



Whale's Tales

A newsletter for the MOBI and TIES Trainer

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Welcome to Whale's Tales, a periodic newsletter written for MOBI and TIES trainers. Whale's Tales reports the pertinent information about statewide training activities, trainer experiences, challenges and immunization information that impacts the trainer and course participant.

From the Medical Directors:

We have now updated MOBI & TIES slide decks and resources for October 2018. We are still in the process of printing hard copies, but everything is available online at this time. See the 'MOBI TIES Trainer Resources' link on the Trainer Portal to access current presentation and resource editions.

The changes to the presentations and resources are as follows:

MOBI Module 1 – Core Slides

- Slide 5: Removed “What’s New in 2018” & added “Review of 2018 Immunization Schedules”.
- Slide 7: Removed “What’s New is 2018 Recommended Immunization Schedule”.
- Slide 10: Removed “What’s New in 2018: Immunization Schedule Footnotes” .
- Slides 15-18: Updated flu slides for the 2018-2019 season; detailed information on available vaccines in the local market is now included as a handout in the packet (handout 6).
- **Slides will be updated again once 2017 NIS data on children has been released.**

MOBI Resource Packet

- **MOBI packets shipped will continue to contain old slides until 2017 NIS data is available. After that is available and updates are made to the slides we will print new copies of slides and replace them in the folder.**
- **The right side with the updated resources has already been sent to the printer, and will be updated in the folder once they are received.**
- Resource 1: Updated to reflect availability of CME only (no longer offering MOCII)
- Resource 3: Updated.
- Resource 6: Added “Available Influenza Vaccines in the Local Market”.
- Resource 26a, 26b, 26c, 26d: Includes all Celsius and Fahrenheit refrigeration and frozen recommendations.
- Resource 28: Updated.
- All resources have been reviewed and updated to the most current edition.

TIES Slides

- Slide 5: Removed “What’s New”.
- Slides 5-7: Updated with newly released 2017 NIS data on adolescences.
- Slide 9: Updated.
- Slide 10: Updated.
- Slide 17: Updated.
- Slide 19: Updated.
- Slide 26: Updated.
- Slide 33: Updated.
- Slide 36: Updated language on Tdap regarding dosage for 7-10 years and whether additional dose is needed at 11-12 years.

- Slides 38-39: Updated flu slides for the 2018-2019 season; detailed information on available vaccines in the local market is now included as a handout in the packet (handout 17).
- **Dr. Frenck has reviewed and edited all notes for all slides. Please take time to review these changes.**

TIES Resource Packet

- **All slides and resources will be updated once the print order is received.**
- Resource 1: Updated to reflect availability of CME only (no longer offering MOCII)
- Resource 3: Updated.
- Resource 13: Replaced with “HPV 6 Reasons” from original “Information for Health Care Providers” (has not been updated since 2014).
- Resource 17: Added “Available Influenza Vaccines in the Local Market”.
- Resource 26: Added article by Gary Marshall “Understanding the Category B Recommendation for Serogroup B Meningococcal Vaccine”.

If you find a resource that you think should be in the resource pack, let us know and it may be added in the future, following review by the MOBI/TIES Project and Advisory Team.

Thank You,

Dr. Rebecca Brady and Dr. Robert Frenck, Jr.

From the Project Team:

Changes to Project Team –

- After over 20 years with the MOBI Program Kari Veraas has left to pursue a wonderful opportunity at Nationwide Children's Hospital. We wish her the very best in her new position, and truly appreciate all her hard work, passion, and dedication she brought to the program! Thank you Kari, we wish you continued success in your new chapter!
- Beth Barker has stepped down as the Director of Immunization Programs to complete her Master's degree in Nursing Education. We are blessed to have her continue on with Ohio AAP as the Nurse Educator in a contracted position! She will continue to work on the MOBI & TIES program, providing direct provider education as a trainer, and serving in an advisory role. Additionally, she will be observing trainers programs as Kari had once done and will be reaching out to trainers about scheduling to see their program in the near future.
- Ohio AAP welcomes Lory Sheeran Winland as our new Director of Immunization Programs! Her email is lwinland@ohioaap.org. Please see her brief intro below. We look forward to her leadership on our Immunization programming, and believe she will be a great asset to our Organization.

From Lory:

Hello, trainers! I am Lory Sheeran Winland, the new Director of Immunization Programs at the Ohio Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics. I have a BA in Political Science and a certificate in Women's Studies from Ohio University. I also obtained my MPA from the John Glenn College of Public Affairs at The Ohio State University. I come to the AAP with nearly 15 years of experience in the non-profit sector with my work with the American Heart Association (AHA). Throughout my career with the AHA, I built strong relationships with internal staff, volunteers, coalition partners and elected officials. During my tenure, I held numerous positions at the state-level including Mission: Lifeline Director, Director of Quality & System Improvement and Government Relations Director. I worked closely with hospitals and first responders to analyze state and regional data while standardizing protocols for heart attack patients. I also helped dozens of hospitals win national awards and certifications/accreditations in stroke, heart failure, heart attack, atrial fibrillation and cardiac resuscitation. Most recently, I helped pass the CPR in Schools bill that required all high school students to be taught hands only CPR prior to graduation. Additionally, I helped 10 cities across the state of Ohio pass local Tobacco 21 policies making it illegal for tobacco retailers to sell tobacco products to anyone under the age of 21. I currently live in Lewis Center with my two daughters, Cate and Ellie. Thank you for welcoming me to the team; I'm excited to see what we can accomplish together in the immunization space!

Kind Regards,

Lory

From Kari:

Hello Everyone! I wanted to share some big news. My role within MOBI is changing. Since our last edition of Whale's Tales, I have accepted a position at Nationwide Children's Hospital with their Care Navigation Team working to manage some very complex medical care of their pediatric population. It was an offer too good to refuse and I accepted. It was also, one of the hardest decisions I've ever made, after spending nearly a quarter of a century with MOBI, a program that has been a part of my life since that day I created it in 1996. But, this isn't a goodbye. It's a change.

So, while I won't be observing and evaluating your MOBI presentations and bringing back all of those incredible observations for you at all of our MOBI Train the Trainer Workshops, I will be part of the advisory teams for MOBI. I wrote the first MOBI curriculum and hopefully will be able to continue to contribute to MOBI's continued success.

This next week celebrates the true start of MOBI, when I held the very first MOBI Train the Trainer Workshop on October 17, 2016, complete with all of the materials that we still use today in MOBI. I knew in my heart, at that training, that the first volunteer MOBI Trainers, if provided with comprehensive training, curriculum, presentation materials and all the resources they would need to present an immunization program then there was a good shot at making this new peer to peer educational program design work. I was given the task of making this a statewide Immunization Education and Training Program and the MOBI Training Model succeeded like none other. It worked beautifully, as it does still today! We have presented thousands of MOBI programs to tens of thousands of medical providers in Ohio. And at the heart of this program, is you, the MOBI Trainer; MOBI Trainers who are so knowledgeable and enthusiastic about childhood Immunization and are the best Ambassadors and Immunization Educators around.

I will miss so much the day to day interactions with you, but hope to

be working in the background, helping to continue MOBI's mission for years to come!

From Ohio AAP and ODH:

The below statement is now included in the MOBI/TIES Trainer Manual. This came up at the annual Train the Trainer in July and a statement was designed to better answer this question for trainers. Please review this statement so you are familiar with this when scheduling future programs.

Ohio AAP Statement on Multiple Practices **Attending One MOBI/TIES Presentation**

Recently, some MOBI and TIES trainers requested clarification from the Ohio Department of Health (ODH) and the Ohio Chapter, American Academy of Pediatrics (OAAP) on the practice of performing a MOBI and/or TIES with multiple health care practices during one training session. After consulting with the ODH Immunization Program, the following information will help provide some clarification on this issue.

First and foremost, the preferred MOBI or TIES training method is with individual health care practices. This means that when scheduling a training, one practice at a time, per event is the best method to follow. MOBI & TIES are designed to work most effectively as one-on-one education sessions. When trainers adhere to the single practice, single session format (whether performing MOBI and TIES together, separately, or one or the other) trainers will more likely be able to provide one-on-one education, guidance, and expertise at a digestible level for the practice. Trainers can also better focus discussions on the individual practice's concerns or misunderstandings of best practices instead of having their attention divided among multiple practices. The goal of the MOBI and TIES training is to stimulate knowledge and produce behavior change so that more children and adolescents are immunized on-time at that individual practice. The discussion with the Plan, Do, Study, Act (PDSA) cycle will also be diminished if the training session is too large. While it may be more efficient to perform the MOBI or TIES training with multiple practices at one location, this is not the intended design of the programs.

Scheduling a MOBI or TIES with multiple health care providers at one time should be rare. Occasionally, you may be attempting to schedule a MOBI or TIES with someone in a higher-level leadership role in a smaller health care system with multiple practice locations. This person expresses a desire to complete MOBI and/or TIES in a combined environment. You should always try to schedule individual trainings. However, if their strong preference is to combine the training sessions, this is allowable – but please remember to keep the training session as small as possible. If the health care group will not participate unless the training is combined, then the larger training venue can be considered.

Remember to schedule your programs individually. If a training session needs to be combined because the practice leadership wants it that way, then adjustments can be made with the required materials. Be sure to have participants complete feedback forms and PDSA forms that indicate each individual practice – not the entire larger group. Remember that the goal is to provide quality MOBI and TIES education and to promote individual practice behavior change to improve timely immunizations.

Please contact Lory Sheeran Winland at 614-846-6258 or via email at lwinland@ohioaap.org with any question you may have with scheduling MOBI and TIES trainings.

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