

Breast Health Task Force Meeting Notes, March 19, 2009



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Handouts: March 19, 2009 Agenda, Culturally Competent Outreach, February 19, 2009 Minutes

Agenda Item	Discussion Points	Outcome/Follow-Up
Welcome & Introductions	Elvin started the meeting and then introductions were done	
Updates	BCCP- preparing to send in data to the CDC and they have also hired a research analyst.	
Quarterly Trainings/ Conference Calls	There are 4 trainings set up throughout the year. The first training is April 27 and is Breast Health Basics. The second training is Using What Works. Sabrina is working with the event coordinator to confirm the training. Tentative date is July 13. Quarters 3 and 4 and going to cover culturally competent outreach. The speakers will be given the Culturally Competent Training handout to aid them in their presentation. We are hoping that the community partners will come up with something creative and new to present. The current agenda is a draft and we are able to adjust the times. Having a Q&A time at the end is important. The panel presenters are going to be allowed to present their	TLLD to add text to BHB registration and send out to the listserv ALL- please get the word out about the trainings

	information how they want and they can be creative. The format is open. The quarterly trainings are getting solidified. Evaluations will be sent out in order to determine future training topics. The attendees will be looking at what they can take away and what they can use.	
Progress Report	Jimmy is an intern that will be working on the progress report.	
Survey Update for Provider's Guide	The book will not be ready for distribution in the first training, but will be for the remaining trainings. Gail, Elvin, Alissa, Genia will be on the sub committee to work on the editing of the Resource Guide.	
Right to Know	Clara will be in charge of the Right to Know Campaign. They are currently waiting for the materials. The kickoff will be in Astoria in October. They are still working on the mammography technologist training on August 22. There will be 2 panels, the first will have women with disabilities and the second will be for technologists. They are still working on the presentations, and they are offering CEU's. The trainings will be free. They are planning on 50 mammography technologist and 20 others. This is a pilot program and if it goes well they will be able to offer the training to other parts of the state. The training is an incentive for the facilities that are willing to do the evaluations. It would be a good idea to have future possible dates and locations for the next training. Good idea to figure out the cost and they it can be a charge event at later times. The evaluations have started, so far there have been 12 facilities evaluated. General facility information is being collected as well. They are also determining if there is a reducing/sliding scale for mammograms. Preliminary results will be available soon. BCCP wants data on all the clinics so they will know where to send people.	
Agenda Items for Next Meeting	Komen's Community Profile (April or May meeting)	
Action Items & Due Dates	Breast Health Basics training volunteers will be welcome to come! Call Gail if you are interested. (Mon April 27 from 4-7)	
Member Updates	<i>WOWDHEC</i> - They have made a lot of progress with their Komen grant. They have reached 30 women with disabilities for mammograms. They worked with the BCCP program and helped the women to get appointments and they have found issues that had hindered the women from making appointments. They got approved for a grant extension for Komen so they are excited about continuing the work. There will be 3 students from Portland State who are doing their internships that will be helping with <i>WOWDHEC</i> . They have a new board member. There have been a lot of changes made. They will be giving out gift cards as incentives to get women to get mammograms. <i>ROSS</i> - There is going to be only one breast health community specialist. They are going to be working on outreach to get non symptomatic women and to get help and coverage for symptomatic women.	
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