual breastfeeding latch on event that will be in August. She also shared they are working together on a virtual support group with Live Healthy Miami Gardens for February 26, 2021. - Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade County: Candice Schottenloher and Valerie Turner provided an update to the committee. The updated COVID-19 Testing & Vaccine Community List will be shared via email. The COVID-19 Vaccine Link Information was shared http://www.miamidade.gov/vaccine and the Know Before You Go & Vaccine Site Locator link was shared: https://floridahealthcovid19.gov/vaccines/vaccine-locator/. A few other updates were shared below too. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For those interested in receiving <i>Count the Kicks</i> educational materials to share at health fairs or community events, please reach out to Candice Schottenloher at (786) 732-8855 or via email at Candice.Schottenloher@flhealth.gov to arrange pick up for these materials. We have brochures, app cards, and posters available in English, Spanish, and Creole. • The Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade County's Office of Community Health and Planning will be hosting a webinar titled <i>Nutrition and Your Heart</i> on Wednesday, February 24, 2021, at 2:00 p.m. Please register here. - Florida International University: An update was provided by Dr. Melissa Howard. She shared about her role as a faculty advisory and working with master level students in the Maternal and Child Health field. She also shared about how she is in search and connecting students with opportunities to provide them with trainings like mentorships or practicums. - Healthy Start Coalition of Miami-Dade (HSCMD): An update was shared by Heather Baker. She shared the HSCMD will have a weekly radio show, Connect with Healthy Start: Pregnancy, Babies, and Beyond, Fridays at 1:15 pm on Gospel 1490 AM-WMBM, that will run through April 23, 2021. On Friday, February 19, 2021, Esther McCant will be a guest speaker and will discuss Count the Kicks. 	Send partner updates email.
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ICU Baby: An update was provided by Leah Jayanetti. She shared ICU baby designated the month of March as NICU Sibling Appreciation Month. She also shared in June there will be a special focus on skin-to-skin care. They are also currently look for a perinatal loss coordinator for Florida. Lastly, there will be much more focus on health disparities with the health education that is shared. - Jessie Trice Community Health System: An update was shared by KeTia Harris. She shared on Friday, February 26th, 2021 at 3 p.m. Jessie Trice will be hosting a virtual Social Hour peer counselor group. The Breastfeeding Masterclass will resume on the 4th Tuesday of each month at 3p.m. On Tuesday, March 23rd, 2021, Live Healthy Miami Gardens (LHMG) will host a Facebook Live event with Ambetter Health. Please visit here: www.facebook.com/livehealthymg. For any questions, please contact KeTia Harris via email at ksharris@jtchs.org or via phone at 786-322-6442. - March of Dimes: An update was provided by Tenesha Avent. She shared her organization is currently working on their strategic plan and evaluating data related to low birth weight and pre-term births. More details will be shared at a later date. - Metro Mommy Agency: An update was shared by Esther McCant. She shared an update that Jackson has welcomed back labor support personnel back into their facilities. She shared that she is currently providing virtual doula support and is looking to start a new doula cohort soon. She also provided a successful update on a Facebook Live event that she hosted with the Jasmine Project on Thursday, February 18, 2021. - Sunshine Health: An update was shared by Suecia Mendez. She shared Sunshine Health/Ambetter is available to participate in Facebook Live events with community partners to share about special open enrollment periods for Marketplace. She also shared on February 23rd they will be discussing safe sleep with LHMG. Please contact Suecia for more information via email at supadilla@centene.com. - University of Miami: An update was provided by Cynthia Lebron. She shared she is currently working on a GIS mapping research analysis project related to where Baby Friendly hospitals are located throughout the county. She will share more as the data becomes available from the research. - University of Miami Area Health Education Center: Lourdes Castaneda provided an an update and shared flyers for the Tobacco Free Florida (TFF) Virtual Classes both in English and Spanish. For more information, please Contact Lourdes Castaneda at lqc2@med.miami.edu. 	
Adjournment	The meeting was adjourned at 1:37 p.m. The next Healthy Baby Taskforce virtual meeting is scheduled for Friday, March 19, 2021 from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. via the Go To Meeting platform.	