

District Coordinating Councils HMP participation & contributions

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Title 22, §412: DCCs



“The Maine Center for Disease Control and Prevention, in consultation with Healthy Maine Partnerships, shall maintain a district coordinating council for public health in each of the 8 districts as resources permit.”

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Title 22, §412: DCCs



A. A district coordinating council for public health shall:

- (1) Participate as appropriate in district-level activities to help ensure the state public health system in each district is ready and maintained for accreditation;
- (2) Provide a mechanism for district wide input to the state health plan under Title 2, section 103;
- (3) Ensure that the goals and strategies of the state health plan are addressed in the district; and
- (4) Ensure that the essential public health services and resources are provided for in each district in the most efficient, effective and evidence-based manner possible. [2009, c. 355, §5 (NEW).]

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Value added: HMP involvement on DCCs

Value for the DCC:

1. HMPs bring expert knowledge of their local service area.
2. HMPs add experience in convening community partners.
3. HMPs can share what they've learned about priority issues in their area.



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Value for **HMP partners**

1. Cross-cutting issues can be coordinated on a district level; DCC can support the work you do.
2. Issues identified locally and not addressed in HMP content areas can be addressed through DCC.
3. HMPs may meet new partners, or strengthen existing partnerships through DCC networking.



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HMP RFP: Making the vision a reality



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HMP RFP Expectation: Overall participation in DCC activities

- a) The HMP is required to designate representatives to participate in identified activities related to the DCC.



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HMP RFP Expectation

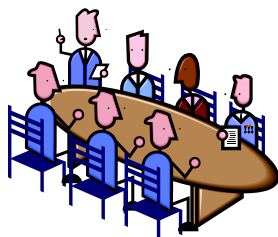
- b) Each HMP will have participation that represents leadership of the local HMP at all meetings of the DCC voting group.



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c) Partnership Directors are expected to collaborate with others to ensure that one or more Partnership Directors sit on the DCC Steering Committee.



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d) Each Partnership Director is expected to participate in one or more subcommittees or projects of the DCC.



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e) All HMPs will ensure representation at the DCC from at least one coalition member to participate actively in the development & implementation of the DPHIP.



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HMP RFP Requirements

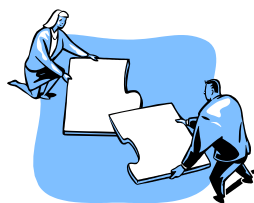
f) All HMPs will work collaboratively with Maine CDC staff, DCC members, and SCC to provide guidance for future State Health Plans.



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HMP RFP Expectation

- g) All HMPs all work collaboratively with Maine CDC staff, DCC members, and SCC to develop proposals that use existing resources to address gaps.



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"Good design is a renaissance attitude that brings together technology, science, human need and beauty, to create something the world didn't know it was missing."

Paola Antonelli

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