

Community Health Program

Riverside Medical Center
Moreno Valley Medical Center

2020-2022 Funding Priorities and Strategies



Access to Care

Increase coverage, access, and utilization of health care services for populations that are underserved, uninsured, and/or underinsured.

- Provide access and comprehensive health care to low-income individuals and families who do not have access to public or private health coverage.
- Support access to care for patients through collaboration among community clinics, clinic networks, and other safety net providers.

Improve and build the current and emerging workforce to meet the primary care needs of the community.

- Support and implement physician and other pipeline and training programs, using evidence-based, culturally competent and patient-centered population management modules.

Improve the capacity of healthcare systems to provide quality healthcare, including interventions to address the social determinants of health.

- Strengthen the capacity and infrastructure of community clinics to effectively prevent and manage chronic disease, including cardiovascular health and diabetes.

Economic Opportunity

Reduce food insecurity in the community and improve access to healthy foods

- Design, pilot and implement programs and systems for promoting, screening and/or enrolling community members in food benefit programs.
- Support programs that procure, recover and/or redistribute food to food insecure communities.
- Support the capacity of communities and anchor organizations to adopt and implement policies and programs to ensure access to healthy foods.

Preserve and improve the availability of affordable housing and improve care coordination to serve individuals experiencing homelessness and to prevent displacement.

- Enhance the infrastructure and capacity of service providers to serve individuals at risk or experiencing homelessness.
- Support and participate in collaboratives that support coordination and funding of resources (such as health services and housing) for individuals at risk or experiencing homelessness.

Improve educational attainment and employment opportunities.

- Support the long-term economic vitality of communities through procurement, hiring and workforce development, and/or small business development impact investing.

Mental Health

Improve access and connection to mental healthcare in clinical and community settings.

- Support the infrastructure and capacity building of community organizations and clinics to improve access to quality mental health care.
- Support the integration of mental health care, case management, and navigation services into clinical care and community settings.

Improve and build the current and emerging mental health workforce to meet community needs.

- Support the education and training of licensed mental health professionals to be culturally competent.
- Support the utilization of pipeline and training programs to increase the number of licensed and diverse mental health professionals.

Reduce mental health stigma and improve knowledge, capacity and resilience in individuals, communities, and organizations.

- Support efforts to improve the community and social support system's knowledge, attitudes, beliefs and perceptions about mental health, trauma and resilience.
- Support the enhancement of organizational culture, practices and policies in schools and other institutions to be trauma-informed.

Obesity / HEAL

Reduce food insecurity in the community and improve access to healthy foods.

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- Support programs that procure, recover and/or redistribute food to food insecure communities.
- Support the capacity of communities and anchor organizations to adopt and implement policies and programs to ensure access to healthy foods.

Improve environments and opportunities that enable daily physical activity.

- Support the capacity of communities and anchor organizations to adopt and implement policies and programs to ensure access to safe spaces and physical activity opportunities.

Riverside Area Community Health Grant eligibility:

- Benefits under-resourced residents of Riverside County (*except the cities of Beaumont, Banning, Calimesa, Idyllwild and Mira Loma.*)
- Nonprofit organization (public charity) or public agency.
- Proposals that include multi-agency collaborations with strategy alignment for improved impact are more likely to be considered for funding.
- In good standing with all previous grant requirements.

Timeline:

Grant Inquiry (online submission – opens annually – September

Final determination – December

Grant term: January 1 to December 31

Partnership grant awards up to \$50,000

Individual organization grant awards range from \$5,000 up to \$25,000

Additional Resources & Contact:

2019 Community Health Needs Assessment www.community.kp.org/riverside

Data platform: www.chna.org/kp

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