

Everyone Swims! Policy and Systems Change Priorities in Order of Rank

Swimming Scholarship Policy and System Changes

- If a child is on Medicaid, Head Start, eCap, Step Ahead, or free/reduced school lunch automatically qualify
- Swimming program information is provided to Everyone Swims community clinics in pool catchment area
- Partner with other non-profits to offer swim programming through dedicated source of scholarship funding
- Scholarship forms available to print from pool website
- Scholarship extended to community center/other physical activities
- Scholarship information is available in other languages
- Swimming program information is available in other languages
- Can apply for scholarship online
- Family does not have to pay upfront for swim lessons and then be reimbursed later
- Scholarship offered for family swim
- Scholarship offered for open swim
- Scholarships offered for swim lessons
- Review, edit scholarship form for readability and ease of use for diverse populations
- Scholarship guidelines posted online and in print
- 'Sponsor a child' Scholarship program
- Scholarship forms available when pool is closed
- Scholarship extended to include swimming parties (perhaps as an incentive)
- Scholarship applications are reviews and families are notified within 48 hours
- Donation field for scholarship fund when signing up for programming
- Public swim offered for \$1 once a month

Referrals from Clinics to Pools

- Clinic actively gives out swimming/water recreation information
- Clinic has scholarship forms available
- Clinic fills out a "referral form" and faxes/emails to pool
- Clinics have video options to play in waiting rooms
- Clinic provides hands on assistance to help family fill out scholarship form
- Clinic has water recreation/swimming information in waiting room
- Clinic provides list of referred families to pool

Screening

- Clinic makes referral to water recreation/swimming when appropriate
- Clinic has standard tool system in place to assess swim ability of child at 5-6 year old well child check
- Providers recommend swimming as a physical activity
- Clinic has standard tool system to assess patient (any age, e.g.: parents) interest and barriers to swimming/water recreation
- Providers screen for swim ability for other ages

Special Programs

- Clinic partners with pool/water recreation facility on a special program
- Clinic partners with pool/water partners facilitate equipment for swimming (suits, etc)
- Targeted outreach to first time and diverse communities
- Pool offers child-parent beginning swim program
- Clinic partners with pool/water recreation facility on a 1-2x year Pool Party
- Pool partners to offer gender only swim for girls and women
- Pool partners to offer gender only swim for boys and men
- Pool/clinic partner to offer special program for obese/overweight children/teens/adults
- Pool partners to offer a group swim