Regional Health Improvement Plan Council

March 19, 2019
Meeting Objectives

• SWACH updates
• School Based Health Centers
• SWACH and RHIP setting priorities for the future
Review Meeting Minutes and Action Items

• Council Member Action:
  – Approve Meeting Minutes
SWACH Updates

- SWACH Staff Lead
- RHIP Ad hoc Community Engagement Committee Meeting
- HLC Policy Committee
- Community-Clinical Linkages
Alignment with

- Multi-Pronged Response to the Worst Human-Made Epidemic in History
- Evidence of Effectiveness of CHWs and Peers
- **Pathways CHW Coordinates Care for the Entire Family**
- Political Will
- Funding Opportunities

Opioid-use disorder: Treat the family, not just the patient

“Opioid use disorder affects us all. The impact on families is becoming better understood, as is the need to involve patients’ loved ones in a treatment plan. The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) has described families as interconnected systems where a change in one part will spur changes in the other parts. A person’s family is often vital to recovery. That is where family opioid treatment can help.”

- American Medical Association August 22, 2018

Regional Collaborative Impact

• School Based Health Centers 101
  – School Based Health 101
  – School Based Health Panel
  – SWACH’s current role
SWACH's school-based health and wellness work so far

- ECHA attendance work to support students and improve school policies
- Met with Rep. Stonier and school districts interested in opening health and wellness centers
- Legislative luncheons
- Letters of support for districts requesting funding in the state budget
- Connected districts with Washington School-Based Health Alliance
SWACH's/RHIP's Priorities moving forward

- Shared Learning to emerge issues
- What is RHIP’s Mission and Role?
- How does RHIP prioritize their work?
- How can we support efforts across the region?
SWACH Strategy Decision Making Criteria Tool

- Threshold filters
- Role type identification
- Prioritization criteria RHIP developed in a previous work session
Next Steps and Closing

- Next Meeting: Tuesday, May 21st
Thank you!