



March 22, 2021
Childhood Cancer Workgroup Minutes

Goals from the 2021-2025 Cancer Plan:

Goal 8: Expand resources for patients and families, including palliative care and end of life care

- Strategy 1: Needs assessment
- Strategy 2: Address needs
- Strategy 3: Resource Repository
- Strategy 4: Promote Resources

Goal 9: Provide didactic and hands-on training opportunities for healthcare providers related to childhood cancer and post-treatment survivorship needs.

- Strategy 1: Nurse Training
- Strategy 2: Primary Care Provider Training
- Strategy 3: Social Worker Training

Recap of the purpose of the workgroups:

The WYCC achieves its goals and objectives through the collaborative work of its members. The purpose of the workgroups is to gather partners with similar goals and passion to leverage strengths, pull resources, and build a community of people working together towards a common goal.

Childhood cancer goals:

- Improve cancer diagnostic services
- Improve support of families after treatment
- Improve social/psychosocial support after therapy

Meeting Notes

Attendees

Workgroup Lead: Dr Van Doorninck
Minutes: Elizabeth Goodwin
WDH Support staff: Jessica Rizzuto

Lisa Eades- Jason's friends foundation
Elizabeth Goodwin- UW school of nursing
Joan Mills-
Emma Hardwick- LLS

Meeting Notes:

Goal #1- Improve resources- Lisa to access old surveys sent to families. Then we will revise as needed to send to 143 families on Jason's friends database.

Goal #2: Increasing Pediatric Palliative Care services in Wyoming. Plan is to send a nursing delegation from RMHC to Central Wyoming Hospice (Casper, WY), or



alternatively have the hospice send staff for training at RMHC, for pediatric palliative care training. Follow up with Lauren Adamo, RN, at RMHC and Kristanne Korsgaard (Palliative Care at RMHC) about the most recent communication with Kilty Brown at Central Wyoming Hospice.

Action Items:

- Lisa to access old survey
- F/U with Lauren Adamo, Kristanne Korsgaard, and Kilty Brown

Next Meeting: May 2021. Doodle poll will be sent out.