

**SCIC Meeting Minutes – 5/10/2019**

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**Old Business**

* Plans for Immunization Clinic
* Need to secure the following by our July meeting:

1. Doses of Vaccines

- Jenny to check with Walgreens and DOH State Health Center in Pottsville

- Tom Dumas from GSK Vaccines able to provide vaccines?

- offer immunizations to adults only

- flu vaccines needed: age 18 -16 and 65+

- to request 1000 doses

2. Clinic Locations (target underserved residents)

- Gail will request vaccines for Senior Expo (10/15/19); remainder of vaccines may be used for

Drive-Thru Clinic (possibly at Blue Mountain HS )

- Jeanne recommended the following organizations for flu vaccine outreach:

* + - ACHIEVE Program (30-50 kids and families)
    - Child Development (9 centers); give doses to nurses to deliver (already trusted by families); to check with Parent Policy Council
    - Nurse Family Partnership; do monthly visit to 75 families; give doses to nurses to deliver (already trusted by families)
    - Food Banks; 100 walkers
    - Shenandoah – Schuylkill Community Action
    - Mahanoy City – Greater Berks

1. Time Frame

- Fall: ex. Food Banks – October

4. Staff/Volunteers for Clinic(s)

- need paramedics present during clinic(s) (epinephrine)

5. Launch Education Initiative – 1 month prior to vaccine dissemination

- **Look for local experts to do short video clip about value of vaccines: ask Dr. Singh,**

**Dr. Bolinsky by end of next week**

- John to provide equipment for video

6. Promotion of Clinic(s)

- Schuylkill Emergency Management Agency (SEMA) can promote clinic(s) at Safe School

Coalition Meetings (5 Pods) and Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC)

- Use Social Media – adult children will share info with their parents

- John to check for flyer templates of previous clinics; Jeanne to look through Kay’s files

**New Business**

* **PA Legislator Campaign by PAIC Board of Directors**
* Jenny and Carl will draft a letter to be sent to the legislators
* PAIC Annual Meeting and PA Immunization Conference – 6/26, 6/27; free

**Other**

* Who to invite to coalition meetings

**Next Meeting:** 12 July 2019 at 8:30 am at PSU Schuylkill, room TBA

**Future Meetings:**

* 13 September 2019
* 8 November 2019

All meetings will be held at 8:30 am on Penn State Schuylkill campus unless otherwise notified.

**Websites**

The PAIC website can be found at: http://www.immunizepa.org/

The SCIC website can be found at: http://www.immunizepa.org/schuylkill-county-immunization-coalition/

The SCIC website can also be found by going to “Local Coalitions” tab on the PAIC website.