

EHHD/Tolland County
Community Transformation Meeting
Minutes

April 2, 2013
Mansfield Town Hall

Attending: Sandra Frizzell, Linda Painter, Kathleen Krider, Chris Grulke, Laurel Leibowitz, Heather Freeman, Ruth Perry, Kate Durant, Jessica Tracy, Sally Milius, Rob Miller, Kyle Chmielecki, Ande Bloom

Meeting opened at 8:30 with a welcoming and introductions. A brief update on the status of the EHHD CTG and State CTG application was provided by R. Miller. Also provided, as an update, was a printed and bound booklet of the Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA) key findings.

The remainder of the meeting was spent on reviewing and discussing potential strategies that align with activities that the Tolland County CHART has expressed interest in and are aligned with the CHNA and ranking these for inclusion on the implementation plan.

It was agreed that all potential strategies identified would remain on the list of potential approaches to addressing the CTG Strategic Directions, but that we would prioritize them as 'high' or 'low' based on perceived capacity to implement them given our County's resources. Below is chart identifying strategies for each Strategic Direction by priority areas:

Strategic Direction	High Priority	Lower Priority
Healthy Eating / Active Living	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expansion of 9-5-2-1-0 for Health! Campaign • Expansion of Safe Routes to School Master Plans • Mini-grants for Town Active Living Projects • Expansion of Be Well • Mini-grants to Farmer's Markets to > WIC benefits • Vending machine food policies • Expansion of Healthy Dining Cert. Program • Improve data collection methods for local outcome measures 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase early care adoption of State Action Guide • Facilitate/fund "Baby-Friendly" designation at Johnson Memorial Hospital
Tobacco-free Living	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase smoke-free multi-unit housing • Expand access to smoking cessation programs/meds • Facilitate/fund signage for tobacco-free parks and worksites 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expand tobacco-free living education within schools
Quality Clinical Prevention	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expand Bolton School Be Healthy program • Create local mobile health screening van program • Expand use of Live Well program • Implement a self-blood pressure monitoring project 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expand CT HEARTSafe designation for towns and worksites • Facilitate/fund the Community Health Worker program

The meeting adjourned at 10:30. The date of our next meeting has not been determined at this time.