

HISPANIC MEMBER ADVISORY COUNCIL WHAM/MAC Workgroup Agenda

Virtual Meeting

Date: Thursday, March 3, 2022 Location: Virtual meeting Time: 1:00pm-2:00pm

Number of members in attendance: 9 Number of community partners: 1

1) Welcome and Introductions WHAM Team Pierre Washington, MAC Chair/ACLA Member Engagement Manager

2) WHAM/MAC input on ACLA's Make Every Calorie Count, HiSET/GED, Pathway to Work and transportation programs

Make Every Calorie Count:

Pierre Washington and Sandra Diaz let the group in a discussion about ACLA programs and services.

- Members responded that they are very interested in the MECC program.
- One member expressed interest in MECC because her teenage son (also a member) would like to learn more about healthy diets, healthy living and maintaining a healthy weight.
- Action: Pierre will work with Sandra and Veronica to get information to members.

HiSET/GED program:

• Members were not aware of the GED program. The members expressed that they would like more information, but need the information in Spanish.

Other Programs of Interest:

• One member expressed that she would like to see ACLA offer English as Second Language (ESL) classes.

3) WHAM Support (CHN/CHE Team)

- a. Led by Veronica Calderon and Sandra Diaz. The group discussed nutrition tips and healthy eating.
- 4) "WHAM and MAC Chat" with Members and Community Partners about AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana's programs and services, and other topics
 - a. A couple members informed ACLA that they didn't get their member handbook or the Roadmap to Health.
 - b. Another member expressed that she got the member welcome kit, and other items from ACLA, but it was in English. She would like to get all future items in Spanish, including the Roadmap and Handbook.

5) Adjournment