

Marijuana Surveillance Workgroup Meeting Objectives**May 1-2, 2019****Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment****4300 Cherry Creek S Dr, Denver, CO 80246****Goal: Build Marijuana/Cannabis-Related Public Health Surveillance Capacity****Objectives:**

By the end of this workgroup meeting participants will:

- Have access to available resources to support surveillance planning and examples of reports
- Establish connections among peers who are working in different states to plan, implement and report on marijuana/cannabis public health surveillance activities
- Understand the strengths and limitations of current common surveillance data systems
- Identify approaches and opportunities to address surveillance weaknesses or challenges
- Contribute to planning next steps for strengthening capacity

Meeting Planning and Participation Will Include:

- Sharing data, resources and experiences among peers, with the understanding that this is for the purpose of discussion and will not be shared publicly
- Identifying limitations and weaknesses of available data systems, and how to address them, to understand how they can be most useful for surveillance
- Focusing on the priority interests of the attendees, with the understanding that all topics of interest will not be covered

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DAY 1: WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 9:00-4:30- “What’s the plan? How’s that going?” (Building C; Room: C1E)

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| 8:45-9:00 | Arrivals |
| 9:00-9:15 | Introductions and Welcome |
| 9:15-9:30 | Meeting Overview and Objectives |
| 9:30-9:50 | State of the State of Marijuana Surveillance: What We Have Right Now to Support “Best Practice Surveillance” <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What has Happened in Terms of Capacity-Building, Previous Work to Gather State Resources and What’s Available Now for Surveillance Tools/Resources? |
| 9:50-10:15 | Multi-State Data -- State Data Assembled Pre-Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Survey data (adult, youth)• Health outcomes data (hospital, ED, poison center)• Market and sales Data |
| 10:15-10:30 | BREAK (15 minutes) |
| 10:30-11:45 | State Report Out on Surveillance Capacity: (about 3 min per state; Canada gets 5 min) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Your role• Your agency and where you’re located within your agency• Who is working with you and what you have to work with (funding, staff)• What (if any) directives do you have from your agency/government?• What you specifically need to accomplish in the next fiscal year (by June 2020)• Describe anything you provided electronically to the group’s “basecamp” |
| 11:45-1:00 | LUNCH (on your own) |
| | (Building A; Room: Sabin/Cleere) |
| 1:00-2:30 | Planning and Implementing Marijuana Surveillance (“speed dating” discussions within subgroups by legalization status/dates) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What has helped you most in this work, so far?• What is frustrating you most in your work right now?• What is going well so far, or what is your greatest success?• What is the question you’re being asked most right now that you can’t answer, and who is asking?• What vulnerable populations are you most concerned about in context of legalization? (and/or what are you doing to address disparities in your work right now?)• What is one thing you wish you had available, to help in your work? |

- 2:30-2:45 **BREAK (15 minutes)**
- 2:45-3:45 Staying Connected and Building Capacity: Small Group Discussions by Topic
- **Survey alternatives/non-traditional data collection:** CUSH, BRFSS callback, online surveys, social media surveys, Canada survey option
 - **Disparities/vulnerable populations:** describing, monitoring, working toward equity through surveillance in a cannabis legalization context
 - **Intersection with tobacco/alcohol/other drugs:** including substitution, complementarity
 - **Evaluation:** what are the expectations for evaluation of cannabis-related interventions, and how does this intersect with surveillance?
 - **Monitoring the industry:** advertising, social media, retail presence, market data
 - **Impaired driving:** what do we know, what can we measure?
 - **Other (specify)**
- 3:45-4:15 Roundtable Report Out: Staying Connected and Building Capacity
- How CSTE can help to bridge gaps
- 4:15-4:30 Closing Remarks/Adjourn
- 5:00-6:15 Group Dinner (optional) at “Next Door” (658 S Colorado Blvd, Glendale, CO 80246)

**DAY 2: THURSDAY, MAY 2, 9:00 AM -12:30 PM- “Surveillance Quality Improvement”
(Building A; Room: Sabin/Cleere)**

- 9:00-10:00 Developing High-Quality Survey Questions with Cognitive Testing: What it Means and How to Do It, (guest presenter: Dr. Ashley Brooks-Russell)
- Assess priorities
- 10:00-11:00 Measuring Cannabis-Related Health Outcomes and Assessing Quality of Measures: The Good, The Bad, The Ugly (with a focus on what’s still useful, even with limitations)
- Discharge code-related outcome measures
 - Syndromic Surveillance
 - Poison Center
- 11:00-11:15 **BREAK (15 minutes)**
- 11:15-11:45 Highlight and Discuss Current Multi-State Marijuana Surveillance Projects – what is or could be happening right now?
- Parallel cognitive testing
 - ED/Hosp ICD-10-CM MJ coding project
 - Retail/market dashboard
 - Multi-state manuscripts
- 11:45-12:15 Next Steps (CSTE subcommittee calls, CSTE Annual conference, Projects etc.)
- 12:15-12:30 Closeout/Adjourn