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## Planning for the Child (ages 5-11) Vaccine Rollout: Equitable Approaches and Best Practices

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### **Welcome Remarks**

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## **Overview and Presenter** Introduction

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### **CDC Overview**

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## **Panelist Presentations**

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## **Group Discussion and Audience Q&A**

### **Key Takeaways and Closing** Tené Hamilton Franklin, MS



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## **Evidence Based Approaches** and Recommendations

**Vaccination Programs** Schools and Organized Child Care Centers: strong evidence of effectiveness in increasing vaccination rates, and decreasing rates of vaccine-preventable disease and associated morbidity and mortality.

**Health Equity** 

Children from low-income and racial and ethnic minority populations have worse health, are less likely to have a usual place for heath care and miss more days of school due to illness.



https://www.thecommunityguide.org/sites/default/files/assets/OnePager-SBHC.pdf









## **School-Based Health Services**

**Pre-pandemic, there were about:** 

- 100,000 K-12 Public Schools
- **47,000** Title I eligible schools
- 24,000 fully Title I schools

- 43,000 School Social Workers 96,000 School Nurses **118,000 School Counselors 3000 School-Based Health Centers**

- **37,000 School Psychologists**

## **Pre-pandemic, there were only about:**

**Considerations for Planning School-Located Vaccination Clinics** 

SLV is defined as vaccination that is:

- Administered on school grounds via temporary clinics
- **Primarily designed to vaccinate enrolled students**
- Held before, during, and/or after school hours, or when schools are not in session (i.e., during summer break)
- Typically involves collaboration between public health departments and public and private schools/school districts, and sometimes other public or private entities

https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/planning/school-located-clinics.html

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## Why Schools?

While children in the United States are vaccinated primarily in their pediatrician's or family doctor's office, schools provide unique opportunities for getting children vaccinated:

- offer routine vaccinations and • SLV: SLV: catch-up vaccinations for students behind in vaccination because of the pandemic SLV:
- SLV: used for yearly influenza vaccination
- SLV: children already present in schools

administer COVID-19 vaccine rapidly and efficiently to eligible students and possibly their family members, teachers, school staff, and others in the community

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more convenient for parents and guardians (referred to from this point on as parents)

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## **Counties with FQHCs but no SBHCs**







# of counties # of with SBHCs (19% of all U.S. counties) (61% of all U.S. counties)



### # of counties # of counties with with FQHCs FQHCs but no SBHCs (61% of all U.S. counties) (43% of all U.S. counties)

## Why Community Health **Centers**?

https://www.nachc.org/wpcontent/uploads/2021/08/School-**Based-HC-Vaccination-Guide.pdf** 



Serving more than 30 million Americans, primarily in low income communities, health centers play a critical role in achieving health equity.

Health centers offer a broad array of primary, behavioral health, and preventive care services.

They serve the most vulnerable patients and reduce barriers such as cost and lack of insurance.

Too many children experience persistent disparities in health care access, quality, and outcomes.

## Why Community Health Centers and Schools?

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1. Improve access to care, particularly for students from families most in need.

- 2. Support student success by removing barriers including: access, lack of insurance, and parents/guardians missing work.
- 3. **Build trust**, communicate, and recruit for vaccine administration efforts at other locations:
  - main health center sites
  - departments of health
  - health fairs
  - summer camps
  - faith-based organizations
  - pharmacies

## Resources

- https://www.sbh4all.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/SBHA\_OnePager\_4.21.pdf
- <a href="https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/planning/school-located-clinics.html">https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/planning/school-located-clinics.html</a>
- <u>https://www.thecommunityguide.org/sites/default/files/assets/OnePager-SBHC.pdf</u>
- <u>https://www.sbh4all.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/SBHA\_JOINT\_STATEMENT\_FINAL\_F.pdf</u>
- <a href="https://www.sbh4all.org/resources/covid-19-resources/">https://www.sbh4all.org/resources/covid-19-resources/</a>
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### Telehealth Community Navigator



**Health Fiestas** 



**Patient Navigator** 



Clinical Trial Community Navigator



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### **Community Health Centers**





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### Behavioral Health Community Navigator



### **Disaster Recovery**



### **Medical Providers**



### Personal-Care Navigator



School-based Navigator



## Additional COVID-19 Vaccine Resources

•The CDC Foundation has launched a new <u>Vaccine Resource Hub.</u> It provides diverse and culturally relevant materials that CBOs and the general public can use to educate and inform their community members about vaccinations for COVID-19 and influenza. Resources include infographics, toolkits, videos, messaging and unbranded digital assets.

•The CDC Foundation also has **Resources for Community-Based Organizations**. These resources are designed to share perspectives to inform key community audiences as well as to galvanize the crucial work of community-based organizations.

•The <u>Vaccine Equity Cooperative</u> has tailored tools and vetted resources to support vaccine decisions in targeted communities, including youth and schools.

•The **Public Health Communications Collaborative** has developed booster dose messaging and outreach tools to help answer questions and support local vaccination outreach now that millions of Americans are eligible for a COVID-19 booster dose.

•Made to Save also has a COVID-19 Vaccine Resource Library, which includes the resource, What's Next: A Guide for the Potential Pfizer 5-11 Authorization.



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• Thank you for your time and participation!

Moderator



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