

2. SUPPORTING NURSES TO ADVANCE HEALTH EQUITY

2.9 Continued Representatives of social sectors, consumer organizations, and government entities should include nursing expertise when health-related multisector policy reform is being advanced.
EDITED NOTES – we did not get to success indicators

1. Key Strategic Stakeholders

Nursing

“Nursing” – delivered by multiple roles (incl. support workers) vs nurses – esp relevant in rural and global environments – what is the focus?; Community and Public Health Nursing organizations

Nonprofit

Social justice and civic organizations

Federal Government

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)

State Government

Integration of navigators –(ie housing); Community based participatory approach

Education

Need for thinking further upstream (ie K-12 & education departments)

Other

Need the voice of the consumer/person with lived experience at the table; Multidisciplinary approach (IT, architects, etc.); state, national, integrate international – county level is axis of impact)

2. Top 3-5 Actions for 2021

- A. Landscape scan or gap analysis at local level to determine success indicators – first step environmental scan
- B. Integration of consumer/lived experience & Care giver/Family voice
- C. Strengths based and solution engagement
- D. Must co-create & co-design the ecosystem with the authentic partners
- E. Must start early in the continuum of education – addressing the highly fragmented higher education system as well as K-12 – addressing the for-profit model detriment
- F. Must move out of power models of engagement (i.e. shift to crowd sourcing) – and into the more accessible methods (peer reviewed vs tech, video, etc.)
- G. Recognizing native resilience and highlighting and uplifting that vs. power imbalance (i.e. we’re helping you)

3. Top 3-5 Actions for 2022

- A. Framed as greater economic recovery – the benefit is multi-sector and much larger than just healthcare
- B. Focus on children and teaching basic health information – opens up opportunity for health professional recruitment but also immediately impact health & well being directly in the family/community
- C. Seeing health in all policies – drives funding from the public coffers
- D. Develop new frameworks of partnership that support sustainability in the long term
- E. Align with Nursing on Boards – amplify & expand – what other sectors need nursing representation through NOBC (Nurses on Boards Coalition)– getting more nurses as mayors and elected officials
- F. Building capacity for collective impact – competency, mentoring, shared agenda, goals, trust and framework for implementation – community based participatory process
- G. Partnering with RWJF Aligning Systems for Health

4. Success Indicators

- Use data and specific outcomes of these programs to demonstrate impact