



Appendix A

Pre-Meeting Survey

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Introduction

This survey should take no more than 10 minutes to complete. By getting your input before the December 17th meeting, we hope to maximize our time together as we review and select priorities to address for a healthier Cowley County in 2016 and beyond! If you are unable to attend the meeting on the 17th, your input is particularly needed and valued.

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Review of 2013-2015 Priorities

For the 2013 needs assessment, two priority areas were selected:

Priority #1: Promote health, wellness, and chronic disease prevention

Priority #2: Enhance access to health service providers

These questions relate to how relevant these priorities as well as the suggested strategies or actions under each priority are to your community.

1. Considering Priority #1 and its strategies from the last health assessment, please rate how strongly you agree with this statement for EACH of the priority or strategy items listed:

For EACH statement below, how strongly do you agree that, “this is a top health priority/strategy for our community and must be addressed in a coordinated, concerted effort over the next 3 years with focused attention, time and resources”?

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree
Priority #1, in general: Promote health, wellness, and chronic disease prevention	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
1.1. Emphasize health education from cradle to grave	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
1.2. Focus on youth, teaching healthy lifestyle behaviors that can be carried throughout life (e.g., hygiene, nutrition, exercise, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
1.3. Help adults achieve healthier lifestyles (e.g., weight loss, tobacco cessation, responsible alcohol use)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
1.4. Work to prevent cancer and other chronic disease incidence through lifestyle education and modification, and through promotion of appropriate screening practices	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
1.5. Increase awareness and use of existing local services and providers thereby reducing health spending leakages	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
1.6. Work with existing local institutions (e.g., school district, local governments, etc.) to collaborate with health and wellness education	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

2. Considering Priority #2 and its strategies from the last health assessment, please rate how strong you agree with this statement for EACH of the priority or strategy items listed:

For EACH statement below, how strongly do you agree that, “this is a top health priority/strategy for our community and must be addressed in a coordinated, concerted effort over the next 3 years with focused attention, time and resources”?

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree
Priority #2, in general: Enhance access to health service providers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2.1. Health service provider recruitment and retention is a key component.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2.2. Issues of affordability affect access. Direct those eligible and in need toward available resources and assistance.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2.3. Enhance communication and collaboration across health service providers to ensure more complete case management.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2.4. Support options for access to care for the medically underserved.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

3. The two priorities from 2013 are fairly broad; there can be both positives and negatives to having broad, all-encompassing priorities versus very specific priorities.

Current (2013-2015) Priorities

#1: Promote health, wellness, and chronic disease prevention

#2: Enhance access to health service providers

Looking ahead, do you think any updated priorities should be similarly broad, or should they be more specific?

- New or updated priorities should be similarly broad or encompassing as the current priorities
- New or updated priorities should be somewhat more specific than the current priorities
- New or updated priorities should be significantly more specific than the current priorities
- No preference
- Additional comments:

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Additional Potential Priority Issues

Based on data from the 2013 community health assessment, current data, the CHIP (community health improvement plan), community health leader suggestions, and national and state key health indicators, the following potential priorities and strategies are suggested for your consideration. Some are broad, and some are specific.

4. In terms of being prioritized for a coordinated, concerted effort over the next 3 years with focused attention, time and resources, how high of a priority for Cowley County is each issue related to HEALTHY LIFESTYLES?

	Very Low	Low	Medium	High	Very High
Healthy Eating	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community Gardens	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Farmers' Markets	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Physical Activity for Children and Youth	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Physical Activity for Adults	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Obesity	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Trails and Pathways	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Healthy Environment (clean water, clean air, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community Culture of Wellness (other than nutrition and physical activity)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Tobacco Use	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Alcohol and Drug Abuse	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Violence	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Workplace Wellness, Employer-Offered Wellness Incentives	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Other very high priority issue(s) related to healthy lifestyles (please specify):

5. In terms of being prioritized for a coordinated, concerted effort over the next 3 years with focused attention, time and resources, how high of a priority for Cowley County is each issue related to ACCESS AND HEALTH SERVICES?

	Very Low	Low	Medium	High	Very High
Health Screenings	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Mental Health	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Oral Health	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Pharmaceuticals/Medications (Affordable, Accessible)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Surgical Services	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Long-Term Care, Nursing Care, Assisted Living	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Regional Approach to Healthcare Provider and System Access	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Coordination/integration of Mental, Physical, and Oral Health Services	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Access for Underserved	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Lack of Health Care Coverage or Underinsurance	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Transportation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Healthcare Marketplace Navigation and Education	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Educate Employers, Improve Insurance/Plans/Self-Insurance through Employers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Other very high priority issue(s) related to access and health services (please specify):

6. In terms of being prioritized for a coordinated, concerted effort over the next 3 years with focused attention, time and resources, how high of a priority is each issue related to CHRONIC DISEASES, LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH, or OTHER HEALTH PROBLEMS for Cowley County?

	Very Low	Low	Medium	High	Very High
Cancer	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Diabetes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Heart Disease	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Cerebrovascular Disease (Stroke)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease (chronic bronchitis, emphysema, asthma)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Suicide	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Injuries	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Motor Vehicle Accidents/Traffic Injuries	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Mental Health, Depression, or Anxiety	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Other very high priority health problem(s) (please specify):

7. In terms of being prioritized for a coordinated, concerted effort over the next 3 years with focused attention, time and resources, how high of a priority is each issue related to MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH for Cowley County?

	Very Low	Low	Medium	High	Very High
Adequate Prenatal Care	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Infant Mortality	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Teen Pregnancy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Smoking During Pregnancy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Breastfeeding	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Immunizations	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Other very high priority maternal child health issue(s) (please specify):

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Suggested Priorities for 2016-2018

Consider again the current priorities selected in 2013:

Priority #1: Promote health, wellness, and chronic disease prevention

Priority #2: Enhance access to health service providers

Looking ahead, no more than 3 total priorities are recommended.

8. Which statement best describes what you think the priorities should be going forward?

- Keep the current priorities and continue to work on them
- Keep the current priorities but refine/change strategies or objectives under those priorities, as needed
- Refine or update the current priorities themselves
- Add an additional priority
- Make the priorities more specific
- Start from a "blank slate" and consider new priorities

Other or comments:

9. Thinking about the current priorities, strategies under those priorities, other potential priorities mentioned in this survey, as well as your own knowledge of the community, what do you think the new health priorities should be going forward? List no more than three. They may be broad or specific.

First priority:

Second priority:

Third priority:

10. What community do you represent? Please enter your home and work zip codes.

Home Zip Code:

Work Zip Code:

Other comment(s) on the community you represent:

11. Do you have any other comments you'd like to share as we prepare for the December 17th meeting?