
Bree Collaborative | Shared Decision Making Workgroup

January 25th, 2019 | 9:00-10:30

Foundation for Health Care Quality

Members Present

Emily Transue, MD, MHA, Associate Medical Director, Washington State Health Care Authority (Chair)

David Buchholz, MD, Medical Director, Premera

Sharon Gilmore,* RN, Risk Consultant, Coverys

Leah Hole-Marshall,* JD, General Counsel and Chief Strategist, Washington Health Benefit Exchange

Steve Jacobson MD, MHA, CPC, Associate Medical Director Care Coordination, The Everett Clinic, a DaVita Medical Group

Dan Kent, MD,* Medical Director, United Health Care

Dan Lessler, MD, MHA, Physician Executive for Community Engagement and Leadership Comagine Health

Karen Merrikin, JD, Contract Program Director Washington State Health Care Authority

Randy Moseley,* MD, Medical Director of Quality Confluence Health

Martine Pierre Louis,* MPH, Director of Interpreter Services, Harborview

Karen Posner, PhD, Research Professor, Laura Cheney Professor in Patient Safety, Department of Anesthesiology & Pain Medicine, University of Washington

Angie Sparks, MD, Family Physician and Medical Director Clinical Knowledge Development

Kaiser Permanente

Staff and Members of the Public

Kendra Castaldo

Steve Levy,* Washington Patient Safety Coalition

Alicia Parris, Bree Collaborative

Sarah Pearson,* Washington State Health Care Authority

Laura Pennington,* Washington State Health Care Authority

Dayna Weatherly, Proliance Surgeons

Allison Weaver,* Upstream USA

Ginny Weir, MPH, Bree Collaborative

Emily Wittenhagen,* Washington Patient Safety Coalition

* By phone/web conference

INTRODUCTIONS

Emily Transue, MD, MHA, Associate Medical Director, Washington State Health Care Authority, and Ginny Weir, MPH, Bree Collaborative opened the meeting and asked those present to introduce themselves, and share their background, goals, and expectations.

BREE COLLABORATIVE OVERVIEW

Ms. Weir presented the background and past work of the Bree Collaborative including:

- Bree process
- Summary of the Open Public Meetings Act
- Conflict of interest

Action Item: Group will complete Open Public Meetings Act training and return completed roster to Ginny Weir

REVIEW PREVIOUS SHARED DECISION MAKING EFFORTS

Karen Merrikin, JD, Contract Program Director and Laura Pennington, Washington State Health Care Authority, discussed the background of shared decision making in Washington State and the *Literature Review for Shared Decision Making* including:

- HCA Thought Leader Group discussion and process
 - Thought Leader Group Vision
 - Goals were increased update of shared decision making
 - Use of the National Quality Partners Playbook
- Facilitators and barriers of using shared decision making

PRELIMINARY SCOPE OF WORK

Workgroup viewed *Draft Charter and Roster* along and discussed preliminary scope of work including:

- Removal of “reduce costs” from *Problem Statement*. There are questions as to the applicability of the original study from Group Health to cost savings generally.
- Changed statement in *Aim* from “across Washington State” to “across the country”
- Group discussed including policy requests that would mandate widespread adoption
- Changed bullet in *Purpose* from “enablers for practice transformation” to “enablers for shared decision making adoption and sustainable use.”
- Additional members to add to roster
 - Regence representation
 - Diverse patient advocate(s)
 - Providence St. Joseph representation
 - Tribal provider representation.
 - Ginny has emailed Urban Indian Health Institute.
- Group would like to see a presentation from shared decision making aid developers
- Identifying high impact areas where high quality decision aids are needed
- Premera has some patient decision aids on their website – from Healthwise
- Language needs to be culturally appropriate and have easy to understand facts and numbers.
 - Needs to be applicable to rural areas as well.

Action Items:

- Ms. Pennington will request permission from shared decision making aid developers to share proprietary aids with the group.
- Ginny to send link to HCA website on patient decision aids, link from Premera website, statute (RCW) outlining the HCA Medical Director’s ability to certify patient decision aids, link to Ottawa website.
- Ginny to email Dr. Rick Ludwig for Providence representation.

NEXT STEPS AND PUBLIC COMMENTS

Dr. Transue and Ms. Weir asked for final comments and thanked all for attending. The meeting adjourned.