

Forum for Children's Well-Being

Advancing Child and Youth Health Care System Transformation: Implementation Summit

Date: Tuesday, October 15, 2024

Time: 9:00am – 3:30pm ET

Location: National Academies of Sciences Building, Lecture Room

On October 15th, the [Forum for Children's Well-Being](#) will host an implementation summit dedicated to accelerating the adoption of the forthcoming Board on Children, Youth, and Families' consensus study report, [Launching Lifelong Health by Improving Health Care for Children, Youth, and Families](#)

Purpose:

- Facilitate dialogue among key decisionmakers and constituents to address the urgent need for child and youth health system transformation, with particular attention to promotion and prevention, innovative financing approaches, integration of mental and behavioral care, and youth and parent engagement.
- Foster collaboration across regions and sectors towards actionable steps for advancing child and youth health system transformation.

Audience:

Leaders in child and youth health system transformation, including parent and youth advocates, clinicians, researchers, health system leaders, commercial insurers, philanthropic and non-profit leaders, as well as federal, state, and local agency staff and decision-makers.

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9:00am Registration Opens and Breakfast Available

9:30am Welcome & Opening Remarks

Leslie Walker-Harding, Ford/Morgan Endowed Professor and Chair of the Department of Pediatrics, University of Washington / Chief Academic Officer and Senior Vice President for Seattle Children's Hospital

Co-Chair, NASEM Forum for Children's Well-Being

Tina Cheng, Chief Medical Officer, Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center / BK Rachford Professor & Chair of Pediatrics, University of Cincinnati

Member, Forum for Children's Well-Being member / Co-chair, Committee on Improving the Health and Well-Being of Children and Youth Through Health Care System Transformation

James Perrin, Professor of Pediatrics, Harvard Medical School / John C. Robinson Distinguished Chair in Pediatrics, MassGeneral Hospital for Children

Co-chair, Committee on Improving the Health and Well-Being of Children and Youth Through Health Care System Transformation

9:50am **Looking Forward: Contextualizing Report Vision, Opportunities, and Challenges**

Moderated dialogue followed by audience Q&A

Moderator: Leslie Walker-Harding

Elizabeth Ford, *BFT Consulting, Former Special Assistant to the President for public health and science in the White House Domestic Policy Council*

Charlene Wong, *Senior Advisor for Health Strategy, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention*

Michael Warren, *Associate Administrator, Maternal and Child Health Bureau (HHS)*

Kyu Rhee, *President and CEO, National Association of Community Health Centers*

Asli McCullers, *Doctoral Student & Graduate Research Assistant, Community Health Awareness, Messages, and Prevention (CHAMP) Lab, The University of Maryland*

Aims:

- Reflect on and respond to report vision and recommendations around financing, and health promotion and prevention, with attention to mental and emotional health. What most resonates for you about this report, where are the greatest opportunities?
- Consider key next steps in the short and long term, for leaders across sectors. How can we work to implement the vision of this report? What is the low hanging fruit? Who are key actors, and what new collaborations are needed? What policy and programmatic changes are needed? What are the greatest challenges we face?

11:05am **Group Dialogue: Reflecting on Report Vision and Implementation**

Group dialogues to be facilitated by Forum members

Guiding Questions for Discussion:

1. Alignment with Vision and Priorities:

Reflect on and respond to the report goals and recommendations. What most resonates for you about this report? Where are the greatest opportunities?

2. Implementation and Strategy:

- How could you advance this report's vision in your role (or how are you already doing so)?
- Who are key actors in advancing this report's vision, and what new collaborations are needed? What kinds of further convenings could keep this dialogue going *and* lead to action?
- How can we work to implement the vision of this report? What policy and programmatic changes are needed? What are the greatest challenges we face?

11:45am **Report Out**

12:00pm **LUNCH**

1:00pm **Taking Action: Innovative Models for Advancing Healthcare for Children and Youth**

Presentations followed by audience Q&A

Moderator: Kelly Kelleher, ADS Chair of Innovation, VP of Community Health, Nationwide Children's Hospital; Distinguished Professor of Pediatrics, Psychiatry, The Ohio State University

Member, Committee on Improving the Health and Well-Being of Children and Youth Through Health Care System Transformation

Daniel Hartman, Service Line Director, Southcentral Foundation's Nuka System of Care

Rose Green, Senior Program Officer, The Colorado Health Foundation

Maria Perez, Associate Director, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services

Aims:

- Amplify case studies/models of innovative efforts to advance youth health system transformation, with particular attention to prevention and promotion
- Highlight models across states and political contexts, and models that advance health equity.
- Discuss strategies for implementing, scaling, and sustaining new models including developing and harnessing political and community will, identifying funding sources, developing new policies and financing mechanisms, and key logistics and challenges.

2:15pm **Group Dialogue: Next Steps for Child and Youth Health System Transformation**

Dialogues to be facilitated by Forum members

Guiding Questions for Discussion:

1. Shared Learnings: Reflecting on the case studies discussed in the previous panel, what is the most valuable learning we can take from one (or more) of these models? What most excites you about the work presented? [You might focus on learnings that resonate with your particular sector/community/context]

2. Amplifying Models: What are other models that advance the vision of this report in some key respect? What are they doing that others could learn from, import, and/or scale?

3. Time permitting – Next Steps: What could the Forum for Children's Well-Being do to facilitate the implementation and scaling of work that advances this report's vision? What kinds of convenings or ongoing conversations would be helpful to you as you think about implementing this report? On what topics/issues would shared learning be most valuable?

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Report Out & Commitments

What role do *you* play in the path toward advancing youth mental health promotion and prevention. What resources do you hold, what partnerships would enhance your impact, and what next steps can you facilitate? How can you connect your efforts to other priorities within the report's vision?

3:30pm

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