

**Identification of Children with Special Health Care Needs
within the Medical Home:
What It Is, Examples of How It's Done, and Why It's So Important**

1:00-1:10 p.m.	Welcome & Introductions	<i>Stephanie Cálves, Project Director, MA Consortium for Children with Special Health Care Needs</i> <i>Meg Comeau, Chair, MA Consortium for Children with Special Health Care Needs</i>
1:10-2:35 p.m. Education	<p>Identification of CSHCN Within the Medical Home</p> <p><i>Part I: Panel Presentation</i></p> <p>Identification, Screening, Diagnosis and Assessment: What's What? What are the key differences among these processes? When and how is each process used? Included a description of The Children with Special Health Care Needs (CSHCN) Screener® from the Foundation for Accountability, a five item, parent survey-based tool that offers an efficient and flexible standardized method for identifying CSHCN.</p> <p>Identification of CSHCN within Pediatric Primary Care What are the challenges of incorporating identification procedures into a pediatric practice? How do clinicians and practice staff meet those challenges?</p> <p>Using Electronic Tools to Identify CSHCN: One Health Plan's Experience How one health plan approached the development of a system for identifying children with special health care needs using existing administrative data as one of many strategies for screening and identification. Summary Description of Neighborhood Health Plan Algorithm Summary of Utilization Indicator in Identifying CSHCN, Neighborhood Health Plan</p> <p>Using Simple Strategies: One Community Health Center's Experience</p> <p>The Impact of Identifying CSHCN within the Medical Home: Comprehensive Services for CSHCN in Foster Care</p>	<p><i>Moderator: Stephanie Cálves</i></p> <p><i>Christopher Stille, MD, MPH, UMass Memorial Children's Medical Center; National Initiative for Children's Health Care Quality Medical Home Learning Collaborative</i></p> <p><i>Bev Nazarian, MD, UMass Memorial Children's Medical Center; Chair, MCAAP Committee on Disabilities; Chair, Medical Home Work Group</i></p> <p><i>Pamela Linov, Neighborhood Health Plan</i></p> <p><i>Jack Maypole, MD, Director of Pediatrics, SouthEnd Community Health Center</i></p> <p><i>PJ Meriot, Executive Director, Community Medical Alliance</i></p> <p><i>Ann Marie Foustouskos, Pediatric Nurse Practitioner, Community Medical Alliance</i></p>
2:35-2:55 p.m. Discussion	<p><i>Part II: Group Discussion</i></p> <p>What is the role of families in the promotion of identification of CSHCN within the medical home? What can the Consortium do to promote identification within the medical home?</p>	
2:55-3:05 p.m. Information	Leadership Opportunities to Improve Systems of Care: Introducing the LEND Program at the University of Massachusetts	<i>Kass Braden, MD</i> <i>Director, LEND Program, Eunice Kennedy Shriver Center; UMass Medical Center</i>
3:05-3:20 p.m. Information	Policy Updates Updates on Children's Mental Health	<i>Rebecca Rodman</i> <i>Children's Mental Health Access Project, Health Law Advocates</i>
3:20-3:30 p.m. Information	<p>Announcements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What's New in Oral Health? What's the link between oral health and the medical home? Oral Health and Children with Special Health Care Needs Resources • New Staff Member: Ruth Smith, Transition Training Coordinator • Consortium Participant Survey Reminder Take the survey now. • <i>Save the Date:</i> Next Consortium Meeting on June 8, 2006 	<i>Joan Lowbridge, DPH Office of Oral Health</i> <i>Stephanie Cálves</i>
3:30-4:30 p.m.	Networking Please stay and use this opportunity to connect with your colleagues.	