

## **NAC Steering Committee Meeting Minutes**

**Tuesday, September 20, 2022**

### **Participants:**

1. Heidi Mendenhall (First 5 Tehama)
2. Shelly Ohlms ((Glenn County, Community Action Agency))
3. Jennifer Moniz (Empower Tehama)
4. Megan Kenney (PHIL)
5. Kathryn Stewart (PHIL)
6. Sue Grinnell (PHIL)

- **Call to order by the committee chair**
  - **Introductions & Check-In**
- **Featured Guest:** TC Duong, Blue Shield of California Foundation (BSCF) – Evolution of Funding for Domestic Violence Prevention Collaboratives (see attached PPT)
  - There are two cohorts of DV prevention-focused multisector collaboratives: Leveraging Collaboration to End Domestic Violence (LCDV) and Safety Through Connection
  - NAC is part of the LCDV cohort
  - BSCF is moving toward a model where sites display high capacity for collaboration and high capacity to embrace DV prevention through a systems change orientation
  - All collaboratives will be given \$150K in bridge funding to either sunset or transition into a new cohort
  - The new cohort will consist of 8-10 sites: 5 from the Safety Through Connection cohort and 3 from the LCDV cohort
  - For the sites that do not enter the new cohort, there may be additional opportunities with BSCF in other areas
  - They anticipate notifying the sites the first week of October
  - In discussing considerations for sites, they would like to see a commitment to DV/IPV prevention through root causes – and emphasized that an ACEs focus met that criteria. Additional considerations are included in the attached PPT.
- **Review and approval of previous meeting minutes:** Meeting minutes from the August meeting were reviewed and approved.
- **Committee reports**
  - Training Plan Update
    - NAC is developing two slide decks with training content related to (1) ACEs and (2) domestic violence. The slide decks will include detailed instructions on how to present the trainings and information on additional training resources.
    - An email request was sent to NAC partners with a link to a shared google folder. Partners were asked to upload any training PPTs or other

materials related to ACEs and Domestic Violence. Partners have begun to add resources to the folder.

- A meeting is scheduled for October 3, 2022 to bring together NAC partners interested in supporting the development of the two slide decks. Uploaded materials will be reviewed and next steps will be identified.
- A strategy for how NAC will administer and monitor use of the trainings is also under discussion.

- **Old Business**

- **Next steps for the Regional Assessment:** After discussion in the August Steering Committee, there were several questions related to the type of data available for different data points. Andy provided additional information for discussion:
  - Questions (Q) with Answers (A) and Steering Committee Decisions (D):
    - Q: Mental Health: Is this exposure to in the home or is it the child has a mental health diagnosis? What data is being used here?
      - A: These data come from the California Health Interview Survey (CHIS). Here are the possible measures (all are available for adults only):
        - Family life impairment during the past 12 months
        - Needed help for mental health problems
        - Serious psychological distress
        - Work impairment
      - D: Keep the following measures:
        - Needed help for mental health problems
        - Serious psychological distress
    - Q: Drinking & Drugs: What data point is being used here? Is it addiction, criminal charges, people seeking treatment, etc.?
      - A: We have some options here, including data from the California Healthy Kids Survey (CHKS) that's [available on kidsdata](#). There also are some CDC/BRFSS data on binge drinking among adults. Finally, there are data on the California Healthy Places Index on the percentage of the population living further than 1/4 mile from a store that sells alcohol for consumption on-site and off-site.
      - D: Remove Drinking & Drugs
    - Q: Bias-Related Bullying/Hate Crimes: What is the data for this? Could this come from the office education?
      - A: The California Department of Justice has data on [hate crimes](#) by police jurisdiction (e.g., cities and counties), and KidsData offers data from CHKS on [bullying](#).
      - D: Remove Hate Crimes and use KidsData for bullying
    - Q: Crime and Community Safety: What is the data that would be used by this?
      - A: The best options here are probably the data from the [California Dept. of Justice](#), which includes arrests, crimes and clearances, homicides, use of force, etc.
      - D: Remove Crime and Community Safety

- **New Business**

- **October NAC Partner Meeting:** The next NAC Partner Meeting is scheduled for October 27, 2022. Agenda items discussed:
  - Welcome & Check-In [20 min] – Provide time in breakout rooms for NAC Partners to network and connect.
  - Action item: Question or discussion topic for check-in.

- Backbone Updates
    - Regional Assessment
    - Training Plan
    - NAC Resource Center on PHIL Website (?)
  - Spotlight & Highlight: Proposed idea to have a Spotlight presentation on a topic of interest to the group for learning, etc. Also include a highlight by uplifting a relevant story for the group.
    - Possible Spotlight Presentations:
      - The [CalAIM PATH Initiative](#): PHIL has reached out to contact at DHCS about presenting to the group.
      - The California Youth Behavioral Health Initiative
      - Other TBD
  - NAC Partner Updates
  - Adjourn
- **Adjourn**