**Updating the Florida Cancer Plan**

**Diagnosis & Treatment, Quality of Life/Survivorship, Childhood Cancers Subgroup Meeting**

**July 22, 2025 at 12:30 PM**

**Agenda**

1. Welcome and Introductions – 5 minutes
2. Recap Subgroup Meeting on 7/8 & Completion of Steps 1 and 2 of Workbook – 5 minutes
3. Complete Step 4 of the Workbook: Develop Objectives and Answer Questions – 45 minutes **(Please review Workbook guidance and come ready to discuss your responses – collectively the group will review goals 15-20)**
4. Next Steps/Action Items – 5 minutes

**Goals and Objectives in** [**Current Florida Cancer Plan**](https://www.ccrab.org/cancer-plan)

**DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT**

**Goal 15: Achieve excellent clinical outcomes for all Floridians through access to high-quality, evidence-based cancer treatment.**

**Objective 15.1:** By 2025, increase the percentage of Floridians aged 18-64 years old with any kind of health care insurance coverage from 79.1% (Baseline, 2018 BRFSS) to 85% or higher.

**Objective 15.2:** By 2025, increase the number of cancer patient care facilities in Florida participating in quality improvement programs, such as the American College of Surgeons’ Commission on Cancer® (CoC) accreditation program and/or the American Society of Clinical Oncology’s (ASCO) Quality Oncology Practice Initiative (QOPI®) certification program, from 72 (2019: 61 CoC + 11 QOPI) to 80 or higher.

**Objective 15.3:** By 2025, increase the number of high-quality, oncology-certified Registered Nurses and Advanced Practice Registered Nurses (OCN®, AOCNP®, CBCN®, CPHON®, BMTCN®), and nurse and patient navigators (ONN-CGSM, OPN-CGSM, ONN-CG(T)SM) in Florida from 2137 to 2200 or higher.

**Objective 15.4:** By 2025, determine Florida’s supply of and demand for physicians in cancer-related specialties.

**QUALITY OF LIFE, SURVIVORSHIP, AND END OF LIFE CARE**

**Goal 16: Achieve excellent quality of life for all Floridians with cancer and their caregivers from Day 1 of diagnosis, during treatment, and after treatment.**

**Objective 16.1:** By 2025, standardize the definition of palliative care services in Florida state statute.

**Objective 16.2:** By 2025, develop minimum standards that Florida health care agencies have to meet in order for the agencies to report that they provide palliative care services.

**Objective 16.3:** By 2025, increase the number of Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) accredited Hospice and Palliative Medicine fellowship programs in Florida from 12 to 15 or higher.

**Goal 17: Achieve high-quality survival of all Floridians with history of cancer.**

**Objective 17.1:** By 2025, identify or develop a surveillance method that measures the percentage of Floridians with history of cancer who have ever received a written cancer treatment summary and survivorship care plan.

**CHILDHOOD CANCERS**

**Goal 18: Provide high quality pediatric oncology care to every child with cancer in Florida.**

**Objective 18.1:** By 2025, decrease the percentage of Florida children without health insurance from 7.6% (Baseline, 2018 US Census Bureau’s American Community Survey) to 5.2% (national average) or lower.

**Goal 19: Ensure that Floridians surviving childhood cancer will live long and prosperous lives.**

**Objective 19.1:** By 2025, create a website for Florida survivors of childhood cancer and their health care providers that provides access to the Passport for Care® program.

**Goal 20: Establish Florida as a nationally renowned state for innovative and impactful pediatric cancer research.**

**Objective 20.1:** By 2025, increase the number of applicants for the Florida Live Like Bella Pediatric Cancer Research Initiative from 18 applications to 25 or higher.