



WV's Partnership to Promote Community Well-Being

Prevention System Data Visual Workgroup

May 5, 2004 - Meeting Notes



Members & Staff Attending

Wayne Coombs, Steve Heasley, Andy Whisman, and *Tammy Collins

Items Discussed

Develop a Prevention System Data Visual by Using Network Analysis

The workgroup developed a short survey using network analysis methodology to be administered to all Partnership members to determine the strength and nature of the working relationships between the partners. Tammy Collins will send the survey out to Partners and conduct analysis of results before the June 18th meeting.

Planning Group Lists & Analysis

The workgroup asked staff to request a list of the current membership of all the planning groups identified in the Governor's Cabinet Planning Group Analysis. Kelli Jo McNemar will conduct analysis of these groups before the June 18th meeting.

Identify Ways to Measure Results from Promotional Perspective

The workgroup discussed a process for reconvening the epidemiological workgroup that developed the Mountain State Measures: Outcomes and Indicators of Child & Family Well-Being to further develop the project to collect all data needed for prevention planning. Andy Whisman will research other state's websites who have already been through the SIG process to see what indicators they used in planning and evaluating their SIGs. This workgroup will continue to discuss how to reconvene the epidemiological workgroup to assist in data collection.

Readiness Assessment Process

The workgroup discussed using the Tri-Ethnic Institute's Community Readiness Assessment for SIG planning needs assessment. Monica McFarland and Valerie Ponder will get together a workgroup to look at this process, pilot it, help decide if it would be a useful tool for planning, and if so, to develop a training process for WVPRC staff. The workgroup discussed piloting this assessment with the STOP group in southern WV, a Family Resource Network and another community in the state.

Future Meetings

The workgroup will meet again at the June 18th Partnership meeting to plan future activities.