

Millcreek Community Hospital
ERIE COUNTY COMMUNITY HEALTH IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM
2016-2019 Implementation Plan

STRATEGIC ISSUE: Chronic Disease Prevention and Control
PRIORITY AREA: Obesity, Cardiovascular Disease, Diabetes and Pre-Diabetes, COPD/Adult Asthma Preventable Hospitalizations
GOAL: To provide excellence and innovation in the prevention of and care for patients with chronic disease, the training of health professionals and the creation and sharing of health knowledge.
AVAILABLE RESOURCES: 144 bed acute care hospital Affiliated primary care physician group

ALIGNMENT WITH STATE/NATIONAL PRIORITIES

Healthy People 2020: Prevent illness and disability related to arthritis and other rheumatic conditions, osteoporosis, and chronic back conditions. Improve cardiovascular health and quality of life through prevention, detection, and treatment of risk factors for heart attack and stroke; early identification and treatment of heart attacks and strokes; and prevention of repeat cardiovascular events.

National Prevention Strategy: National Quality Strategy Priorities and Goals, Effective Care Coordination, is to “reduce preventable hospital admissions and readmissions, prevent and manage chronic illness and disability, ensure secure information exchange to facilitate efficient care delivery” (Report to Congress, *National Strategy for Quality Improvement in Health Care*, March 2011, <<http://www.healthcare.gov>>).

OBJECTIVE #1: Advance improvement in clinical quality and interdisciplinary collaboration throughout a highly integrated delivery structure using patient-centered, standardized, evidenced-based practices for chronic disease prevention and control		
ACTION PLAN		
Strategy	Target Date	Lead Person/ Organization
Implement evidence based practices and tools through integration of technology and complete the transition to an entirely electronic medical record	2018	Director of Information Technology
MEASURES OF SUCCESS		
Source	Frequency	

Adoption of the Electronic Health Record System	
Core Measures	Quarterly
Patient experience of care reports	Quarterly

OBJECTIVE #2: Ensure access to primary care and preventative health measures		
ACTION PLAN		
Strategy	Target Date	Lead Person/ Organization
Increase the number of Primary Care Physicians trained and retained in the Erie Community	2020	Director of Medical Education and Internal Medicine, Family Medicine, and Geriatric Medicine Program Directors
MEASURES OF SUCCESS		
Source	Frequency	
Inpatient and Emergency Room Census reports	Monthly	
Physician recruitment and retention rates	Annually	

OBJECTIVE #3: Educate to transform the health of the community through enhancing the knowledge and skills of healthcare professionals, fostering a culture of discovery in all of our activities and supporting exemplary health sciences research, and providing education directly to the community		
ACTION PLAN		
Strategy	Target Date	Lead Person/ Organization
Increase the number of Primary Care Physicians trained and retained in the Erie Community	2020	LECOM Director of Medical Education and Internal Medicine, Family Medicine, and Geriatric Medicine Program Directors
Facilitate continuing medical education to expand the knowledge base of health care professionals	2018	Medical Education Coordinator
Provide community outreach programs	2020	Executive Director of LECOM Medical Fitness and Wellness Center,

		LifeWorks Erie Member Services Coordinator
Support research activity	current	Graduate Medical Education Committee
MEASURES OF SUCCESS		
Source		Frequency
Residency and Fellowship Program Evaluation		Annually
Continuing Medical Education		
Attendance and/or participation in educational activities		Episodically
Research Activity		