Assess What You Are Already Teaching
Planning Strategies for a Pediatric Public Health (PPH) Curriculum

The PPH curriculum guide is designed to be flexible and to fit into your existing residency program.

Each “Step” will provide you with suggestions, activities, and tools to plan and implement a PPH Curriculum into your residency program.

Step 2: Assess what you are already teaching. An assessment can be made by conducting an asset map and a program inventory. Determine the following about your residency program:

- What is currently taught about public health?
- Who teaches the public health content?
- In what venue (i.e. noon conference) is the content taught?
- List the different opportunities to teach public health related topics in your residency program.
- What objectives of the PPH curriculum guide are already taught in your residency program?
- What objectives of the PPH curriculum guide are not being taught in your residency program?

*Use the “Program Inventory Tool” found in “Resources for Step2” to help with this step.

*Keep in mind the number of faculty, chief residents and staff who are available to work on this curriculum.
*Rather than selecting too many goals and objectives, you may want to prioritize which goals and objectives you will tackle first according to the major needs of your program.

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