

National Child and Youth Health Coalition 3rd Annual Symposium

The NCYHC Indicator Program

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British Columbia

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National Child and Youth Health Coalition



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Child Health Research
(CCCHR)



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The Coalition Launches the Indicator Program in 2004 as its First National Priority Initiative

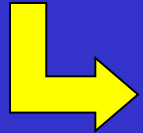
Objective:

“To identify existing indicators and develop new indicators that will be used to monitor and evaluate the health of, and the health services provided to, infants, children, youth and their families.”

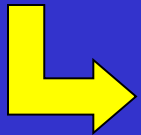
Expert Consultation

- **Six expert panels**
 - **Injury Prevention/Trauma; Mental Health; Primary Care; Chronic Conditions; System - wide Safety; System-wide Efficiency**
- **Identified key health and healthcare questions and issues**
- **Literature review of existing indicators**
- **Recommendations:**
 - **New indicators**
 - **Potential partners**
 - **Potential funding sources**

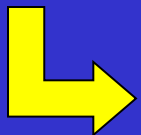
Three Strategic Pathways



Uptake of selected existing indicators



Development of an RFA to develop and validate new indicators

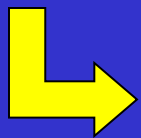


Research uptake to address key health and healthcare gaps and issues

Pathway 1: Uptake of Existing Indicators

**CAPHC and CCHSA Sign MOU
2006**

To collaborate on the development and uptake of child and youth health indicators and standards of care as part of the accreditation of health services organizations



Quality improvement in health care will address the unique needs of children and youth

Pathway 2: CIHR-IHDCYH NCYHC RFA for the Development and Validation of Child and Youth Health Indicators

Extensive partnership development

**↳ 10 external partners confirmed
minimum \$400K contribution**

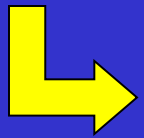
RFA Workshop May 31-June 1 2006

**Partners and researchers
>25 organizations**

↳ RFA “blueprint”

Pathway 3: Research Uptake to Address Priority Issues ID'd by Expert Panels

- Longer term objective
- Set stage for NCYHC integrated national research agenda and strategy



**Knowledge creation and translation
to**

**CARE, POLICY
and
HEALTH**

"Thank You"



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