Indiana Palliative Care and Quality of Life Advisory Council			
Date	Tuesday, April 16, 2019		
Time	2:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.		
Location	Indiana State Department of Health, Yoho Conference Room, 2 North Meridian Street, Indianapolis, IN 46204		
Recorder	Grace Miller		
Attendees	Susan Hickman, Derek Imars, Tom Ledyard, Chris Brinneman, Grace Miller, Annie Clark, and Megan Agnew.		
Other	Lynn Robbin, Matt Bair, Rafael Rosario, and Colleen Brown joined on the phone.		
Topics	Discussion	Action or Follow-up	Responsible Person
Welcome and Introductions	Susan Hickman, PhD, Council Chair, provided welcoming remarks. Meeting participants introduced themselves.		
Approve Minutes	Meeting minutes from the February meeting were reviewed and still need to be approved by Council members. Draft will be reviewed at the June meeting.		
Updates on Palliative Care	 Did have Respect Center Conference, about 200 people. Provided update on work this group is doing Palliative Care Network– not sure on status as of today. Dr. Hickman to follow up. Lots of enthusiasm Great potential to carry on the work of the Advisory Council Respecting Choices workgroup/session well attended! SB 202 not introduced – good thing. Still need to figure out what to do with integrating changes around Sen. Brown's questions. Dr. Hickman to follow up Palliative Care and Hospice Education & Training Act introduced in the House. Representatives Carson & Brooks are co-sponsors, trying to get all Indiana Representatives to sign on. No Senate bill as of yet. Grace to send out info/action alert on 2019 PCHETA legislation when one is available 		

	Opioid diversion data		
	 Overview paper of 6 studies looking at post-surgical, many reported not using all opioids and have old medication in cabinets 		
	 Very common to have difficulty to find ways to properly dispose of medication 		
	o Madison Co is one of the worst in the country & under scrutiny		
	o Many consumers aren't even getting basic disposal education		
	o Google is collaborating with CVS & Walgreens as disposal sites		
	o Idea: Indiana statewide disposal education campaign.		
	CDC guidelines for cancer patients & palliative care		
	o New guidelines available online		
	o Many patients who actually need opioids are terrified to use them now		
	o Could work to educate for a time when there may be funds to do more		
	• Stakeholders' Forum at American Cancer Society on April 30 th from 9am – 11am		
Discuss Stakeholder's Forum and Next	 Can Bryan provide national overview of advisory councils during presentation? 	E-11	D
Steps	o Chairs of workgroups present on their area of focus	Follow-up	Bryan
	o Invited:		
	 Council Members/Workgroup members 		
	 Respect Center interested parties 		
	 Indiana Legislators – check with Bryan on who has RSVP'd 		

	 Describe work, what we moved forward with and why we didn't work on other issues Draft Agenda Goals Given our charge & what we accomplished: what do you want to see next? 	Develop agenda	Susan
	Opportunity in each workgroup: action item/next step/possible legislative ideas Give some take home points, what did we miss.		
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	 Pass out survey, what would you like to pass on to legislators, are you interested in seeing more of/on your mind 	Develop	
	■ If there was a new council, what should the charge be?	evaluation tool	Megan and Susan
	ISDH would need more information on what the limits are as far as policy recommendations go	1001	Ousun
Final report	 Megan & Dr. Hickman to work on finalizing the report and will send it out for feedback. To include summary of Stakeholders' summit. Handoff of sorts. Mid-end of June 	Final Report	Megan and Susan
Next Steps	Other thoughts		
	 Need for pharmacy perspective – a great place to facilitate change and advocate for patients 		
	o Marilynn McPherson – demystifying opioids. Great speaker – web-		

	based curriculum. Good Respect Center conference speaker!		
	Meeting is adjourned.		
Upcoming Meeting	June 2019		
Meeting			