



CONSORTIUM FOR A HEALTHIER MIAMI~DADE
Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Committee Meeting
Tuesday, November 19th, 2024
2:00 PM – 3:00 PM



TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION NEEDED
Membership Total (45)	<p><u>Chair:</u> Leyanee Perez, The American Healthy Weight Alliance</p> <p><u>Co-Chair:</u> Robert Hill, American Heart Association</p> <p>Chiara Spinzi, Florida Department of Health</p> <p>Maritza Mendoza, Alliance for Aging</p> <p>Fong Loo, Fit Kids of America</p> <p>Maria Sol Acosta, Community Cares Plan</p> <p>Aida Von Mossel, University of Miami</p> <p>Alesha Maury, Equipped for Health</p> <p>Stacey Silver, Mom's Meals</p> <p>Paola Calderon, Common Threads</p> <p>Melody Velez, United Healthcare</p> <p>Lorena Ramos, Florida International University</p> <p>Zadymon Moore, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade</p> <p>Marielle Ames Plummer, Community Member</p> <p>Dana Klein, Gheorg</p> <p>Tamia Medina, University of Miami</p> <p>Maria Victoria Benech Perdomo, University of Miami</p> <p>Alena Costume, Barry University</p> <p>Cynthia M. Umana, Baptist Hospital</p> <p>Louisenie Remy, Roxcy Bolton Rape Treatment Center</p> <p>Rachelle Theodore, CLT Business Solutions</p> <p>Shelita Bailey, University of Miami</p> <p>Ahbria Marshall, United Way Miami</p> <p>Diana Alvarado, The Children's Movement of Florida</p> <p>Darianna Andujar, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade</p> <p>Lilia Bandrich, United Healthcare</p> <p>Tiffinie Bratcher, Aetna Better Health of FL</p> <p>Simone Cheong, West Kendall Baptist Hospital</p>	



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	<p>Evelyn Corrales-Randle, Community Care Plan (CCP) Michelle Espinosa, United Way Miami Mayra Garcia, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade Natalie Gray, Pharm. D. Marie-Carmelle Lindley, Arts A L Virginia Munoz, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade Natouchka Murray, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade Dayamyra Perezfernandez, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade Franchine Peters, Roxcy Bolton Rape Treatment Center Danay Rodriguez-Arritola, Larkin Community Hospital Candice Schottenloher, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade Griselle Solorzano, Brain Center Monique Spence, Miami-Dade County Mosquito Control Jeanne Tamargo, Informed Families Carmen Teixeira, Alliance for Aging Laurie Varona, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade Nattaliah Earle, Urban Health Partnerships</p>	
Welcome and Introductions	The Consortium for a Healthier Miami-Dade Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Committee meeting was brought to order by Leyanee Perez at 2:00 PM.	
Approval of Minutes	There was a motion to approve the October 2024 Health Promotion and Disease Prevention minutes by Spence Monique; the motion was seconded by Simone Cheong.	
Executive Board Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Committee Elections: The upcoming committee nominations and elections were discussed, with nominations open for nominees and will be open until November 19th. Requirements for the chair and co-chair were shared. Voting is scheduled for the week of December 2nd to 9th, 2024. Training for new chairs will begin in January 2025. Health Agenda Communication: The elevator speech, health agenda message, and new partner invitation email were reviewed and approved. The team is developing a digital brochure to provide a concise and comprehensive overview of the consortium's purpose, activities, and accomplishments. This brochure will include details about the various committees, their roles, and key achievements, making it easier to explain 	



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	<p>the consortium's work to others. Once finalized, the brochure will be shared with members for use as a communication tool.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mayor's Initiative on Food and Nutrition for All Collaborative: The National Supermarket Association (NSA) donated 400 turkeys and food supplies to the Mayor's Initiative and Caring for Miami, with distribution details forthcoming. Chick-fil-A contributed \$10,000 to Food Rescue as part of the initiative. Advocacy efforts, led by the American Heart Association and Urban Health Partnerships, are pushing Florida to adopt the federal Summer EBT program to support children's summer nutrition. To enhance collaboration and sustainability, a governance structure for the Food & Nutrition for All Initiative is in development, aiming for streamlined operations by 2025 and addressing gaps in nutrition security, especially for children. 	
Workplan Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SWOT Analysis Activity: The committee conducted the Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, and Threats (SWOT) committee activity for this year. As the activity was facilitated, they reviewed the 2023 SWOT Analysis Activity recommendations. This work plan activity ties back to the following objective: By September 30, 2024, the committee will work to complete a SWOT analysis annually. Bounty of Health Fair: The Bounty of Health Fair is scheduled for Friday, December 13, 2024, at West Perrine Health Center, located at 18255 Homestead Avenue, Miami, FL 33157. The fair will run from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, and it will have limited 10 tables, available on a first-come, first-served basis. 	
New Business HPDP Meeting Logistics Conversation MAPP Committee Workplan Update	<p>The committee will meet in November and December. The committee discussed during the SWOT Activity the opportunities and weaknesses to meeting in person the committee has encountered this year. The committee decided to meet in person quarterly for 2025 and will finalize the first meeting's date and location. Potential dates were mentioned. Suggested venues were also part of the conversation. However, challenges like traffic congestion, especially for those from the north, make Doral a preferred option. The committee will follow up in early 2025, with March 18, 2025, meeting date suggested as working well for everyone as the first in-person hybrid meeting.</p> <p>Back in May 2024, The Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade launched its community health planning process, starting with a partner assessment. The well-being survey is currently pending approval, which is used to identify community needs, followed by focus groups. This will inform the 2025–2030 Community Health Improvement Plan. We will continue with the current work plan until new priorities are set.</p>	



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Partner Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• University of Miami Updates<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ The University of Miami's <i>All of Us</i> Research Program, funded by the NIH, seeks over one million diverse U.S. participants to advance precision medicine. Participation is free, open to anyone 18+, with in-person (Miami/Coral Gables clinics) or online options. Benefits include \$25 for clinic visits, genetic testing, and personalized health insights.○ The University of Miami now offers a free <i>health insurance enrollment program</i> funded by University of South Florida, serving Monroe, Miami-Dade, Broward, and Palm Beach Counties. Assistance is available for Affordable Care Act plans, Medicaid, and Florida KidCare, provided in person, virtually, or by phone. Contact us for details or collaboration opportunities.• West Kendall Baptist Hospital Updates:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ West Kendall Baptist Hospital is celebrating the 10th anniversary of the Healthy Hub this fall. This free, one-stop health screening kiosk, open to the public and employees, has served over 36,000 visitors since its launch. Recently, food insecurity and mental health (PHQ-4) questions were added to the screenings. A small celebration will take place on December 5th, with details to follow.○ West Kendall Baptist Hospital is hosting a holiday toy drive until December 13th. Donations will support Project Upstart students experiencing housing insecurity and Caring for Miami.• Urban Health Partnership Update: Urban Health Partnerships is scheduling next year's quarterly stakeholder meetings and Older Adults Advisory Committee meetings. These events will be held in person, and they are seeking locations and speakers. They aim to align meetings with commemorative months that highlight seniors in Miami-Dade County.• Candice Schottenloher (on behalf of Rachel Theodore) Update: There will be a virtual focus group today, November 19th at 6:00 PM and an in-person focus group tomorrow at the Healthy Start Coalition of Miami-Dade.	
Adjournment	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The meeting was adjourned at 3:00 p.m. The next Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Committee meeting will take place virtually on Tuesday, December 17, 2024, from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m.	