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COMMUNITY HEALTH IMPROVEMENT PLAN (CHIP) PICKAWAY PARTNERS FOR COMMUNITY HEALTH IMPROVEMENT (PPCHI)

The CHIP is an ongoing effort to address issues identified in Pickaway County's community health assessment, also updated regularly. Pickaway County's CHIP describes how the community works together to improve the health of the population. The community, stakeholders, and partners use the community health improvement plan to set priorities, direct the overall use of resources, and develop existing and future projects, programs, and policies.

The plan is bigger than the individual roles and responsibilities of the health department (PCGHD) or health care system (Berger), and its development includes participation of a broad set of community stakeholders and partners. The planning and implementation process is community-driven, using a collaborative planning process that includes significant involvement by a variety of community sectors.

Pickaway County is using the Mobilizing for Action through Planning and Partnerships or MAPP process for development of the CHIP. The PPCHI aligned MAPP vision is **A Healthy Community** and the aligned values are *Excellence, Respect, Stewardship, Diversity, Accountability, Holism, Social Justice (Common Good), Collaboration, Accessibility, and Empowerment.*

Pickaway County kicked off its CHIP process on June 17, 2016. The planning process achieved the plan's first round of implementation development in September of 2017. There are four prioritized goal areas for the 2017 – 2018 CHIP: 1) Mental Health Issues Coincident with Drug Use/Crime (a) group unification working in these areas & (b) targeted primary prevention programming; 2) Community Health Outcomes (a) access to dental health & (b) promotion of independent living to those > 65; 3) Socioeconomic Issues Impacting Community Health (a) community health workers in outlying communities & (b) better county-wide access/use of community health services); and 4) Adequate Funding for Public Health Services.