Update on The National Adult and Influenza Immunization Summit (NAIIS) Activities

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The National Adult and Influenza Immunization Summit

• Was formed in 2012 to build upon the strategies and successes of the National Influenza Vaccine Summit
  – IAC, CDC and NVPO, as lead organizations, developed a MOU for National Adult and Influenza Immunization Summit (NAIIS)
  – MOU established NAIIS Organizing Committee
    • AAP, AAFP, AAPA, AANP, ACP, ACOG, AMA, AMGA, ANA, APhA, GSA, IDSA, NFID
    • AIM, NACCHO, AIRA, ASTHO, BIO also participate as SOC liaisons
• Work done throughout year by working groups
• Over 800 participants representing about 140 public and private entities
The Summit Organizing Committee (SOC)

• SOC members included based on their intellectual contributions to meeting agenda planning and leading working groups
• SOC members work to further the goals of raising awareness about ACIP recommended adult immunizations and influenza vaccine and raising coverage for ACIP recommended vaccines
• Provide input to the agenda, meeting planning, and priorities for the work of the NAIIS and participate in one or more working groups

Summit Working Groups (and Co-Leads)

• Thank you to all these wonderful volunteer leaders!
• Access and Provider
  – Co-Leads: Carolyn Bridges, contractor to CDC; Debra Hawks, ACOG; Kim Martin, ASTHO; Mitch Rothholz, APhA; L.J Tan, IAC; and Salem Wubu, ACP.
• Quality Measures
  – Co-Leads: Amy Groom (IHS); Angela Shen (NVPO); and Sharon Sprenger (Joint Commission).
• Influenza
  – Co-Leads: Amy Behrman (U Penn), Kelly McKenna (EverThrive Illinois), Amy Parker Fiebelkorn (CDC)
Accomplishments of the NAIIS – Access and Provider

- Developed and published on-line billing and coding resources for adult vaccination to reduce errors
- One-pager on immunizations activities and MIPS points
- Updated disparities fact sheet - adds disparities in Tdap vaccination of pregnant women on Medicaid
- Maintenance of Standards slide sets
- Planning two meetings to address and develop implementation tools on:
  - Adult immunizations roadmap for healthcare systems, building upon previous work (Executive briefing, webinar, white paper)
  - Adult immunizations business case – clinicians and systems
- Updated IIS “benefits for patients and providers” brochure
  - Refined messages to 4 target audience: clinicians, pharmacists, healthcare systems, and occupational health providers
Working with healthcare systems

Webinar: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BuhQmCVJ9Vs

Accomplishments of the NAIIS – Influenza

• Created, published, piloted, and disseminated checklist for best immunization practices for vaccination clinics held at satellite, temporary, and offsite locations
  – Created and published pledge and honor roll for organizations using checklist
  – Published FAQ’s to facilitate use of checklist and pledge
  – Created and published one page summary of principles underlying checklist
  – Conducted webinar on the checklist and its need for the NAICP
• Conducted CDC Immunization Netconference webinar 5/2/17
• Initiated collaboration with CMS and GSA to improve LTCF healthcare worker education and immunization
  – Completing Guidance for Influenza Vaccination Requirements for HCP in LTCF
  – Fall meeting planned (October) bringing in leadership of LTCF

Accomplishments of the NAIIS – Quality Measures

• Developed prenatal and adult immunization composite measure drafts
  – Prenatal and adult composite measures completed testing
  – NCQA has approved the measures for public comment
  – Submission for consideration into Medicare programs, Medicaid Adult & Child Core Sets, and NQF Endorsement

• Developed letter to CMS with recommendations for implementing vaccination of ESRD patients, including development of quality measures
  – Letter completed sign-on process with Summit partners and sent to CMS, and receipt acknowledged

• NVPO conducting analyses of vaccine coverage through a CMS-NVPO collaboration on Medicare claims analysis
Welcome to Ram Koppaka, MD, PhD!

Ram is the new Associate Director for Adult immunization at the CDC

Please seek him out and give him a warm welcome to our Summit family!