

Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP) & Tactics – Hardin County Public Health						
Community Health Assessment results - starting 11/1/2023 to 12/31/2028						
Health Areas of Need (Goals)	"Specific Actions" to address community health need (Tactics)	LEAD	Partners	Timeframe	Performance Indicators: Data Sources/ Collection Timing	
<b>1 Mental Health</b>						
<b>Assess and support depth and breadth of services for Mental Health needs in the communities</b>	A	Increase providers and access	HFH	Veterans Affairs of Hardin co., Senior Life Solutions, Mental Health coalition, Hanson Family Hospital, Green Belt Home Care (Public Health)	Year 3-5	Availability of mental health resources in the community including patient treatment options
	B	Employment opportunities for providers			Year 3-5	
	C	Funding reimbursement for shortage – barrier for services			TBD	
	D	Improvement of community responses (example EMT education)	Coalition	Year 1	Baseline	
	E	Access to transportation to and from services in other communities	(TBD)	Year 2-3	Availability at certain times or days, even limited at first	
<b>Progress Notes:</b>						
<b>2 Substance Abuse</b>						
<b>Assess and support depth and breadth of services for substance use and abuse in the communities</b>	A	Assess and create plan for substance abuse prevention and support in the communities	Coalition	Satuci, Hanson Family Hospital, Green Belt Home Care (Public Health)	Year 1-2	Presence of substance abuse related issues
	B	Drugs and substance use and presentation services/response	Coalition		Year 3-5	Actively providing services for the communities (year 1 baseline)
	C	Increased access to services	(TBD)		Year 3-5	Increase (15% year over year) from baseline number of services provide and the number of recipients for each service
<b>Progress Notes:</b>						
<b>3 Childcare Services/ Access</b>						
<b>Address childcare services within the communities</b>	A	Investigate the options and opportunities with pediatric health and wellness services and access	Childcare Resource & Referral	Childcare Resource & Referral, Hardin County Child Abuse Prevention Coalition Local Childcare providers and Centers	Yer 2-3	Provide a list of opportunities for potential services in communities
	B	Continue to collaborate with Partners for the provision of Childcare services – supporting their efforts for availability and education to providers	Coalition		Year 3-5	Active (systematic) efforts (including knowledge sharing) from partnerships

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<b>4 Knowledge for Preventative Services</b>						
<b>Communicate, convene, and spread information (knowledge) for prevention services</b>	A	Providing prevention services (i.e. immunizations) to underserved population and or communities	GBHC	Hanson Family Hospital, Green Belt Home Care (Public Health)	Year 1	Actively providing services for the underserved communities (year 1 baseline)
	B	Address the provision of (potential) hospital outreach services to communities outside of Iowa Falls, Iowa.	GBHC		Year 2	Increase (15% year over year) from baseline number of services provide and the number of recipients for each service
	C	Distribution of information and knowledge of services at Community "sharing" meetings	Circle of Life (group)		Year 1	Active (systematic) efforts (including knowledge sharing) from partnerships
		<b>Progress Notes:</b>				
<b>5 Teen Health / Teen Health Services</b>						
<b>Improvement and availability/ access of services for teen health needs</b>	A	Assess and create plan for teen health/ services and support in the communities	GBHC	Hanson Family Hospital, Green Belt Home Care (Public Health)	Year 1-2	Actively providing services for the underserved communities (year 1 baseline)
	B	Improvement of services through availability and access for teen health				Increase (15% year over year) from baseline number of services provide and the number of recipients for each service
	C	Continue to collaborate with Community Coalition				Baseline
		<b>Progress Notes:</b>				
<b>6 Health Coalition for County</b>						

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Coalition group to address the services and access for community health needs	A	Assessment for the need of community coalition ("action" group)	gBHC	Hanson Family Hospital, Green Belt Home Care (Public Health)	Year 1	Provide a list of opportunities for potential services in communities
	B	Create scope of work and purpose for group that will actively address health needs within the communities			Year 1-5	Increase (15% year over year) from baseline number of services provide and the number of recipients for each service
	C	Plan and develop initiatives for community "health" coalition.	GBHC		Year 1-5	Baseline
<b>Progress Notes:</b>						