



AGENDA+NOTES

Kansas Community Health Worker Advocacy & Sustainability Committee		
Goal:		
Meeting Date: 10-17-23 Meeting Time: 1:30 pm Location: Virtual Meeting	Advocacy Committee Co-Chairs: Angela Scott, Ricardo Ortiz Sustainability Committee Co-Chairs: Dr. Mariah Chrans and Brenda Medina Attendees Present: WSU CEI Support: Alissa Rankin, Diana Lady (Facilitator), Megan Betts	
	Topic	Discussion
1.	Welcome	Checking in
2.	Ground Rules	<p>All members and attendees of our committee: We must remember our Mission and vision.</p> <p>Mission: Kansas Community Health Workers collaborating to achieve health equity through education, empowerment, and advocacy.</p> <p>Vision: Heath Equity for all Kansans</p> <p>Keep in mind during our meeting discussions: The reason why we are in this meeting doing this work.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Move up, move back, balance participation. • Listen deeply to understand, not to respond. • Acknowledge that multiple people have contributed to advancing this work. • Use our racial equity lens (which includes culture) to make decisions.
3.	Old Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CHW certification • How an employer will benefit from having a CHW • How patients will benefit from having a CHW <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ What do you do with SDOH screening information? How does a CHW address these? ○ The advocacy committee made a palm card several years ago. The team reviewed this for potential changes. ○ Review how the community benefits from a CHW. ○ Emphasize CHWs for schools so that teachers can get back to teaching instead of spending their time linking students with resources. ○ Please request printed copies of the palm card with us at alissa.rankin@wichita.edu • Include information about Heartland Equity conference takeaways <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Invited one of the speakers to do a local presentation. ○ Share information to get the word out with the newsletter • Follow-up discussion on how to make short, fun videos on what a CHW is, what they do, what a deductible is, what co-insurance is, etc. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Certification video ○ Dr. Mariah is going to check with her team to see if they can do this

		<p>work.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Identified software to use to create the videos. • Examples: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ https://ksassist.org/how-health-insurance-works ○ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6tfK89Yuyas ○
	New Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Update on workforce assessment ○ Palm card update ○ Work assessment goals we still need to consider today: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Request summary of MCO data and outcomes/impact measurements Request summary of grant outcomes from programs Identify methods and models of data collection for sharing with other employers. Create a vocabulary and acronym list for the CHW profession. Develop modules on how to be a good advocate by explaining what you do. Webinar on basic skills (opportunity, engagement, basics of how it works)
4.	Tasks	
5.	KDHE Updates	
6.	Other Community Updates/ Announcements	
7.	Adjourn	
<p>Next Meeting Date, Place, and Time: The Advocacy & Sustainability Committees meet the 3rd Tuesday of every month from 1:30p-2:30p (Virtual Meeting)</p> <p>Next Meeting: Tuesday, November 21, 2023,</p>		
Current Meeting Agreements		
Who	Will do what	By when?