

Oral Health Advisory Committee Meeting
Hosted By: Healthy House within a MATCH Coalition
 Meeting Minutes
 Friday Aug 21, 2020 | 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM

<p>Attendance</p>	<p>Belle Vallador, <i>Healthy House</i> Nai Saechao, <i>Healthy House</i> Anna Tai Owens, <i>Healthy House</i> Ileisha Sanders, <i>MCDPH</i> Maria Vasquez, <i>MCDPH</i> Matthew Jacob, <i>Consultant</i></p>	<p>Harman Chauhan, <i>UC Merced</i> Chris Butler, <i>UC Merced</i> Salvador Vasquez, <i>MCOE</i> Stephanie Russell, <i>MCDPH</i> Catherine Arguelles, <i>SmileCA</i> Elizabeth Navarro, <i>SmileCA</i></p>	<p>Eric Cheung, <i>Atwater Family Dental</i> Karen Lopez-Conde, <i>Merced County</i> Ericka Peterson, <i>MCOE Head Start</i> Rinku Badwalz, <i>Pearl Family Dentistry</i></p>
<p align="center">Agenda Item</p>	<p align="center">Discussion</p>		
<p>Welcomes & Introductions Belle Vallador, <i>Healthy House</i></p>	<p>Healthy House called to order the Oral Health Advisory Committee Meeting at 9:00 AM via Zoom.</p>		
<p>Culturally Responsive Approaches Belle Vallador, <i>Healthy House</i> Harman Chauhan, <i>UC Merced</i></p>	<p>Introduction of graduate student, Harman Chauhan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Punjabi communities have a need for oral health education/care ● Need education on why it is necessary and material is tailored to community - language access ● Lack of access to oral health care 		
<p>Oral Health Program Updates Ileisha Sanders, <i>Merced County Department of Public Health</i></p>	<p>Budget (Budget information will be given at next quarterly meeting)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● State generally allows roll over, might have funds that are available ● Spending allotment: no more than \$50/person per year <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Can buy material for educational sessions (ex. Toothbrushes, floss, toothpaste, etc.) ○ What is critical to spend on now? ○ Belle inquired about oral health for elders, for example in nursing homes <p>State Contract</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Ends on June 2022 		

	<p>Sub-Contractors</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Matt Jacob - contract ends end of August 2. Dr. Amanzadeh - contract ends end of August 3. Healthy House - contract ends end of September
<p>Oral Health Proposed Curriculum for Grades K-2 Matt Jacob, <i>Consultant</i></p>	<p>Curriculum</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Break up into TWO distinct curriculums: K-2, 4-6 ● Added a few more exercises/activities ● Inserted images to align with content ● Changed the <i>Three kinds of drinks</i> page to include milk and cultural drinks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Removed fruit juices from the list due to high sugar content ○ Ileisha is concerned about risk of getting sued if using BRAND names, maybe change to “sugary” drinks ● Feedback → send to committee members for feedback ● Will be sent to schools/teachers along with activity boxes
<p>Billboards Maria Vasquez, <i>Merced County Department of Public Health</i></p>	<p><i>Protect your teeth and smile</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Will match handout that will be given to dentist offices, community ● Will also include a radio add ● 3 main points <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Brush 2x day 2. Water > sugary drinks 3. Regular dental care <p>Feedback</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Rinku Badwalz → Benefits of oral health ● Catherine Arguelles → include SmileCA ● Chris Butler → might be too many colors; maybe use a generic photo of a glass of water and image of dental provider ● Salvador Vasquez → wording doesn’t match graphics; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Target population for billboard? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Parents, kids, etc? ● Eric Cheung → include flossing, dental care every 6 months ● Ericka Peterson → serves ages 0-5 yrs, comments on graphics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Droplet image should be changed, likes Chris’ recommendation of faucet and water cup ○ Children are required to visit dentist 2x year, doesn't feel comfortable handing it out to

	<p>families</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Maria will send out survey via email asking for additional feedback
<p>Water Fluoridation Dr. Amanzadeh, <i>Consultant</i></p>	<p>Summary of feedback survey</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● More engaging, interactive opportunities <p>Discussion of next steps</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Los Banos and Merced are fluoridated ● 10 year vision is to be 100% fluoridated in CA
<p>CHIP Progress Maria Vasquez, <i>Merced County Department of Public Health</i></p>	<p>Discuss progress on Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Strategies and Activities for next two quarters, Oct - March <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Breakout session (pick top 3) <p>Strategy 1.1.1: Make a proclamation resolution during Dental Health Month and invite schools to adopt activities in observance of the proclamation</p> <p>Strategy 1.1.2: Disseminate oral health information/receive permission slips for services during Back to School Night events</p> <p>Strategy 1.1.3: Facilitate MOUs between county and city schools and oral health care providers</p> <p>Strategy 1.2.1: Create a media package to share with parents for dissemination</p> <p>Strategy 2.1.1: Provide oral health education materials/resources for primary care physicians and medical residents and discuss their role in referring patients to dentist</p> <p>Strategy 2.1.2: Provide oral health education materials/resources for WIC enrollment/recertification appointments</p> <p>Strategy 2.1.3: Provide oral health education materials/resources to parents who enroll their children in Early Childhood Education</p> <p>Strategy 3.1.1: Create/adapt an oral health course for adults in Merced County that will include such topics as the effects of sugar consumption and tobacco use on teeth, dental hygiene habits, benefits of fluoridation, and county dental resources</p> <p>Priority for upcoming quarter</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Going forward these selections will determine the sub-committees <p>Maria, Rinku, Harman Salvador, Belle, Catherine, Anna Tai Karen</p>

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<p>Announcements <i>Healthy House</i></p>	<p>From Anna Tai: 3.1.1 From Chris Butler: 1.2.1, 1.1.1, 2.1.1 From Catherine Arguelles: 3.1.1, 1.2.1, 1.1.3 From Ileisha Sanders: 1.2.1, 2.1.1, 3.1.1</p> <p><i>Kids Day</i>, Eric Chueng</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● September 6th, Taste of Tequila, Hispanic restaurant in Atwater ● Distributing school supplies, dental kits, toiletry, haircut, free hot dogs and tacos <p>Ileisha doesn't have “swag” or any materials to contribute Rinku might have supplies that could be donated for event→ rbadwalz@gmail.com</p>		
<p>Upcoming Dates <i>Healthy House</i></p>			
<p>Adjourn <i>Healthy House</i></p>	<p>Meeting adjourned at 11:00 am.</p>		

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