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| Communities of Practice with RDHAP Community |
| **Date & Time:** | November 25, 2019, 3pm – 4pm |
| **Location:** | Zoom link: <https://ucsf.zoom.us/j/460112895>-or- Phone line: US: +1 669 900 6833 or +1 646 558 8656 Meeting ID: 460 112 895 |
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| Agenda |
| 1. Review of Eight Focus Areas
2. Discussion on CoP RDHAP survey
3. Updates by members of workgroup
4. Next steps
5. Next meeting: January 2020
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| **Communities of Practice (CoP) Workgroup Meeting Minutes****November 25, 2019****3:00 pm – 4:00 pm**  |
| **Agenda item** | **Attended in-person:** | **Attended by phone:** | **Not able to attend:** | **Action Items** |
| Keiko Miyahara | Jay Kumar, Lynn Walton-Haynes, Steve Silverstein, Lisa Berens, Melody Jackson, Laurel Bleak, Paul Glassman, Gwen Essex, Joanna Aalboe, Gayle Mathe, Shannon Conroy, Rosanna Jackson, Susie Saindon, Rhoda Gonzales, Darla Dale, Travi Trammel, Susan McLearan |  |
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| **Review charge of this workgroup** | * Rollcall
* Review elements of CoP and background
* Survey announcement
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| **Mobile Dental Providers****Dental Board reguations on mobile providers****Purchasing equipment** **Virtual Dental Home****Barriers and challenges** **Next steps**  | **Susie** - Kern County* Parents are reluctant to sign for school dental program. Challenging encounter with Bigsmiles.
* Program is funded by First 5, completely free. If treatements are needed, children are refeered to a local pedodontist
* For-profit mobile dental porgram such as Bigsmiles, bills Dentical, requires 40-50 students per/day to come to schools. Provide the students with toothbrush and fluoride varnish.

**Dr. Glassman** * Issue with private mobile provider
* Completes only partial treatment with no follow-up treatment
* Basic policy issues, need of regulations

**Gayle** * Bill passed number of years on private mobile provider
* Regulation is still lacking
* Draft regulation package on consent, follow-up, and communicating with parents of what has been done
* Board prioritized other issues over regulating the mobile providers
* Guidance on how to determine ethical mobile dental provider is available, on CDE’s website

**Laurie** - Calaveras County* Used guideline to present to her county’s First 5 Commission
* Guideline is a great resource to use

**Rhoda** * Bill SB 562 – Dentists: mobile or portable dental units
* Licensure and regulation of dentists by the Dental Board of California
* Who regulates the corporations that own the dental vans?
* Who regulates these corporation that are not owned by dentists?

**Dr. Glassman*** Dental board does have authority over dentistry, regulation over the practice of dentistry whether practice by a corporation or individual dentist. It apply to these corporations. The dental professionals hired by these corporations are purvey of the dental board.

**Dr. Silverstein** * The local oral health programs are in the implementation phase, must engage in SBSL program. Prop. 56 is not to be used for service.
* For equipment purchase, check with the assigned contract analyst from the Office of Oral health.
* **Virtual Dental Home**

**Dr. Glassman** * Sustainability needs income stream by way of county funds or by program revenue.
* Difficult with doing sealant program alone.
* By adding the VDH, possible to add the complete exam which is billable, x-rays, photographs and other procedures such as trophy and fluoride varnish.
* Full service treatment and full service package might be more beneficial, potential to add additional revenues. Bigger procedure mix

**Dr. Kumar** * In the sealant program, cleaning, FL varnish, sealants could be billed.
* Goal is to increase the prevalence of sealants. CDC guideline for public health programs.

**Dr. Glassman*** What is the frequency of the sealant team coming back to the schools?
* Some states have dental teams come in for a week and gone for two years
* Need dental team at school on regular intervals to raise impact and awareness of oral health and other secondary benefits
* Need **continuous presence systems** vs **episodic systems**

**Susie** * Prophy, FL varnish and sealant would be sustainable.
* In teledentistry model, could you bill Medical for x-rays and photographs, is this a successful process?

**Dr.Glassman** * Working with providers but so far has been successful

**Susie** * In Kern County, nothing is billed, services are paid for by First 5.
* Disconnect with the schools and miscommunication. Even when scheduled with the school in advance, the schools would cancel due to field trips or due to testing.
* High staff turnover at schools, new staff is not aware or given any information.
* **Next steps**
* Continue to work on the **eight focus areas** or other topics discussed by group
* Survey #2
* Next meeting: March 2020
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