

KCC Lung Cancer Network Meeting Notes

May 12, 2022 | 10:00 – 12:00 pm EST

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Thank you for attending the KCC Lung Cancer Network Meeting and many thanks to those who presented their good work. It is amazing to see the progress Kentucky is making to reduce the burden of lung cancer through partner collaboration.

We heard a several themes throughout the meeting that can help guide our future work together:

- take a **comprehensive** approach that expands across the cancer continuum
- create **equitable** access to services that improve outcomes and quality of life
- ensure **high quality** lung cancer screening program that leads eligible patients to a screening, enhances patient adherence and retention
- continue to **collaborate and coordinate efforts**

Check out our infographic:

[KCC Lung Cancer Network and Kentucky LEADS Collaborative celebrate success in lung cancer screening in Kentucky](#)

We are grateful to have so many KCC partners willing to align their work to create a meaningful collaboration to improve the health of all Kentuckians.

Next steps:

- Kristy Young, ACS CAN - Tobacco funding – considering meeting with the Governor’s office and welcomes other advocates to join her in advocating
- Shannon Baker, American Lung Association - The single most important and exciting thing that has happened in tobacco control in years is FDA’s recent announcement of proposed rules to remove menthol cigarettes and flavored cigars from the market. I suggest that each of us who can, support the proposed rules and share this ask far and wide. If it’s helpful, please voice your support [HERE](#).
- Clarify HB 77 Radon - what that means for the radon program, funding, etc.
- Follow up on telehealth questions
- Angela Criswell, Go2Foundation – Consider possible advocacy for regulatory change in KY to lung cancer screening coverage in commercial policies regarding site of service restriction
- Clarify HB 219 Lung Cancer Advisory Committee – opportunity for KCC to recommend individuals for appointments. KDPH will reach out to the advisory committee members that that have been named in the legislation in establishing first meetings that will be heavy in the planning function of the committee.

Resources

KCC Cancer Survivorship Series

<https://www.kycancerc.org/2022/02/22/cancer-survivorship-series/>

KY Cancer Needs Assessment

www.KYCancerNeeds.org

UK Human Development Institute – Disability Program

<https://www.wellness4ky.org/community-education/womens-health/>

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FACT SHEET: Biden-Harris Administration Announces 10 Million Households Enroll in Broadband Affordability Program, Thanks to Bipartisan Infrastructure Law

<https://www.whitehouse.gov/briefing-room/statements-releases/2022/02/14/fact-sheet-biden-harris-administration-announces-10-million-households-enroll-in-broadband-affordability-program-thanks-to-bipartisan-infrastructure-law/>

Center for Connected Health Policy--offers state-by-state information on telehealth policies. Click here to link to Kentucky's page: <https://www.cchpca.org/kentucky/>

Purdue Data Analysis

<https://pcrd.purdue.edu/data-analysis/tools/> and a new modeling approach discussed at <https://www.williamrinehart.com/2022/broadband-mapping-machine-learning/> **UK College of Nursing,**

BREATHE

<https://www.uky.edu/breathe>

Get our KY Center for Smoke-Free Partner e-Newsletter: kensp00@lsv.uky.edu

Kentucky Smoke-free Ordinance Database, Maps and Listings (updated April 1, 2022)

<https://www.uky.edu/breathe/tobacco-policy/smoke-free-communities/Kentucky-Smoke-free-Ordinance-Database>

Tobacco Treatment Specialist Training

<https://www.uky.edu/breathe/tobacco-treatment/tobacco-treatment-specialist-training>

Policy Brief: Increasing Capacity for Tobacco Treatment with Medicaid Recipients

<https://www.uky.edu/breathe/tobacco-treatment/policy-brief-increasing-capacity-tobacco-treatment>

Just ASK Quality Improvement Project & Clinical Study

<https://www.facs.org/quality-programs/cancer-programs/pdsa-just-ask>

OPINION Courier Journal: How taking action to ban menthol cigarettes and flavored cigars saves lives: Opinion, Janie Heath, Ellen J. Hahn, Audrey Darville and Lovoria Williams
<https://www.courier-journal.com/story/opinion/2022/05/12/taking-action-ban-menthol-cigarettes-flavored-cigars-saves-lives/9728569002/>

Radon Report Card

<https://aarst.org/report-card>

HB 77 - Radon Bill The Kentucky House and Senate have both passed [HB 77](#), which repeals, reenacts, and amends Kentucky's Radon Certification Law, and Governor Andy Beshear has [signed the bill](#) into law. The bill, introduced at the initiative of the Kentucky Association of Radon Professionals, replaces the Kentucky Radon Program Advisory Committee with the Kentucky Board of Radon Safety; establishes the responsibilities and membership of the board; and attaches the board to the Department of Professional Licensing in the Public Protection Cabinet. The bill also changes the name of the Radon Mitigation and Control Fund to the Radon Control Fund and increases the cap on fines.

HB219 -- Lung Cancer Screening & Prevention

This bill establishes a Kentucky Lung Cancer Screening and Prevention Program, to be administered by the Kentucky Department for Public Health similar to Kentucky's Colon Cancer Screening model. Early detection of lung cancer improves both treatment and survival rates, and this bill creates the restricted fund and additional regulatory oversight necessary to significantly change the trajectory of Kentucky's poor lung cancer mortality rates.

Lung Cancer Screening Guidelines

CMS <https://www.cms.gov/newsroom/press-releases/cms-expands-coverage-lung-cancer-screening-low-dose-computed-tomography>

USPSTF <https://www.uspreventiveservicestaskforce.org/uspstf/recommendation/lung-cancer-screening>

Person-first language recommendations

<https://www.iaslc.org/iaslc-news/press-release/iaslc-releases-iaslc-language-guide-lexicon-healing-lung-cancer-and-beyond>

KCC LCN Agenda, May 12 2022:

- 10:00 am Welcome**
Elaine Russell, Kentucky Cancer Consortium
- 10:05 am Lung Cancer Survivorship Update**
KCC Survivorship Series, Jennifer Redmond Knight, KCC
KY LEADS Collaborative Lung Cancer Survivorship Program new RO1, Jessica Burris, UK
- 10:15 am Social Determinants of Health and Tobacco Data**
Todd Burus, UK Community Impact Office
- 10:30 am UK College of Nursing, BREATHE Update**
Ellen Hahn,
Stacy Stanifer,
Lee Ann Taylor
- 10:45 am Tobacco Funding**
Kristy Young, ACS CAN
- 10:50 am Radon Policy Updates**
Kyle Hoylman, Protect Environmental and the KY Association of Radon Professionals
- 11:00 am Stretch Break**
- 11:05 am Lung Cancer Screening Data**
Todd Burus, UK Community Impact Office
- 11:10 am Lung Cancer Screening Guidelines and Insurance Coverage**
Angela Criswell, Go2Foundation
- 11:25 am Kentucky Health Collaborative Lung Cancer Initiative**
Tim Mullett, KY LEADS Collaborative
Andrea Slone, Kentucky Health Collaborative
- 11:35 am HB 219 Lung Cancer Screening Advisory Board**
Tim Mullett, UK MCC
Jack Hillard, KY Cancer Foundation
Shannon Baker, American Lung Association,
Elizabeth Goode, KDPH

In attendance

Last Zoom	Name Zoom	Organization
Schroeder	Ellen	ACS
Young	Kristy	ACS CAN
McIntire	Kelly	Aetna Better Health of Kentucky
Baker	Shannon	American Lung Association
Powell	Sandra	Anthem Medicaid
Hasty's	Derek	AstraZeneca
Sturgeon	Kelly	AstraZeneca
Colvin	Charles	Baptist Health
Labbato	Crystal	Baptist Health Louisville
Harris	Cary	Bristol Myers Squibb
Studs	Jamie	Colorado University
Adams	Allison	Foundation for a Healthy Kentucky
Kasey-Houlette	Judy	Friend for Life
Lockett	Marcia	Genentech, Inc
Harrison	Miranda	Georgetown Community Hospital
Criswell	Angela	GO2 Foundation for Lung Cancer
Mohon	Robin	GO2 Foundation for Lung Cancer
Bess	Rudy	Hope Light Foundation
Beckett	Amanda	KCC
Jones	Kate	KCC
Knight	Jennifer	KCC
Wagner	Kristian	KCC
Russell	Elaine	KCC
Russell	Jeff	KCP
Westbrook	Elizabeth	KCP E
Combs	Angela	KCP E
Pauley	Tonya	KCP E
Rogers	Mindy	KCP E
Schneider	Mary	KCP E
Padgett	Wynona	KCP E
Wallace	Khadijah	KCP E
Daniel	Jaime	KCP W
Smith	Jamie	KCP W
Timmons	Angie	KCP W
Knight	Jamie	KCP W
Temple	Pam	KCP W
Gilkey	Delana	KCP W and KAAAC
Shaw	Heather	KDPH KY Tobacco Prevention and Control (KTPC)
Hoagland	Elizabeth	KDPH KTPC

Schwartz	Priscilla	KDPH KTPC
Toftness	Colleen	KDPH KWCSF
Kanotra	Sarojini	KDPH KY BRFS
Thomas-Cox	Sue	KDPH PQI
Goode	Elizabeth	KDPH PQI
Hackney	Evan	Kentucky Health Collaborative
Slone	Andrea	Kentucky Health Collaborative
Hoylman	Kyle	Kentucky Association of Radon Professionals
Hillard	Jack	Kentucky Cancer Foundation
Hunter	Melanie	Kentucky CancerLink
Karrer	Melissa	Kentucky CancerLink
Shemwell	Ashley	Kentucky Health Collaborative
Campbell	Deb	Kentucky Hospital Association
Alvey	Nancy	Kentucky LEADS Collaborative
Holt	Leigh	Kings Daughters Medical Center
Sloan	Miranda	KY Society of Clinical Oncology
Deskins	Hilary	Leo Cancer Care
Greenwell	Brad	Nesbitt Engineering
Buckley	Connie	Norton Healthcare
Laugh	Tim	Owensboro Health
Walters	Tonnie	Passport Health Plan by Molina Healthcare
Prunty	Melinda	State Representative
Burris	Jessica	UK
Damron	Kris	UK
Hahn	Ellen	UK BREATHE
Kuykendall	Kyle	UK BREATHE
Stanifer	Stacy	UK BREATHE
Darville	Audrey	UK BREATHE
Taylor-UK	Lee	UK BREATHE, KY Center for Smoke-free Policy
Riney	Natalie	UK CIO
Burus	Todd	UK CIO
Hull	Pamela	UK CIO
Blair	Courtney	UK Markey Cancer Center
Mullett	Tim	UK Markey Cancer Center
Alexander	Trey	UK Markey Cancer Center Research Network
Carey	Deborah	UK MCCAN
Yates	Allyson	UK-MCC
Boone	Stephanie	UofL
Chowning	Laura	WellCare Health Plans, Inc