**Delaware Cancer Consortium  
Early Detection and Prevention & Disparities Committees**

April 7, 2011

Delaware Technical & Community College

Dover, DE



**Attendees**

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| **Members of EP&D** |  |
| Did Not Attend | Heather Bittner-Fagen, MD - Christiana Care Health System |
| Did Not Attend | Victoria Cooke - DE Breast Cancer Coalition, Inc. |
| Attended | Stephen Grubbs, MD - Medical Oncology Hematology Consultants, PA |
| Attended via phone | Nora Katurakes, RN - Helen F. Graham Cancer Center |
| Did Not Attend | Carolee Polek - DE Diamond Chapter of the Oncology Nursing Society |
| Attended | Estelle Whitney, MD – Christiana Care Health System |
| Did Not Attend | Robert Sikes, Ph.D. - University of Delaware, Center for Translational Cancer Research |
| Attended | Mark Baumel, MD - Colon Health Center of America |

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| **Staff** |  |
| Attended | Lisa Henry - DE Division of Public Health |
| Did Not Attend | RaTonya Quail - DE. Division of Public Health |

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| **Public Attendees/Other**  **Staff** |  |
| Attended | Laura Nadel - Women’s Mobile Health Screenings, LLC. |

**Review of Previous Meeting Minutes**

The January 18th, 2011 Early Detection & Prevention meeting minutes were approved by the committee members.

**Old & New Business**

**Welcome, New Committee Member (s) and/or Staff Introductions:**

Dr. Stephen Grubbs called the meeting to order and all members and guests introduced themselves.

**Next Four Year Plan**

Ms. Lisa Henry provided copies of the results of the Concept Mapping process for the Committee from 2001 and 2010. Ms. Henry gave the committee a re-cap of the January meeting, discussing the concept mapping goals from 2001- 2010. The Committee reviewed the results and agreed on the following for development of the next four year cancer plan:

* Goal 1 will continue. – Continue the Cancer Screening Nurse Navigator program to promote colorectal, prostate, breast and cervical cancer screening.
* Goal 2 will continue – Reimburse colorectal, prostate, breast and cervical cancer screening for Delawareans who meet age and income eligibility guidelines.
* Goal 3 will continue and have 1 change – Provide HPV vaccine to girls, young women, **boys and young men** ages 9-26.
* Goal 4 will change slightly as the mobile mammography van cannot provide cervical screenings any longer. The Committee suggested that the mobile mammography van services be monitored and they van contract should develop and provide linkages to cervical cancer screening services for all women screened on the van. Laura Nadel from Women’s Mobile Health Services, LLC stated that they will explore integrating cervical cancer screenings with mammogram visits.
* Goal 5 will change – **Identify** barriers to cancer screening and put in place programs/services to screen at-risk populations.
* **NEW Goal 6 –** Study incorporating lung cancer screening into clinical practice in Delaware.
* **NEW Goal 7 –** Analyze data in cancer screening databases

The Committee asked that the recommendation related to genetic counseling and screening be forwarded to the Quality Cancer Care Committee for consideration in their future goals and activities.

Ms. Laura Nadel gave an update on the on the mobile screening services. She stated that in March, more Hispanic women were screened than any other ethnicity. She noted that this has never happened before. Ms. Nadel stated that the mammography van encourages clients to get a mammography prescription and pap smear before they make their appointments.

The Group briefly discussed the integration so of the enrollment and eligibility functions of the Community Health Access Program (CHAP) into the Screening for Life (SFL) program in Fiscal Year 2012. The group also discussed that the state funded contracts for Cancer Screening Nurse Navigators will end on June 30, 2011.

Meeting was adjourned by Dr. Grubbs.

**Documentation**

**Follow up**

Meeting agendas, minutes and handouts are available upon request. Please contact RaTonya Quail at: [ratonya.quail@state.de.us](mailto:ratonya.quail@state.de.us) or 744-1040 for copies of meeting materials.

**Future Meeting(s)**

The next Delaware Cancer Consortium Communication & Public Education Committee meeting is scheduled for Monday, May 23rd, 2011 at Delaware Technical & Community College, Dover, DE.