Health Equity Commission Policy Sub Committee Update

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Sub Committee Work Groups

Policy
Community Voices
Health Equity Framework

POLICY WORKGROUP

- Developing a policy analysis framework

- Key to assuring that health equity impact assessment is part of policy review

- Reviewing existing tools and reports commissioned by the State

- Group will be working to produce an example (case study) of analytic tool in the final report

COMMUNITY VOICES WORKGROUP

- Work underway to create a data-driven profile of Maryland citizens as well as needs and interest in health equity

- Additional information from summary notes of the Minority Health and Health Disparities Advisory Group listening sessions

HEALTH EQUITY FRAMEWORK WORKGROUP

- Reviewing the practices of other states and organizations at state and federal level

- Examining previous reports commissioned by the state along with practices already being implemented within the state

- Seeking to recommend a model that would fit Maryland; members expressed an interest in the Massachusetts Health Equity model

Projected Timeline

Time Period	Activities and Outcomes
June-August (Mid)	**Activities and Meetings:** – Workgroup meetings to develop respective report sections (per needs of each workgroup) – Meeting of the leads for each workgroup – minimum three meetings – Meeting with Health Equity Data Chair – July 20 report out to MCHE on progress and general approach **By the mid-August Outcomes Expected:** ▪ Draft sections of final report to be completed and ready for sharing with the larger HEPC ▪ Workgroup leads and HEPC Chair will have outline structure for integrating the three Workgroup sections ▪ Briefing with a representative(s) of MCHE on report status and structure

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Mid-August thru September	– Draft of work done by workgroups groups complete and shared with the full Sub-Committee – Discussion of integration of workgroup reports By the end of August Outcomes Expected: ▪ Integrated first draft of full report ▪ Established plan and process for report completion
September - October	– Meetings of the Committee of the whole each month – Review of report sections; workgroup feedback By the end of October Outcome Expected: ▪ Sub-Committee approved draft report for final edit
November	– Edits and formatting – Reference checking – Any edits needed will be completed By the end of November Outcome Expected: ▪ Report ready for review for final edits
December	Deliverable: Final report delivered to the MCHE

Questions?