Exeter Hospital Community Health Needs Assessment

Implementation Strategy for 2018 - 2019

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| Identified Priority | Description | Alignment with Mission | Local Impact Locally | Approach | Active Programing | Support | Advocacy |
| **Direct Financial Aide** | **Governmental Subsidy** | **Hospital based Services** | **Hospital Funded Community Grant/Sponsorships** |
| 1 | Access to Care | Direct | High | Active Programing | Continuance of existing Financial Assistance Plan including catastrophic coverage at both EH and its affiliate Core. | Participation in broad spectrum of MCR, MCD and Healthcare Exchange programs below the cost of care or existing market rates | Continuance of existing Financial Assistance Plan including catastrophic coverage at both EH and its affiliate Core | Support for Lamprey. Work with Families First to reinitiate access in the underserved population in Seabrook (grant currently on hold) | Support for reauthorization of the MCD expansion program |
| 2 | Substance Misuse and Addiction | Indirect | Low | Advocacy /Support |  |  | Support of Zero Left disposal bag distribution.Initiating internal opioid task force (’19) | Evaluation of grant opportunities in next grant cycle.Funding of education in support of Youth Suicide initiativeAdditional grants to Granite Pathways; Raymond Coalition for Youth; SoRock; Granite Youth Alliance Film Festival through United Way, Hope on Haven Hill, the Elephant in the Room production through the NH Theatre Project focused on substance misuse, and the Addiction Symposium through the NH Psychological Society. Continued support of the Granite State youth Film Festival | Supported in initiatives and funding support in concert with NHHA and IDN |
| 3 | Access to Mental Health Services | Indirect | Moderate | Active/ Support/ Advocacy |  |  | Subsidized ED access program with Seacoast Mental Health | Inclusion in Youth Suicide Grant Program including: Seacoast Pathways, SMHC, NAMI, HAVENAdditional $75k of funding set aside to expand access in 2019. | Support for expansion of access and local support services in concert with Seacoast Mental Health and IDN |
| 4 | Youth Suicide Prevention | Indirect | High | Active/ Support/ Advocacy |  |  | Hospital sponsored education and awareness campaign.Continuation of Zero Suicide programming across affiliates | Continuation of major new grant program including broadening the support for education and training  | On-going community outreach and social media support. Active participation with NAMI an d Governors Council on Suicide Prevention |
| 5 | Transportation (healthcare related) | Indirect | Low | Active/ Support/ Advocacy |  |  | Hospital supported limited subsidized transportation program via taxi voucher program | Ongoing support for Lamprey transportation servicesSupport for TASCTaxi voucher program with SCMH | On-going community outreachCoordination work with COAST |
| 6 | Affordable housing and homelessness | Indirect | Low | Support and Advocacy |  |  |  | Grants to support healthcare access to the homeless via Families First.Sponsorship of NHPT film.Grant sponsor St. Vincent DePaul | On-going community outreach and participation in local efforts |
| 7 | Elder care and Support Services | Indirect | Low | TBD |  |  |  | Evaluating support of Seacoast Village projectGrants to Rockingham Meals on Wheels; Community Toolbox, Society of St. Vincent de Paul; NH Hospice & Palliative Care; Gather  |  |