

MEHAF

MAINE HEALTH ACCESS FOUNDATION

Community-Based Initiatives Learning Community Meeting *Access to Quality Care • Healthy Communities • Thriving in Place*

9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. • April 25, 2018

Maple Hill Farm; 11 Inn Road; Hallowell

“Creating and Nurturing Community-Based Collective Learning”

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| 9:00 – 9:30 | Registration, Breakfast and Networking | Holly Irish, <i>Maine Health Access Foundation</i> |
| 9:30 - 9:40 | Welcome, Agenda Overview and Introductions <i>(The Gathering Place)</i> | Barbara Leonard, <i>Maine Health Access Foundation</i> |
| 9:40- 10:30 <i>(Gathering Place)</i> | Access to Quality Care (A2QC) Grantees Share Successes and Challenges as the program draws to a close - moderated panel will discuss with Q&A | Carol Zechman, <i>Care Partners-Maine Health</i> Tracy Harty, <i>Franklin Community Health Network</i> Heather Blackwell, <i>Penobscot Community Health Care</i> |
| 10:30 – 10:45 | Break | All |
| 10:45 – 11:30 <i>(Gathering Place)</i> | A Story from the Field – The Healthy Community grantee in Knox County provides an example of a judicious use of evaluation resources. | Jennifer Gunderman, <i>University of New England</i> Connie Putnam & Rochelle Kennedy, <i>Knox County Community Health Coalition</i> |
| 11:30 – 12:00 <i>(Gathering Place)</i> | Small Group Sharing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> In what ways might you share evaluation data as an ongoing part of your process? How might it be framed as learning to inform the work? How have changes in the community environment affected your results and the system in general? | Grantees and Guests |
| 12:00 – 12:45 | Lunch and Networking | All |
| 12:45 – 1:45 <i>(Gathering Place)</i> | Ripple Effects Mapping is introduced and an example of its use in the field is shared by the Washington County Thriving in Place (TiP) project. | David Wihry, <i>University of Maine, Center on Aging</i> Charley Martin Berry, <i>Community Caring Collaborative</i> Cary Buterbaugh, <i>Q2 Evaluation</i> |
| 1:45 – 2:15 <i>(Gathering Place)</i> | Small Group Sharing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> How did that activity impact individual partners in terms of building knowledge, skills, or ability to serve community members? How did that activity impact the policy or practice of organizations/groups involved in the work? How did that activity make community members better off? | Grantees and Guests |
| 2:15 – 2:30 | Break | All |
| 2:30 – 3:30 | <u>Cohort Meetings by Individual Grantee Cohort</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Access to Quality Care <i>(Gallery)</i> Thriving in Place <i>(Carriage House)</i> Healthy Communities <i>(Gathering Place)</i> | Barbara Leonard, Ruta Kadonoff, & Charles Dwyer, <i>Maine Health Access Foundation</i> |

Meeting Objectives

Participants will:

- Listen and learn about strategies for evaluation and learning for improvement from other grantees
- Extrapolate from these examples to consider ways you can apply evaluation as a real-time improvement strategy to your work
- Network with other MeHAF grantees, within and beyond your program cohort, and staff