



Children At-Risk Workgroup

Strategic
Planning
Committee

MINUTES

MAY 11, 2011

11:30AM – 1:00PM

WEB CONFERENCE

MEETING CALLED BY	Texas Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program
TYPE OF MEETING	
FACILITATOR	Patrick Bloomingdale
NOTE TAKER	Patrick Bloomingdale
TIMEKEEPER	Patrick Bloomingdale
ATTENDEES	Teresa Willis, Cristina Baker, Patrick Bloomingdale, LJ Smith, Jennifer Karnik, Anabel Granado, Ava Norris, Kyle Boyle, Danielle Dunlap, David Mintz, Kimberly Seals, Genny Carillo, Gulan Sun, Jyothi Domakonda, Kelly Gorham, Linda Kaufman, Marcus Hanfling, Rahma Mungia, Ronald Stringfellow, Stacey-Ann M. Taylor, Susan Starks, Wendy Chung

Agenda topics

TEXAS TRENDS IN CHILDHOOD LEAD POISONING

LJ SMITH

05:20 – 25:40	LJ Smith presented on testing and follow-up testing (see PowerPoint Presentation)
25:40	Dr. Hanfling – Commented on LJ's spectacular data presentation
26:35	Teresa Willis – Let SPC know we can present data for children with blood lead levels 5-9 mcg./dL.

DEFINING ELIMINATION BY 2020

LJ SMITH

27:24 – 34:50	LJ presented on Defining Elimination by 2020 (see PowerPoint Presentation)
37:50	T. Willis – If things continue as they are today with the current resources and staff, we project 964 cases of EBLs in 2020. SPC members will have time to think about the definition and we will vote by email.
39:06	Linda Kaufman – Might want to look at new research or old research that is coming out with the definition of elimination and look at levels below 10.
39:34	Dr. Hanfling – (1). Suggested looking at the 5-9 data. (2). What is the cost-benefit data for levels <10. (3). What's driving the decrease and where can we save money? (4). We should focus on prevalence or incidence basis rather than an absolute value.
41:19	T. Willis – We need to move forward in defining elimination. We will present the 5-9 at the next. SPC meeting.
	Dr. Hanfling – We should come up with an objective instead of just defining elimination.
43:05	J. Carrillo – Agrees with Dr. Hanfling that we should look at the data and set an objective.
43:52	Dr. Wendy Chung – Agrees with SPC members because we are not expecting 0 cases by 2020.
44:17	Hanfling – Elimination is impossible because of older housing, imports, etc. Where did the idea of elimination come from?
45:00	T. Willis – Originated from Healthy People 2010.
46:10	Dr. Hanfling – Has CDC come out with anything redefining elevated as 5-9?
	T. Willis – CDC has not redefined elevated

ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Present data for blood lead levels <10mcg./dL.	LJ Smith	
SPC members will vote via email for on an EBL objective for 2020.	SPC	

