

Sharing Knowledge to Create Healthier Communities

Dear Colleagues and Partners.

The Healthv Northeast Ohio Team wishes vou a happy and safe holiday season. As this whirlwind of a year comes to an end, we wanted to connect with our partners to provide a few updates and invitations regarding Healthv Northeast Ohio, as well as celebrate one year of success!

I would first like to formally introduce myself. My name is Libby McGraw and I have stepped into the role of Regional Community Health Improvement Manager for Healthy Northeast Ohio. Patricia Terstenvak has moved into a new position as the Director of Community Health at The Center for Health Affairs. however she continues to be a vital team member for Healthy Northeast Ohio efforts.

After a very successful year of utilizing Healthy Northeast Ohio, we welcome and look forward to continued success in collaborating with each of you.

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## A Sincere Thank you

We extend our appreciation and thanks to those involved in the COVID-19 response efforts. Public health and health care are working diligently to combat the COVID-19 virus. We are fortunate to collaborate alongside of vou. and we appreciate vour continued support and utilization of Healthy Northeast Ohio.



**METRICS: December 2019 - November 2020** 

Total # of users:

3,639

**Most Visited Pages:** 

**Community Health Dashboards** 

Cuyahoga

2020 Demographics

Does vour organization use social media? Give us a shout out by using #HealthyNEO. Your promotion helps others find and use the site!

### **Website Updates**

Check out recent updates on our website:

- O A new COVID-19 webpage
  O Updated "How to" materials
- Updated county pages for <u>Ashtabula</u>, <u>Cuyahoga</u>, <u>Lorain</u>, <u>Medina</u>, and <u>Portage</u>

## On the horizon

Submit Local Data or Local Data Indicators

The Healthy Northeast Ohio team is able to upload local data indicators from our partners to the website. Please see the Local Data Toolkit for Partners document to learn more about this process. If you have questions, or would like additional information, please contact us

#### Progress Tracker

Be on the lookout for this exciting feature that will visually display progress towards goals. objectives and strategies from Community Health Improvement Plans and Implementation Strategies.

## Resource Library

We are working to improve our resource library section by updating the collections feature. This will make findings documents easier for partners.

We continue to enhance and upgrade the website, and we look forward to sharing new features with our partners to improve your experience. We welcome suggestions and feedback. Contact us by email (see below) or through the "Contact Us" portal on the site.

## Words from our partners

We were very glad to hear of the positive impact Healthy Northeast Ohio has had on your agencies. Please see some of the statements from partners below:

"The Healthy Northeast Ohio website is a tremendous resource for various community stakeholders. The availability of wide breadth of data – in a single location – will make researching information for future Community Health Needs Assessments easier and less time consuming. Likewise, the availability of data will enable organizations to provide sound foundations for programs and service alignment, as well as for grant requests to fund those programs and services." -Ashtabula County Medical Center

"University Hospitals is invested in the collaborative community health effort underway in Northeast Ohio. This entails working with the other hospital systems and public health departments in our geographical footprint to sustain periodic community health assessments and aligned improvement planning. The Healthy NEO website on the Conduent data platform is an excellent technological innovation that aids in this work. It is a useful tool to centralize relevant data that coincides with our implementation strategies and makes it easier to measure the impact of our collective effort. Additionally, it allows us to customize reports, explore grant opportunities and share best practices. This platform revolutionizes the partners' ability to identify and monitor shared indicators and population health impact and helps us tell our story in a user-friendly dashboard. Equally as important, Healthy NEO has many features that are accessible to the general public. HealthyNEO.org is an asset to our region." – University Hospitals

Thank you to all of our partners for your continuous support and participation in Healthy Northeast Ohio. We greatly appreciate all of our partners and the commitment you have shown to improving health in your communities!

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