



WISEWOMAN FY21 Spring Meeting

May 19, 2021

IOWA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Protecting and Improving the Health of Iowans



Welcome and Introductions

Agenda

- Welcome and Introductions: 1:30pm
- Program Updates: 1:40-2:00pm
- Addressing Program Barriers: 2:00-2:20pm
- Break: 2:20-2:30pm
- Guest Speaker: 2:35-3:20pm
- Questions and Discussion: 3:20pm-3:30pm
- Closeout: 3:30pm

Program Updates

1. RFA Suspension
2. Health Coaching After the Follow-Up Screening Visit
3. WISEWOMAN RFP for Protocols for the Identification of Undiagnosed Hypertension
4. Program Date Reminders

RFA Suspension

- Local programs will not submit an application for FY22
- FY21 contracts will be amended in August
- IDPH will take care of changes in IowaGrants
- FY22 grant sites will be available by September 30, 2021

Health Coaching After Follow-Up Screening Visit

- All participants who have a follow-up screening visit should be referred to an additional health coaching session.
- There is not a specific timeline for the completion of the health coaching session.
- The health coaching session should be completed before the end of the fiscal year and data should be entered by September 29, 2021.

RFP for Protocols for the Identification of Undiagnosed Hypertension

- An RFP for two WISEWOMAN provider clinics that screened at least 20 participants in FY20, posted on April 22.
- The RFP is for clinics to implement protocols for the identification of undiagnosed hypertension
- Clinics that meet the criteria have been notified of the opportunity
- Two clinics will be funded \$10,000
- May 20th is the deadline to apply
- The contract will start August 1, 2021 and go through September 29, 2022

Program Date Reminders

Screening Deadline	May 31, 2021
Labs for screening office visit	June 30, 2021
Follow-up Screening Visit and Labs	September 15, 2021
Incentive Payment for Referral to Healthy Behavior Support Service	Referred by May 31, 2021 and Data entered by June 30, 2021
Incentive Payment for Identification of New Community-Based Resource for Spanish speakers	July 1, 2021
Health Coaching Healthy Behavior Support Services Completed	September 15, 2021
Data Entry Deadline	September 29, 2021

Addressing Program Barriers

- Follow-up screening visit, following completion of HBSS: transportation and access barriers.
- Communication barriers with clients:
 - Prepaid phones that run out of minutes
 - No voice mail setup
 - Change address often

Follow-up screening visit following completion of HBSS

- Can take place at the Coordinator's site or at the provider's office
- Funds have been allocated to cover costs if the visit is carried out at the provider's office
- The local program would still be paid \$75.00 for conducting the second health assessment and data entry, even if the actual visit takes place at the health care provider site
- WW also provides gas vouchers to assist participants overcome transportation barriers. Use the master form to send us requests.
- Check out transportation options in the CBRRG document.

Communication barriers with clients:

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- No voice mail setup
- Change address often

- Back up plans to stay connected
- If they live close by – ask them to come back at a certain date
- Community based partners who may have more updated contact information
- Set up a google voice account – they may borrow someone’s phone to check messages for them, including when to come back to the clinic.
- Setting up a PO Box for mail pick up.

A Public Health Approach to Intimate Partner Violence & Human Trafficking

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Questions?



Thank you!

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