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SUCCESS STORY

Kansas Develops Prenatal Classes Through Public Health and Primary Care Collaborations

The Salina-Saline County Health Department collaborated with the local March of Dimes, Salina's Child Advocacy & Parenting Services, and the Salina Family Healthcare Center, along with local pediatricians, obstetricians, and neonatologists, to improve infant mortality rates through "Becoming a Mom" prenatal classes. Evaluation data from January 1 to June 30, 2013 indicated improved behaviors among 68 percent of course participants. Read the full story.

PARTNER HIGHLIGHT

Million Hearts Learning Collaborative State Teams to Present to Primary Care and Public Health Collaborative

In October 2013, ASTHO selected 10 states to participate in a Million Hearts Learning Collaborative that utilizes a quality improvement process to partner across sectors to implement best practices and evidence-based policies to identify, control, and improve blood pressure. On June 2, leaders from four of the ten Million Hearts state teams (New Hampshire, New York, Oklahoma, and Vermont) will present on steps taken to improve collaborations between public health and clinical care to identify, control and improve blood pressure. Click here to sign up for the webinar on June 2 from 1:00 - 2:00 pm ET.

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INTEGRATION RESOURCES

Implementing the "Nexus" in Michigan. The West Michigan Interprofessional Education Initiative (WMIE) and Michigan's largest federally qualified health center (FQHC), Cherry Street Health Services, have partnered to give students real-life experiences on a healthcare team. WMIE and Cherry Street Health Services will examine how these efforts might better prepare future graduates, while addressing operational challenges. If successful, Cherry
Street will expand the model to its 25-clinic FQHC network, and the National Center for Interprofessional Practice and Education will disseminate information to facilitate national adoption.

Public Health and Primary Care Integration: Infectious Disease Resources. These online ASTHO resources were developed to help state health agencies integrate infectious disease programs and improve partnerships with provider groups. Resources include Preventing Infectious Diseases Through Healthcare, Infectious Disease Integration of Public Health and Primary Care, Integration of Public Health and Primary Care: A Practical Look at Using Integration to Better Prevent and Treat Sexually Transmitted Diseases, and the Infectious Disease Strategic Thinking Summit Report.

Prevention of HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STDs, and TB Through Health Care Website Launch. The CDC National Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STD, and TB Prevention’s (NCHHSTP) new Prevention Through Health Care site develops, implements, and evaluates policies and practices that leverage the healthcare system to help prevent HIV/AIDS, viral hepatitis, STD, and TB infections. The site offers an integrated approach to NCHHSTP program objectives by linking readers with the following three sub-websites: Health Departments; Preventive Service Tables; Resources on the Changing Health System.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Newly Released RFI to Support High-Quality Career Pathways Systems

The Departments of Education, Labor, and Health and Human Services released a Request for Information (RFI) to support the development of high-quality career pathways systems. The departments will analyze the career pathways information collected from the RFI to: 1) Inform and coordinate policy development, strategic investments, and technical assistance activities; and 2) improve coordination of Federal policy development with investments at the state, tribal, and local levels. Comments to the RFI are due June 9. Click here to learn more.

IMPORTANT DATES

ASTHO-Supported Primary Care and Public Health Collaborative Meetings

Measures Track of Work Committee Meeting

June 2, 11:30 am - 12:30 pm ET
Phone: 866-740-1260; Access Code: 5273153

Successes Track of Work Committee Meeting

June 16, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm ET
Phone: 866-740-1260; Access Code: 5273153

Value Proposition Track of Work Committee Meeting

June 18, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm ET
Phone: 866-740-1260; Access Code: 5273153

Resources Track of Work Committee Meeting

June 19, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm ET
Phone: 866-740-1260; Access Code: 5273153
### Workforce Committee Meeting

June 25, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm ET  
Phone: 866-740-1260; Access Code: 3185413

### Conferences, Meetings, Presentations, and Other Important Dates

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### ABOUT THE ASTHO-SUPPORTED PRIMARY CARE AND PUBLIC HEALTH COLLABORATIVE

The ASTHO-supported Primary Care and Public Health Collaborative is a partnership of more than 50 organizations that seeks to inform, align, and support the implementation of integration efforts. This initiative began with the creation of the Primary Care and Public Health Integration Strategic Map, which filled the need for a strategic approach to integration in follow-up to the IOM report Primary Care and Public Health: Exploring Integration to
Improve Population Health. For more information on the strategic map and our integration efforts visit our website.

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