

Arthritis Council General Member Meeting

April 6, 2021

Call to Order

Reminders

- Agenda and other Arthritis Council materials are available on the NACDD website
- Feel free to ask questions using the chat feature or unmute yourself and ask directly
- Webinar/call participants today include CDC-funded state arthritis programs and other state arthritis programs

Agenda

- Attached to your calendar invite
- Presentation/State sharing
 - March 25 webinar
 - Park Rx America and arthritis/PA materials
 - Arthritis Council/Steering Committee
 - National Grantee Meeting
- Announcements

Presentation/ State Sharing and Discussion

March 25 Webinar Reflection

Coupling Evidence-Based Interventions to Encourage Sustainability

- What did you enjoy about the webinar?
- What could have been done differently?
- Link to recording – <https://chronicdisease.org/webinar-library/>
- Summary document coming soon

Park Rx America Resource Discussion

- Suggestion to see if CDC would reach out to [Park Rx America](#) and request that arthritis and physical activity materials be included as resources
- What types of materials do you think would be best to have included?

Arthritis Council

- A forum for state health department managers and their staff, or others involved in arthritis work, to come together to share their wisdom, experience, successes, and lessons learned in an effort to make their work more efficient and more effective.

Council Objectives

- **Represent** state health department arthritis programs and related issues and concerns within NACDD.
- **Link** state/territorial/tribal program directors/coordinators, and others in a national forum to act collectively in the promotion of Arthritis health.
- **Exchange** ideas, strategies, materials, and policies and procedures to improve and enhance comprehensive public health programs/policies for Arthritis diseases and their risk factors.
- **Advocate** for legislation, policies and programs to reduce the burden of Arthritis diseases and their risk factors.
- **Provide** comments and recommendations to federal agencies and the membership on issues for which comment has been solicited or for which the Council feels comments are required.
- **Offer** leadership and develop partnerships with affiliates, private and public associations and industry to catalyze promotion of Arthritis health.

Roles & Responsibilities

Chair --

- Act as spokesperson of the Council in collaboration with the Council Steering Committee, and advances the purpose and position of the Council
- Call and preside over meetings of the Steering Committee
- Make all work group, NACDD representation, or replacement appointments as needed.

At-Large Members (4) --

- Serve on the Steering Committee
- Perform other duties requested by the Chair
- Preside over meeting in absence of the Chair

Nominations, Elections & Voting

- Elections occur annually and include a two-week nomination period (May 10-21, 2021), followed by a two-week voting period (June 1-15, 2021)
- Each member of the Arthritis Council is allowed annually, one vote for the Chair position and one vote for each of the four (4) At-Large Member positions
- Please consider nominating yourself or a colleague to participate in the Steering Committee

Arthritis National Grantee Meeting

- May 18, 19 and 20
- 1-4 p.m. ET with optional networking sessions before and after core meeting time
- Level setting videos available prior to meeting
- Day 1 – health equity focus
- Day 2 – virtual platforms and EBIs
- Day 3 - engaging HCPs, reimbursement and sustainability
- NEW Website – actiononarthritis.chronicdisease.org

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- Arthritis TA Webinar on April 28, 2021, 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. ET – Public-private partnerships to engage employers in improving the public’s health
- NEW MS Teams Group for State Arthritis Programs – get connected
- Walk With Ease work group call Monday, April 19 at 11am ET/10am CT/9am MT/8am PT; Contact hmurphy_ic@chronicdisease.org for more information.

Announcements

- WWE in prisons and the [First Step Act](#); see pages 34 and 43-44
- Arthritis Foundation INSIGHTS funding opportunity; 5/31 extension for applications
- COVID-19 Terminology Resource Guide available from NCOA
- OA Action Alliance “Exercise Prescription for Osteoarthritis and Weight Management” CME

Thank you!

The next Arthritis Council call will be held
Tuesday, June 1, 2021 at 2:00 PM ET