Members Present

Hugh Straley, MD, Bree Collaborative (Chair)  
Susie Dade, MS, Patient Representative  
DC Dugdale, MD, MS, University of Washington Medical Center 
Gary Franklin, MD, Washington State Department of Labor and Industries 
Stuart Freed, MD, Confluence Health 
Richard Goss, MD, Harborview Medical Center 
Norifumi Kamo, MD, MPP, Virginia Mason Franciscan Medical Center 
Darcy Jaffe, MN, ARNP, NE-BC, FACHE, Washington State Hospital Association 
Rick Ludwig, MD, Providence Health Accountable Care 
Greg Marchand, The Boeing Company

Kimberly Moore, MD, Franciscan Health System 
Drew Oliveira, MD, Regence 
Mark Haugen, MD, Physician, Walla Walla Clinic 
Susane Quistgaard, MD, Premera Blue Cross 
Kevin Pieper, MD, MHA, Kadlec Regional Medical Center 
Karen Johnson, PhD, Washington Health Alliance. 
Carl Olden, MD, Pacific Crest Family Medicine 
John Robinson, MD, SM, First Choice Health 
Jeanne Rupert, DO, PhD, The Everett Clinic 
Angie Sparks, MD, Kaiser Permanente 
Shawn West, MD, Embright 
Laura Kate Zaichkin, MPH, SEIU 775 Benefits Group 
Judy Zerzan, MD, MPH, Washington State Health Care Authority

Members Absent

Mary Kay O’Neill, MD, MBA, Mercer  
Dan Kent, MD, United Health Care

Staff and Members of the Public

Lydia Bartholomew, MD, Aetna 
Jackie Barry, APTA Washington (a chapter of the American Physical Therapy Association) 
Tiffany Buck 
Tricia Daniel, RN, CCM, WWCP, NurseWorks NW, WSIA Medical Rep 
Billie Dickinson, Washington State Medical Association 
Amy Etzel, Bree Collaborative 
Amy Florence, Premera 
Jason Fodeman, MD, Labor and Industries 
Mary Franzen 
Toni Konkol, Humana 
Julie-Marie L 
Alice Lind, Health Care Authority 
Nick Locke, MPH, Bree Collaborative 
Leah Hole-Marshall, JD, Washington Health Benefit Exchange

Emily Horsley 
Bob Marsalli, Washington Association 
Molly McHugh 
Robert Mecklenburg, MD 
Brian Mendelsberg, Humana Insurance 
Steve Overman, MD 
Laura Pennington, Health Care Authority 
Kelly Sanders 
Monica Salgaonkar, MHA, Washington State Medical Association

All meeting materials are posted on the Bree Collaborative’s website, here, under previous meetings.
CHAIR REPORT, APPROVAL OF MINUTES
Hugh Straley, MD, opened the meeting and all that were present introduced themselves.

Motion: Approve the March 24, 2021 Meeting Minutes
Outcome: Passed with unanimous support

PRESENTATION: BUILDING A COMMUNITY STANDARD TO ADDRESS SYSTEMIC RACISM
Dr. Ben Danielson, MD, UW School of Medicine framed his talk through the lens of intersecting social determinants of health and racism. Dr. Danielson began by discussing the history of the black and brown experience informing present experience. Dr. Danielson touched on how many fear talking about racism in the health care system and do not want to discuss or face race. Many also do not want to discuss as they fear not having the right language. Basic representation in a health care setting’s workforce of communities is essential and important, and when it actual comes to addressing racism the value of a young person seeing someone who looks like them is very important to the future that we all want and strive to see. Members discussed the difficulties of holding these conversations within their own institutions.

PRESENTATION: SOCIAL DETERMINANTS IN CLINICAL CARE FINAL GUIDELINES
Nick Locke, MPH, Bree Collaborative updated members on the progress of the social determinants of health (SDoH) guidelines. Guidelines have been disseminated for public comment and vetted by multiple stakeholders. The guideline outlines gaps and capacities within the health care system, data including race/ethnicity/language (REL), and the role of all our stakeholders. Barriers include resources being available for those in need (e.g., housing, food) the impact of racism on health, the role of our delivery systems and governmental entities, the role of purchasers in impacting SDoH and their enthusiasm to do so, REL data responsibilities and opportunities for health plans, and SDoH screening within delivery systems. Members discussed the difficulty and importance of this as a service line.

Motion: Adopt Social Determinants of Health Report and Recommendations
Outcome: Passed with unanimous support

DISSEMINATION FOR PUBLIC COMMENT: CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING
Laura Kate Zaichkin, MPH, SEIU 775 presented the cervical cancer screening recommendations. The workgroup feels these are ready for public comment. Content of the recommendations includes HPV vaccine, the act of screening, trauma informed care, tracking and feedback, and follow-up to any abnormal screen.

Motion: Approve for dissemination for public comment
Outcome: Passed with unanimous support

DISCUSSION: FROM TOPIC SELECTION TO IMPLEMENTATION
Ginny Weir, MPH, CEO, Foundation for Health Care Quality outlined the previously considered topics for guideline development as well as those that were selected. Members discussed wanting to hear from the Agency Medical Director’s Group as well as other stakeholders and wanting a more manageable topic that is a discrete service.

NEXT STEPS AND CLOSING COMMENTS
Dr. Straley thanked those present and closed the meeting.

Next Bree Collaborative Meeting: July 28th, 2021 | 12:30 – 2:30 | Zoom