Healthy NJ 2030, Committee on Preventive Services Biweekly meeting April 8, 2022: Meeting notes

Attendees:

Pamela Tew (Chair), Natasha Coleman, Mouy Pan, Ana Natale Pereira Polly Thomas

Introductions:

Everyone briefly introduced themselves, Pamela welcomed the two new committee members.

Update from Chairs' meeting:

From the Chairs' meeting Pamela has determined that our "Goal" is already written: it is to Increase Receipt of Recommended Clinical Preventive Services. Our task is to come up with action items by ? May 20. Once those are approved we will draft specific objectives.

Committee progress to date.

Up to now we have reviewed data on gaps in prevention by age group. (At the last meeting we reviewed gaps in child developmental screening and immunizations; and gaps in cancer screening for adults. Since that meeting Polly reviewed adolescent and adult immunization rates in NJ and has shared reports on those from NJDOH)

Primary Care.

At the last meeting, we thought that one thing needed is to ensure primary care home for all. Ana points out: The current system is not working for everyone. We need rethink the system.

Pamela points out, we can do a root cause analysis on these issues.

Healthy NJ 2030 materials:

Pamela shared materials from the HNJ 2030 Teams web site. We are asked to review these, it will help us understand what our coming tasks are. Next task is Action Items.

Next meeting:

Our next meeting April 22 at 11 AM.