

Opportunities for Partnerships

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AGENDA

- Overview and benefits/outcomes of AAP family engagement activities
- Strategies for effective partnerships
- Upcoming partnership opportunities



Overview and Benefits/Outcomes of AAP Family Engagement Efforts



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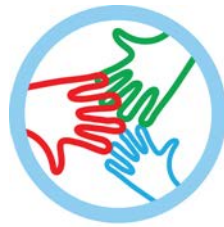
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AAP FAMILY ENGAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

- Long history starting in the 1960's
- 2013: Principles for Family Engagement
- Two primary groups:
 - Family Partnerships Network
 - Staff Family Engagement Workgroup
- Numerous grant-funded projects with family partners, including the NRC-PFCMH





Family Partnerships Network

A program of the American Academy of Pediatrics

- Network of youth/family advisors active in child health at national or state level, and those engaged in AAP initiatives, or professionals interested in family engagement
- Governed by 8-member youth/family leader Executive Committee
- Advisory group to the AAP Board of Directors



FPN ACTIVITIES & OUTCOMES

- AAP committee pilot project
 - Final evaluation showed positive results from pediatrician and family liaison perspectives
- State AAP chapter grants
- AAP family-centered care policy statement
 - The first AAP policy statement to be led by a family group!
- Family Liaison Calls



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- TA Center focused on advancing pediatric medical home and family-centered care
- Goal is to strengthen systems of services for CYSHCN
- Formation of Advancing Systems of Services for CYSHCN Network
 - NRC-PFCMH
 - Catalyst Center
 - Got Transition



NRC-PFCMH ACTIVITIES & OUTCOMES

- Advisory Committee
- Annual educational series
- Educational materials geared toward families
- Development/review of all resources and tools



NRC-PFCMH ACTIVITIES & OUTCOMES

- Family Centered Care Pilot Project
 - Partnership with Family Voices
 - Increased knowledge of family-centered care by 20%
- Family Engagement QI Projects
 - Families involved in development and on teams
 - Increased knowledge of family-centered care by 46%



Strategies for Effective Partnerships

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TIPS FOR EFFECTIVE PARTNERSHIPS

- Family engagement is a continuum
 - Work with your partner organization to determine what they're ready for and how you can help
- Make sure roles and expectations are clear
 - Make sure it's a good fit for you!
- Identify other family advisors in the organization for mentorship opportunities
- Be honest about your experience



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FUTURE OPPORTUNITIES

- NRC-PFCMH annual action learning collaboratives
- NRC-PFCMH annual educational series
- Development/review of tools & resources
- Pediatrician/family *Pediatrics* articles
- State AAP chapter activities
 - We can connect you!
- Join the Family Partnerships Network
 - It's free!



THANK YOU!

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