Sub-region Integration Table – Huron Perth
Meeting Highlights, March 12, 2019

Cardiac Hub Spoke and Node model
The model will roll out in phases, starting two Family Health Teams (FHTs) Stratford FHT and the Maitland Valley FHT. The difference among the FHTs will promote learning from the 2 models. The first patient through the system is anticipated in April.

COPD program
The mandate by April 1st is to have COPD care in FHTs with a Respiratory Therapist (RT) embedded.

MH&A
The Social Resources Council report will now be part of a phased process. Municipalities are completing the safety and wellness plan. The intent is that this report will provide a baseline and will be updated with the lived experiences. The work with the schedule 1 hospitals has resulted in a refined patient transfer algorithm/protocol which is in draft. Data collection was due March 7 from the hospitals.

PSW Working Group
The survey is anticipated to be released this week as a South West wide survey.

Health Equity Initiative
The health provider education module is close to having recommendations. The focus re: access to community services, specifically home and community care and palliative care continues to be explored with the members and connections/linkages made.

Connected Rural Communities Collaborative
The Wellness Survey is now online. Individuals can reach out to Mathew if they need a survey. Discussions are ongoing with thehealthline.ca and 211 to support asset mapping and cover gaps. Contact Mathew Maynard for more information: mmaynard@gbchc.com

Hospice Palliative Care (HPC) Update
Nicole Steward provided an overview of HPC. The priorities of the collaborative tables were discussed. In Huron Perth, Eugene Dufour will lead a project focusing on debriefing for front line staff. The other priority area is transitions in care- how to maximize the opportunities of Clinical Connect.

Indigenous Presentation
Joe Antone provided an “Indigenous 101” presentation. Aboriginal specific social determinants of health were discussed noting the definition of health determines the shape of the programs and services. Insight was provided as to the next steps for Huron Perth SRIT to ensure planning is aligned with Indigenous viewpoints, acknowledging the challenges of not having a “formal” Indigenous group.

Reminder: To register for Indigenous Cultural Safety (ICS) training:

- Key contact of the organization (e.g. ADSTV) emails Laura Deyell at the South West LHIN, email at: Laura.Deyell@lhins.on.ca to request the number of seats needed of which type of training
- Laura submits that organization's seat number request to the ICS program
- ICS program follows up with the organization key contact to get details to register each individual ICS Training Descriptions

Integration/Transformation Brainstorming

Members discussed transformation/Ontario health teams (OHT). The importance of Huron Perth having a coordinated approach and ensuring patient advisors are involved were emphasized. Participants expressed that the better aligned Huron Perth is with the other areas in the South West the better we will be. The next meeting will provide an update on OHT development and will further SRIT discussions about: re-purposing SRIT with a transformation/OHT focus, based on conversations held with all sector members and as more information is known such as the framework and infrastructure needed to make this to fruition.

Next Huron Perth Sub-region Integration Table meeting:

April 9, 2019 1:00 – 4:00 pm; South West LHIN Stratford Office

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