

What Partners Can Do

School Policy – 30 votes

Organization	What they can do
American Heart Association	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Focus on obesity legislation • Hoops for Heart/Jump Rope for Heart
YMCA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Active in school Wellness Councils • Pilot site for after school PA/nutrition programs
HEALTH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Put support behind bills
RIPHA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public Health advocacy • Public Health week (children and healthy environments)
COX	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Publicity/programming
Healthy Schools Coalition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expand broad based support for school policy change (needed before implementation) • Community initiated approaches
NE Healthy Weight Initiative	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gather model policies and programs from other states to learn from each other
URI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health and Physical Educators
American Cancer Society	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Healthy vending legislation
Department of Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Legislation to improve foods • Technical assistance to schools – improve policies to change PA and nutrition • Professional development to PE teachers to teach standards based lessons
RI Chapter of American Academy of Pediatrics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support legislation • Can include screen time and breastfeeding
RIC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training health and PE teachers as advocates • Make movement a part of learning

Culturally and linguistically appropriate programming – 22 votes

Organization	What they can do
YMCA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • After school and day camp programs
ICHP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expertise in developing culturally/linguistically appropriate programs and materials
Neighborhood Health Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Culturally appropriate materials
URI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health promotion programs, like worksite wellness
South Providence Neighborhood Ministries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Changing diets/foods available at community level • Advocacy
WWCRI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work with diverse populations via tobacco and can use those partnerships in obesity

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Established relationships with CBOs, have newsletters
American Cancer Society	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Connect community with existing resources Create culturally and linguistically appropriate materials
Grow Smart RI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Defending historic tax credit to get more people living and working in walkable areas Parks and rec opportunities in urban areas Municipal training program
Mount Hope Learning Center	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ID's obesity as a priority
Community Health Centers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Can get more info to dieticians who serve populations
RIC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community health program gets students out learning and working in the community
RIPHA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public health advocacy Dr. Marable is a resource for education and presentations
Progreso Latino	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Social change is a priority Expertise in community based programming focus on adults, but expanding to children
Hasbro Children's Hospital	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Group weight management program (Kids on the Move RI)

Surveillance – 15 votes

Organization	What they can do
YMCA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Collecting data in their pilot program
NECON	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NE Trends Report (6-10 indicators) Share information between states
HEALTH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> KidsNet, SALT Make a reportable HEDIS measure for insurers ASTHO
ICHP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Help determine best system that doesn't burden but gets us what we need (research funding and how to fill gaps in surveillance)
Neighborhood Health Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assist with surveillance – get all plans measuring same things
NE Healthy Weight Initiative	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gather info on what to measure and then make results visible
URI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Variety of expertise that we need to bring to the table
WWCRI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Surveillance – need to do more with more funding Conduct HRAs
Department of Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Part of Data and Eval group

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • YRBS and SALT surveys
American Academy of Pediatrics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resources to work with PCPs for surveillance
Mount Hope Learning Center	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Could add onto program for surveillance

Other comments:

NECON

- Prevention caucus in each state legislature – continuity – models for other states
- Prevention and access together – bring together these issues at annual conference

HEALTH

- Commitment from Governor and Director
- Childhood Obesity and disparities priorities
- Staff
- Infrastructure
- Cultural competency

COX

- Worksite Wellness – Add Cox to the Well State

WWCRI

- Currently supporting bill for worksites – awarding tax credits to businesses
- 34 designated well worksites

American Cancer Society

- Will share info with decision makers
- Incorporating nutrition and physical activity into all materials
- Healthy Choices Initiative

Grow Smart RI

- Convening conference on state land use plan (May 11th?)