

Arthritis Council

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Tuesday, January 4, 2022, 2pm ET/1pm CT/12pm MT/11am PT

Registration Required –

<https://chronicdisease.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUscOGprDosGtNe6JaVFBlwDa7nTmAk6mfG>

Arthritis Council records: <https://www.chronicdisease.org/page/ArthritisCouncilReco>

Arthritis Resources: <https://actiononarthritis.chronicdisease.org/resources-categories/>

Agenda

I. Call to Order

- Welcome – Arthritis Council Chair 2021-2022, Amy Ellings (WA)
- Re-introduction of Steering Committee

II. Business Meeting

- Benefits of NACDD membership
- Action on Arthritis website
- CDC arthritis program needs assessment discussion
 - Future TA/Peer Sharing webinars
- Arthritis Council workgroups and opportunities*

III. State Sharing and Discussion

- Opportunity to share or solicit feedback from peers

IV. Announcements

- Walk With Ease work group call Monday, January 24th at 11am ET/10am CT/9am MT/8am PT; Contact hmurphy_ic@chronicdisease.org for more information.
- February 1, 2022 Peer Sharing/TA webinar - Leveraging Title III-D Funds for Arthritis-Appropriate Evidence-Based Intervention Delivery and Dissemination

V. Adjourn

NACDD Arthritis [Peer Sharing/TA webinars](#) are held the first Tuesday of each month at
2pm ET/1pm CT/12pm MT/11am PT

The next Arthritis Council Member call will be July 5, 2022

***Overview of Current Workgroups and Ad Hoc Committees**

NACDD helps to facilitate and organize several workgroups as a way of continuing the conversation around a given topic and to provide additional opportunities for collaboration, resource sharing, and networking.

Walk With Ease Workgroup – Currently lead by Amy Michael from Minnesota

Charge -- Provide a platform for discussion among council members on:

- WWE in the work site, with a specific focus on state employee groups/employees, looking at ROI and data for WWE in the worksite
- WWE as a support for other EBIs (e.g., DPP); package WWE to help expand EBI efforts, possibly through the development of a process map or flow chart; tie in referral and counseling linking with Electronic Health Records.
- Comorbidities of arthritis and collaboration with other state programs (e.g., 1817, 1815); also, how physical activity EBIs (like WWE) could be used to support these arthritis comorbidities.

Units on Aging Workgroup / Ad Hoc Committee – Currently moderated by Jennifer Raymond from AgeSpan

- 1st subgroup meeting held on November 30, 2022.
- Call was an opportunity to continue the October discussion on working with units on aging to advance arthritis public health approaches.
- Jennifer Raymond moderated the 1st call and agreed to serve as a subject matter expert on this topic.

TBD Community Health Worker Arthritis Module Workgroup

- Several states and national partners expressed an interest in potentially pooling together resources and tools to develop an arthritis module for Community Health Workers.
- NACDD is working with New York State and MCDPH to explore the feasibility of developing an arthritis module on the MCDPH platform.

TBD Action on Arthritis Website Workgroup

- NACDD is interested in developing a workgroup to focus on the Action on Arthritis website and enhancements to the site to make it beneficial for CDC funded states and national partners.