Communities for Kids

assessing the health needs of Kansas children, adolescents and families

KDHE wants to hear from:
- families and consumers
- community partners and providers
- health providers
- school professionals
- ANY community member interested in the health of children in Kansas

Join the Bureau of Family Health to discuss the needs of Kansas children, adolescents, and families (including those with special health care needs and/or disabilities).

12/10/14—Roeland Park  12/16/14—Great Bend  12/17/14—Concordia  1/12/15—Colby  1/14/15—Garden City  1/21/15—Topeka  2/10/15—Junction City  2/19/15—Wichita  2/26/15—Parsons

2 meetings in each location—2 pm and 6 pm, details available on website below

RSVP at www.kdheks.gov/shcn/meetings.

For more information, contact 1-800-332-6262 or ksresourceguide@kdheks.gov.
Facilitator Agenda – December Communities for Kids Meetings

- Welcome/Intro/Ice Breaker (15 minutes)
  - Have you ever, or has someone you know...
    - received services from the infant toddler program/early intervention services?
    - had a baby in Kansas who received a genetic or hearing screening?
    - ever been served by the special health care needs program?
    - ever utilized MCH home visiting services?
    - ever utilized WIC services, including breastfeeding or nutrition consultation?
    - utilized a licensed child care provider/facility?
    - ever been in the foster care system?

- Title V Needs Assessment Overview (15 minutes)

- Open Forum (30 minutes)
  - Questions from Public Input Survey
    - Major Health Concerns for Newborn and Infants; Young Children (1-5); Children (6-11); Youth and Adolescents (12 – 18); Children with SHCN (0-11); Youth with SHCN (12-26)
    - Most important unmet health needs for same populations
    - What specific recommendation do you have for improving the health of infants, children, and adolescents, including those with special health care needs and/or disabilities, and their families in the state?
    - Are there any specific populations in this community that need additional supports? Indicate who or where and what types of supports are needed.
    - What specific programs or services do you have experience with that you feel are working well? Please be specific.

- Facilitated Discussion: Family Caregiver Health (30 minutes)
  *In 3 domain groups (if enough people and facilitators) – Early Childhood (0-5) / Child (6-11) / Adolescent (12+) – If not enough people, do as large group discussion*
  - What services are of greatest needs, benefit, and value for parents or family caregivers? Are these services easily accessible? If not, what prevents parents or family caregivers from receiving services?
  - What are the top unmet health needs of parents or family caregivers? What could be done to meet these needs?
  - What do parents or family caregivers need in order to maintain and support social relationships for themselves? What about for their children?
  - What supports, if any, are needed by parents or family caregivers for the following areas:
    - Health
    - Daily Care
    - Recreation/Leisure Activities
    - Social Relationship
    - Education/Supports
    - Services
    - Family Interaction
    - Emotional Health
    - Spirituality
    - Economics/Finances

- Wrap Up and Next Steps (10 minutes)
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- Facilitated Discussion: Direct Health Services (30 minutes)
  - In 3 domain groups (if enough people and facilitators) – Early Childhood (0-5) / Child (6-11) / Adolescent (12+) – If not enough people, do as large group discussion
    - What direct health services are of greatest needs, benefit, and value for children in KS? (physical, behavioral, oral, etc.)
      - Are these services easily accessible? Are there providers in the area?
      - What are the biggest barriers to obtaining these services?
    - Where do children typically receive health services in your community? (e.g.: doctor’s office, urgent care, ER, etc)
    - In your opinion, do you feel the general health of children in your community is good? If not, why not? If so, why?
    - In your opinion, do you feel that children receive all of their immunizations? Developmental screenings? Physical health screenings? Dental screenings? Vision/Hearing screenings? Behavioral health screenings? Why or why not?
    - In your community, do you feel that families have difficulties/ delays in getting services? Is this due too...
      - ...eligibility?
      - ...services (or providers) don’t exist in the area?
      - ...wait lists?
      - ...costs?
      - ...insurance coverage?
      - ...knowing where to go to get that service?

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- Title V Needs Assessment Overview (15 minutes)

- Facilitated Discussion: Behavioral Health (30 minutes)
  In 3 domain groups (if enough people and facilitators) – Early Childhood (0-5) / Child (6-11) / Adolescent (12+) – If not enough people, do as large group discussion
  - What agencies or organizations do behavioral health screening in your community?
  - What are the biggest challenges your community faces related to behavioral health?
  - What resources do you have in your community related to behavioral health? (People, providers, coalitions, agencies, funding, etc.)
  - What promising strategies are already in place to improve behavioral health for the following populations? Young Children (1-5); Children (6-11); Youth and Adolescents (12 – 18); Children with SHCN (0-11); Youth with SHCN (12-26); Adult services?
  - What are your views on how mental health services are being delivered – or how they SHOULD be delivered?
  - How can we best support behavioral health needs in our state for the following populations? Young Children (1-5); Children (6-11); Youth and Adolescents (12 – 18); Children with SHCN (0-11); Youth with SHCN (12-26); Adults?
  - What are some ideas that can help strengthen behavioral health services and supports in your community?

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KANSAS TITLE V PROGRAM

Organization

Our Mission: To protect and improve the health and environment of all Kansans.
BFH Mission

- Provide leadership to enhance the health of Kansas women and children in partnership with families and communities.

KDHE Mission

- To protect and improve the health and environment of all Kansans.
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What is it? Why am I here?

Our Mission: To protect and improve the health and environment of all Kansans.
Vision

- Title V envisions a nation where all mothers, children and youth, including CSHCN, and their families are **healthy and thriving**.

Mission

- To improve the **health and well-being** of the nation’s mothers, infants, children and youth, including children and youth with special health care needs, and their families.

Our Mission: To protect and improve the health and environment of all Kansans.
Title V Mission:
improve the health of mothers and children; strengthen the maternal and child health infrastructure; assure the availability and use of medical home; assure continued improvement in health, safety, and well-being of the MCH population

State-federal partnerships - flexibility with accountability

Systemic approaches: to improve health access and outcomes for all women, children, youth, and families

Role is to “assure” services

Our Mission: To protect and improve the health and environment of all Kansans.
**State Title V Programs**

- Provide and assure mothers and children access to quality MCH services
- Reduce infant mortality and the incidence of preventable diseases
- Provide rehabilitation services for blind and disabled individuals
- Provide and promote family-centered, community-based, coordinated care, and facilitate the development of community-based systems of services

**Our Mission:** To protect and improve the health and environment of all Kansans.
Kansas Title V MCH Core Values

**Prevention & Wellness**
Activities directed at improving general well-being while also involving specific protections/interventions.

**Social Determinants of Health**
The conditions in which people are born, grow, live, work and age, including the health system. The social determinants of health are mostly responsible for health inequities.

**Life Course Perspective**
A growing awareness in public health of the long-term impact on health of various events and exposures earlier in life.

**Health Equity**
Those differences in population health that can be traced to unequal economic and social conditions—systemic and avoidable.

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MCH Population Health Domains

- Women's/Maternal Health
- Perinatal/Infant Health
- Child Health
- Children with Special Health Care Needs
- Adolescent Health
- Cross-Cutting/Life Course
Required 5 Year MCH Needs Assessment: 2016-2020

- Identify needs related to preventive and primary care services
- Select 3 to 5 priorities
- Select 8 (of 15) National Performance Measures
- Inform KDHE programming, funding, etc.
Ongoing Needs Assessment
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