Ensuring Young Children Identified At-Risk for Developmental, Behavioral & Social Delays Receive Follow-Up Services



Consulting and Technical Assistance to Support Yamhill Coordinated Care Organization & the Yamhill Early Learning Hub

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Objectives for Today's Meeting

- To review the core grant activities funded
- To understand priority areas and needs for each stakeholder and, within the design parameters of the funding, and what you would define as success of the project
- To review priority activities for the next few months and get input and guidance on the direction
- To understand existing efforts/processes that need to be built off and who leads those efforts so that OPIP can conduct follow-up interviews
- To confirm next steps and communication agreements



Context: A Refresher from Our July Discussion's

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Project Funding

- Oregon Health Authority supporting Oregon Pediatric Improvement Partnership (OPIP) to provide consulting and technical assistance to a community pilot focused on ensuring children identified at-risk for developmental, behavioral, and social delay receive follow-up services.
 - One year-project January-December 2016
 - Report to Child Health and Well-Being Group, Within OHA and Title V (Public Health), & Transformation Center
 - Every other month meetings with OHA stakeholders, including Early Learning Division
- Meant to address areas of synergy in the goals of the CCOs and Early Learning Hub



The Need for the Project

- Focus on community- and population-based approaches to conducting <u>developmental</u> <u>screening</u>.
 - Screening is occurring AND increasing in community-based providers and PCPs and
 - These efforts often uncoordinated and sometimes duplicative.
- Majority of children identified at-risk for delays using developmental screening tools <u>don't receive</u> follow-up services
 - Data from the Assuring Better Child Development-III project (Led by OPIP)
 - Less than half of children identified at risk for (40%) referred for services.
 - Of the children referred for Early Intervention services, a majority had no documentation of receipt of the services and coordination of the services
 - Within Early Intervention many local EI contractors report that they are unable to connect with at <u>least half of the children referred</u> to them
 - Interviews with primary care providers: Don't refer children to EI services if they know they won't be eligible, unaware of other services
 - Given EI eligibility, a group of referred children will not be eligible for services, so what then?



The Need for the Project

Early Learning Hub Goals Related to:

 Family Resource Management
 Coordination of services
 Ensuring children are kindergarten ready CCO Goals Related to:

 Developmental Screening
 Well-Child Care

3) Coordination of services

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Four Primary Activities Supported by the Project

- **1. Engage and facilitate key stakeholders** on the **shared goal** of ensuring children identified **at-risk receive follow-up** services that are the best match for the child and that are **coordinated** across systems.
- 2. Develop a **triage and referral system map** that can be used to identify the best set of services for children identified at-risk, using the Ages and Stages Questionnaire, and that ensure that services are accessed.
- To develop methods and processes for how care can be coordinated, at a child-level, across primary care and communitybased providers.
- **4. Summarize key learnings to** inform spread and innovation in other communities.



Key Parameters for Pilot Project Given Funding

- "At Risk" Population: Pilot is anchored to children identified at risk using the Ages and Stages Questionnaire
 - That said, some providers may be collecting social determinant information at the time of screening children **OR** be able to report on valuable social determinants (maternal depression screening, ACES, SEEK Parent Questionnaire)
 - Questions:

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- Is everyone using ASQ?
- Who is gathering standardized info on social determinants? Include if we can?



Key Parameters for Pilot Project Given Funding

- "Triage and referral system map meant to identify the best set of services for children identified at-risk
 - Services within community and within health system
 - Services that address family risk factors that may be cause of delays (again within community <u>and</u> within health system)
 - Includes HOW to refer and talk to families about services in a way that increases likelihood of access
 - Includes steps and processes when children found not eligible for referred services
 - Includes steps and processes for when children/families
 <u>don't access</u> referred services



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Key Components of Each of the Four Activities

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Activity #1: Engage and facilitate key stakeholders

- Discussion anchored to shared goal of ensuring children identified at-risk receive follow-up services that are:
 - 1) The **best match for the child** and
 - 2) Coordinated across systems
- Specific Tasks within Activity #1:
 - -Conduct key stakeholder interviews among early learning system, early intervention, community-based providers, primary care providers, health system representatives, 211 and parents of young children
 - -Convene stakeholders to provide input and to receive periodic summaries (proposal is this is group, with additions over time)
 - Recruit parent advisors
 - -Conduct periodic meetings with parent advisors



Activity #2: Develop a triage and referral system map that can be used to identify the best set of services for children

- Specific Tasks within Activity #2:
 - Develop general design parameters for triage and referral map anchored to risks identified in ASQ-3
 - Develop general triage and referral system map anchored to potential risks and related resources in a community
 - Tailor and customize the general map based on resources in Yamhill County
 - -Solicit review and input from stakeholders and parents on that map



Activity #3: To develop methods and processes for how care can be coordinated across primary care & community-based providers

- Goal is to pilot specific methods to ensure coordination.
- Given funding, one priority pathway within the triage and referral map will be given focus for care coordination that include a pilot community-based provider and primary care provider
- Specific Tasks within Activity #3:
 - –Work with key community stakeholders to identify priority pathways where **shared communication** is a priority
 - Identify specific stakeholders for pilot, elements of information to be shared and models of communication
 - Provide support to the pilot stakeholders (community partner and PCP) on their use of the models and key learnings
 - Develop presentation and resource materials outlining care coordination processes



Activity #4: Summarize key learnings to inform spread & innovation in other communities

- Specific Tasks within Activity #4:
 - Conduct strategic interviews and gather qualitative information related to successes and barriers
 - Develop interim and final reports for OHA and key stakeholders (May, September, December)
 - Meetings with OHA and Early Learning Division every other month, Staring in March
 - –Present at Joint Subcommittee of Early Learning Council and Oregon Health Policy Board
 - –Final Report
 - -Post resources on OPIP webpage



Project Activities High-Level Timeline in 2016

	Jan-March	April-June	July-Sept	Oct-Dec
Activity 1- Engage Stakeholders				
Stakeholder identification and interviews	Х			
Convene stakeholders, Strategic Summary	Today 😊	April	August	Dec.
Recruit parents advisors, Input, Strategic Summary	Х	April	August	Dec.
Activity 2- Triage and Referral Map				
Design parameter and general map	X	Х		
Asset mapping of services in Yamhill		Х	Х	
Tailored version of map to Yamhill	n Pediatric		Х	
Implementation and Periodic Review of Map	/ement Par		Х	Х
Activity 3- Care Coordination Methods		,		
Identification of priority pathways		Х		
Identify content and models of care coordination		Х	Х	
Support pilot sites in implementation			Х	Х
Create a summary of learnings	out proper citation			Х



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Component Originally Proposed – But Not Funded Evaluation Data

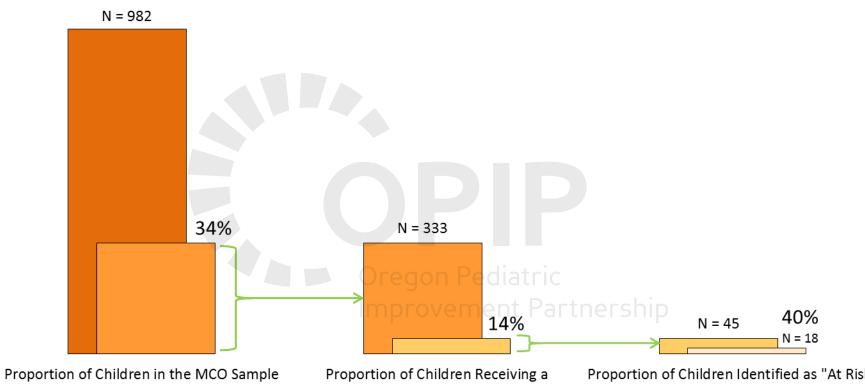
An example of what we thought would be valuable:

– Number/proportion screening

- Screening results
 - How many fail or are borderline? On what domains? On how many domains?
 - What is the correlation of ASQ scores and social determinants
 - » Of those identified at risk, how many are referred? How many referrals?
 - Does this differ by type of domain or by race-ethnicity?
 - Of those referred, how many get to the referrals?
 - Does this differ by type of domain or by race-ethnicity?
 - Of those referred, who get to the service, how many were eligible?
 - Does this differ by type of domain or by race-ethnicity?



Example of Evaluation Data in a Past Project



Proportion of Children in the MCO Sample who Received a Standardized Developmental Screening Proportion of Children Receiving a Standardized Developmental Screening Identified as "At Risk"

Proportion of Children Identified as "At Risk" who were Referred to Early Intervention or Other Services



Hearing From You:

How This Project Can Meet Your Community's Needs & Build Off the Great Work To Date

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Hearing From You

Introduction of each person:

- 1) Role within county,
- 2) In one year, within the design parameters of the project, what would you define as a success for this project for this community
- 3) What existing efforts need to be leveraged
- What role can you play in supporting the project's success



Project Design Parameters – Input Needed

- –Conduct key stakeholder interviews among early learning system, early intervention, community-based providers, primary care providers, health system representatives, 211 and parents of young children
 - Who needs to be interviewed?
 - What efforts do we need to get information about?
 - Who in the community is doing the most ASQs? Who is doing the most ASQs and is not referring for services
 - What PCPs or health system should be interviewed?
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 - Hispanic/Latino Parents?
 - Parents who are experiencing the systems?



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Triage and referral map anchored to risks identified in ASQ-3

- Who "owns" the Family CORE and how it is used across providers?
 - What is working well? What could be improved?
 - Would it be helpful/valuable to hear about community and primary care providers use of the Family CORE Referral form?
- Yamhill Early Learning Hub ASQ Process Map how is that going?
 - What is working well? What could be improved?
- Are there any triage maps already anchored to specific ASQ scores (total score, domain score)
- Have there been any referral and work flow assessment done within the medical side?



Next Steps and Communication Agreements

- Interviews with each of the members of this group and those identified, parent recruitment
- April meeting to share strategic findings of information gathered and shared goals
- Communication preference of this group for updates:
 - Summaries of key next steps after each meeting?
 - Information provided at our group-level meetings.
 - Value of information beforehand?nt Partnership
 - Powerpoint?
 - Written briefs?
 - Reports to OHA who needs to review before we provide them? Reasonable time period for review



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