

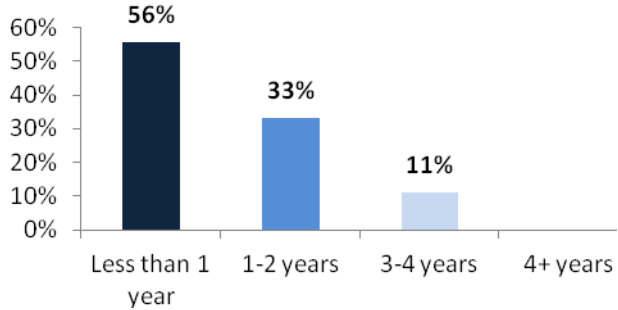
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***Feedback provided by the members for how more Central Region members could be included in the action planning and implementation process in the future are as follows:***

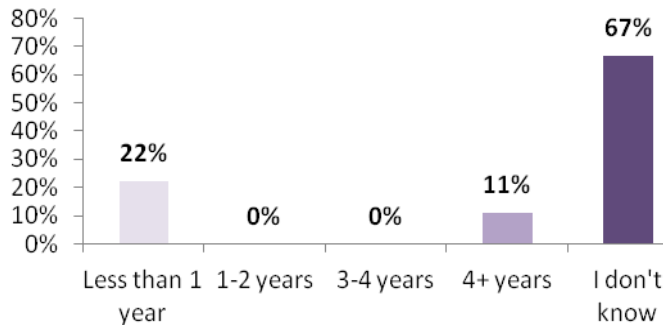
- "Meet in person with hospitals in the area."
- "I think that the PAP manager did a great job engaging individuals in the action and planning process, as well as the implementation. I would just say continue to build on the partnerships that have already developed within PAP membership and expand the reach of membership even further this next year."
- "Send a scheduling survey for meetings- possibly get more attendance."
- "Could potentially invite other community stakeholders to help engage the community."
- "Growing the coalition."
- "Agreement to participate in "x" amount of calls within the year as a result of being a member, so that membership has meaning and is not just a nicety for the organization. "
- "Assign tasks to subcommittees."
- "Continue to use social media and other media resources to get the word out."

**Membership**

How long have you been a member of the Central Region Workgroup?



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Do you feel the Central Region Workgroup has enough engaged and active members to complete the action plan strategies/activities?

**YES: 63%                      NO: 37%**

- ❖ **100% of respondents feel the action planning process (engagement of members, prioritization of activities, writing of the plan) was as inclusive of the Central Region Workgroup members as it could have been.**
- ❖ **78% feel the Central Region Workgroup members are as engaged and active in implementing the action plan as they should be.**

**Action Planning and Implementation**

**Barriers to Action Plan Implementation**

"Government rules and regulations."

"Not enough people involved."

"Lack of participation & outreach is difficult over a large rural area in the North."

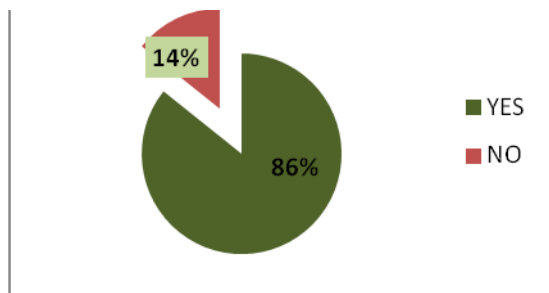
"Overall I don't think there were very many barriers. The only barrier could be the meeting structure. It seems that Central Region members participate more in person than via conference call. Since it is difficult to schedule in person meetings I understood why the meetings took place via conference call. I think that the Central Region members need to learn to participate more via conference call and not be uncomfortable sharing their opinion."

"There is a large span of territory to cover in the central region, as well as different dynamics when looking at how to reach rural vs. urban areas in the central region."

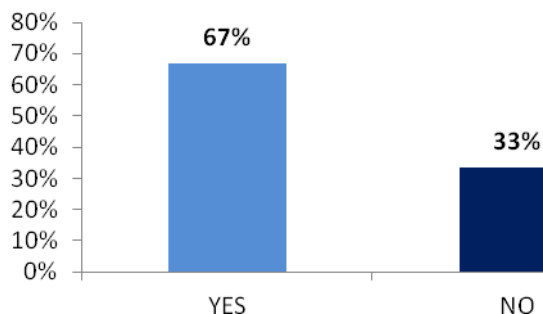
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Do you feel the Central Regional Workgroup is as effective as it can be with the current way it is structured and is functioning?



Do you feel the Central Region Workgroup would benefit from having a regional representative run the meetings (i.e. chair or co-chairs)?\*



\*Nominated: Chelsea Hildebrand, ALA

**100% of Central Region members prefer quarterly meetings over monthly meetings.**



**Feedback for how to increase regional meeting participation:**

- "Meeting with other coalitions."*
- "Social Media"*
- "Increased advertising of the benefits of membership on organizations' participants."*

**Do you feel the regional meetings are effective in completing the work that needs to be done?**

*"Yes, there is so much discussion, ideas and solutions from a variety of different organizations."*

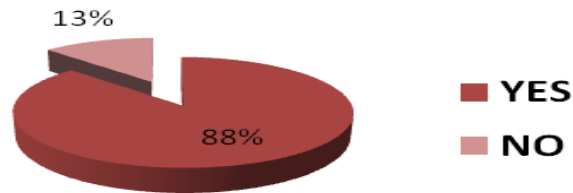
*"Yes, great minds think alike so it's always good to collaborate."*

*"Yes-very structured and feel like we get a lot accomplished in person."*

*Yes, I do think that they are effective. I enjoy attending the regional meetings and think that individuals might be more engaged if there were more in person meetings."*

*"Yes, however, more could be accomplished or greater depth achieved if there was a higher expectation from all members to actively participate."*

Do you feel the Central Region Workgroup would benefit from having ad hoc "task/work groups" that agree to work on/manage strategies within the action plan (i.e. resource guide workgroup)?



- "If you believe the group could benefit from having ad hoc task/work groups that agree to work on/manage strategies within the action plan (i.e. resource guide workgroup), please provide a brief description of the benefits you believe would be realized."
  - "I think that giving individuals specific action items to focus on could be helpful in reaching our established goals."
  - "May increase personal involvement and make tasks more manageable."

**Who should join us?**

*Geisinger*

*Managed Care Options*

*Guthrie Clinic*

*Wellspan Health*

*Hershey Medical Center*

*Local EMS agencies*

*Summit Health*

*Hamilton Health Center (FQHC)*

*Geisinger-The Health Plan*

*Mt. Nittany (Lung Nodule Program Coordinator)*

*Centre LifeLink EMS, Inc*

**The top barriers for the Central Region were identified as being: Lack of funding, large geographical territory with a lack of knowledge of PAP existence and a lack of active participation from various people/organizations.**