## **Getting Grounded**

| Priority                                  | Challenges Remaining                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
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| Improve oral health literacy across Texas | Challenges Remaining  Need culturally appropriate materials Problem finding education materials in Spanish on websites  *Central repository for all things oral health, www.openwide.com (open domain as of now) How to reach general public Make them care How to make it more visible and accessible Broader focus for other residents-geriatric, medical, veterans, MttMR groups needed Delays with getting info out; increase social media presence What is the frequency of review of website and readability statistics Is there enough personnel/advocates to go out and educate/achieve goals Connect with high school, get health in curriculum Get into nursing curriculum Behavior change research Information needs to disseminate to health professionals Need to educate public and non-dental professionals DSHS OHP needs to be more interesting and modern Educate legislature and leadership |
|                                           | <ul> <li>Weren't aware of online training for oral health literacy</li> <li>Need one page handouts to give parents and families</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |