# North Jersey Health Collaborative health matters

#### **Workgroup Meeting Update**

County: Passaic

Workgroup: Access to Care

**Meeting Date:** 

Use this form at every workgroup meeting (in-person/by phone). Send a completed copy via email to catherine.connelly@njhealthmatters.org. This form will be used to update our engagement scorecard/action tracker, CHIP strategies and website.

Meeting Attendees						
Name (Last)	Name (First)	Organization:	Email Address:	Attended (x)		

#### **Strategies Cheat Sheet**

- 1) Engage underserved populations to understand their unique challenges to accessing healthcare.
  - # of stakeholders engaged
  - # opportunities for stakeholder engagement
  - % of ideas that provide new information (previously unknown to workgroup)
  - #/% ideas that generate new strategies <u>OR</u> # of new strategies developed

#### 2) Identify and establish collaborative relationships with existing healthcare resources in the local community.

- # resources/services reviewed or contacted
- # of workgroup hours spent assessing current systems (if applicable)
- # of new leverage points identified to improve access/capacity/systems (previously unknown to workgroup)
- # of number of new resources identified and newly added (resource guide strategies only)
- #/% of identified leverage points acted upon (may even generate new strategies)
- #/% number of resources maintained in database (resource guide strategies only)

## 3) Connect existing screening programs to free clinics in underserved communities to establish a continuum of care.

- # individuals referred/exposed to resources
- # of resources/agencies connected in referral pathway
- % who use resource/service (random sample if needed)
- % of resources/agencies actively making referrals through new pathways (random sample if needed)
- #/% reporting service/resource met their need (random sample if needed)

## 4) Increase the capacity of existing free healthcare providers to reach more people in the communities they serve.

- # resources/services reviewed or contacted
- # of workgroup hours spent assessing current systems (if applicable)
- # of new leverage points identified to improve access/capacity/systems (previously unknown to workgroup)
- # of number of new resources identified and newly added (resource guide strategies only)
- #/% of identified leverage points acted upon (may even generate new strategies)
- #/% number of resources maintained in database (resource guide strategies only)

## 5) Work with existing health resource databases to offer information in languages other than English and Spanish.

- # individuals reached/touched
- % participant satisfaction
- % in target geographies/populations
- #/% of individuals reporting improvements in health status/literacy/behaviors
- %/# of individuals reporting relevant knowledge gain\*

**Note:** Performance measures reported at quarterly County meetings. To edit or add a strategy, e-mail data@njhealthmatters.org

<sup>\*</sup>measured by pre/post-test on content area, if one is available

Action taken since last meeting (description)	Who did this action (can be multiple people)
Example: Surveyed and completed 35 questionnaires on access to care issues at 2 community health fairs	Example: Kelly Kapowski, John Jones

Next Workgroup Meeting (Date, Time, Place): \_\_\_\_\_

Do you need Data, Research or Technical Support from the Data Committee? If yes, please email data@njhealthmatters.org.

If you have questions or need support with other issues related to your workgroup, please email Catherine.Connelly@njhealthmatters.org.