Oral Health Partnership
Core Group Meeting
February 2, 2018

Seven Hills Foundation and
Tufts University School of Dental Medicine
Agenda

- Engagement Award Letter of Intent – John and Paula
- Tier III Deliverables Update - Paula
- Communication & Stakeholder Engagement – Peter and Jen
  - Soliciting feedback on OHP social media and website
  - Further engaging ASPIRE! participants
Engagement Award – Letter of Intent (LOI)

- Submitted January 31st
- TUSDM as lead in partnership with SHF
- Selected LOI’s will be invited to submit full proposal (early-March notification)
- ‘Research support’ vs. research grant
- Two-years of funding; $250,000 maximum
Engagement Award

Current Project
• Aim: Plan research comparing effective clinical interventions to improve oral health outcomes
• Focus: dental care/ what happens in dental offices

Oral Health Partnership Interest
• Oral home care supports, dietary issues
• Getting individuals who are frightened/anxious to the dentist

Engagement Award
• Opportunity to collect information about issues that matter to caregivers (family, paid) and identifying supportive strategies
• Can we develop of model of dental care that addresses needs of adults with IDD and caregivers both outside & inside dental office.
Tier III Deliverables Update

• Due February 28
  • Mid-project Report
  • Dissemination & Communications Plan (updated)
  • Funding Opportunity Plan (updated)
Communication & Stakeholder Engagement
Soliciting Feedback on OHP Social Media and Website Content

Focus groups

• Paid caregivers
• Family caregivers
• Individuals with IDD
• Dental professionals
Further Engaging ASPIRE!
Participants: Strategies & Resources

- Survey development
- Café menu/Sugar charts
- QCC collaboration/Prevention & education activities
Next Steps

• Oral Health Partnership Meeting: Friday, March 2