Welcome & Introductions	Senator Tom Sherman, Rep Jerry Knirk, Rep William Marsh, Ann Landry, Tyler Brannen, Justin Romanello, Patricia Tilley, Polly Campion, Phil Sletten, Joshua Meehan, Lynn Lippit, Gregory Norman, Ben Hillyard, Daisy Pierce, Yvonne Goldsberry, Kerran Vigroux, Bobbie Bagley, Marie Ramas, Julie Bosak, Charlene Lovett, Katie Lesnyk, Randy Hayes, Katie Robert, Julianne Battista, Ciera Hunter, Jo Porter, Anela Kruscica, Diane Quinlan, Lucy Hodder, Heather Carroll	
	Discussion / Questions	Action Items for Follow up
Update on HB157 – Senator Sherman	Signed into law     Adds several members to the council     Increases emphasis on public health     http://gencourt.state.nh.us/bill_status/billText.aspx?sy=2021&id=246&txtFormat=pdf&v=current	Distribute Final version of HB157 to Council to read
Health Care Services Assessment Subcommittee – Senator Sherman	<ul> <li>Map of public health and wellness support across the state (all providers, all efforts → global map of NH health)         <ul> <li>Patients may follow through more on medical care if their doctor makes the referral because there is a relationship/trust already established</li> <li>Analysis of systems of care and capacity of systems → if there is a 6-month waiting list, they cannot be accessed</li> </ul> </li> <li>Health Care Taskforce is also doing an assessment of sorts → lead by Seddon Savage</li> <li>Between 211 and work on UniteUs, many efforts to map services are occurring who could be potential partners</li> <li>Commission on Aging is looking at existence of long-term supports and services → Lynn Lippitt is leading the taskforce         <ul> <li>Seeking to understand the services that currently exist and the gaps</li> </ul> </li> <li>Justin Romanello would like to be involved in this effort</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sen. Tom Sherman will reach out to Seddon Savage and determine best course of action forward (questions to bring, collaboration) – include Polly Campion and Lynn Lippitt → Share the invitation with Council/interested parties</li> <li>Add this topic to agenda for next meeting</li> </ul>
Summary on Subcommittee for Community Engagement – Marie Ramas and Katie Robert	<ul> <li>Created a timeline between now and mid-fall for assessments</li> <li>The first version of SHA will account for all data collected so far in order to inform the SHIP forming in July</li> <li>Next meeting: targeting and solidifying priority groups, determining key stakeholders who can assist, and identifying gaps</li> <li>Small sample sizes may indicate that we need to dig deeper- this is how priority needs to be addressed in the SHIP</li> <li>We may need more options in the survey for race/ethnicity</li> <li>Recruitment- we may need to do outreach to potential partners and entities, obtain calendars on how they do their meetings etc.</li> </ul>	

	<ul> <li>What existing relationships can we leverage?</li> <li>What are the resources we need to engage these priority communities?</li> <li>Vaccine access</li> <li>Emphasis on building relationships within the community, utilizing community health services</li> </ul>	
Domain 1 (Access to Opportunity - Housing) and Domain 2 (Community) – Jo Porter	<ul> <li>Housing Affordability</li> <li>% of renters is a bit higher from 2019 ACS</li> <li>NHHFA Just published a report on the housing market this month → spiked by 14% and continues to rise sharply</li> <li>https://www.nhhfa.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/HMS-Spring-2021.pdf</li> <li>Has some more granular rental costs (NHHFA is doing their survey now and is dependent on how much data they get from each area)</li> <li>Reach out to Lynn Lippitt for additional data</li> <li>National Low Income Housing Coalition has some great data</li> <li>Look at waitlists for affordable housing</li> <li>There is a lack of supply of affordable housing for small household and those fleeing DV</li> <li>If there were a heat map version of this that could go below county level, it could be quite helpful. Averaging across county limits this view? Quite severe hotspots exist in small areas in the state</li> <li>Part of the complexity is also the misconception that affordable housing = low income housing. The data disproves this rigid analogy.</li> <li>Housing Availability has an impact on workforce → healthcare workers cannot find houses and have pressures from student loan repayment as well; also impacts educators</li> <li>Demystification of what affordable housing means is needed</li> <li>Getting that information out to the public is critical to getting local governing bodies to approve mixed income housing which is critical to increasing the availability of housing.</li> <li>There are zoning and other policy pressures preventing the developing of housing affordable across the state both because of misunderstanding but also because of persistent policy issues, zoning, tax consequences, etc. Is there a way to track zoning barriers?</li> <li>Housing Insecurity in relation to SUD. From the community perspective to access the HUD or Low income housing your 'record' must be clean although it's</li> </ul>	Start at Safety (Domain 2) next meeting

- dependent on the management review, a lot of people are denied or have lost their housing. (Not to stereotype what affordable housing means).
- The New Hampshire Housing Finance Authority publishes some great and insightful data on the number of homes listed for under \$300k and over \$300k in the state, as well as permits for single-family and multi-family home construction. Those may provide key indicators as to where the housing market is going.
- Affordability is also very tied to policies that prohibit the development of low-income housing.
- These percentages will vary greatly within county. The Council on Housing Stability may
  be a good resource for data. Their report is due out in June. Finally, the availability of
  housing stock is critical to affordability.
- The patterns that we are used to seeing for rental and housing prices are going to be very different with COVID and needs to be watched closely
- Homelessness
  - The Council on Housing Stability should have the most recent data on homelessness.
- Housing Insecurity
  - Has there been any research on how financial resilience is impacted by housing cost and amount of income?
    - Lynn Lippit included some of this data in a grant proposal. She will look it up and send
    - The household pulse survey asks about affording household expenses in the last 7 days

## • Domain 2: Community

- Community based survey data (1,676 total survey respondents)
  - Coos county rated the highest of needing reliable internet service
  - 13% of people said internet costs are too high
  - Top response to resources and services needed or received: Health Insurance
  - "needed or received" language is confusing → the percentage represents those that needed or sought the services → the table shows the need to support, the second question asked, but not seen on the slides is "what is your experience with accessing this service?"
  - For those that cannot access services, should we ask if they are receiving services from informal networks (family, friends, etc.)?
- Physical Infrastructure
  - Looking at federal land/forests may also be helpful

Public Comment Next Steps	issue at all, nor may it be particularly trackable or something that can be turned into usable data, but something to think about when looking at regions that have similar, but not the same, boundaries for service areas.  None  Next meeting: June 18, 2021  Consider how vacations may impact summer meetings	Send out poll to see who is able to attend the next three meetings
	<ul> <li>If you want to add Recovery Community Organizations <a href="https://nhrecoveryhub.org/home">https://nhrecoveryhub.org/home</a> has a map as well - more options than the 9 Doorways</li> <li>Add 211 (they have good data on call volume and reason for calling)</li> <li>How do we best reflect culture of North Country? Use of community support/ informal resources?         <ul> <li>The NH Civic Health Index has some information about neighbors helping other neighbors</li> </ul> </li> <li>Consider informal caregiver network as well → How do we measure or capture this?         <ul> <li>AARP might have data on caregiving</li> <li>United Way would be a great resource for learning more about what services are in the community</li> <li>Rotary, Lions, Kiwanis, and Interact clubs also sponsor support programs for local communities</li> </ul> </li> <li>Should there be a place for the faith community?         <ul> <li>Plus, EMT compared to AEMT &amp; Paramedic capacity should be included as well</li> <li>The differences in geographic areas served by different regional systems/entities may result in any sort of systemic difficulty in some people being successfully referred to services. There are probably a few towns that fall in different service areas which may create more barriers for referral or more difficulty in knowing which particular services are best to access in as rapid a fashion. It may not be an</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Social Service Infrastructure</li> <li>Social services v. health care service? As there are hospital service areas and CMHC designated areas. Doorways are quasi-SS and quasi-providers</li> </ul>	

## Council Membership List, as of 5/20/21 at 8:00am

Council Member Name	Council Member Designation	Attendance	Approval of 04/16/2021 Meeting Minutes
Tom Sherman	Senate Majority (Chair): first named	Present	Yes
Jerry Knirk	House Majority	Present	Yes
William Marsh	House Minority	Present	Yes
Jeb Bradley	Senate Minority	Absent	
Ann Landry	DHHS	Present	Yes
Tyler Brannen	Dept. of Insurance	Present	Yes
Justin Romanello	DOS: Designee	Present	Yes
Paula Mattis	DOC	Absent	
Patricia Tilley	DHHS: Public Health	Present	Yes
Polly Campion	Chair of St. Comm. on Aging	Present	Yes
Jaime Hoebeke	Manchester Health Dept.	Absent	
Lisa Bunjo	NH Public Health Assoc.	Absent	
Martha McLeod	NH Alliance for Healthy Aging	Absent	
Becky McEnany	North Country Health Consortium	Absent	
Phil Sletten	NHFPI	Present	Yes
Joshua Meehan	NHHAC	Present	Yes
Lynn Lippitt	NHHFA	Present	Yes
Greg Norman	NHHA: Lg. Health System	Present	Abstain
Edward Shanshala, II	Bi State Primary Care	Absent	
Benjamin Hillyard	LCMHC	Present	Yes
Daisy Pierce	Peer Recovery	Present	Yes
Carolyn Murray, MD	Env. Health: Dartmouth	Absent	
Adam Steel	NHSAA	Absent	
Christine Brennan	DOE (not listed on Gen Court yet)	Absent	
Yvonne Goldsberry	Endowment for Health	Present	Yes
Kerran Vigroux	NH Providers Association	Present	Yes

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Bobbie Bagley	Nashua Health Dept.	Present	Abstain
Diane Quinlan	Attorney General: Designee	Present	Yes
Marie Ramas, MD	NHMS	Present	Yes
Julie Bosak	NHNPA	Present	Abstain
Charlene Lovett	NHMA	Present	Abstain
Kim McNamara	NH Health Officers Assoc.	Absent	
members present - quorum		Present =21	Yes = 17
met			Abstain =4

Other Attendees	
Jo Porter	
Katie Lesnyk	
Julianne Battista	
Ciera Hunter	
Randy Hayes	
Anela Kruscica	
Katie Robert	
Lucy Hodder	
Heather Carroll	