

Appendix 6.6 Evidence-Based Public Health Programs and Strategies Websites

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Source	Organization	Website URL	Description
The Guide to Community Preventive Services	Community Preventive Services Task Force. Supported by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)	http://www.thecommunityguide.org/index.html	Also referred to as “The Community Guide.” Provides evidence-based recommendations using a scientific systematic review process to evaluate public health interventions for behavior change, disease prevention, and environmental change.
County Health Rankings & Roadmaps: What Works for Health	Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and the University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute	http://www.countyhealthrankings.org/roadmaps/what-works-for-health	Provides information to help select and implement evidence-based informed policies, programs, and system changes. For each strategy, provides information regarding expected beneficial outcomes, evidence of effectiveness, impact on disparities, implementation examples, and implementation resources.
National Prevention Strategy	National Prevention Council. Supported by the CDC.	http://www.cdc.gov/features/preventionstrategy	Identifies four broad strategic directions and seven targeted priority areas for prevention efforts. Includes evidence-based recommendations for reducing the burden of leading causes of preventable death and major illness.
Healthy People 2020	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.	http://healthypeople.gov/2020/about/prevstrategies.aspx	A set of goals and objectives with 10-year targets designed to guide national health promotion and disease prevention efforts.
NACCHO Model Practices	National Association of County & City Health Officials (NACCHO).	http://www.naccho.org/topics/modelpractices/database/index.cfm	Online, searchable collection of innovative model practices (programs, resources and tools) developed by local public health agencies and community partners. Covers community health, environmental health, public health infrastructure & systems, and public health preparedness.

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NNPHI Public Health Performance Toolkit	National Network of Public Health Institutes (NNPHI).	http://nnphi.org/tools/public-health-performance-improvement-toolkit-2	Online collection of tools such as archived trainings, sample QI products, templates, and related resources. Developed by public health professionals through their own efforts to implement performance improvement activities and prepare for national voluntary accreditation.
Community Health Resources	CDC	http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/dach_chaps/Default/index.aspx	Links to CDC's resources including: planning guides, evaluation frameworks, communication materials, behavioral risk factor data, fact sheets, scientific articles, key reports and state and local program contacts.
The Community Tool Box	Work Group for Community Health and Development, University of Kansas.	http://ctb.ku.edu/en/promisingapproach/Databases_Best_Practices.aspx	Links to comprehensive web-based resources for promising approaches to promote community health and development.
NACCHO's Health Equity and Social Justice Toolkit	NACCHO	http://www.naccho.org/toolbox/program.cfm?id=22&display_name=Health%20Equity%20and%20Social%20Justice%20Toolkit	Toolkit intended to help local health departments address the root causes of inequities in the distribution of disease, illness, and death. It covers subjects ranging from social justice theory to public health practice, and includes journal articles, video clips, reports, PowerPoint presentations, book references, action guides, Web sites, and more.