## Outcome 1 – Children are born healthy (FY19)

Goal: Prenatal health care services are easy for families to access.

**Objective 1:** Barriers (transportation, childcare, parents' work schedules and doctors' office hours) to accessing prenatal health care services are identified and reduced.

**Strategy 1:** Understand family mindset about the importance of prenatal health care and provider knowledge of barriers to access prenatal healthcare.

## **Performance Measures:**

- # of prenatal health care providers that offer a new option to reduce barriers
- Reduction in number of families missing pre-natal health care appointments at Women's Health at ICHD

## QUESTION: No Spotlight @ December GSC Meeting

- Review progress on activities since the November GSC meeting.
- Identify next steps between now and the January GSC meeting.

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Year 2 Activities	Persons/Groups Responsible	Resources	Progress Measures (outputs of Activities):
ACTIVITY COMPLETED in FY18- Survey families about prenatal health care preferences and services, including centering pregnancy, with organizations such as Baby Cafe/Expectant Parents Organization, Shared Pregnancy, Lansing School District, Willow Tree, Post-partum patients at Clinics/Prenatal office, Pregnancy Service - Create survey - Determine survey distribution method (who distributes and receives survey) - Collect survey data	Ingham County Health Department, Ingham GSC Local Leadership Group	Survey, families to survey, and people to administer the survey	Survey created Survey data collected
Analyze prenatal health care survey data to determine next steps.	Outcome 1 group	Prenatal Health care survey data Outcome 1 Group	Next steps in promoting the importance of prenatal health care determined  09/12/18 Progress and next steps:

Ingham County Health Department, Local Leadership Group	Access to multiple pre-pregnancy and pre-natal community organizations.	12/19/18 Progress and next steps:  Presentation at Maternal Child Health HV meeting on survey; looking at data, why/what data means;  Timeline for survey (end of March);  Distribution (ie paper, electronic, focus groups)  Concern: Duplication of survey (same people complete?); biographical info (faith based, childcare/schools at K Round Up or at open houses)  Questions to Ask: Where/How (laundry mat, ERs/Urgent Cares, salons/parlors); What (have a doctor's office, accept insurance, pregnant)  In general, after early and on-going "prenatal care is important" info is the final product for Strategy 1 (i.e. infographic, pamphlet, brochure)  ICHD to look at previous brochure we could use for Outcome 1 as a starting point (suggestion from Outcome 2/Michelle N. to see March of Dimes "healthy babies" outcomes as an example.  Information on importance of pre-natal care included in community organizations pre-pregnancy and pre-natal education.  11/14/18Progress and next steps:  Make lists and contact organizations of our targeted group.  Brainstorm for targeted at risk population.  *Start to contact groups*  Willow Tree  Early Head Start  Shared Pregnancy - connect with ICHD (Krystal/Jessica)  Strong Start Healthy Start  Cristo Rey – ICHD (Krystal/Theresa)  Where can we hand our info or place our surveys?  Goals: 150 paper surveys  3-5 community input walls  20 qualitative stories (experience of prenatal)
Ingham County Health Department	ICHD staff time Women's Health	Women's Health staff person identified Data collection process identified  09/12/18 Progress and next steps:
		offer a new option to reduce barriers
	Health Department, Local Leadership Group  Ingham County Health Department  Performance Me	Health Department, Local Leadership Group  Ingham County Health  Department, Local Leadership Community Organizations.  ICHD staff time Women's Health

Year 2 Activities	Persons/Groups Responsible	Resources Needed	Progress Measures (outputs of Activities):			
Survey families regarding need for childcare and after-hours appointments.	vey families regarding need for dcare and after-hours appointments. On analyzing survey data, work to vide supports to have childcare ite to support parents' participation  GSC Members, Great Start to Quality Central Resource Center	Prenatal Offices, Child care providers	One child care provider identified to provide child care			
Upon analyzing survey data, work to provide supports to have childcare onsite to support parents' participation in prenatal services (i.e. Drs. Offices)			09/12/18 Progress and next steps:			
Objective 2: Increase knowledge and use of health care benefits and other supportive services for prenatal care.						
<b>Strategy 1:</b> Outreach to families about health care benefits in new and non-traditional ways.	Performance Measures:  Increase in family's knowledge and use of health care insurance benefits  # of people requesting information from Medicaid Health insurance provider about benefits					
Year 2 Activities	Persons/Groups Responsible	Resources Needed	Progress Measures (outputs of Activities):			
Communicate and share information about health care benefits in natural traffic areas, like grocery stores, mass media outlets (Facebook, advertisements) for families.  - Craft "Questions to ask" about health insurance benefits in multiple languages that families can understand and resonate with	Local Leadership Group, Family Coalition, Ingham County Health Department, Pathways to Better Health	Knowledge about health insurance benefits, Staff time, Health insurance navigators, Knowledge of predominant languages	"Questions to ask" sheet created "Questions to ask "sheets available at 5 natural traffic areas  10/17/18 Progress and next steps:  • Strategy—communicate about health care access and benefits: find infographics, posters, etc. If cannot find, create one for distribution.			
Develop of list of local "health fair" events (Cristo Rey, Juneteenth, Baby Fair, etc.) to distribute "Questions to Ask".	Ingham GSC Family Coalition	"Questions to ask" Staff time	List of health fairs Created "Questions to ask" distributed  09/12/18 Progress and next steps:			
Promote cultural competency/empathy in Ingham County Health Department providers and front line workers when sharing health insurance benefits information.	Ingham GSC and partners, Melea Bullock	Cultural competency information/training	One cultural competency/empathy training offered locally  09/12/18 Progress and next steps:			
Engage with one Medicaid Health insurance provider to share information about families' lack of knowledge of health insurance	Ingham County Health Department, Ingham	Access to alternate modes of communication (interpreters, TDP)	Primary health insurance provider contacted to see if there is staff who speaks languages other than English  Connection with Medicaid health insurance provider occurs			

benefits and gain an understanding of the benefits offered.  - Promote cultural competency so benefit information can be shared with families in ways that resonate with them	Department of Health Human Services, Dana Watson	Blue Cross Complete	O9/12/18 Progress and next steps:  Begin updating Medicaid provider lists.  10/17/18 Progress and next steps:  Updating medical provider list for Medicaid acceptance  Asking providers if they offer translation services for non-English speakers  Listed local health-care events.
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