

2013 OHIP Work Group Quarterly Report
3rd Quarter (January - March); SFY Ending June 30, 2013



Work Group Name: Tobacco Use Prevention Workgroup

Work Group Goal: Protect all Oklahomans from exposure to secondhand smoke

Result Objective	Target Completion Date	Actual Completion Date	Accountability (Lead Person(s) Responsible)	Measure	Progress
<p>1. By May 2010 <i>(2013)</i>, extend state law to eliminate smoking in all indoor public places and workplaces, except in private residences <u>through comprehensive state law or restoration of local rights</u></p> <p>a) Educate the public and policy makers concerning the seriousness of adverse health effects of secondhand smoke exposure, including brief exposures.</p> <p>b) Educate the public and policy makers concerning progress in other states to protect workers and the public from secondhand smoke exposure, including successful implementation of smoke-free laws with positive health benefits and without adverse business effects.</p> <p>c) Organize business and professional organizations, healthcare and public health organizations, public health agencies and others to call on elected officials to strengthen Oklahoma's clean indoor air laws.</p> <p>d) Intervene with the Oklahoma Restaurant Association to obtain their support for smoke-free Oklahoma</p> <p>e) <u>Local communities pass resolutions in favor or restoring local rights</u></p>	<p>May 2010 <i>(2013)</i></p>		<p>Lead:</p> <p>a) OSDH/TSET</p> <p>b) Smoke-free Oklahoma</p> <p>c) Smoke-free Oklahoma</p> <p>d) OSDH</p>	<p>Measures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Law amended 	<p>Senate Bill 36 by Senator Frank Simpson to modify the Smoking in Public Places and Indoor Workplaces Act to establish that it does not preempt local ordinances died after failing to receive a sufficient number of votes in the Senate General Government committee.</p> <p>Governor Mary Fallin came out in her State of the State address on February 4th in support of restoring local control to cities and towns. Following SB 36 failing in the Senate committee, the Governor announced in a press conference on February 19th that she plans to put tobacco regulations aimed at reducing second hand smoke to a vote of the people. Details of the petition drive have not been finalized.</p> <p>Two additional tobacco related bills have been introduced. They include Senate Bill 501 and Senate Bill 802.</p> <p><i>(continued on next page)</i></p>

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<p>2. By January 2015, increase the number of tribal nations that voluntarily adopt laws/policies to eliminate commercial tobacco abuse in tribally-owned or -operated worksites, including casinos.</p> <p><i>Baseline – none in June 2009</i></p> <p>a) Educate tribal leadership on the health consequences of second hand smoke b) Get on the agenda of the Sovereignty Symposium by June 2010. c) Look for opportunities to include the smoke-free discussion as health care reform progresses.</p>	<p>January 2015</p>		<p>Lead: a) Native American MPOWER b) Native American MPOWER c) Native American MPOWER <u>(need to find a new lead to be responsible for these items)</u></p>	<p>Measures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number of laws/policies adopted 	<p>No one present to give an update/report on these items.</p> <p>Jennifer and Tracey will follow-up with former members and try to re-establish participation.</p>

<p>3. By January 2015, increase the proportion of multi-unit housing facilities (25%), homes (90%) and motor vehicles (80%) with voluntary smoke-free policies.</p> <p><u>Baseline:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multi-unit housing facilities – 1% (estimated) • Homes – 74% in 2008 • Vehicles – 69% in 2008 <p>a) Develop a database to establish baseline and track smoke-free policies among multi-unit housing facilities.</p> <p>b) Educate owners and managers (statewide associations) of multi-unit housing on options and processes to provide protection from secondhand smoke including information on the marketing of lease agreements that assure a housing unit to be located in a 100 percent smoke-free building.</p> <p>c) Provide education to residents of multi-unit housing on all available educational and legal remedies and resources that may be applicable in various situations, depending on the ownership of the facility (publicly or privately owned) and the documented health condition of the persons affected.</p> <p>d) Develop, distribute, and utilize toolkits for Oklahoma communities to increasing voluntary adoption of smoke-free policies in homes and motor vehicles.</p>	<p>January 2015</p>		<p>Lead:</p> <p>a) OSDH b) OSDH and community partners c) Community Coalitions d) OSDH and community coalitions</p>	<p>Measures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Percent of smoke-free multiunit housing facilities • Percent of persons reporting a smoke-free home policy • Percent of persons reporting a smoke-free vehicle policy 	<p>The American Lung Association received the grant through the Community Transformation Grant to focus on multi-unit housing (MUH). The Coordinator has developed a database of all MUH complexes and owners/landlords from the Oklahoma County Assessor's Office. They have also been researching educational materials and developed fact sheets to distribute to all of the MUH owners as well as developed a survey to send out. They are in the process of communicating with local partners to map out low-income populations and public housing residents as well as talking to local businesses to determine possible monetary savings of smoke free apartments regarding insurance rates, cleaning costs, etc.</p>
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Specific activities towards objectives completed this quarter:

Other items to share:

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