

Chickasaw County

Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA) Report



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Promote Healthy Living Assessment

includes topics such as addictive behaviors (tobacco, alcohol, drugs, gambling), chronic disease (mental health, cardiovascular disease, cancer, asthma, diabetes, arthritis, etc.), elderly wellness, family planning, infant, child & family health, nutrition and healthy food options, oral health, physical activity, pregnancy & birth, and wellness.

Healthy Living Community Priority	Rationale / Specific Need	Is this priority in the HIP?	If the priority is not addressed in the HIP, reason(s) why:
1 Mental Health/Behaviors Health issues and access	CHNA partners reviewed several data sets as well and the CHNA community-wide survey results that demonstrated a high need for addressing mental health and behavioral health issues of our county as well as access issues. Mental Health reasons were of the top 10 reasons for ER visits and hospitalizations in 2014 (4th highest and 7th highest respectively). The county health ranking report showed that our population self report 2.5 poor mental health days per month and the mental health provider ratio in Chickasaw County is 1,760:1. Community wide survey results did not indicate Mental Health as the top priority but further discussion with partners and other sectors in the county this became the #1 priority.	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> Other priorities rated higher <input type="checkbox"/> Existing programs already address problem/need <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of human resources/ staff <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Community partners do not exist <input type="checkbox"/> Lead organization does not exist <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of financial resources

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2 Obesity	According to our Community Needs Assessment Survey obesity was the 3rd highest health problem in Chickasaw (42.88%) In addition, 30% of Chickasaw residence have BMI greater than 30 according to CHNA.org(state percentage = 30.4% and US percentage = 27.1%). After discussion with the CHNA HIP partners, obesity is our second highest priority.	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> Other priorities rated higher <input type="checkbox"/> Existing programs already address problem/need <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of human resources/ staff <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Community partners do not exist <input type="checkbox"/> Lead organization does not exist <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of financial resources

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3 Substance Use	<p>CHNA HIP partners reviewed the data from the CHNA Community Survey and found that alcohol abuse was the highest risky behavior in Chickasaw County (59.50%) followed by illegal drug use (50.19%) and driving while drunk or high (32.56%). In addition, CHNA.org shows that 31.3% report heavy alcohol consumption (state percentage = 21.4% and US percentage = 16.9%). The 2014 Iowa Youth Survey shows that 26% of Chickasaw County 11th graders reported drinking in the last 30 days versus the state percentage of 23%.</p>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> Other priorities rated higher <input type="checkbox"/> Existing programs already address problem/need <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of human resources/ staff <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Community partners do not exist <input type="checkbox"/> Lead organization does not exist <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of financial resources

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Prevent Injuries & Violence Assessment

includes topics such as brain injury, disability, EMS trauma & system development, intentional injuries (violent & abusive behavior, suicide), occupational health & safety, and unintentional injuries (motor vehicle crashes, falls, poisoning, drowning, etc.).

Injuries & Violence Community Priority	Rationale / Specific Need	Is this priority in the HIP?	If the priority is not addressed in the HIP, reason(s) why:
1 Unintentional Injury	CHNA HIP partners reviewed the data from the CHNA Community Survey and found that injuries was not one of the top five (5) health problems in Chickasaw County (14.23%). In addition, CHNA.org shows that the age adjusted death rate for mortality - unintentional injury is 36.1 (state rate = 38.7 and US rate = 38.6).	No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other priorities rated higher <input type="checkbox"/> Existing programs already address problem/need <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of human resources/ staff <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Community partners do not exist <input type="checkbox"/> Lead organization does not exist <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of financial resources

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Protect Against Environmental Hazards Assessment

includes topics such as drinking water protection, food waste, food safety, fluoridation, hazardous materials, hazardous waste, healthy homes, impaired waterways, lead poisoning, nuisances, on site wastewater systems, radon, radiological health, soil erosion, and vector control.

Environmental Hazards Community Priority	Rationale / Specific Need	Is this priority in the HIP?	If the priority is not addressed in the HIP, reason(s) why:	
1 Indoor Air Quality	CHNA HIP partners reviewed the data from the CHNA Community Survey and found that radon was one of the top five (5) environmental health issues in Chickasaw County (25.29%). In addition, CHNA.org radon levels in Chickasaw County are high. The county level is 6.9 pCi/L compared to the national indoor radon level of 1.3 pCi/L.	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> Other priorities rated higher <input type="checkbox"/> Existing programs already address problem/need <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of human resources/ staff <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Community partners do not exist <input type="checkbox"/> Lead organization does not exist <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of financial resources

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Prevent Epidemics & the Spread of Disease Assessment

includes topics such as disease investigation, control & surveillance, HIV/AIDS, immunization, reportable diseases, sexually transmitted diseases (STDs), and tuberculosis (TB).

Epidemics & Spread of Disease Community Priority	Rationale / Specific Need	Is this priority in the HIP?	If the priority is not addressed in the HIP, reason(s) why:
1 Immunization	CHNA HIP partners reviewed the data from the 2014 Immunizations in Iowa report and found that 74% of 2-year-olds were fully immunized and 49% of 13-15 year-olds were fully immunized in Chickasaw County.	No	<input type="checkbox"/> Other priorities rated higher <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Existing programs already address problem/need <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of human resources/ staff <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Community partners do not exist <input type="checkbox"/> Lead organization does not exist <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of financial resources

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Prepare for, Respond to, & Recover from Public Health Emergencies Assessment

includes topics such as communication networks, emergency planning, emergency response, individual preparedness, recovery planning, risk communication, and surge capacity.

Preparedness Community Priority	Rationale / Specific Need	Is this priority in the HIP?	If the priority is not addressed in the HIP, reason(s) why:
1 Preparedness Planning	CHNA HIP partners reviewed the data from the CHNA Community Survey and found that 60.54% of Chickasaw County residents felt they and their family are prepared for a natural or man-made disaster.	No	<input type="checkbox"/> Other priorities rated higher <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Existing programs already address problem/need <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of human resources/ staff <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
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Strengthen the Health Infrastructure Assessment

includes topics such as access to quality health services, community engagement, evaluation, food security, food systems, food and nutrition assistance (SNAP, WIC), health facilities, health insurance, medical care, organizational capacity, planning, quality improvement, social determinants (e.g., education & poverty levels), transportation, and workforce (e.g., primary care, dental, mental health, public health).

Health Infrastructure Community Priority	Rationale / Specific Need	Is this priority in the HIP?	If the priority is not addressed in the HIP, reason(s) why:	
1 Parenting Skills	CHNA HIP partners reviewed the data from the CHNA Community Survey and found that parenting skills was the highest social issue in Chickasaw County (69.63%) followed by single parent families (56.07%).	No	<input type="checkbox"/> Other priorities rated higher <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Existing programs already address problem/need <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lack of human resources/ staff <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Community partners do not exist <input type="checkbox"/> Lead organization does not exist <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lack of financial resources

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COMMUNITY HEALTH NEEDS ASSESSMENT SNAPSHOT



Promote Healthy Living

Priority #1 Mental Health/Behaviors Health issues and access

Priority #2 Obesity

Priority #3 Substance Use



Prevent Injuries & Violence

Priority #1 Unintentional Injury



Protect Against Environmental Hazards

Priority #1 Indoor Air Quality



Prevent Epidemics & the Spread of Disease

Priority #1 Immunization



Prepare for, Respond to, & Recover from Public Health Emergencies

Priority #1 Preparedness Planning



Strengthen the Health Infrastructure

Priority #1 Parenting Skills