LECOM Health Corry Memorial Hospital ERIE COUNTY COMMUNITY HEALTH IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM 2025-2028 Implementation Plan

STRATEGIC ISSUE: Disease Prevention, Early Detection, and Control

PRIORITY AREA: Obesity, Cardiovascular Disease, Diabetes & Pre-Diabetes, COPD, Cancer: Lung, Breast, Prostate, Colorectal

GOAL: Decrease preventable chronic disease by improving access to screenings and treatment

AVAILABLE RESOURCES: 20 bed Critical Access Hospital Affiliated multispecialty physician group Outpatient diagnostic services

ALIGNMENT WITH STATE/NATIONAL PRIORITIES

Healthy People 2030: Healthy People 2030 (Dept. of Health & Human Services) goals for Disease Prevention, Early Detection, and Control are to, "Help people get recommended preventive health care services," and "Improve health by preventing, detecting, and responding to public health events worldwide."

Pennsylvania: "The Hospital & Healthsystem Association of Pennsylvania is a statewide membership services organization that advocates for nearly 240 Pennsylvania acute and specialty care, primary care, subacute care, long-term care, home health, and hospice providers, as well as the patients and communities they serve. To advocate for and provide services to Pennsylvania's hospitals and health systems as they strive to deliver safe, efficient, quality health care to the patients and communities they serve" (The Hospital and Healthsystem Association of Pennsylvania, <http://www.haponline.org>).

OBJECTIVE #1: To decrease the occurrence of new cases of cardiovascular diseases in the community including heart attacks and strokes / To monitor and improve blood pressures to improve cardiovascular health			
ACTION PLAN			
Strategy	Target Date	Lead Person/ Organization	
Increase sites of service	Current	Practice Managers	
Provide information and routine screenings at community events and hospital sponsored activities including promotion of the Check. Change. Control Program	Current	Director of Marketing and Communications	
Improve blood pressure control among patients at rural health clinics	Current	Practice Managers	
MEASURES OF SUCCESS			
Source		Frequency	

Inpatient and Outpatient Census reports	Monthly
Total number of events planned, attended, and requested	Quarterly
Total number of distributed BP monitoring materials and events	Monthly
Blood Pressure codes in EHR	Quarterly

OBJECTIVE #2: To increase the understanding and knowledge of diabetes to promote healthier lifestyles living with diabetes, it's related conditions, and potential testing burdens

ACTION PLAN		
Strategy	Target Date	Lead Person/ Organization
Provide outpatient diabetic education to newly diagnosed individuals and people with lack of knowledge of diabetes	Current	Practice Managers, Dietician
Provide ongoing education for diabetics and family members	Current	Practice Managers, Dietician
Offer and participate in events and hospital sponsored activities/events related to diabetes prevention and management MEASURES OF SUCCESS	Current	Director of Marketing and Communications
Source		Frequency
Preventative screening utilization reports		Monthly
Total number of events planned, attended, and requested		Quarterly
Hemoglobin A1c control codes in EHR		Quarterly

OBJECTIVE #3: To increase the knowledge and understanding of community members of respiratory diseases and related treatments

ACTION PLAN		
Strategy	Target Date	Lead Person/ Organization
Increase the number of patients who receive	Current	Director of Patient Care
educational/technical materials related to COPD/respiratory		Services
illness while hospitalized		
Develop and distribute information related to COPD and	Current	Director of Marketing and
respiratory illnesses at hospital sponsored events and		Communications
community programming		
Increase the number of patients provided educational	Current	Practice Managers
materials who are diagnosed with COPD or other respiratory		
illnesses through outpatient services		
MEASURES OF SUCCESS		
Source		Frequency
Preventative screening utilization reports		Monthly
Total number of events planned, attended, and requested		Quarterly

Monthly

ACTION PLAN			
Strategy	Target Date	Lead Person/ Organization	
Provide limited screening opportunities at community events and hospital sponsored activities	Current	Director of Marketing and Communications	
Create, promote, and distribute informational and educational materials on cancer prevention and screening	Current	Director of Marketing and Communications	
Promote national awareness campaigns (Breast Cancer Awareness Month) by utilizing local advertising sources	Current	Director of Marketing and Communications	
Increase compliance with recommended screenings among primary care patient population	Current	Practice Managers	
MEASURES OF SUCCESS			
Source		Frequency	
Preventative screening utilization reports		Monthly	
Total number of events planned, attended, and requested		Quarterly	
Volume of patients served, number of settings of care		Monthly	