NAIP Development: Overview

1. Identify goals and strategies for the National Adult Immunization Plan
2. Identify and develop performance indicators and targets
3. Write the National Adult Immunization Plan
4. Revise plan following public and federal agency comment period
5. Publish Plan
Why Do We Need Indicators?

To focus the efforts of stakeholders  
To promote accountability  
To drive quality improvement

“*The strategic plan is your roadmap and performance indicators keep you from getting lost.*”

Embracing Performance Indicators in Strategic Planning

Long history of use in the private sector and growing use by government  
2010: National Vaccine Plan  
Priorities for implementation but no performance indicators  
2011: National Prevention Strategy  
Dozens of indicators  
2013: HHS Strategic Plan  
Hundreds of indicators
Qualities of Strong Indicators

- Specific
- Meaningful
- Measurable
- Reliable
- Relevant

The Challenge

- Existing measures not developed for strategic planning purposes
- Major gaps for NAIP goals
- Most represent two concepts:
  - Provider accountability/performance assessment (e.g., did provider offer vaccine)
  - Population health (e.g., vaccine uptake)
Methods

- Environmental scan
  - 150 unique indicators categorized by plan goal

- Stakeholder engagement
  - Focus groups
  - Interviews

- Scoping for indicators
  - Plan to include ~15 indicators
  - Capture mix of process and outcome indicators
  - Drawn from existing data sources; others “development”

- Scoping for targets
  - Aspirational without being unrealistic

Exclusion Criteria

- Measure will not be relevant in 5 years
- Measure is not national in scope
- Measure cannot be “measured”
- Data source has an uncertain future
- Measure is not relevant to the plan goal
- Progress on measure cannot be interpreted
**Target-Setting Method**

1. Adopt Healthy People 2020 target
2. (If none) Be consistent with a national program, regulation, policy, or law that sets a standard
3. (If none) Default 30% absolute improvement and expert judgment regarding impact of policy changes, interventions, etc.

**Current Indicators and Targets**

**Goal 1: Strengthen the adult immunization infrastructure**

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*Developmental measure*
### Current Indicators and Targets

**Goal 2: Improve access to adult vaccinations**

#### Indicators

- % of states and territories that allow pharmacists to administer all routinely recommended vaccines for adults 19+ without a patient-specific prescription
- % of surveyed primary care providers who stock vaccines routinely recommended for adults
- % of state Medicaid programs that include all recommended vaccinations for adults as a preventive benefit for existing patients and prohibit cost-sharing

#### Developmental measure

#### Targets

- 100%
- 60%
- 100%

### Current Indicators and Targets

**Goal 3: Increase community demand for adult vaccinations**

#### Indicators

- % of surveyed adults who believe they are recommended to receive a flu vaccine
- % of surveyed adults who report receiving a provider recommendation for flu vaccine
- % of surveyed adult health care providers who report assessing vaccination status at every visit
- % of surveyed adults aware of select routinely recommended adult vaccines they are supposed to receive
- % of pregnant women who reported receiving influenza and tdap vaccines during pregnancy

#### Developmental measures

#### Targets

- 75%
- 90%
- 60%
- TBD
- TBD
**Current Indicators and Targets**

Goal 4: Foster innovation in adult vaccine development and vaccination-related technologies

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**Developmental measures**

**Other Indicators Considered**

- % of flu vaccination encounters at which another vaccine was administered
- % of health departments that bill for immunization services
- % of providers that query IIS prior to administering vaccinations
- % of health plans that categorize all vaccines at tier one, no co-pay services
- % of health departments with adult immunization coordinators
- % of immunization programs with active immunization coalition that covers adult immunization
- % of programs (or commercial health plans) that include pharmacists as vaccine providers
- % of health plans that include pharmacists as in-network providers
- % of PCPs who refer patients to other immunization provider if they don’t stock vaccines
- % of immunization program grantees meeting 12 functional standards for IIS
- % of immunization program grantees with IIS with lifespan systems
- % of eligible providers serving adults that submit adult immunization data to IIS
Questions?

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