



CONSORTIUM FOR A HEALTHIER MIAMI-DADE
Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Committee Meeting
Tuesday, April 16th, 2024
2:00 PM – 3:15 PM



TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION NEEDED
<p>Membership Total (39)</p>	<p>Chair: Leyanee Perez, The American Healthy Weight Alliance Amy Pont, Community Care Plan Carmen Teixeira, Alliance for Aging Cindy Perez, Florida International University Darianna Andujar, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade County Dayamyra Perez Fernandez, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade County Dennise Nicola, PACE at Miami Jewish Health Emily Jones, University of Florida Books and Cooks Program Franchine Peters, Roxcy Bolton Rape Treatment Center Griselle Solorzano, Brain Center Hayly Ojeda, Project Bridge Hope for Miami Indiana Lanzas, United Way Miami Jenny Audain, Memorial Healthcare System Jesus Medina, Galatea Bio Kathleen Sarmiento, Alliance for Aging Kaydean Brown, YMCA South Florida Kelsey Jo Evans, Camp Boggy Creek Laurie Varona, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade County Lili Portmann, Center for Independent Living of South Florida Louisenie Remy, Roxcy Bolton Rape Treatment Center Lucy Pena, My Psychiatrist Luis Ferrer, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade County Maria Catalina Jaramillo, HES & 305 Stitches. Mayra Garcia, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade County Melissa Maytin, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade County Michelle Fundora, Health Choice Network Monica Gonzalez, Art Foundation for People with Disabilities Nattaliah Earle, UHP</p>	



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	<p>Pascale Auguste, Health Education & Promotion Inc. Rachelle Theodore, CLT Business Solutions Ron Manning, University of Miami Trauma Research, Ryder Trauma Center Sandra Delgado Corrales, YMCA South Florida Saradjine Batrony, SB Pro Writing Services Sarah Suarez, Miami-Dade County Silvia Costa, M-DCPS. SSG Christopher Pierce, Florida National Guard, Counterdrug Program Tiffinie Bratcher, Aetna Virginia Munoz, Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade County Vivian Arias, Vi Living</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 March 2024 Health Promotion and Disease Prevention minutes by Sandra Delgado Corrales; the motion was seconded by Pascale Auguste.	
Executive Board Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Executive Board met virtually on Monday, April 8th, 2024. • A friendly reminder, the Worksite Wellness committee still has a Chair vacancy. This is a great leadership opportunity for those who are interested in being a part of the Consortiums leadership. • The Board continues the conversation on COVID-19, health equity, and addressing the root causes of health. Updates were shared on the CDC COVID-19 and Health Equity grant that a no cost extension was received for one year to complete the projects that were delayed due to contracting. Nancy Adebisi and Rachel Roberts also attended and presented at the reverse site visit. The grant continues to focus on the evaluation and sustainability components of each of the projects. • Updates were also shared on food insecurity and security related to the food pantries, screening questions at West Kendall Baptist Hospital, the work of American Heart Association in the community through their Social Impact Fund. 	
Member Spotlights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Overview of YMCA South Florida by Sandra Delgado Corrales, Director of Impact and Capacity Building, Community Health Strategies.</i> The YMCA Village of Allapattah in addition to their food pantry have a health navigation program through which they provide one-on-one support to individuals. Their team works with participants to help them meet their health goals and connect 	



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	<p>them to resources in the community. They connect participants to different organizations in the community that can assist them with whatever available resources that they need. They offer a variety of programs to the community like citizenship classes. They also host galas for older adults, this is free to all seniors and includes dinner and music. This event recognizes the need for not only basic needs and health needs, but also their social needs. For more information contact Sandra Delgado Corrales at: sdelgado@ymcasouthflorida.org.</p>	
Presentation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Introduction to Cultural Competency Training by Rachelle Theodore, MBA, MPH, PMP.</i> The presentation provided an overview of Cultural Competency. The presentation defined cultural competency and its benefits and helped participants identify ways to become culturally competent and responsive. The presentation highlighted the importance of establishing meaningful relationships with members from a diverse background. For more information, contact Rachelle Theodore at: rtheodore@cltbsolutions.com. 	
Adjournment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The next meeting will take place virtually on Tuesday, May 21st, 2024. The meeting was adjourned at 3:15PM. 	