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I & E Committee

We want to remind you that the statewide I & E Committee is available to review materials. The committee reviews and helps determine if materials are appropriate for our clients across the state. If you have any materials you want to be reviewed, and think other providers could benefit from, please forward your requests to Malika Edden at malika.p.edden@state.or.us and she will answer any questions you have and begin the review process.

Oregon Contraceptive Care Waiver Renewal Approved!

We are pleased to announce that the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) approved a 5-year renewal of Oregon Contraceptive Care (CCare). With 4+ years of work on the waiver renewal, Oregon was the second state to use CMS' Fast Track extension process and the first state to submit its application utilizing CMS' streamlined application templates. The waiver renewal maintains all of CCare's existing coverage provisions and simplifies a number of administrative processes at the state level. We look forward to another 5 years of work to improve the well-being of children and families by reducing unintended pregnancies and improving access to primary care services!

Trainings and Education

August Webinar: RH Program Orientation

(August 17, 9:00-10:00)

August's RH Program webinar will be a RH Program Orientation to train new staff and refresh current staff. We will give a broad overview of the Oregon RH Program, discuss the differences between Title X & CCare, cover requirements for all agencies, go over the CVR and program resources. We recommend anyone new to the program or in need of a refresher attend the training. Click [here](#) to register.

September Webinar: Ahlers Data & Reports

(September 21, 9:00-10:00)

September's RH Program webinar will cover Ahlers data and reports, and will include demonstrations of how to use the reports to track Annual Plan goals, and other data questions. Click [here](#) to register.

Stop. Observe. Ask. Respond to Human Trafficking (SOAR)

Many victims of human trafficking come into contact with health care and social service professionals but remain unidentified. Potential victims can present with a wide-range of physical and psychological health issues and social service needs. The SOAR training aims to educate health care and social service professionals on how to identify, treat, and respond appropriately to potential victims of human trafficking.

SOAR training kicks off at the end of August with several sessions offered in-person and online through the end of September. You can learn more about SOAR training and when registration will be available on the [SOAR website](#).

For more trainings check our Provider Trainings webpage:

www.healthoregon.org/rhtrainings

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LEARNING COLLABORATIVE

This section shares news and highlights resources for our new RH Learning Collaborative: Serving Youth. If there are specific resources you are either looking for, or want to share, please email Alison Babich at alison.a.babich@state.or.us.

RH Learning Collaborative Youth Engagement Grant Due Date Extended

The deadline for the RH Learning Collaborative Youth Engagement Grant Application has been extended to August 25th, 2016. The funding announcement and application are **attached**. If you haven't already applied, we encourage you to consider submitting an application by the new deadline.

Adolescent Health Initiative (AHI) Adolescent-Centered Environment (ACE) Assessment

As you think of projects for the Youth Engagement Grant, check out [University of Michigan's ACE Assessment](#). Developed by a multidisciplinary team of health professionals and Teen Advisory Council members, the ACE is a facilitated, comprehensive self-assessment and guided improvement process that includes customized resources, recommendations, technical assistance, and implementation plans using Plan, Do, Study, Act (PDSA) improvement cycles.

And you don't have to perform the ACE alone. [AHI](#) will work with your health center team to facilitate this self-assessment process, reviewing 12 overarching areas of adolescent-centered care. Health centers receive customized implementation plans, workflows, starter guides, training opportunities, and robust resources and recommendations based on the priority areas that are identified by your team.

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