

# COMMUNITY HEALTH IMPROVEMENT PLAN

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# Overview

- Community Health Assessment & Community Health Improvement Plan Overview
- Ideal Timelines
- Purpose of a CHIP Update
- 3 priority areas selected/updates
- Areas for improvement
- Update recommendations
- Next Steps
- Questions

# What is a Community Health Assessment (CHA)?

A community health assessment:

- Describes the state of health of local people
- Outlines major health risk
- Identifies ways to improve health outcomes

CHA data informs:

- Community decision making
- Prioritization of health problems
- Development, implementation, and evaluation of a CHIP



# What is a Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP)?

A community health improvement plan:

- Identifies strategic issues
- Sets goals and objectives
- Develops benchmarks
- Prioritizes strategies
- Invites partners to contribute to the improvement of health

CHIP outcomes are developed:

- Based on CHA findings
- Through a collaborative process
- Provides guidance to health agencies, its partners, and its stakeholders on improving the health of Southern Nevada

# CHA/CHIP Process Overview:

What?

- What are the leading health problems in Southern Nevada?

Who?

- Who is most impacted by these health problems?

Why?

- Why are these health problems occurring? (i.e. social determinants)

How?

- How can we address these problems?
- What are the most EFFECTIVE programs and policies we should implement? (i.e. best practices/evidence based)

# CHIP Update

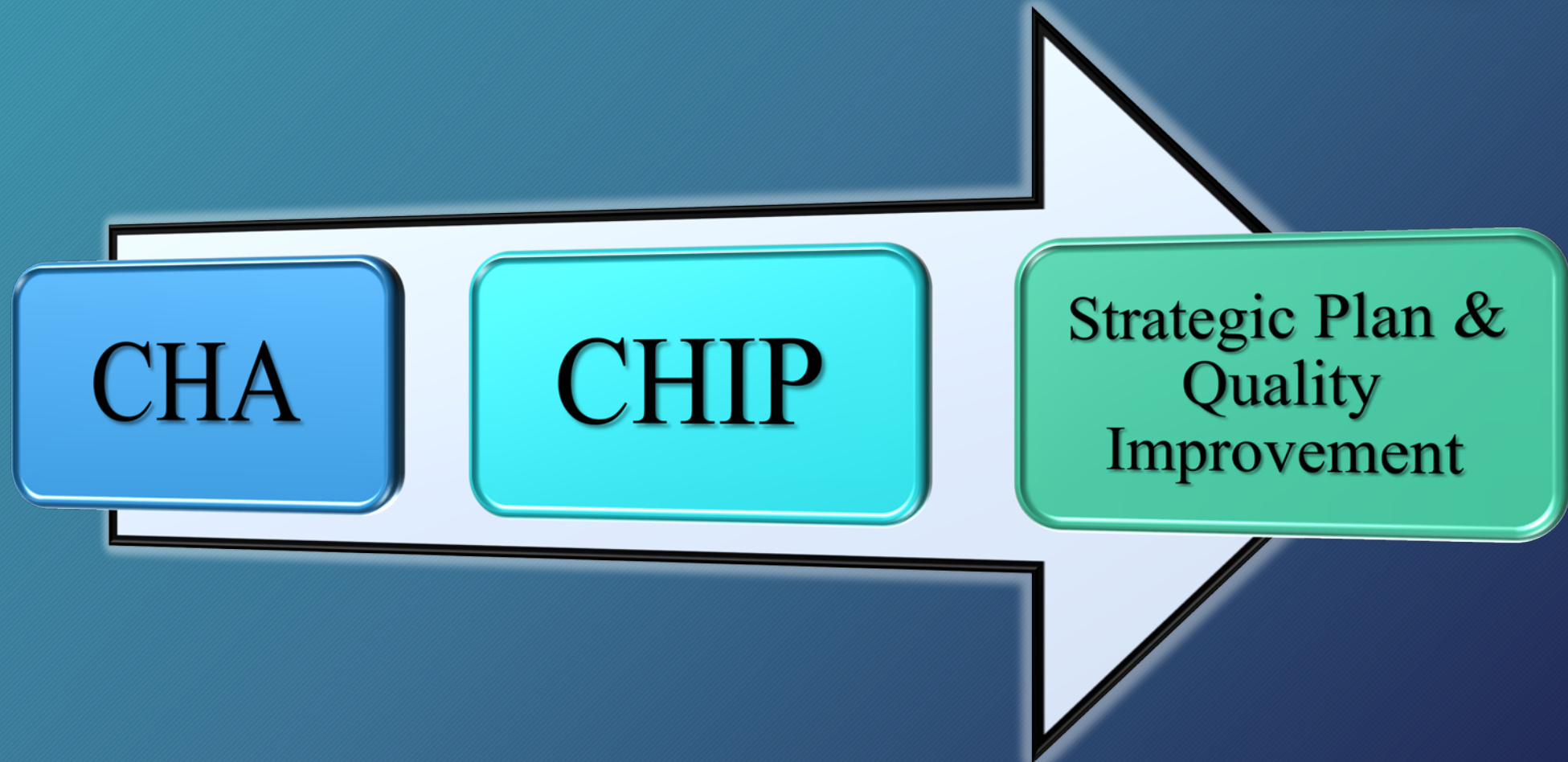
Why are we completing an update?



- Accreditation
- Community awareness
- Stakeholder engagement
- Evaluation



# Ideal Timeline



CHA

CHIP

Strategic Plan &  
Quality  
Improvement

# Ideal Timeline Cont.





# 3 Priority Areas (2016-2021)

## 1. Access to Care

- 1.1: Healthcare Access and Navigation
- 1.2: Healthcare Workforce Resources and Transportation
- 1.3: Health Insurance

## 2. Chronic Disease

- 2.1: Obesity
- 2.2: Tobacco Usage

## 3. Policy and Funding

- 3.1: Policy
- 3.2: Funding



# Access to Care

## Goal Area 1.1 Healthcare Access and Navigation



- Emergency Communication Nurse System partnered with 911 dispatch system – Improved healthcare navigation
- Nevada 211 enhanced its presence in the community
- Southern Nevada Community Health Center is a FQHC

## Goal Area 1.2 Healthcare Workforce Resources and Transportation



- Mobile Health Collaborative has grown from 5 to 80+ partner agencies
- Regional Transportation Commission increased routes

## Goal Area 1.3 Health Insurance



- Nevada Health Link enrolled 77,410 consumers
- Nevada Health Link worked closely with its network of over 750 agents, brokers and enrollment professionals across the state

# Chronic Disease

## Goal Area 2.1 Obesity

- Las Vegas Aces, CCSD, and SNHD launched 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Slam Dunk Health Program
- SNHD and partners supported SNAP benefits acceptance at Henderson farmers market
- SNHD created the Partners for a Healthy Nevada School Wellness Taskforce

## Goal Area 2.2 Tobacco

- SNHD's tobacco prevention program (TPP) implemented 32 youth tobacco prevention outreach events.
- Electronic referrals to NV Tobacco Quitline.
- Supported development of North Las Vegas Tobacco-Free Parks and Recreational facility policy.



# Policy and Funding

## Goal Area 3.1 Policy

- SNHD assisted apartment and condominiums to voluntarily expand tobacco policy
- Supported passage of SB 263 (e-cigarette/vapor bill) during the 2019 NV legislative session

## Goal Area 3.2 Funding

- UNLV students evaluated PH funding in Southern Nevada



# CHIP Process Evaluation

Target dates



- 5 year span

Duplicate strategies



- Avoid duplicate strategies to maximize local strategic collaboration

Committee engagement



- Keep stakeholders engaged throughout the CHIP cycle

# Summary of CHIP Update Recommendations

## Access to Care



- Modify 1.1 to continue to support LVFR to search for sustainable funding for nurse call line
- Modify 1.1 to continue to promote Nevada 211 as a resource in Southern Nevada
- Modify 1.2 to allow MHC to enhance its presence and website directory to increase client and provider participation
- Modify 1.2 to condense strategies to focus efforts on local strategic collaboration
- Modify 1.3 There is a strong potential for revisions to the health insurance strategies. These are dependent upon the changes at the state and federal level. The goal to increase the number of insured adults and children will continue; however, the process is contingent upon the policy changes.

## Chronic Disease



- No recommended changes

## Policy and Funding



- Modify 3.1 to continue to advocate for policies that support Public Health Improvement Funds
- Modify 3.2 to expand funding opportunities to review public health topic-specific areas where state or local governments could develop capacity to bring additional public health dollars to the state

# Next Steps

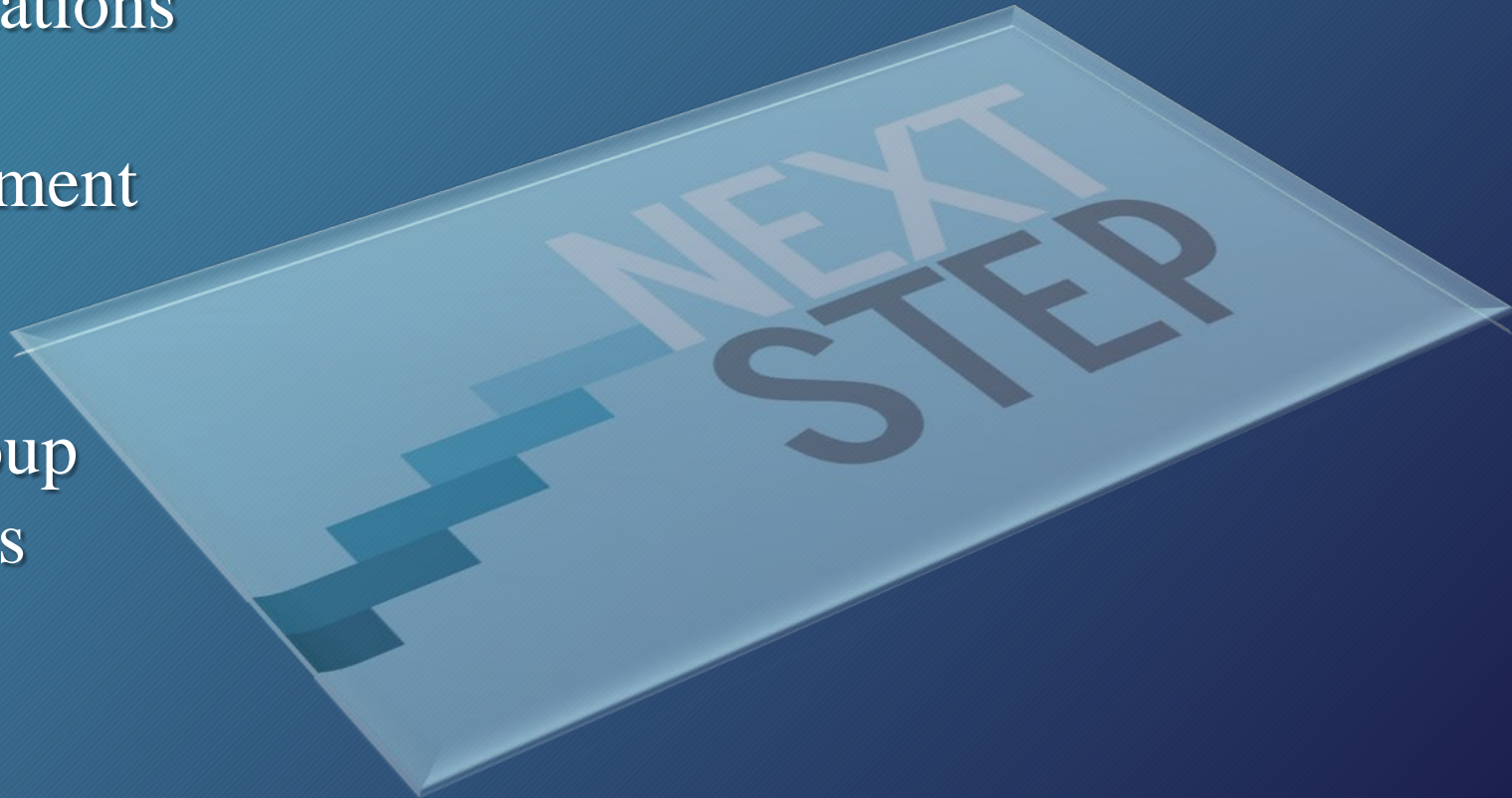
PHAB reviews and votes on recommended changes

- Makes other recommendations

Update 2016-2021 CHIP Document

Begin 2020 CHA Process

- Convene stakeholder group
- Review data and progress
- Identify priorities



# Thank you



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