Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA): Chester County

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF
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GIbson general healthcare corporation
AND
CAMDEN GENERAL HOSPITAL, INC.
AND
BOLIVAR GENERAL HOSPITAL, INC.
AND
MILAN GENERAL HOSPITAL, INC.
AND
PATHWAYS OF TENNESSEE, INC.

COMMUNITY HEALTH NEEDS ASSESSMENT APPROVAL

WHEREAS, the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, enacted March 10, 2010, required public and not-for-profit hospitals to perform a Community Health Needs Assessment for each hospital; and

WHEREAS, the staff of the District has conducted such an Assessment and prepared the report as required for each of its hospitals; and

WHEREAS, the Assessments were prepared in accordance with IRS issued Notice 2011-52 Notice Regarding Community Health Needs Assessments for Tax Exempt Hospitals; and

WHEREAS, the Board finds that the Assessments substantially meet the requirements of the of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act and the IRS Issued Notice 2011-52, and that the Implementation Strategies set forth in the Assessments shall be implemented in accordance with Management recommendations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Community Health Needs Assessments given to the Board are approved and adopted.

ADOPTED, this the 25th day of September, 2012.

PHIL BRYANT, Chairman

Exhibit ___
Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act–Required Community Health Needs Assessments

Conducted By:
West Tennessee Healthcare Department of Business Development and Planning
Community Health Needs Assessments

- Conducted to fulfill requirements of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act enacted March 10, 2010.
- Required for all public and not-for-profit hospitals only
- Procedures followed and information provided in the reports meet requirements in IRS issued Notice 2011–52 Notice Regarding Community Health Needs Assessments for Tax Exempt Hospitals
- Hospital organizations with multiple hospitals must conduct community needs assessment for each hospital.
Community Health Needs Assessments

- Assessments conducted for the following counties:
  - Camden General Hospital–Benton County
  - Bolivar General Hospital–Hardeman County
  - Gibson General Hospital–Gibson County
  - Humboldt General Hospital–Gibson County
  - Milan General Hospital–Gibson County
  - Jackson–Madison County General Hospital–Madison, Crockett, Chester Counties
  - Pathways of Tennessee–Crockett, Dyer, Gibson, Hardeman, Haywood, Henderson, Lake, Madison, Obion, Weakley Counties
Community Health Needs Assessments

- Assessment must include the following:
  - Description of the community and how "community was determined"
  - Description of the process and methods used, including sources and dates of data collection, analytical methods used, information gaps, collaborating organizations
    - Report has 10 organizational goals, committee at each facility that worked on assessments, secondary data that was reviewed that included at least 3 years of trend data for each health issue, analytical method (Hanlon Method), information gaps, collaborating organizations
  - Description of how hospital considered input from persons representing broad interests of the community
  - Each county had a committee of community representatives who participated in data collection & process of prioritizing health issues
Community Health Needs Assessments

- Community surveys distributed throughout each county requesting information on perceptions of health issues facing the area
  - Number of returned surveys:
    - Madison County: 1,099
    - Gibson County: 387
    - Benton County: 158
    - Hardeman County: 425
    - Chester County: 145
    - Crockett County: 148
    - Pathways: 263
- Description of prioritizing health needs:
  - Community committee input
  - Hospital staff use of Hanlon Method that considers size, seriousness, and effectiveness in prioritizing health issues
Community Health Needs Assessments

- Each report contains listing of health resources for each county.
- Community committee had reps from county health department, agencies serving low income & minorities
- Implementation strategies must be identified for each prioritized health issues
- Pathways of Tennessee identified health issues:
  - Chronic mental health
  - Depression
  - Domestic violence/anger management
  - Co-occurring (mental health and substance abuse)
  - Alcohol, illegal drugs, prescription drug use
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Identified Health Issues By County: Community Needs Assessments
Community Health Needs Assessments

- Implementation Strategies for Hospitals:
  - Use of HealthAwares with follow-up for those identified through risk assessment
  - Alice and Carl Kirkland Cancer Center services
  - LIFT wellness center and primary care clinics
  - Disease management
  - Local health screenings
  - Local exercise programs
  - Local health education classes
  - Numerous mental health, substance abuse outreach programming

- Assessments must be updated and revised very three (3) years
Burden of Chronic Disease

Heart disease, high blood pressure, obesity, diabetes, some cancers

LIFESTYLE FACTORS
Poor dietary choices, physical inactivity
Initiatives to Address Chronic Diseases

- LIFT Wellness Center
  - Medical fitness, clinical integration programs
    - Joint replacement, phase 3 cardiac rehab, bariatrics
- Healthy Heights Employee Wellness Program
  - WTH employees
  - Turn-key product available to other employers
- Disease Management Program
  - Diabetes, congestive heart failure (CHF)
  - Referred by physicians, employer groups, at hospital discharge, self-enroll
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Chester County Community Health Needs Assessment
Executive Summary

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Community input on the perception of health issues facing the area was accomplished through a survey administered throughout the Chester County community. A total of 145 completed surveys were returned. The completed surveys were analyzed focusing on what percentage of the respondents thought a health issue “was not a problem,” “not sure,” or “was a problem” for the community. Community input was also considered from a diverse group of community representatives. The community committee narrowed a large list of health issues on the survey to nine (9). These 9 health issues were:

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Further research was conducted by hospital staff to provide information on the size, seriousness, and available community resources for each of the 8 health issues identified by the community committee. Chester County needs were prioritized by a team of Hospital staff using a mathematical algorithm called the Hanlon Method. The Hanlon Method, developed by Felix, Burdine and Associates, was used to assign numerical values to rate the size, seriousness, and effectiveness of available interventions for each health issue. Consistent and common resources identified for each health issue include the Chester County Health Department, the Chester County School System, local physician clinics, local churches, community and senior centers, civic clubs, local non-profit agencies, American Heart Association, American Cancer Society, American Diabetes Association, and American Association of Retired Persons.

As a result of reviewing secondary data on the size, seriousness, available community resources and utilizing the Hanlon Method algorithm, the hospital committee identified five priority health issues from the nine identified by the community committee. The five priority health issues:

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Final Report
Introduction

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Description of the Hospital and Community

The designated “community” for the needs assessment is Chester County, Tennessee. Chester County, Tennessee does not have a hospital. However, Chester County is in the primary service area of the Jackson-Madison County General Hospital. According to the Tennessee Hospital Association inpatient market share data (2009), Jackson-Madison County General Hospital had 71.6 percent of the inpatient market share consisting of 1,132 discharges. With a 2010 population of 16,106, Chester County is located in the rural Southwest Tennessee approximately 89 miles East of Memphis and 134 miles West of Nashville. The population is 88 percent Caucasian, 9 percent African American, and 3 percent Other races. According to the American Community Survey (2005-2009), 15.3 percent of the population is below the Federal poverty level. The per capita personal income level is $17,770. The population under 65 years of age represents 86 percent while the over age 65 population is 14 percent of the total. About 25 percent of the population age 25 and older does not have a high school diploma or GED; 37 percent have a high school diploma; 24 percent have some college, and 14 percent have a Bachelor’s degree or higher.

Chester County has a wide range of industries that employ individuals living in and around the county. Chester County is home to manufacturers or businesses such as: Premier Manufacturing Corp. which specializes in wire products (150 employees), Neo Products where hose couplings are made (93 employees), Henderson Stamping & Prod. Inc., which conducts metal stamping (93 employees), Anvil International which is concerned with multi-purposed production (85 employees), Quality Metal Stamping, LLC (35 employees) which focuses on tools, dies, jigs, and metal stamping, M.K.D. Manufacturing Co. an apparel company (25
employees), United Marble Products (25 employees), and Preferred Seating which is geared towards stadium seating (23 employees). The community has one major college or university, Freed Hardeman University which employs approximately 132 faculty.

The county seat of Chester County is Henderson, Tennessee. The City of Henderson, Chester County Government, and the Chester County School System are all located in Chester County. The public school system has six schools and serves approximately 2,438 students.

**Description of the Community Health Needs Assessment Survey Process**

The mission of the Community Health Needs Assessment is to evaluate and improve the health status and wellbeing of the residents of Chester County, Tennessee with an emphasis on preventive measures. The community health needs assessment of Chester County, Tennessee was a blending of citizen perceptions of health issues facing the community with secondary data on the actual extent of particular problems.

The Community Health Needs Assessment had ten (10) organizational goals.

- To form alliances between West Tennessee Healthcare, non-profit organizations, and the community at large to assess, improve, and promote the community health of Chester County, Tennessee.

- To identify internal resources already available to assist in improving community health.

- To assist in identifying available community health resources.

- To define "health" as it pertains to Chester County, Tennessee.

- To identify collaborative participants.

- To educate and gain formal support of the West Tennessee Healthcare leadership team, the Board of Trustees, community leaders, and others.

- To assist in establishing baseline health status assessment of Chester County by collecting and reviewing available data and statistics on residents' perceptions of health issues facing the community and secondary data on such health issues.

- To assist in determining the standards against which to measure the current and future health status of the community.
- To assist in the communitywide establishment of health priorities and in facilitating collaborative planning, actions, and direction to improve the community health status and quality of life.

- To promote the need for ongoing evaluation of the community health assessment process to learn results, establish new goals and encourage further community action and involvement.

The first step in the community health needs assessment process was to identify a committee of Chester County Community Leaders to organize the process, facilitate data collection, review and analyze the results. Community Members of the Chester County Committee were:

Charles Corely  
Physical Education Director-Freed Hardeman University

Mark Barber  
Quinco Mental Health Administrator

Patty Kitty  
Chester County Health Department

Jackson- Madison County General Hospital staff assisted with the development of an anonymous survey instrument that was used to collect input from a broad range of community interests. The survey instrument included questions on the perceptions of the respondents relative to communicable diseases, chronic health problems, family health concerns, access to health resources, community concerns, and demographics of age, race, education level, insurance, and residence. Respondents were asked on the survey to indicate whether they thought a particular health issue was “1=not a problem,” “2=not sure,” or “3=is a problem” for the Chester County community. Locations to distribute the survey throughout the community were also suggested and discussed by committee members.

Upon completion of the survey instrument, a committee of community representatives was formed to review the survey instrument for completeness and assistance with interpretation of the results. An invitation to serve on the community committee was sent to prospective members from Jackson-Madison County General Hospital CEO/President October 20, 2011. A copy of this letter is included in Attachment A. Members of the committee represented a broad range of community interests in Chester County. Members of the community committee were:

Charles Corely  
Physical Education Director-Freed Hardeman University
Lindsey Ferrell  
UT Extension Agency Agent
Amy Ferrell  
Senior Citizens Center Director
Connie Beecham  
Chester County School System Guidance Counselor
Patty Kitty  
Chester County Health Department Educator
Troy Kilzer  
City Hall Mayors Office
Amy Rogers  
UT Extension Agency Educator
Membership on the community committee included Patty Kitty, Administrator for the Chester County Health Department. Mrs. Kitty has special knowledge of public health issues of influenza, sexually transmitted diseases, teenage pregnancy, HIV/AIDS, Hepatitis C, and access to health resources.

An introductory meeting of the community committee was held on November 1, 2011. At this meeting the process for conducting the community health needs assessment was reviewed and discussed. The draft survey instrument to collect citizen perception of health issues facing Chester County was also reviewed and suggested changes and modifications were given by committee members. Locations to distribute the anonymous survey throughout the community were also suggested and discussed by committee members.

The survey instrument was finalized and then distributed by hand throughout the Chester County community. Attachment B contains a copy of the survey instrument. Table 1 contains a list of locations, dates, and number of returned surveys from the survey process.

Table 1
Community Health Assessment Survey Information

Location
Freed Hardeman University
Senior Citizens Center
Chester County Bank
Church Health Fair
Chester County School System Faculty/Staff

All Surveys in Gibson County were Distributed on 11/1/2011.

A total of 145 completed surveys were returned by November 22, 2011. The completed surveys were analyzed focusing on what percentage of the respondents thought a health issue “was not a problem,” “not sure,” or “was a problem” for the community.
Community Health Needs Assessment Prioritization Process
Size, Seriousness, Effectiveness &
Available Community Resources

The survey results and a summary page were provided to the community committee which met on November 22, 2011 to review the data and results. The community committee was asked to narrow the list of 54 health issues on the survey instrument to a more manageable number. To assist with this process, hospital staff provided a summary page that highlighted health issues where at least 50 percent of the respondents indicated a health issue “was a problem” for the community. Attachment C contains the survey summary. For the following list of health issues, at least 50 percent of the respondents indicated it “was a problem” for the community.

- Heart Conditions
- High Blood Pressure
- Breast Cancer
- Arthritis
- Obesity
- Asthma
- Diabetes
- Allergies
- Teenage Pregnancy
- Tobacco Use
- Alcohol and Drug Abuse

Using the 50 percent threshold as a guide the community committee narrowed the list of health issues on the survey to nine (9). These 9 health issues were:

- Arthritis
- Heart Condition
- High Blood Pressure
- Cancer
- Obesity
- Diabetes
- Allergies
- Teenage Pregnancy
- Tobacco Use/Alcohol and Drug Abuse

The Chester County Community Committee was reconvened on November 22, 2011 to prioritize the list of 9 health issues identified by the community committee for further research. The Hospital staff used a mathematical algorithm called the Hanlon Method, developed by Felix, Burdine and Associates, to assign numerical values to rate the size, seriousness, and effectiveness of available interventions for each health issue. The Hanlon Method algorithm is as follows:

\[ \text{Opportunity} = (A + 2B)C \]

A = size of the identified health problem
B = seriousness of the identified health problem
C = effectiveness of available interventions for the identified health problem

A = Size
Size is defined by the prevalence of a condition, characteristic, or disease in an entire population (or among a specific sub-group population). The numerical scoring for the size of a health issue is:

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B=Seriousness
Seriousness is defined by urgency to intervene, severity (leads to death?), disproportionate among vulnerable populations, or economic impact. The numerical scoring for seriousness of a health issue is:

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C=Effectiveness of Available Interventions
Effectiveness of available interventions is defined by the “best real world” expectations for Jackson-Madison County General Hospital to be effective in addressing a health issue based on, in part, available community resources. The numerical scoring for effectiveness of available interventions is:

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Information on the Hanlon Method is found in Attachment D.

Further research was then conducted by hospital staff to provide information on the size, seriousness, and available community resources for each of the 9 health issues identified by the community committee. Attachment E has data on the size of the health issues and Attachment F lists available community resources for each of the 9 identified health issues. Consistent and common resources identified for each health issue in Attachment F include the Chester County Health Department, the Chester County School System, local physician clinics, local churches,
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Table 2 contains the Hanlon Method scoring for each identified health issue.

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Diabetes

Diabetes education classes are available to residence through their Primary Care Physician or Family Nurse Practitioner. Patients learn how to better manage their disease through increased exercise, healthy eating and blood glucose testing.

Conclusion

The Chester County Community Health Needs Assessment was presented to the West Tennessee Healthcare Quality Council on July 3, 2012. The document was approved for submission to the West Tennessee Healthcare Board of Trustees. A presentation was made to the Board of Trustees on September 25, 2012, and the Chester County Community Health Needs Assessment was approved on this date. The Plan will be updated every three years.
Attachment A
MEMORANDUM

DATE: October 20, 2011

TO: Chester County Health Assessment Committee

FROM: Bobby Arnold CEO/President, Jackson-Madison County General Hospital

RE: Chester County Community Health Assessment Committee

Chester County, Tennessee is in the primary services area of the Jackson-Madison County General Hospital. As part of our hospital service area we have provided a wide range of community health activities that include medical screenings, health fairs, health education classes, sponsorships, and other activities.

In past years Jackson-Madison County General Hospital has conducted needs assessment to ensure that the health activities conducted meet identified community needs. In addition, the recent Federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (Health Care Reform) requires non-profit hospitals to conduct community needs assessment every three years.

We are beginning the process of assessing the community health needs in Chester County that will be a blending of residents’ perception of the health issues facing us with health status and vital statistics on our community. We will distribute a survey throughout the community and the collect data on issues identified from the survey.

We invite you to be a member of the Chester County Community Committee that will help us review the survey data, and narrow that list of health issues to a manageable number by focusing on the size, seriousness, and the effectiveness of interventions. We anticipate this process will take three months and will in five (5) one hour meetings.
We ask you to attend the first introductory meeting of the Community Committee. The meeting will be held Tuesday, November 1, 2011 at Freed Hardeman University in the Physical Education Conference Room. The meeting will start at 11:00 a.m. and will be concluded by 12:30 p.m. Lunch will be served.

Please contact Jocelyn Hodge, Community Health Licensure Coordinator of your attendance plans. She may be reach at 731-984-2161 or Jocelyn.hodge@wth.org. We appreciate you participation in this important process for Hardeman County.
Attachment B
We realize there are many health-related problems in the community. We need your help in defining the priority health programs in our community. We would like you to take a few minutes to answer some questions relating to your views on health problems facing West Tennessee. We appreciate your time and effort.

What area of Chester County do you live?
- Deanburg
- Enville
- Henderson
- Jacks Creek
- Milledgeville
- Silerton

The following is a list of problems experienced by many communities. Please indicate how much of a problem you feel each of these is for the West Tennessee area, including Chester County. Indicate your choice as not a problem, not sure, or is a problem.

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Chester County
Community Health Assessment

**Community Concerns:**

| Response Definition: 1=Not a Problem  2=Not Sure  3=Is a Problem |
|---------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| 51. Illiteracy      | ☐ ☐ ☐             |
| 52. Tobacco use     | ☐ ☐ ☐             |
| 53. Violent crime   | ☐ ☐ ☐             |
| 54. Alcohol and Drug Abuse | ☐ ☐ ☐ |

55. Do you consider yourself:
- ☐ Overweight
- ☐ Underweight
- ☐ Obese
- ☐ Just Right

56. Age range:
- ☐ 18 - 24
- ☐ 25 - 34
- ☐ 35 - 44
- ☐ 45 - 54
- ☐ 55 - 64
- ☐ 65 +

57. Are you:
- ☐ Male
- ☐ Female

58. Race:
- ☐ Caucasian
- ☐ African American
- ☐ Native American
- ☐ Asian/Pacific Islander
- ☐ Other

59. School:
- ☐ Less than high school
- ☐ High school graduate/GED
- ☐ Some college
- ☐ Associate degree
- ☐ Bachelors degree
- ☐ Advanced degree

60. What type of insurance do you have?
- ☐ Medicare
- ☐ TennCare
- ☐ Private Insurance
- ☐ Other
- ☐ No Insurance

Comments

☐ ☐ 39F

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Attachment C
### CHESTER COMMUNITY HEALTH ASSESSMENT SURVEY RESULTS

Freed Hardeman University, Senior Citizen Center, Chester County Bank, Church Health Fair, Chester County Schools System Faculty/Staff

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**What type of insurance do you have?**

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Chester County Community Health Assessment

Reaction Date: 11/21/2011
Total Respondents: 145

What area of Chester County do you live?

1. Deanburg
2. Enville
3. Henderson
4. Jacks Creek
5. Milledgeville
6. Silerton

Total Responses: 136
Mean: 3.22 Standard Deviation: 0.92

1. Tuberculosis (TB)

1. Not a Problem
2. Not Sure
3. Is a Problem

Total Responses: 132
Mean: 1.35 Standard Deviation: 0.54

2. Influenza (Flu)

1. Not a Problem
2. Not Sure
3. Is a Problem

Total Responses: 133
Mean: 2.19 Standard Deviation: 0.84
Sexually Transmitted Diseases

1. Not a Problem 39 29%
2. Not Sure 47 35%
3. Is a Problem 47 35%
Total Responses: 133
Mean: 2.06 Standard Deviation: 0.80

HIV/AIDS

1. Not a Problem 51 38%
2. Not Sure 53 40%
3. Is a Problem 29 22%
Total Responses: 133
Mean: 1.83 Standard Deviation: 0.76

Hepatitis C

1. Not a Problem 46 35%
2. Not Sure 57 43%
3. Is a Problem 29 22%
Total Responses: 132
Mean: 1.87 Standard Deviation: 0.75

6. Emphysema (chronic obstructed pulmonary disease)

1. Not a Problem 42 32%
2. Not Sure 52 39%
3. Is a Problem 38 29%
Total Responses: 132
Mean: 1.97 Standard Deviation: 0.78
1. Not a Problem 32 24%
2. Not Sure 21 15%
3. Is a Problem 83 61%
Total Responses: 136
Mean: 2.38  Standard Deviation: 0.84

8. High Blood Pressure

1. Not a Problem 28 21%
2. Not Sure 18 13%
3. Is a Problem 90 66%
Total Responses: 136
Mean: 2.46  Standard Deviation: 0.82

. Skin Cancer

1. Not a Problem 43 32%
2. Not Sure 48 36%
3. Is a Problem 43 32%
Total Responses: 134
Mean: 2.00  Standard Deviation: 0.80

10. Colon Cancer

1. Not a Problem 47 35%
2. Not Sure 45 33%
3. Is a Problem 44 32%
Total Responses: 136
Mean: 1.98  Standard Deviation: 0.82
Report Title

1. Lung Cancer

1. Not a Problem  44 33%
2. Not Sure  36 27%
3. Is a Problem  55 41%
Total Responses: 135
Mean: 2.08  Standard Deviation: 0.86

12. Breast Cancer

1. Not a Problem  40 30%
2. Not Sure  32 24%
3. Is a Problem  63 47%
Total Responses: 135
Mean: 2.17  Standard Deviation: 0.86

3. Prostate Cancer

1. Not a Problem  42 32%
2. Not Sure  41 31%
3. Is a Problem  50 38%
Total Responses: 133
Mean: 2.06  Standard Deviation: 0.83

14. Arthritis

1. Not a Problem  30 22%
2. Not Sure  27 20%
3. Is a Problem  77 57%
Total Responses: 134
Mean: 2.35  Standard Deviation: 0.82
5. Obesity

1. Not a Problem 36 27%
2. Not Sure 15 11%
3. Is a Problem 83 62%
Total Responses: 134
Mean: 2.35 Standard Deviation: 0.88

16. Asthma

1. Not a Problem 31 23%
2. Not Sure 32 24%
3. Is a Problem 72 53%
Total Responses: 135
Mean: 2.30 Standard Deviation: 0.82

7. Diabetes

1. Not a Problem 29 22%
2. Not Sure 22 17%
3. Is a Problem 82 62%
Total Responses: 133
Mean: 2.40 Standard Deviation: 0.83

18. Allergies

1. Not a Problem 20 15%
2. Not Sure 16 12%
3. Is a Problem 98 73%
Total Responses: 134
Mean: 2.58 Standard Deviation: 0.74
9. Osteoporosis

1. Not a Problem 38 28%
2. Not Sure 47 35%
3. Is a Problem 50 37%
Total Responses: 135
Mean: 2.09  Standard Deviation: 0.81

20. Dementia/Alzheimer's

1. Not a Problem 37 27%
2. Not Sure 52 39%
3. Is a Problem 46 34%
Total Responses: 135
Mean: 2.07  Standard Deviation: 0.78

1. Hearing loss

1. Not a Problem 41 31%
2. Not Sure 37 28%
3. Is a Problem 56 42%
Total Responses: 134
Mean: 2.11  Standard Deviation: 0.85

22. Cataracts

1. Not a Problem 50 38%
2. Not Sure 49 37%
3. Is a Problem 34 26%
Total Responses: 133
Mean: 1.88  Standard Deviation: 0.79
3. Glaucoma

1. Not a Problem  50  37%
2. Not Sure  56  41%
3. Is a Problem  29  21%
Total Responses: 135
Mean: 1.84  Standard Deviation: 0.75

24. Macular Degeneration

1. Not a Problem  54  41%
2. Not Sure  62  47%
3. Is a Problem  17  13%
Total Responses: 133
Mean: 1.72  Standard Deviation: 0.68

1. Intimate partner violence

1. Not a Problem  48  36%
2. Not Sure  39  29%
3. Is a Problem  47  35%
Total Responses: 134
Mean: 1.99  Standard Deviation: 0.85

26. Child abuse

1. Not a Problem  37  28%
2. Not Sure  45  34%
3. Is a Problem  51  38%
Total Responses: 133
Mean: 2.11  Standard Deviation: 0.81
7. Motor vehicle accidents

1. Not a Problem
2. Not Sure
3. Is a Problem
Total Responses: 133
Mean: 2.06 Standard Deviation: 0.80

28. Falls or fall-related injuries

1. Not a Problem
2. Not Sure
3. Is a Problem
Total Responses: 132
Mean: 2.01 Standard Deviation: 0.83

9. Residential fires

1. Not a Problem
2. Not Sure
3. Is a Problem
Total Responses: 134
Mean: 1.80 Standard Deviation: 0.78

30. Dental care

1. Not a Problem
2. Not Sure
3. Is a Problem
Total Responses: 134
Mean: 1.97 Standard Deviation: 0.85
1. Leisure accidents

1. Not a Problem 47 36%
2. Not Sure 58 44%
3. Is a Problem 27 20%
Total Responses: 132
Mean: 1.85  Standard Deviation: 0.74

32. Infant deaths

1. Not a Problem 54 41%
2. Not Sure 57 43%
3. Is a Problem 22 17%
Total Responses: 133
Mean: 1.76  Standard Deviation: 0.72

3. Teenage pregnancy

1. Not a Problem 31 23%
2. Not Sure 27 20%
3. Is a Problem 75 56%
Total Responses: 133
Mean: 2.33  Standard Deviation: 0.83

34. Access to adult daycare

1. Not a Problem 53 39%
2. Not Sure 48 36%
3. Is a Problem 34 25%
Total Responses: 135
Mean: 1.86  Standard Deviation: 0.79
5. Access to home health care

1. Not a Problem 60 44%
2. Not Sure 43 32%
3. Is a Problem 32 24%
Total Responses: 135
Mean: 1.79  Standard Deviation: 0.80

36. Access to home care (sitter service)

1. Not a Problem 60 45%
2. Not Sure 47 35%
3. Is a Problem 27 20%
Total Responses: 134
Mean: 1.75  Standard Deviation: 0.77

7. Access to care for special needs children

1. Not a Problem 52 39%
2. Not Sure 42 31%
3. Is a Problem 41 30%
Total Responses: 135
Mean: 1.92  Standard Deviation: 0.83

38. Lack of financial resources for medical care

1. Not a Problem 41 31%
2. Not Sure 48 36%
3. Is a Problem 44 33%
Total Responses: 133
Mean: 2.02  Standard Deviation: 0.80
9. Access to healthy foods

1. Not a Problem 66 49%
2. Not Sure 14 10%
3. Is a Problem 54 40%
Total Responses: 134
Mean: 1.91 Standard Deviation: 0.95

40. Access to leisure time physical activity

1. Not a Problem 77 58%
2. Not Sure 24 18%
3. Is a Problem 32 24%
Total Responses: 133
Mean: 1.66 Standard Deviation: 0.84

1. Access to transportation to health care

1. Not a Problem 67 50%
2. Not Sure 38 28%
3. Is a Problem 29 22%
Total Responses: 134
Mean: 1.72 Standard Deviation: 0.80

42. Access to nursing home care

1. Not a Problem 83 62%
2. Not Sure 28 21%
3. Is a Problem 22 17%
Total Responses: 133
Mean: 1.54 Standard Deviation: 0.76
3. Access to a primary care provider

1. Not a Problem 80 61%
2. Not Sure 27 20%
3. Is a Problem 25 19%
Total Responses: 132
Mean: 1.58  Standard Deviation: 0.79

44. Access to medical specialist

1. Not a Problem 75 56%
2. Not Sure 37 27%
3. Is a Problem 23 17%
Total Responses: 135
Mean: 1.61  Standard Deviation: 0.76

i. Access to medications

1. Not a Problem 85 63%
2. Not Sure 25 19%
3. Is a Problem 25 19%
Total Responses: 135
Mean: 1.56  Standard Deviation: 0.79

46. Access to education on wellness

1. Not a Problem 54 41%
2. Not Sure 40 30%
3. Is a Problem 39 29%
Total Responses: 133
Mean: 1.89  Standard Deviation: 0.83
7. Access to education on healthy lifestyles

1. Not a Problem  49 37%
2. Not Sure  48 36%
3. Is a Problem  35 27%
Total Responses: 132
Mean: 1.89  Standard Deviation: 0.79

48. Access to education on prevention

1. Not a Problem  48 36%
2. Not Sure  47 35%
3. Is a Problem  39 29%
Total Responses: 134
Mean: 1.93  Standard Deviation: 0.81

4. Access to facilities for exercise

1. Not a Problem  70 53%
2. Not Sure  23 17%
3. Is a Problem  40 30%
Total Responses: 133
Mean: 1.77  Standard Deviation: 0.88

50. Access to parks for recreation

1. Not a Problem  86 64%
2. Not Sure  20 15%
3. Is a Problem  28 21%
Total Responses: 134
Mean: 1.57  Standard Deviation: 0.82
1. Illiteracy

1. Not a Problem 60 45%
2. Not Sure 38 29%
3. Is a Problem 34 26%
Total Responses: 132
Mean: 1.80  Standard Deviation: 0.82

52. Tobacco use

1. Not a Problem 21 16%
2. Not Sure 17 13%
3. Is a Problem .94 71%
Total Responses: 132
Mean: 2.55  Standard Deviation: 0.75

3. Violent crime

1. Not a Problem 44 33%
2. Not Sure 43 33%
3. Is a Problem 45 34%
Total Responses: 132
Mean: 2.01  Standard Deviation: 0.82

54. Alcohol and Drug Abuse

1. Not a Problem 21 16%
2. Not Sure 20 16%
3. Is a Problem 87 68%
Total Responses: 128
Mean: 2.52  Standard Deviation: 0.76
5. Do you consider yourself:

1. Overweight  52  39%
2. Underweight  8   6%
3. Obese       5   4%
4. Just Right  67  51%
Total Responses: 132
Mean: 2.66  Standard Deviation: 1.43

56. Age range:

1. 18 - 24    40  31%
2. 25 - 34    14   11%
3. 35 - 44    14   11%
4. 45 - 54    25   19%
5. 55 - 64    28   20%
6. 65 +       11   8%
Total Responses: 130
Mean: 3.12  Standard Deviation: 1.76

7. Are you:

1. Male       44  34%
2. Female     84  66%
Total Responses: 128
Mean: 1.66  Standard Deviation: 0.48

58. Race:

1. Caucasian  100  76%
2. African American  22  17%
3. Native American  3   2%
4. Asian/Pacific Islander  1   1%
5. Other       6   5%
Total Responses: 132
Mean: 1.42  Standard Deviation: 0.94
9. School:

1. Less than high school  3  2%
2. High school graduate/GED  43  33%
3. Some college  38  29%
4. Associate degree  4  3%
5. Bachelors degree  18  14%
6. Advanced degree  24  18%
Total Responses: 130
Mean: 3.48  Standard Deviation: 1.57

60. What type of insurance do you have?

1. Medicare  18  14%
2. TennCare  14  11%
3. Private Insurance  56  42%
4. Other  34  26%
5. No Insurance  10  8%
Total Responses: 132
Mean: 3.03  Standard Deviation: 1.10
Attachment D
Setting Priorities for Health Status Improvement

Nonon Method:

Opportunity = (A + 2B)C

: Size of Problem
: Seriousness of Problem
: Effectiveness of Interventions
A = Size

Usually defined by prevalence of a condition, characteristic, or disease in entire population (but can be among sub-groups)

Percent of population with health problem

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**B-Seriousness**

Usually defined by urgency to intervene, severity (leads to death?), disproportionate among vulnerable populations, and/or economic impact.

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C=Effectiveness of Available Interventions

Usually defined by "best real world" expectations based on outcome evaluations of successful interventions in similar communities including: effectiveness and efficiency (in light of available resources)

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Chester County Community Health Assessment  
Prioritization of Health Issues  
Size of Health Issues

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Heart disease is the leading cause of death and a major cause of disability nationally.

Source: Department of Health

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Are you taking blood pressure medication?  
Southwest TN  | TN  |
2005          | 91.3  | 83.4 |
2007          | 89.0  | 84.0 |
2009          | 83.3  | 81.8 |

Deaths from Cerebrovascular Disease Per 100,000  
Chester  | TN |
2007      | 61.8  | 56.3 |
2008      | 67.4  | 56.3 |
2009      | 48.5  | 50.6 |

The mortality rate for high blood pressure rose by 12% over the last ten years in TN.  
Inpatient charges for high blood pressure were $136.2 million in 2006 statewide.  
Source: Tennessee Department of Health

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One of four deaths in America is cancer related.  
In years 2003-2007, cancer affected 143,657 individuals in Tennessee.  
Source: Tennessee Department of Health
### Arthritis

**Tennessee Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey**

During the Past 30 Days Have You Had Any Pain, Aching, or Stiffness in the Joint?

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Have You Ever Been Told By a Health Professional That You Had Some Form of Arthritis?

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Are You Limited Because of Arthritis or Joint Symptoms?

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Source: Tennessee Department of Health

Arthritis affects 1 in 3 adults in TN

Arthritis affects 1 in 2 adults over 65

Juvenile rheumatoid arthritis is one of the most common chronic diseases in children

Approximately 294,000 children under the age of 18 are affected by pediatric arthritis or rheumatologic conditions

Arthritis is the most common cause of a disability

Source: Tennessee Department of Health; Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

### Obesity

30.2 percent of adults in Tennessee are considered obese - 4th highest state in US

36.5 percent of children are obese and overweight - 5th highest state in US

**Tennessee Behavior Risk Factor Surveillance Survey**

Adults Who Have a Body Mass Index Greater than 25 (Overweight or Obese)

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Adult Obesity

Adults Who Have a Body Mass Index Greater Than 30

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Source: County Health Rankings
### Asthma
Have you been told by a doctor, nurse, or other health professional that you had asthma?

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Each year, nationwide, asthma accounts for more than 10 million outpatient visits and 500,000 hospitalizations.
Asthma is the third-ranking cause of hospitalization of children.
The annual cost of asthma is estimated to be nearly $18 billion.

Source: Asthma and Allergy Foundation

### Diabetes
Tennessee Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey
Have you ever been told by a doctor that you had diabetes?

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Deaths from Diabetes Per 100,000

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Source: Tennessee Department of Health

### Allergies
1 in 5 people suffer from allergies.
It is the 5th leading chronic disease in the US for all ages, races, and sexes. It is the 3rd most common chronic disease in those under 18.
Allergies account for 17 million outpatient visits a year nationally.
The annual cost of allergies is $7 billion.
Source: Asthma and Allergy Foundation

### Teenage Pregnancy
Live Births to Ages 10-14

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Source: Tennessee Department of Health
Tobacco Use Alcohol and Drug Abuse

29.5% of child maltreatment investigations in Tennessee were driven by reported drug exposure. 
Source: Tennessee Chapter of Children’s Advocacy Center

33% report excessive drinking in Chester County. 
Source: County Health Rankings

There were 31 alcohol related traffic crashes in 2007 in Chester County. 
Source: Tennessee Highway Patrol

Tennessee Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey 
Binge drinkers (males having five or more drinks and females having four or more drinks on one occasion)

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26.7% adults reported being current smokers in Tennessee in 2005 which is above the national average. 
Children are twice as likely to be influenced by cigarette marketing.
Tennessee ranks 46th for prevalence of adult smokers and 47th among states for minors between 12-17.
Cigarette smoking accounts for one third of cancer deaths.
87% of all lung cancer deaths are caused by smoking.
3,000 secondhand smoke deaths occur each year nationally. 
$406.3 million is spent on health care expenditures in Tennessee related to tobacco use on average.
Source: Tennessee Department of Health; Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

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High Blood Pressure
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Physician Clinics
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Cancer
American Cancer Society
Physician Clinics
Local Churches
Community Senior Centers
American Association of Retired Persons

Arthritis
Arthritis Foundation
Physician Clinics
Local Fitness Centers
American Association of Retired Persons
Community Senior Centers

Obesity
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American Diabetes Association
American Stroke Association
Physician Clinics
Community Senior Centers
Chester County School System
Chickasaw State Park
Local Health and Fitness Clubs
Local Churches
Afterschool Programs
Local Retirement and Nursing Homes

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Physician Clinics
Chester County School System
Diabetes

Allergies
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Physician Clinics
Local Pharmacists
Teenage Pregnancy
Chester County Health Department
Chester County School System
Tennessee Department of Children's Services
Hardeman County Juvenile Court
Exchange Club Carl Perkins
Local Churches
Afterschool Programs

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