

**San Diego County Childhood Obesity Initiative
Early Childhood Domain Workgroup
May 27, 2014**

Attendees: Keturah Swenson, Jamie Moody, Jojo Drinkwater, Kim McDougal, Cheryl Moder, Penny Adler, K. Holly Reaz, Rima Aridi, Kristine Smith, An De Meester, Sara De Lepeleere, Kim Woodward, Paul Rosengard, and Nina Ghatan

AGENDA ITEM	DISCUSSION / ISSUES / CONCERNS	DECISIONS / RECOMMENDATIONS / ACTION ITEMS
1. Introduction & Review of Minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Group made introductions. • The group reviewed and approved the minutes. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
2. Connect the Dots	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jessica Dorn, Manager at CDI which will soon become Easter Seals presented on “I am moving I am Learning” (IMIL) which is a Head Start program which improves children’s BMI through mind body, physical activity, and nutrition. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
3. Lemon Grove HEAL Zone	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kim W. shared pictures of childcare provider garden sites and garden lab taste testing (through Harvest of the Month). • Kaiser is planning to visit Lemon Grove childcare providers who are implementing Farm to Preschool. • Garden build on May 10th was postponed because more provider education on gardening is needed. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
4. Travel Reimbursement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Starting in July, COI will have funds available for travel reimbursement for conferences, funding is usually around \$3,600/yr. Contact Cheryl for more information. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
5. SDSU Early Childhood Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Nutrition, Health, and Safety for Young Children</i> is the only required course in the SDSU Early Childhood Program focused on health, according to the department head. • Kris presented at colleges in Point Loma and San Diego and the teachers were uninterested in learning about nutrition. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kim, follow up to see if any required course addresses physical activity. • Jojo and Kris to follow up with contacts at Cuyamaca and Point Loma to review course matrix.
6. Breastfeeding Awareness Month	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CTG grant is increasing number of lactation accommodations rooms throughout the county and in the clinics. • Looking to create a phone application that provides locations for nearby lactation accommodations. • Domain discussed incorporating breastfeeding into 5210, ex. rethink your drink right from birth by breastfeeding. • August 1-7 World Breastfeeding Awareness Week. In San Diego 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kim will create a breastfeeding survey for early childhood providers

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	<p>County, the San Diego County Breastfeeding Coalition and Black Infant Health will host two forums and a panel discussion.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are there any early childcare centers that we would like to recognize for adopting lactation accommodations policies? 	
7. Provider Wellness Recognition Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reviewed draft Wellness Champion Checklist. • Need to: determine requirements, locate resources for providers who do not meet criteria, and develop an advocacy toolkit for parents. • Domain discussed providing a certificate that centers can display in their window. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Wellness Champion Checklist and prepare recommendations for mandatory items.
8. SPARK Collaborative Training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion postponed till next meeting. 	
9. Connect the Dots	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jojo, on behalf of the San Diego County Breastfeeding Coalition, and in collaboration with COI partners is hoping to receive a proclamation from San Diego County to make August Breastfeeding Awareness Month. 	
10. Next Meeting	<p>July 22nd from 10-11:30 a.m. at YMCA Childcare Resource Service, 3333 Camino del Rio South #400, San Diego, CA 92108</p>	