

# EQUITABLE ACCESS TO HEALTHCARE SUBCOMMITTEE

MEETING MINUTES

MAY 4, 2022

## ATTENDANCE

Renata Svincicka

Antonia Carbone

Colleen Kendrick

## DISCUSSION

- Subcommittee members present discussed action plan deliverable.
- Members reviewed some high-level research and potential topic areas to consider in advance of next week's longer Problem Solving 101 session.
- Colleen will fill in at 101 session as Ryan will be traveling.
- Items to explore were identified as follows
  - education around appropriate levels of care to pipeline people to the proper access points, research shows that people do not always understand the level of care they require and how to access it
  - availability of care, addressing how legacy healthcare models need to respond to the growing retail models of care, considering the need to expand availability to allow access outside of the traditional 9-5, this may include examining telehealth, after hours and weekend options
  - transportation, we may or may not need to address this since the first two we are proposing are significant and this may also be more suitable for another sub-committee, but this does come up frequently in access research so we could examine this if needed