A Decade of Development: Assuring Better Child Health & Development

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THANK YOU!
Overview of Presentation

• ABCD’s lessons over the past 10 years of supporting screening and referral systems in Colorado communities
• Oregon’s model for promoting optimal health for children through quality improvement projects
• The future of screening and referral systems in Colorado’s changing health care landscape

ABCs of ABCD

• Advocacy
• Best Practices
• Consultation and Support
Advocacy

- Leading voice for physical and social emotional health
- Reimbursement based on quality standards
- Common tracking form for providers to track families and referral services

Best Practices

- Training to implement evidence-based strategies
- Assistance in adopting quality improvement standards
- Board recertification for American Board of Family Medicine, American Board of Pediatrics, American Board of Obstetrics and Gynecology

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Consultation and Support

- Model Community Framework
- Identify and address gaps in early childhood systems
- Enhancing systems to be more efficient and effective

Model Community Framework

Accountable Care Collaboratives
Phase II

- Goals “join physical and behavioral health under one accountable entity”
- Share model practices
- Opportunities to integrate screening into practices
- Reimbursement for providers

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Promoting Quality Standards

- Monitoring and Surveillance
- Screening
- Referral
- Evaluation
- Parent Education
- Resources and Support

Enhance System Coordination Between Agencies

- Increase cross-agency collaboration
- Aim to connect children and families to needed services
- Promote continuum from screening and services
Promote Partner Collaboration

- Fund investments in cross-agency collaboration
- Focus collaboration and access to high quality developmental services