

ASTDD Perinatal Oral Health Committee Annual Report

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1. List any new members or subcommittee members or partnerships with other organizations:

In 2017, the membership of the Perinatal Oral Health Committee (POHC) evolved with Risa Nakajima moving on from the CDHP PIOHQI project, Gina Sharps moving to another ASTDD committee and Dr. Sarah Tomlinson, North Carolina State Dental Director joining the POHC.

One of the major accomplishments was POHC's participation in ASTDD's partnering with the Oral Health Resource Center (OHRC) in its successful application for the new MCHB-funded Center for Oral Health Systems Integration and Improvement (COHSII). This collaboration is for four years and ASTDD's participation in the initial phases will primarily focus on supporting PIOHQI grantees and state MCH/SOHP's that selected the Title V Block Grant National Performance Measure (NPM)13.

2. Describe the purpose of your committee:

The POHC is a broadly representative group of ASTDD members and non-member key informants. The POHC serves as the primary ASTDD focal point for issues and resources for state oral health programs relating to perinatal oral health (POH). Most of the activities of the POHC have related to programs, initiatives and priorities focusing on MCH populations, and specifically with state and national MCH programs. The POHC has functioned as an entire committee and has comprised smaller, targeted work groups or assigned individuals for specific projects and activities.

3. List your committee accomplishments for the calendar year:

- Title V Maternal and Child Health (MCH): Many state oral health programs (SOHP) are located within, receive funding from, or work closely with their state Title V MCH programs. Many states/jurisdictions Title V programs (35) support SOHP activities plus an additional number of states (2) receive grants from MCHB for PIOHQI. In July, 2017 states/jurisdictions submitted their Title V MCH Block Grant (BG) applications, including updates to the five-year state MCH action plan. Each was required to choose eight priority National Performance Measures (NPM), and 25 states and six jurisdictions selected the oral health related NPM13, which has two parts: A) the percent of women who had a dental visit during pregnancy and B) the percent of children, ages 1 through 17, who had a preventive dental visit in the last year.

- In December, 2016 ASTDD received a subgrant from the OHRC to support activities through June 30, 2017 that would focus on the states/jurisdictions selecting NPM#13. The following deliverables were completed:
 - Review final FY 2017 action plans from states and jurisdictions that selected NPM13 and prepare a table that identifies oral health state priority needs, objectives, strategies, evidence-based or evidence-informed strategy measures (ESM), and data;
 - identify states and jurisdictions that selected an oral health related state PM, and compile and aggregate the information;
 - adapt and expand oral health content from the AMCHP learning lab presentation on NPM's into a report, and promote/disseminate report;
 - collaborate with the OHRC in establishing a community of learning (COL) that consists of peer-to-peer professional network to facilitate communication, learning, sharing of current and emerging needs, strategies, and approaches to address NPM13.

Specific activities under this subgrant included:

- [1] compilation of action plans, etc., from 31 states/jurisdictions selecting NPM13;
 - [2] completion of report from NPM learning lab, dissemination/promotion of information via electronic distribution and webinar;
 - [3] establishment of COL and planning/holding COL webinars;
 - [4] roundtable presentation at ASTDD Business Meeting in April on NPM13, e.g., common state themes/strategies, proposed community of learning/list serve, etc.;
 - [5] POHC members delivered formal presentations at the NOHC entitled *Perinatal Oral Health and Title V National Performance Measure 13: a Closer Look at the Rationale, Adoption, and Strategies from both National and State Perspectives*.
 - [6] Title V MCH Services Block Grant Oral Health Toolkit; and,
 - [7] direct TA in May to Title V MCH and dental directors from the six Pacific jurisdictions and the US Virgin Islands.
- The 2017-18 POHC Work Plan and the revised 2017-19 Logic Model were completed and accepted in August. It included the activities supported by the new COHSII collaborative, specifically, Goal 1: training and technical assistance to PIOHQI grantees, and T/TA to states and jurisdictions selecting NPM#13. In addition, COHSII supports, in part, the activities of the POHC.
 - Perinatal and Infant Oral Health Quality Improvement (PIOHQI) initiative:
 - Along with other ASTDD staff and consultants, Dr. Louie provided technical assistance to the MCHB PIOHQI initiative, which ended in August. Also, they and other POHC members served on several project teams for the National Collaborative Learning Network.
 - A number of POHC members participated in the PIOHQI "*National Network for Perinatal Oral Health In-Person Learning Sessions*" in April. Among the sessions activities were: state PIOHQI updates; updates from MCHB, including transition from NLN under CHDP to COHSII.
 - Under COHSII, ASTDD Chris, Reg, Harry and Kathy participated in the first PIOHQI face-to-face meeting in October in Baltimore.

4. Describe your current committee activity:

- MCHB Title V NPM13: Together with a small workgroup, including POHC members, we will be reviewing and analyzing data from the state action plans of the 31 states/jurisdictions.

Also, the workgroup will continue the “community of learning” for states and jurisdictions focusing on NPM13.

- PIOHQI: POHC members and other ASTDD staff continue to actively participate in the COHSII Goal 1 team in planning monthly learning sessions and participating in “check in” calls with state PIOHQI grantees and on consulting on/providing direct technical assistance.
5. Describe any delays in accomplishing planned activities including causes, and plans for when the activities will be completed.

Timeframes for activities in the COHSII are contained in the contract scope of work.

6. Describe some of the future activities planned by your committee:

Title V MCH NPM13: (An extension of 4. above)

- Together with a small ASTDD workgroup, POHC members will review final action plans from states and jurisdictions that selected NPM13, and prepare summaries and analyses.
- Support/maintain a community of learning that consists of a peer-to-peer professional network to facilitate communication, learning, sharing of current and emerging needs, strategies, and approaches to address NPM13 and provide information about available resources.

PIOHQI: (An extension of 4. above)

- See aforementioned activities in partnership with COHSII Goal 1 team, e.g., participating in monthly learning webinars and scheduled “face-to-face” meetings.

7. Describe any subcommittees or workgroups you use, their roles and activities:

Although there are ad hoc POHC work groups, e.g., for NPM13, currently, there are no POHC subcommittees.

8. List any unmet needs of your committee (e.g., members, funding) and how ASTDD can help.

ASTDD was successful in obtaining additional funding for POHC activities. It is hoped that these newly funded activities will dovetail into future activities as part of new grant funded projects, including the update of the BPAR on POH.

Other activities in the work plan include the caveat “as resources permit.” This is a reality and will dictate the degree and extent to which these other activities are addressed and outcomes and results are achieved.

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