

# SBHC Coordinators Meeting

October 26, 2016

## Presenter Information

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### ***Mental Health Partnership with YouthLine***

#### **Melissa Trombetta**

Melissa Trombetta holds an MSW from Portland State University and is currently the Outreach Coordinator with Lines for Life. YouthLine (a program of Lines for Life) is peer-to-peer hotline servicing youth throughout the State of Oregon.

### ***The Practice of Nursing in the School Setting***

#### **Jamie Smith**

Jamie Smith has been the State School Nurse Consultant at the Oregon Health Authority (OHA) - Public Health Division since November of 2015. Prior to that, Jamie was a school nurse with Jefferson County School District in Madras, Oregon for 9 years. Jamie currently lives in Hood River with his wife who is a middle school principal. Jamie has a Bachelor's of Science in Nursing from Northern Michigan University and a Master's in Public Health from Walden University. Jamie's role at OHA is to support school nursing in Oregon. Jamie is also a board member of OEA Choice Trust, a non-profit that inspires schools to create healthy workplaces by providing Employee Wellness grants to Oregon school districts.

### ***Making a Compelling Case for Action: Framing & Communications Strategies***

#### **Glynis Shea**

Glynis Shea is the Communications Director for the Konopka Institute for Best Practices in Adolescent Health and the Healthy Youth Development, Prevention Research Center at the University of Minnesota. A former Saatchi & Saatchi advertising executive with over 30 years of marketing communications experience, she now collaborates with the youth serving community to build public support for young people through effective communications.

### ***State Oral Health Program: Current Oral Health Activities***

#### **Laurie Johnson, DHSc, MA, RDH**

Laurie has served as a Program Analyst for 10 years in the Oral Health Program of the Oregon Health Authority's (OHA) Public Health Division. She was a clinical dental hygienist for 41 years, earned a Masters in Organizational Communication from Marylhurst University in 1999, and a Doctorate of Health Sciences in 2015. She is currently coordinating the OHA's school oral

health programs – the School Fluoride Program and the School Dental Sealant Program. She was instrumental in expanding the School Dental Sealant Program from 11 schools served in 2007 to 158 schools in 2014, with a 99% school approval rating. Laurie’s expertise is in developing models that utilize evidence-based interventions to improve health outcomes.

### **Amy Umphlett, MPH**

#### **Oral Health Operations & Policy Analyst**

I have worked at the Public Health Division since 2004 and spent close to five years working in the Oral Health Program. I received an MPH in Health Management and Policy in 2011 from Portland State University. I specialize in advancing policies and evidence-based strategies to address oral health issues across the lifespan and eliminate oral health disparities. I am responsible for coordinating oral health strategic efforts to improve the oral health of all Oregonians through various initiatives such as the Strategic Plan for Oral Health in Oregon: 2014-2020, State Health Improvement Plan, and the Title V Maternal & Child Block Grant.

### ***Oregon Immunization Program Updates***

#### **Rex Larsen**

Rex Larsen coordinates the Vaccines for Children Program at the Oregon Immunization Program.

### ***Leveraging SBHCs for Educating Youth About Health and Models of Communication and Coordination with Primary Care: Sharing of Tools***

#### **Colleen Reuland, MS**

Director, Oregon Pediatric Improvement Partnership/ Instructor, Department of Pediatrics

Ms. Reuland has over 19 years working with primary care practices and health systems to improve the quality of care provided to children and adolescents. A key component of Ms. Reuland’s work has been focused on adolescent preventive services and implementation of Bright Futures Recommendations. Over the last year, Ms Reuland had led a project working with SBHCs on improving the services they provide and methods and models for coordination and communication with primary care providers.

### ***Oregon School-Based Health Alliance (OSBHA)***

#### **Laurie Huffman**

Laurie has served as OSBHA’s Executive Director for over a year. She brings more than ten years of senior management experience in social services and health care in Oregon, most recently as the division director of treatment and prevention services at Volunteers of America Oregon. She also offers a deep commitment to social justice and a rich background in nonprofit leadership that spans addiction and mental health treatment, health research, prevention, prison reentry services, and children and family services. She holds a master’s degree in counseling psychology, is a licensed professional counselor in Oregon, and has completed post-

graduate programs in nonprofit executive leadership, biomedical ethics, addiction treatment, and mediation.

### **Megan Kovacs**

Megan Kovacs serves as OSBHA's Program Manager, responsible for distributing small grants to SBHCs to promote healthy relationships and coordinating OSBHA's Statewide Youth Action Council. She comes to this new role with nearly 10 years of experience coordinating domestic and sexual violence prevention. She designed and created a prevention education program promoting healthy relationships education to more than 15,000 middle and high school students and managed the Multnomah County and Portland Public Schools' Coaching Boys into Men project. Megan has developed and shaped both local and statewide prevention policy as co-chair of the Prevention Committee for Multnomah County's Family Violence Coordinating Council and as co-chair of the Prevention and Education Committee for the Oregon Attorney General's Sexual Assault Task Force. She was integral in the development and passing of the Oregon Healthy Teen Relationships Act. Megan is a 2015 recipient of the Judge Stephen B. Herrell Award for Outstanding Collaborative Efforts in Ending Domestic Violence and serves on the board of directors for a nonprofit, independent feminist media organization