

Greenbrier County, West Virginia

Greenbrier County Health Alliance and partners are distributing mini-grants and supporting community members to develop resident-led actions that address community needs related to accessing food and health services.



Goals

- Increase capacity to facilitate systems, environment, and policy change to advance health equity utilizing a social determinant of health and common agenda framework
- Develop a hub to advance health equity
- Develop a “clinic/community linkage” system locally to connect local healthcare organizations, providers, and patients with health promotion workshop opportunities

Background

- ✓ Population size: 35,279
- ✓ West Virginia has one of the nation’s highest burdens of chronic disease.
- ✓ Rural isolation has contributed to health disparities and increased the risk of residents developing chronic conditions.

Success Stories



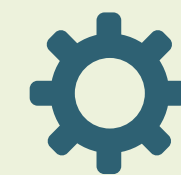
Conducted meetings with partners in order to design a “community engaged health survey”

Scheduled trainings to support residents’ ability to actively manage chronic health conditions through development of “clinic–community connections” referral system



Receiving interest responses for their Ambassador Mini-Grant program and plan to connect with them later this year

Key Milestones from July – December 2020

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organizational policies or procedures adopted or modified to promote access to foods that support healthy eating patterns

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individuals engaged in training or capacity–building to address inequities in the food system

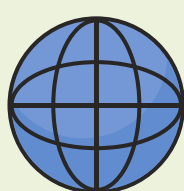


25 partner organizations convened or engaged by the lead partner to promote access to foods that support healthy eating patterns

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