Welcome to final CoP call for this school year – a strategy to connect school nurses across Michigan

Introduction of facilitators and call participants

MASN Annual Conference Highlights
• Reviewed how topics presented provided support for practice (e.g., the seizure panel), the opportunity to network, and the NASN presence
• Topic ideas for next year (Topics will be forwarded to the Conference Planning Committee):
  • Practice protocol & policy updates
  • Hot topics, such as suicide (13 Reasons Netflix series)
  • Legal issues – how to interpret laws in Michigan school health (Vicki as presenter?)
  • Diabetes in school setting
  • Seizures
  • Topics to inform work/practice
  • Managing chronic conditions
  • Trauma related care
  • IEP & the SN role
  • Confidentiality (HIPAA, FERPA)
  • Challenges & successes of other school nurses
• Phyllis invited folks to volunteer to help with next year’s conference & provide names of speakers
• Next year: Grand Rapids

NASN Conference – June 29-July 3, 2017, San Diego, CA
• There are 9 pre-con sessions June 29 – ½ and full day sessions
  o Topics range from triage, health assessment, mental health, diabetes, electronic health records, and evidence-base bootcamp
• Regular conference is June 30-July 3
  o Again this year there will be a 5K walk/run (July 1) to benefit the NASN endowment
  o New this year is a live stream of the six general sessions – CEUs available
• Pre-registration ends June 1, 2016 – Onsite registration is available
• Next year will be our 50 year celebration in Baltimore, MD
• Join the online conference community on SchoolNurseNet to chat with your colleagues (schoolnursesnet.nasn.org/nasn2017)

School Nursing Practice in Michigan - Electronic Health Records
• EHR’s is a topic identified on the last CoP call
• Phyllis provided highlights from the NASN Position Statement on EHR (https://schoolnursesnet.nasn.org/blogs/nasn-profile/2017/03/13/electronic-school-health-records-school-nurse-role-in)
• Some EHR software vendors were at the MASN conference
Software examples provided by the group include:
  - Skyward
  - Infinite Campus
  - Health Office Anywhere
  - Health Master

They can be a very important tool for data collection

Participants identified various methods of collecting health information

Benefits (report generation, overcome handwritten notes) and barriers (cumbersome, not designed by a school nurse) of EHRs identified

**Participant Questions** (posed by NASN – evaluation component of the CDC cooperative agreement supporting this call) – participants invited to write answers in the question box

- How would you describe the impact of your participation in the CoP?
  - Partnerships with state or local agencies?
  - Knowledge of topics to inform your work
  - Resources that have been useful?
  - Resources that have not been useful?
  - Practice related to managing chronic health conditions?
  - Changes in organization’s policies?

- Changes you would like in future CoP to better support your work?

**Round Table – What issues are you dealing with?**

- Details about the hearing May 25, 2017 re: a vaccination bill proposing to change the waiver requirement will be coming

**Next CoP Call – October 11, 2017**

- Call information will be distributed in September
- Notes & the recorded call for today can be found on the MASN website

**THANK YOU TO EVERYONE ABLE TO JOIN US!**