



**JANUARY 11, 2022** 

# HNJ2030 ADVISORY COUNCIL

### **ATTENDANCE**

**MEETING MINUTES** 

Alycia Bayne Laura O'Reilly Stanzilis

Amanda Medina-Forrester Letitia Holloway-Owens

Arthur Horne Loretta Kelly

Bageshree Cheulkar Lynne Harwell Algrant

Camilla Comer-CarruthersMaria BaronDiane HagermanMelissa FoxElizabeth SchedlMarissa DavisEva ManchenoNatasha MooreJeanne HerbPayal AroraJennifer FearonPeri NearonJennifer HopkinsWendy Sheay

Julia Wieczorek Yvonne Mikalopas

#### INTRODUCTIONS

Kandice Cooper

- If I had a public health superpower or magic wand, I'd want or wish for:
  - o Better communication
  - o Better coordination between all health improvement plans in the state
  - o Funding that's adequate and sustainable
  - o Improve listening skills
  - Systems would automatically adjust to be equitable
  - Public policies would be culturally responsive without being cumbersome or extra work
  - Equal distribution of education throughout all programming we offer (languages)
  - Eradicating poverty
  - o Making sure supportive resources are available to eradicate homelessness
  - o Human and social services stay connected to public health
  - Every person had their own health advocate to navigate systems
  - o Prevention instead of reaction
  - o Sustainable funding for state, local, and community public health
  - Everyone would understand statistics and data
  - o Safe, comfortable, and organized home for everyone
  - o Sustainable, flexible funding
  - People with disabilities would be treated with respect and equitably
  - Sustainable, unearmarked funding





- Everyone understood their rights and demystify the system
- Unlimited funding for public health programs
- o Free social service assistance as people go through the aging spectrum
- Services for health care workers experiencing PTSD
- o Powers-that-be understand importance of SDOH
- Use technology (e.g., smartphones) to connect people to services (mental health, homelessness, nutrition, etc.)
- Address ACEs and help people to overcome adverse community experiences

#### MS TEAMS POLL RESULTS

- Teams help needed: 8 no, 4 live, 2 pre-recorded, 11 no response
- We'll do an optional live tutorial and record it.

## **NEXT STEPS AND ADDITIONAL DATA SOURCES WE CAN USE**

- Maria to send out Background Info document to all
- Lynne: Community Resilience Estimates by Census tract project
   https://experience.arcgis.com/experience/91300132a06b4867b80e8dea60230fe
- Jeanne: ALICE database and others
- Laura: NJ Health Matters uses Socio Needs Index from Conduent (need link)

#### **POST-MEETING**

- Figured out how to get everyone to have full access (chat, etc.) to Teams!
   Everyone must log into the YMCA Alliance org in Teams first and then click the meeting invitation link.
- Loretta will ask someone from HIT to give a Teams demo.
- Schedule Teams demo for 45 minutes but shoot for 30 minutes. First week of Feb? Before 2/15.
- Need to add each ACT member individually as a contact in Teams before we can invite them to meetings through Teams.

See meeting slides for more information. Only discussion items not on the slides are included here.