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August 2010

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September 9, 2010, 3:30-5:00pm

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The final MLHC General Coalition meeting of the year is quickly approaching! Be sure to mark your calendars for Thursday, September 9, 3:30-5:00pm. We will be unveiling some exciting new initiatives within the MLHC, including a follow-up from the Technology survey which was sent last month.

Join us on Facebook and help us in 'Coming Together to Create Change.'

Looking forward to seeing you there!

Upcoming Meeting Dates & Locations

August

Supporting the Health Promoters Action Team
No in-person meeting scheduled this month.

Mental Health Action Team
Thursday, 19
9:00-10:30am
Center for Urban Population Health
1020 N 12th St
Suite 4180

Immigration Action Team
Thursday, 26
5:30-7:00pm

Action Team Updates

Mental Health:

We are continuing to brainstorm creative possibilities around the establishment of a Spanish Warm Line in Milwaukee, including connecting with International groups. The Mental Health Action team continues to dialogue with the Milwaukee County Behavioral Health Department to clarify and enforce policies around intake and billing. Finally, we are pleased to announce that **Luke Waldo** has agreed to assume the role of **Co-Leader** of our Action Team. Luke works for Sojourner Family Peace Center, and he has been a member of the Mental Health Action Team since February 2009. We are grateful that he will share in the responsibilities with Katherine, as we continue to work toward our goals. For more information about the Mental Health Action Team please contact Katherine Valentyn, katherine.valentyn@gmail.com.

Supporting the Health Promoters:

Our team continues to finalize the Abriendo Puertas (Open Doors) event, scheduled for September 18th, 2010. As we continue toward our goal of Supporting the professional growth of Proyecto Salud's Health Promoters, we are looking at skills and competencies we should support for all health promoters and how we, as an Action Team, can support their work towards these goals. In August, we are continuing our planning and discussions via email, without an in-person meeting. If you would like more information about this Action

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CORE/EI Centro
611 W National Ave
Third Floor, Room 320

Your August MLHC Newsletter

Team or how to be involved, please email Joelisa Castillo,
joelisa.castillo@sschc.org.

September

General Coalition
Thursday, 9
3:30-5:00pm
CORE/EI Centro
611 W National Ave
First Floor, Community
Union Room

Immigration:

We continue our work on in-state tuition education for MPS and the Know Your Rights campaign. We are also supporting a new project - a Health Impact Assessment on a driver's card legislation for undocumented immigrants. This is an innovative way to understand the impact of immigration and related legislation on our community's health. To get involved in our work, please contact Raisa Koltun at rkoltun@gmail.com or (414) 384-2673 ex. 24.

Social Determinants of Health:

Virginia Zerpa-Uriona has set out to meet with professionals who expressed interest in this team. Please contact Virginia if you are interested in joining this effort, virginia.zerpa-uriona@aurora.org

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