

Nutrition Education and Obesity Prevention Branch
All SNAP-Ed Local Health Department Call/Webinar – Meeting Notes
Thursday, February 11, 2016
2:00pm – 3:30pm

2016 SNAP-Ed Strategies & Interventions: An Obesity Prevention Toolkit, Jackie Richardson

- Information and elements that are new to the Toolkit from the May 2014 Edition include:
 - SNAP-Ed Evaluation Framework
 - Summary Chart of Interventions
 - Summary Chart of Resources
 - Lengthened introduction with added CDC strategies and interventions and Re-AIM
- Information that did not change, stayed the same include:
 - Same general layout
 - Same categories for strategies
- Resource link can be found [here](#)

LHD Success Story

Sunny Baker, Del Norte County

Creating New Community Gardens and Maintaining Existing Gardens through Collective Impact

Healthy Stores for a Healthy Community: Training Opportunity, Jessie Gouck

- Upcoming training for the Healthy Stores for a Healthy Community Train-the-Trainer on March 1-2, 2016 in Sacramento, CA.
- LHDs can participate if invited by local Tobacco partners.
- Training is 100% SNAP-Ed allowable.
- LHDs should connect with their local Tobacco counterparts to see where data collection is take place in their county
 - This is very important if LHDs are part of the next CX³ data collection happening in the spring and there are stores that overlap
- State NEOPB staff will be in attendance at the training if you want to connect.

- For more information, please contact Jessie Gouck at (916) 449-5383 or email at Jessie.Gouck@cdph.ca.gov

Champion Alliance Program (CAP), *Asbury Jones*

- CAP is a train-the-trainer meeting on Healthy Eating and Active Living Toolkit for community educators, and Champion for Change media messages.
- There are six community-based organizations known as CAP Partners.
- Upcoming CAP training will be held on March 8-9, 2016 in Sacramento, CA.
- The training is to help recruit new Champions for Change and to partner with LHDs in the delivery of SNAP-Ed in their surrounding communities.
- For more information, please contact Asbury Jones at (916) 449-5434 or email at Asbury.Jones@cdph.ca.gov

1. **LHD Question:** Will there be a CAP training held in the Southern California area?
 - a. NEOPB: Yes, dates TBD for 2016.
2. **LHD Question:** If a LHD has local champions we are already working with, can we still send them to these future trainings?
 - a. NEOPB: Absolutely.

Statewide LIA Training and Technical Assistance Needs Update, *Reema El-Murr*

- Survey is currently being reviewed by the California's SNAP-Ed State Implementing Agency (SIA) managers and University of California (UC), Nutrition Policy Institute (NPI) point of contact.
- The survey is intended to build upon information gathered and conducted from interviews by NPI.
- Survey which is slated for late February or early March (slight delay)

California Board Association: School Wellness Survey Update, *Jeffery Rosenhall*

- The online survey was conducted to identify areas where schools needed support with their wellness policies
- The survey was done in collaboration with Project Leaders Encouraging Activity and Nutrition (LEAN), California School Boards Association, The Association of California School Administrators, California Department of Education, and the Dairy Council.
- The online survey on school wellness policies were sent to California public school principals and school district administrators affiliated with individual schools or districts.
- Important information and key findings from the survey include:

- Sent to 6,570 public school principals and district administrators; 366 participated in the online survey
- There were areas of concern for schools of greatest priority to least
- Areas where NEOP can provide support include Nutrition, Physical Activity and Worksite Wellness
- Several school-based SNAP-Ed Interventions include Rethink Your Drink, Farm-to-School, Power Play!, Youth Engagement and Harvest of the Month
- And several Prevention First Activities include School Health, Nutrition standards, Physical Activity promotion, and Playground stencils.
- For information or copies of the report, contact Kathy Streng at (916) 449-5371 or email at Katharina.Streng@cdph.ca.gov

Smart Lunchrooms Movement – Funding Opportunity, *Reema El-Murr*

- California Department of Education Nutrition Services Division invites eligible California school food authorities to apply for the Team Nutrition Smarter Lunchrooms Movement of California grant.
 - Online application closes on Monday, March 7, 2016 at 4pm – Pacific time.
 - Pre-application TA Webinar to answer questions about the grant application process on Wednesday, February 17, 2016 at 1:30 pm – Pacific time.
 - Click here to [Learn More](#)

March All LHD Call/Webinar, *John Talarico*

- There will not be an All LHD call/webinar on Thursday, March 10, 2016 from 2:00 to 3:30 pm due to priority projects including the three-year Integrated Work Plans (IWP), Site Lists, and Budgets.
- NEOPB will resume All LHD calls/webinars in April and the remainder of 2016. All LHD calls are held on the 2nd Thursday of each month from 2:00 to 3:30 pm.
- For more information, please contact Linda Lee Gutierrez at (916) 449-5420 or email at Linda.Gutierrez@cdph.ca.gov

Additional Questions and Answers

- 3. LHD Question:** Have the 1st Quarter invoice templates been sent?
 - a. NEOPB: By now, FFY 16 invoice templates should have been sent to you by your Contract Manager. If you have not received your invoice template, please contact your Contract Manager and request an invoice template.
- 4. LHD Question:** Are there any updates for additional users to the CDSS SNAP-Ed SharePoint site related to the IWP?

- a. NEOPB: No, however NEOPB has addressed these concerns to CDSS. New information or updates will be shared once received. **UPDATE!** As needed, if you experience any user/technical issues, please contact CDSS directly via CalFreshSNAP-Ed@dss.ca.gov and cc your respective NEOPB Project Officer on all email communications. When reporting **any** issues pertaining to the CDSS SNAP-Ed SharePoint site, please include the following information in your email:
 - 1. List the browser version you are working in
 - 2. State the timeframe that you worked in the site
 - 3. Send screenshots of the issue that you are experiencing or the error message you are receiving
 - 4. State your county
- 5. LHD Question:** When is the budget webinar for the three year work plan?
- a. NEOPB: **UPDATE!** [Build a Better Budget Webinar Recording \(2/18/2015\)](#)

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