



**CONSORTIUM FOR A HEALTHIER MIAMI-DADE**

Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Committee Meeting  
 Tuesday, March 16th, 2021  
 2:00 PM – 3:30 PM



TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION NEEDED
Membership Total (28)	<p><b>Chair:</b> Leyanee Perez, Nicklaus Children’s Hospital  <b>Co-Chair:</b> Teri Busse-Arvesu, Miami-Dade County            Aida Ramon, Miami-Dade AHEC            Ailin Rodriguez, Banyan Community Health Center            Aja Monique Scott, University of Miami            Alicia Betancourth, Florida Department of Health            Amber Graham, Miami-Dade County Public School System            Andrea Catalina Silva, Florida Department of Health            Beth Ruhmann, Baptist Health            Brianne Miller, Miami-Dade AHEC            Danielle Lankford, no organization listed            Dr. Imelda Medina, Familias Unidas International, Inc.            Emilia Solano, YMCA of South Florida            Gloria Orlandi-Kass, Alzheimer’s Association            Hillary Gale, Feeding South Florida            Isabel Perez-Morina, Advocate Program Inc.            Lacy Boyles, American Heart Association            Marta Salazar, AIDS Healthcare Foundation            Mayra Garcia, Florida Department of Health            Melissa Maytin, Florida Department of Health            Mercedes Blanco, Florida Department of Health            Michelle Collins, Epilepsy Florida            Michelle Fundora, Health Choice Network            Monique Davis Bain, Miami-Dade County            Rachel A. Biderman, University of Florida            Sandra Echeverry, Florida Department of Health            Susan Holtzman, Miami-Dade County, Office of the Mayor            Virginia Munoz, Florida Department of Health</p>	



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Welcome and Introductions	The Consortium for a Healthier Miami-Dade Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Committee meeting was brought to order by Teri Busse-Arvesu at 2:00pm.	
Approval of Minutes	There was a motion to approve the February 2021 Health Promotion and Disease Prevention minutes by Leyanee Perez; the motion was seconded by Teri Busse-Arvesu.	
Executive Board Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The Executive Board discussed the Consortium’s Annual Event that will take place on October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021.</li> <li>▪ The Executive Board discussed the Journey to Wellness Rx prescriptions and ways to expand the initiative.</li> </ul>	
Presentation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ “Overview: Feeding South Florida” by Hillary Gale. The presentation provided an overview of Feeding South Florida, services, and resources.</li> </ul>	
Work Plan Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ By September 30, 2024 the committee will work to identify local partners to identify community needs.             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The committee identified ways to partner with Feeding South Florida to address food insecurity.</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ By September 30, 2024, the committee will work with host at least 1 mental health forum.             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The Mental Health Forum will take place on Tuesday, May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021 from 2-4pm.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
Recognition of Improved Performance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ By September 30, 2024 the committee will work to host a presenter at an HPDP meeting from the Homeless Trust.             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The committee had the presentation during their February committee meeting.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
Partner Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The Miami-Dade AHEC is continuing with their Healthy Brain Initiative. They developed a needs assessment survey to assess how much the community knows about dementia and being dementia friendly. The link to the survey is: <a href="https://miamidadeahec.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_2bfZJvegXUqfzcG">https://miamidadeahec.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_2bfZJvegXUqfzcG</a></li> <li>▪ The Alzheimer’s Association provides care and support. Last week they had a virtual forum. They have a 24/7 helpline and continue providing their services virtually. These include support groups for family caregivers and support groups for people with early stage Alzheimer’s. They also offer live and on-demand education programs.</li> <li>▪ The Thrive305 Initiative survey had 27,000 responses. The next step is Civic Week from April 10<sup>th</sup>-April 15<sup>th</sup>. There will be different virtual sessions to review the survey results as well as civic education.</li> </ul>	



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The Elder Issues Committee created an Alzheimer’s and Related Dementias Community Resource Tool. The Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Committee helped translate the document to Spanish. The document is now available in English, Spanish, and Haitian Creole. The tool was sent out to all Consortium members via email and can also be found at: <a href="http://www.healthymiamidade.org">www.healthymiamidade.org</a></li> <li>▪ Florida residents can access the Florida-Division of Emergency Management Vaccination Preregistration System by calling the phone number 888-499-0840 / 888-256-8918 (TTY) or going online at <a href="https://myvaccine.fl.gov/">https://myvaccine.fl.gov/</a>. Residents can also visit <a href="http://www.miamidade.gov">www.miamidade.gov</a> for more information.</li> <li>▪ Visit the Florida Department of Health’s COVID-19 webpage: <a href="https://floridahealthcovid19.gov/">https://floridahealthcovid19.gov/</a> to look-up vaccination and community-based testing sites &amp; other COVID-19 resources (English, Spanish, Haitian Creole).</li> <li>▪ Florida Department of Health’s COVID-19 Call Center available 24/7   1 (866) 779-6121   email COVID-19@flhealth.gov for questions related to COVID-19 in Florida.</li> <li>▪ NAMI is having a virtual walkathon on May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2021. They are in the process of forming teams. If you are interested in forming a team, contact Teri Busse-Arvesu.</li> <li>▪ The Journey to Wellness Rx is a non-pharmaceutical prescription that encourages physical activity and healthy living to help with weight and chronic disease management. Established in 2016 by the Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade, Office of Community Health &amp; Planning, the prescriptions are designed for use with the public; providers can administer a prescription to any client who is receiving a direct service. For additional information, visit: <a href="https://www.healthymiamidade.org/journey-to-wellness-rx/">https://www.healthymiamidade.org/journey-to-wellness-rx/</a>. To request a free supply of prescription pads, visit: <a href="https://www.healthymiamidade.org/journey-to-wellness-rx-green-prescription-request-form/">https://www.healthymiamidade.org/journey-to-wellness-rx-green-prescription-request-form/</a>.</li> </ul>	
Adjournment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The next meeting will be held on <b>Tuesday, April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2021 virtually</b>. The meeting was adjourned at 3:05 PM</li> </ul>	