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Skin Cancer Task Force Meeting Notes **August 19, 2010 - 1:00 to 2:00 pm**

Attendees: Rachel Burnett, Dave Erickson, Ilima Kane, Marissa Glatter, Robert Jenkins

Welcome of new member Marissa Glatter from Klein Buendel. Dave Erickson will also extend and invitation to the owner of watership hat company who recently moved to Denver to join the Skin Cancer Task Force.

Launch of new SunSafeColorado.org site

- The site was launched on August 17, 2010
- Dave will promote this new site to his child care center contacts as a resource as well as to other companies and will link from his website.
- Klein Buendel has also sent information to other state health departments to use the SSC site and invite them to purchase their own version for their state.

Cancer Plan – Melanoma Chapter

- All public comment has been closed. All final edits to the chapter will be due October 1. You can access the Melanoma Chapter at www.coloradocancerplan.org.
- Child Care Conference Survey
 - Surveys collected for baseline data of childcare objective. Approximately 250 respondents. Possible 50 duplicates that we are looking to remove from the data.
 - Preliminary data showed 80% reported having some sort of policy, of those covered 60% included hats, 37% clothing, 24% sunglasses, 95% sunscreen, 67% shade, 49% no mid day sun.
 - Need to determine how to report our baseline data on this objective. It is possible to achieve more than 80% as that is high already or are we looking to maintain this number? Look at how many have a comprehensive policy?
 - We can ask Randi @ the health department for wording on this baseline and we should also look at how other chapters of the cancer plan have been done for consistency. Although this year it seems to be more of an open format.
 - We can see how many licensed daycares there are in the state to compile with this data. Dave Erickson will try to get this data through his childcare contacts.
- Create Resources for Melanoma Chapter

- We will pull a list from the Sun Safe Colorado website and send it around to the task force for review.
- Each task force member is invited to add any additional resources/articles/reports to this list.
- Dave Erickson has created a web page on Rocky Mountain Sunscreen to discuss the recent controversy created by EWG and their oxybenzone claims. This is not from the position of Rocky Mountain Sunscreen but more from the health professionals. This could be a good resource. We need to look at other chapters to see if they have links for commercial companies such as wigs, etc.

Future Initiatives:

- APHA – 138th Annual Meeting and Expo – To be held in Denver November 6-10
 - Thoughts are for the task for to provide some information tip cards/sunscreen, etc. Much like we did for the Democratic National Convention but geared more towards November and activities and UV index, etc.
 - RMS will provide sample packets sunscreen to put into baskets of the hotels. Rachel will purchase the baskets from the local dollar store.
 - Marissa will get a count of how many of the 1,2, 3 tip cards KB currently has. At one point the health department had several but they may be hard to track down. We will have to divide the current supply between the hotels.
 - Plans are to split up the hotels and have each member deliver tip cards and baskets of tip cards along with the letter to the hotels which are participating in the APHA conference.
 - A draft letter has already been constructed to mail to the managers of the hotels asking for their assistance to provide their guests with tip cards and the sunscreen samples. Marissa will send these out at the middle of October then contact the managers to verify it is ok with them.
 - We will plan to drop off the packages to the managers the first week of November.

Special Requests

- Colorado Cancer Coalition Meeting – November 5
 - We have been asked to present at this conference. Submissions are due August 30. Notifications will happen September 13. Following are ideas for submission:
 - We could present a poster on the child care survey conducted this summer.
 - Presentation on the new Sun Safe Colorado.org website. Start with original website and how we were able to mold it and make it better with additional funding.
 - For the health equity portion of the conference we could also look at how to reach rural schools and workplaces to change policy.
 - Stock art could also be another for the health equity category.

- For the success portion we could look at using our shade project and how we are working with Australia.
- Mary is looking at presenting something possibly along with Rachel Burnett or Rob Jenkins. Ilima Kane will be out of town. Other members of the task force are welcome to submit additional ideas for presentation at this conference.

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Reporting of SCTF for 2010

- Rachel has been keeping a list of outreach and participation in events by the task force for the year. This will also be reported on the CCC website once it is completed.
 - We would also like to report on the activities and projects our members have been working on this year so please send any to Rachel Burnett
 - We will give an update to the Colorado Cancer Coalition at the next meeting in October.

Future Meetings:

Next Meeting – September 16, 2010 from 1:00-2:00 PM

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ACTION ITEMS:

CCC presentation –

Make decision on what to present and submit abstract by August 30 – **Mary Buller & Rachel Burnett**

Cancer Plan – Melanoma Chapter

- Get data from childcare survey and update objective 9- **Rachel Burnett and Mary Buller**
- Pull Resources from Sun Safe Colorado and send to task force for additions/suggestions & update in cancer plan– **Marissa Glatter**

Future Initiatives

- APHA
 - Revise DNC letter and send to task force for review – **Rachel Burnett**
 - Get baskets from dollar store and sunscreen packets from Dave Erickson – **Rachel Burnett or Marissa Glatter**

- Inventory current stock of 123 tip cards from health department and decide how many to send each of hotels
If there are not enough in house at KB we will contact the health department to see if we have more – Marissa Glatter
- Mid October letters out to hotel managers – Marissa Glatter
Phone call follow-up with managers – Late October – Marissa Glatter
- Schedule of drop offs for hotel deliveries for each task force member available – Marissa Glatter
- First week of November – APHA hotel drop of packages – ALL MEMBERS Who Voluteer 😊

Reporting

- Send a list of all events/participation and potential reach of task force to Rachel Burnett – ALL MEMBERS