

PUBLIC HEALTH ADVISORY BOARD

DRAFT Accountability Metrics subcommittee meeting minutes

November 22, 2017

PHAB Subcommittee members in attendance: Eva Rippeteau, Eli Schwarz, Eva Rippeteau, and Teri Thalhofer

Oregon Health Authority staff: Sara Beaudrault, Cara Biddlecom, Myde Boles, Julia Hakes, and Luci Longoria

Members of the public: Caitlin Hill, and Lindsay Channa

Welcome and introductions

The October 13, 2017 meeting minutes were approved.

Effective contraceptive use

Myde shared the [PHAB summary of local public health process measure recommendations](#) from their meeting on October 19, 2017. PHAB did not adopt an effective contraceptive use process measure and requested that this committee do additional work to identify a process measure for effective contraceptive use.

Myde shared [four options](#) for local health process measures for effective contraceptive use, based on feedback received from PHAB at the 10/19 meeting.

Eli reported that the Metrics and Scoring Committee expanded the age range for the effective contraceptive use metric and this was approved by the Health Plan Quality Metrics Committee. The minutes from these meetings may contain useful information for this group.

Regarding option #4, Eli asked if PRAMS and BRFSS can be stratified down to the local public health department level. Myde said yes they can.

Teri liked option #1 because it aligns well with the new program element with modernization and will be measured. Teri noted that BRFSS and PRAMS at the local level can be meaningless for smaller counties. Teri expressed concern that #3 can be affected by the political environment.

Eli asked why process measures from CLHO not put forward. Sara answered that the PHAB suggested OHA reexamine CLHO's process measures again and that the PHAB felt #3 would be the easiest to implement.

Eli suggested that OHA and PHAB could monitor measures without establishing them as an accountability metric if there is high level of interest. Eli recommended data could be shared out every 5 years.

Sara shared that OHA would like to bring #4 to CLHO. Elia would like an explanation of the data in #4.

Decision: OHA will take #1 and #4 to CLHO for their review.

Jen asked if the subcommittee is wedded to the effective contraceptive use metric. Cara answered that there was strong support for an effective contraceptive metric in the stakeholder feedback survey.

Benchmarks and improvement targets

Myde shared an [update on LPHA process measures and timeline](#) and the [local public health process measures](#).

Eli asked how benchmarks will be set. Myde answered if there is not an established benchmark, the intent is to work with OHA programs and stakeholders to identify an appropriate.

Eli asked how top prescribers are defined. Sara answered they are top 20% of prescribers in Oregon who write the most prescriptions for prescription opioids. This includes all prescriber types, including dentists.

Eli requested that OHA add a fourth column listing the data source for the local public health process measures table. Myde said she will add a fourth column with the data source.

Subcommittee business

- Benchmarks and improvement targets will be discussed at the next subcommittee meeting.
- Amanda Peden and Amy Umphlett from OHA will be presenting on OHA's priorities for oral health.

Public comment

No public comment was provided.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned.

The next Accountability Metrics Subcommittee meeting is scheduled for:

January 3, 2017 from 9-11am