

Name of Coalition: Infant Mortality Coalition

Date 2/27/14/Atrium ICHD/Time: 1:30pm-3:30pm

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Note taker:

Attendance: (X) Indicates attendance

	Banks-Anderson, Pastor	St. Stevens		Liggon, Eldon	GLAAHI
	Bauer, Darcy	McLaren	x	Lugo, Jeanne	DHS
	Benjamin, Valerie	GLAAHI		Machowicz, Mary	EPO
	Berglin, Beth	Sandbox Party		Moncada, Wendy	GSC
	Brickey, Tamara	ICHD		Payne, Taleah	Parent
X	Bryant, Sarah	ICHD		Rothbun, MC	I-GSC
X	Chambers, Lisa	ICHD		Scranton, Sarah	TC
	Cross, Glenda	McLaren		Singer, Chris	GSC
X	Esselman, Kathy	LWV-Lansing Area		Solis, Isa	PWC
	Evans, Carlton	GLAAHI	x	Spears, Teresa	ICHD
X	Fiero, Kim	ICHD		Sperber, Ken	I-GSC
	Fonger, Valerie	GSC	x	Squire, Bea	McLaren
	Gehm, Tracy	ICHD		Thalison, Kim	ISAP
X	Gellar, Sandy	MSU		Thompson, Val	OSC
	Hayward, Nancy	ICHD	x	Traylor, Regina	ICHD
	Henderson, Rose	PWE		Wilner, Robin	MI-AIMH
	Koenig, Dorean		x	Zdybel, Laura	EPO
X	Larrieux, Cassie	ICHD		Geffrard, Elon	ICHD
X	Sheri Eldred	March of Dimes	x	Dewit, Nicole	MPHI-CDR
				Tyler, Dr. Crystal	MPHI

AGENDA ITEM	DISCUSSION	ACTION REQUIRED / BY WHOM
I. Call to Order/Welcome/Introductions		
II. Approval of minutes		
III. Agenda Approval/Additions	No new items added	
IV. New Business		

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ≡ Sheri Eldred, March of Dimes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ≡ March of Dimes walk scheduled for April 26, 2014 at 10am at Burchard Park (in Old Town/Lansing). It is a family event with lots of different activities. ≡ IMC is looking to have a walking team, (which will assist with fundraising); and staff to work in the mission tent to share program materials/information for families ≡ www.peristats.org is a March of Dimes website that provides a number of state level indicators for MCH outcomes. ≡ Healthy Babies, Healthy Business (located at http://www.marchofdimes.com/hbhb/) provides information that employers can use with employees on their local intranets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ≡ Sarah will obtain materials from Sheri and the IMC will discuss at the March meeting and via email
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ≡ Nicole Dewit, MPHI 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ≡ The Michigan Public Health Institute (MPHI) supports the SUID Registry and the Citizen’s Review Panel for families who have CPS history or children who die in foster care. ≡ The Child Death Review (CDR) program utilizes findings from local advisory teams to discuss any childhood death in an area. ≡ The full proposal will be shared; highlights include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -There are twice as many safe sleep deaths as other deaths -Almost half of safe sleep deaths occur in an adult sized bed -Almost half of babies were found on their stomachs -More than 50% were found co-sleeping with an adult -Approximately 60% of infant deaths occur from 0-3 months ≡ MPHI/CDR reports available at 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ≡ Regina will add Nicole to the IMC email distribution list

<p>work you are currently doing or have in mind to help reduce the infant mortality rate and health disparities in Ingham County.</p> <p>VI. Agenda Items for Next Meeting</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ≡ Healthy Families America is a new home visiting program that will be starting in Ingham County. Services will focus on prenatal women through the child's fifth year. Program will be housed at Ingham Intermediate School District, and positions are currently posted (Lisa). ≡ DHS is no longer utilizing a staff person to provide supports/referrals for pregnant women and families with young children. Information is available in the lobby, but the DHS applications are available online, so there is less direct communication with caseworkers (Jeanne). ≡ Expectant Parent's Organization kicked off its first Capital area baby café last week to support breastfeeding moms and their families/support persons. Over 40 women attended the event and it was a huge success. It is on Wednesdays from 10-12 at the Lansing Area Church of Christ (Laura). ≡ March of Dimes grants are available for small and larger amounts/impacts. Go to www.marchofdimes/michigan for grant information. <p>Next meeting: 3/27/14 1:30-3:30 pm ICHD</p>	
<p>Adjournment</p>	<p>Meeting adjourned at: 3:08pm</p>	