

Meeting Highlights and Action Plan

Topic/ Presenter	Key Points	Action Items <i>Including Responsible Party/Timeline if applicable</i>
	<p>Elise Brown (Mercy), Merle Gordon (MCO), Krizia Melendez (MCO Humana), Kira Lee (MCO), Nina Jackson (MCO), Andrea Price (MCO Molina), Annie Price (MCO), Sandy Miller (CCCHD, Lead Prevention, CFR), Rani Masser (PRC), Rochelle Smith (MCO Caresource), Robert McKinney (PRC), Eli Williams (Fathering Strong, UrbanLight Ministries), Ashley Eaton (RHCHC), Ja-Lynn Sowers (RHCHC, Patient Advocate), Vince Carter (CCCHD, Health Equity), Jon Upshaw(Springfield Promise Neighborhood, Fathering Strong), Kali Lawrence (Springfield Promise Neighborhood), Niescha Rhodes (McKinley Hall, Clark County Partners in Prevention PIP), Emily Shaffer (CCCHD- WIC), Kim Wise (CCCHD, Epidemiology), Rebecca Swearingen (Family and Youth Initiatives FYI), Jessica Jaimez (FYI), Carolyn Young (Mercy), Danielle Raines (HMG Brighter Futures NFP), AnnMarie Schmersal (CCCHD, Infant Vitality Coordinator) , Rani Masser (PRC)</p>	
Meeting start and stop time	3:02pm, 4:20 pm	
Mission and Vision overview	AnnMarie Schmersal reviewed Start Strong Mission and Vision Motion to approve minutes: Danielle Raines, Second: Kali Lawrence Minutes approved.	
Introductions	3:02-3:05 Brief roundtable introductions	
Medicaid data updates for Clark County	<p>Medicaid Data updates for Clark Co. Krizia Melendez, Humana Presentation - request slides to be sent. (emailed) Data - Aggregate data for Pregnant Medicaid Members in Clark Co. Out of 25,497 Women of Reproductive age, 2435 pregnant/post-partum women utilized the benefits in 2025. Out of 994 Births in Clark Co. 254 are being assessed Perinatally, 191 are being assessed Prenatally .</p>	<p>Follow Up Clarification sent post meeting: How are we defining assessed prenatally/perinatally?: “Assessed prenatally” meant that the health plan assessed her during the pregnancy; “assessed</p>

		<p>perinatally” added the 85 days postpartum. Why are the assessments for Anthem and AmeriHealth at O?: Anthem and AmeriHealth were unable to produce the data within our presentation time frame. As they constitute a small share of the pregnancies for Clark County they were excluded from the analysis. Both plans conduct the assessment.</p>
<p>ROP and PRAF overview</p>	<p>Krizia Melendez, Humana, presented SDOH Health risk assessment results PRAF - Perinatal Risk Assessment Form - form for Medicaid - usually submitted by OBGYN on the first prenatal visit, can be submitted by Family Practice Provider or Emergency Room Provider, not limited to OB providers - start of the postpartum period -incentive to complete: Pauses redetermination which will prevent any interruptions in coverage. \$90 reimbursement to providers. -Fatherhood engagement team asked: Does PRAF ask about father or support person? -Group members asking to access data from PRAF: Submitting organizations can pull their own data. Carolyn confirmed: Mercy OB/GYN does submit PRAF forms. -submitted to Nuture Ohio. Log in with organization ID.</p> <p>ROP - Report of Pregnancy to Medicaid - Non-prenatal care team can submit. - Virtual submission is preferred, \$30 reimbursement IF submitted electronically -Helps connect them to a provider</p>	<p>PRAF paper form link: https://dam.assets.ohio.gov/image/upload/medicaid.ohio.gov/Resources/Publications/Forms/ODM10207fillx.pdf</p> <p>Email momsandbabies@medicaid.ohio.gov for questions</p>
<p>Medicaid VAB overview</p>	<p>Kira Lee (UHC) Value Added benefit comparison grid: https://medicaid.ohio.gov/families-and-individuals/mcare/managed+care 9 Categories - Dental, Vision, Health & wellness - Prenatal & Postpartum - Telehealth - Nurse advice line</p>	

<p>CHW panel insights</p>	<p>Ja-Lynn Sowers (RHCHC) presented on the Community Health Worker offering at Rocking Horse.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 4 FT CHWs, complete an opportunities assessment. - Opportunity to align care/offerings with Rocking Horse and Home Visiting as well as Medicaid Resources. -Shared testimony of success story: Mother, single, homeless with toddler and infant support to achieve housing stability, safety and confidence. 	

2026 Meeting Schedule, all meetings 3-4pm except NOV/ DEC combined meeting will be 2:30-4pm: 2026 Full Coalition Meeting topics

April 13, subcommittees working meeting, CCCHD on Home Road

May 11: Fatherhood updates

June 8, subcommittees working meeting

July 13: , subcommittees working meeting

AUG 17 Teen Pregnancy

September: BF/ Safe Sleep: Birthing Center updates

OCT 19 subcommittees working meeting

Nov/Dec: extended roundtable updates, subcommittee reports