

Liberty Hospital Community Health Needs Assessment - Charitable Hospital Section 501[c]3

Aligned with Northland HC Alliance Priorities -Tactics Year 1 of 3 - Starting calendar year 7/1/2016 to 6/30/2018 (FY 2017-2019)

#	CHNA Round#2 Health Areas of Need	T	"Specific Actions" to Address Community Health Need or "Reasons Why Hospital Will Not" Address Need	Identified Need Lead	Identified Partners	Timeframe
MENTAL HEALTH						
1	Mental Health (Adult / Child / Geriatric) - Access, Diagnosis and Placement	a	Conduct MH Need inventory	Northland Health Alliance (NHA)	Liberty Public schools, Alliance for Youth, Clay Co DOH, Clay County Sheriff	1 year
		b	Continue to educate and train LH ER staff regarding mental health delivery issues and how to address them (i.e. stigma, crisis intervention).	Liberty Hospital	Liberty Public schools,	1 year
		c	Contract MAT Two Rivers ER, improve MH screenings in ED, Urgent cares	Liberty Hospital	Two Rivers Behavioral Health	continuous
		d	Partner with local law enforcement for medical clearances	LPD	Clay County sheriff	continuous
		e	Offer Primary care screenings and referral options	Liberty Hospital	Liberty Hospital	continuous
		f	Partner with public school on awareness	NHA	Liberty Public schools,	continuous
		g	Educate LH staff on mental health education opportunities	Liberty Hospital		1 year
		h	Expand Liberty mental health services	Liberty Hospital	Alliance for Youth, Clay County Sheriff Office	continuous
		i	Encourage primary care physicians to complete depression screenings. Embrace new CMS primary care metrics.	Liberty Hospital		2 years
3	Substance Abuse (NOTE: This health need is not part of Liberty Hospital's Mission of Clinical Operations)	a	Invest in resources and time in early prevention	Liberty Alliance for Youth (LAFY)	Public Schools, Alliance for Youth, LCHAT, Liberty Alliance for Youth (LAFY)	3 years
		b	Collaborate to rewrite Substance Abuse education at elementary schools	NHA	Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	1 year
		c	Create and run Media campaign	NHA	Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts, DOH	1 year
		e	Develop educational handouts to give to Primary care Physicians to educate patients on schedule 2 drugs	Liberty Hospital	Alliance For Youth, DOH	2 years
		f	Take position against Marijuana, reduce underage drinking, marijuana use and prescription drug misuse among 12-20 years olds in the Liberty	Liberty Alliance for Youth	Liberty Hospital, NHA, Clay County Sheriff, Public school District, Northland Chambers of Commerce, DOH	continuous
		g	Develop programs to support entry of patients to "detox" as meds weaned off for medication management	NHA	Liberty Hospital, NHA, Clay County Sheriff, Tri-County	continuous
		h	Position agst Rx drug abuse – work with EDs in Northland	Liberty Alliance for Youth	Liberty Hospital, NHA, Clay County Sheriff, LPD,	continuous
		i	Alert system for physician's office from pharmacies	NHA	Liberty Hospital	1 year
		j	Continue to monitor prescription drug abuse. Support area physicians in discouraging prescription drug abuse. Create alert system between physicians and pharmacies for drug abuse.	NHA	Liberty Hospital, NHA, Clay County Sheriff, LPD,	continuous
k	Stay alert to State legislation on medical marijuana usage. Keeping Kids safe - Medical Marijuana movement involvement	Liberty Alliance for Youth (LAFY)	Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	continuous		
l	Support Parent Up - protection youth from dangers and liabilities of underage drinking initiatives	LAFY	Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts, DOH, NHA	continuous		
CHRONIC DISEASE						
4	Community Fitness (Access to Walking / Running / Biking Trails, Fitness Classes)	a	Promote and educate on neighborhood walking and running trails	Clay County parks and Rec & Liberty Parks & Rec	Clay County EDC, Platte County EDC, Northland Chamber	1 year
		b	Work with team planning NorTerre to hook hospital trail/bridge	Liberty Hospital	City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	3 years
		1	Inventory sidewalks/sidewalk gaps	City of Liberty – Parks and Rec	Liberty Hospital, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts, Northland Chambers of Commerce	1 year
		2	Conduct Audits to assess conditions			1 year
3	Develop Online Survey to identify safety concerns of pedestrian crossings *complete*	1 year				

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		c	Provide community healthy lifestyle choices, marathons, community fairs, hospital and Foundation sponsored event	Liberty Hospital/Foundation	NHA, LCHAT, School Districts, Northland Chambers of Commerce	continuous
		d	Complete a bike-able assessment of the community by Jan. 2017	Liberty Community Center	Liberty Hospital, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts, Northland Chambers of Commerce	1 year
			1 Assess and improve existing maps of bike routes "NO BIKE MAPS in LIBERTY"			2 years
			2 Engage Local bike groups and bike shops for input			1 year
			3 Use Bike friendly community website as a planning resource			2 years
		e	Assess the availability and quality of natural and built assets for outdoor recreation by July 2016	Liberty Community Center	Liberty Hospital, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts, Northland Chambers of Commerce	continuous
			1 Use the HCRG Beta Site Findings Report to identify shortcomings 2 Develop needs assessment Survey			
		f	Attend Parks and Rec Committee meetings on the city walking trails	Liberty Hospital	City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	continuous
		g	Educate/train local EMS/PD strength and conditioning training towards tactical populations	EMS/Fire Depts	Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	continuous
		h	Continue to offer fitness classes/yoga for Cancer patients	Liberty Hospital	St Lukes Cancer Center	continuous
5	Tobacco usage (NOTE: This health need is not part of Liberty Hospital's Mission of Clinical Operations)	a	Support efforts to pass tobacco tax	NHA	Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	continuous
		b	Support efforts Tobacco 21	NHA	Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts, DOH, LAFY	continuous
		c	Local Ad campaign	NHA	Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts, DOH. Local churches	1 year
		d	Promote tobacco free ordinance	City of Liberty	Liberty Hospital, NHA, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts, DOH	continuous
		e	Support / develop smoking cessation programs	NHA	Liberty Hospital, NHA, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts, DOH, City of Liberty	continuous
		f	Provide opportunities for free lung cancer screening	St Lukes Northland, Liberty Hospital	NHA	1 year
		g	Continue to provide tobacco education to schools and increase school base programs; Apply for Grants.	School Districts	Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	3 years
6	Nutrition (NOTE: This health need is not part of Liberty Hospital's Mission of Clinical Operations)	a	Actively participate in LCHAT (wellness coalition).	Clay County DOH	Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	continuous
		b	Promote WIC and food stamp programs to those eligible	NHA	Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	continuous
		c	Create Community educational series that focuses on cooking, growing foods, portion control, health meal options, eating out options	Liberty Municipality	Price Chopper, Public school districts, Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty, LCHAT, Liberty parks and Rec	3 years
		d	Offer Nutrition focused community education programs fro cancer patients	Liberty Hospital	St Lukes Cancer Center, City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	continuous
7	Other Chronic Disease Offerings	a	Develop a Patient/Family Advisory Council to address specific needs of the population for patient expereince at the Hospital	Liberty Hospital	City of Liberty	1 year
		b	Expand HPV Vaccine promotion in middle schools	Liberty Hospital	St Lukes Cancer Center, City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	1 year

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	ACCESS TO CARE					
6	Health Transportation (NOTE: This health need is not part of Liberty Hospital's Mission of Clinical Operations)	a	Update community resource directory	NHA	Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty	1 year
		b	Provide local vouchers as needed	NHA	Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty, LCHAT	continuous
		c	Sponsor Community events to educate community on location and service lines of hospital	LH	City of Liberty, LCHAT	continuous
		d	Educate community of transportation options	NHA	Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	continuous
		e	Provide Cab vouchers (city funded) for healthcare appointments	NHA	Liberty Hospital, City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	continuous
		f	Explore LH transportation service for appointments. Partner with other area hospitals.	LH	NHA, LCHAT, School Districts, Northland Chambers of Commerce	continuous
2	Uninsured/Underinsured – Working Poor (NOTE: This health need is not part of Liberty Hospital's Mission of Clinical Operations)	a	Partner NHA	NHA	Liberty Hospital	continuous
		b	Partner NHCA/Metrocare write-off hospital services	Liberty Hospital	NHCA/Metrocare	annual commitment
		c	Continue arrangement Commerce Bank to assist with loans	NHA	Commerce Bank	continuous
		d	Continue to refer to Foundation for coinsurance/deductible assistance	NHA	LH Foundation	continuous
		e	Continue partnership with Foundation for prescription discounts and medication assistance	Liberty Hospital Foundation	LH Foundation, Liberty Hospital, St Lukes Cancer Center	continuous
		f	Continue to work with area providers to coordinate and provide "free service" for the uninsured.	NHA	City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	continuous
		g	Explore funding resources available from Federal Government / State of Missouri	NHA	City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	1 year
		h	Explore innovative payor models through MHA.	NHA	City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	2 years
		i	Support MHA on Medicaid expansion.	NHA	City of Liberty, Liberty Community Health Action team (LCHAT), School Districts	3 years