Healthy Communities Institute A Tool for **Population Health** & **Community Health Needs** Assessments



## Why do clients use the HCI Systems?

- Planning/Decision Support Tool
- Standards Tool: Federal IRS 990, Health Care Reform, MAPP, Healthy People 2020, CHIP, SHIP
- Communications Tool
- Evaluation Tool
- Quality Improvement Tool
- Partnership-building/Alignment Tool: inter- and intra-organizationally



# Increase appropriate utilization Reduce readmission rates



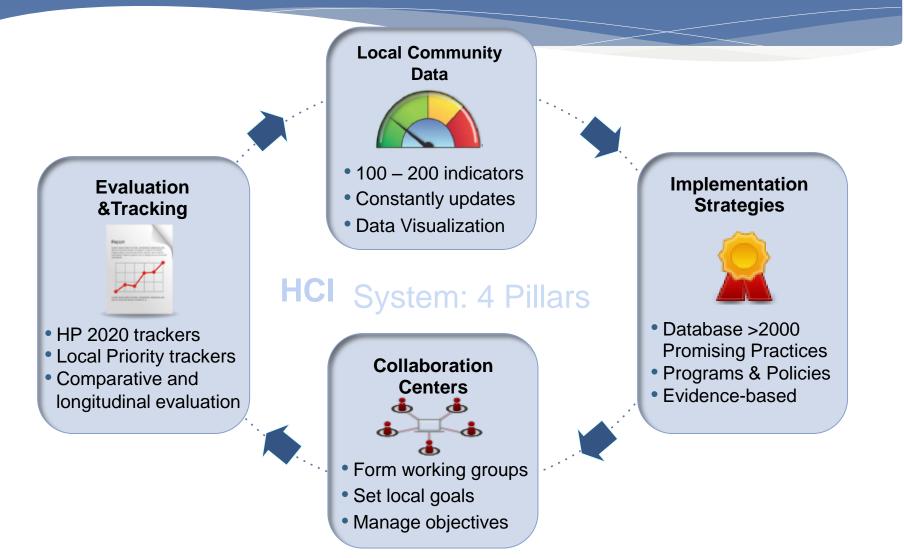
# Contain or reduce costs of care Improve access to care

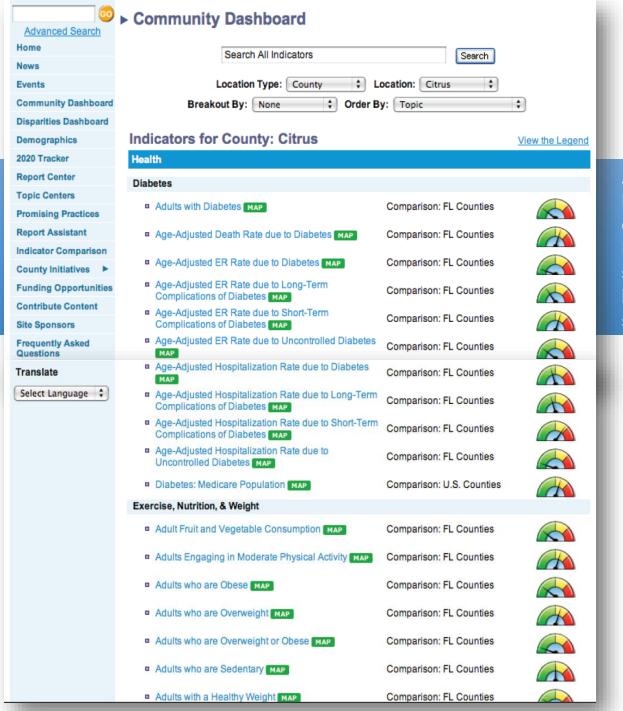


# Reduce mortality rate Improve continuum of care



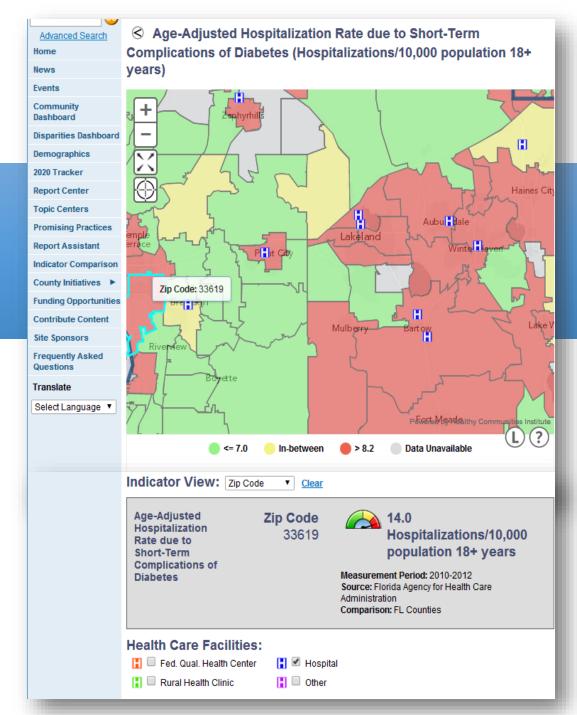
# Continuous Health Improvement: Effectively Moving from Data to Action





A complete picture of community health status through 100+ outcome and determinant of health data collection and synthesis, including health behavior, environment, and socio-economic factors





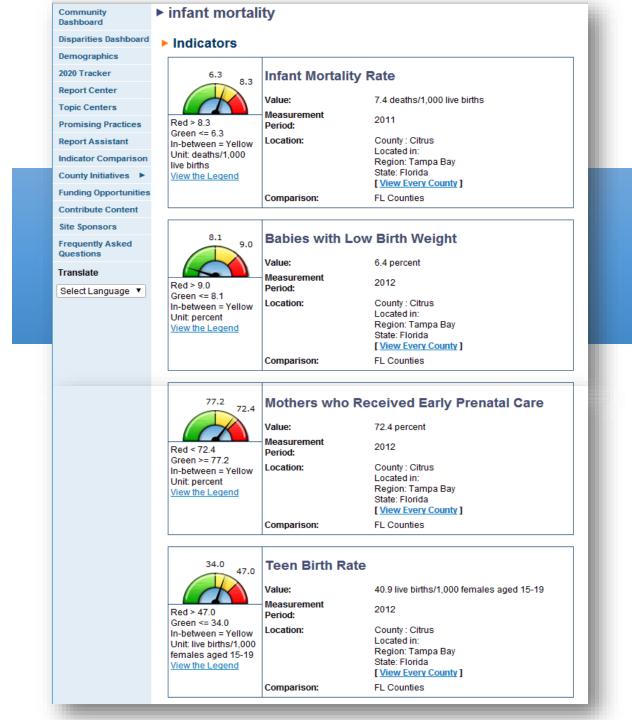
Improve implementation efficiency through GIS mapping allowing better use and coordination of community health resources and defining of health priorities





Close the gap by understanding key disparities in cross-sections of the population to identify discrepancies in the incidence rates or in care provided





Understand pathways of health and disease through tools that analyze causes, contributors, and response to health problems



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## **Promising Practices**

The Promising Practices database informs professionals and community members about documented approaches to improving community health and quality of life.

The ultimate goal is to support the systematic adoption, implementation, and evaluation of successful programs, practices, and policy changes. The database provides carefully reviewed, documented, and ranked practices that range from good ideas to evidence-based practices. Learn more about the ranking methodology.

#### Submit a Promising Practice

## The San Francisco Sobering Center (San Francisco, CA)

Filed under Local, Effective Practice, Health / Substance Abuse, Adults

**GOAL:** The goal of the San Francisco Sobering Center is to reduce the burden of alcohol-dependent people on hospital emergency departments by providing a space for intoxicated individuals to sober and receive health care services.

### CDC COMMUNITY GUIDE: Reducing Alcohol-Impaired Driving: Sobriety Checkpoints (USA)

Filed under Evidence-Based Practice, Health / Prevention & Safety, Adults

**IMPACT:** Sobriety Checkpoints have been shown to reduce alcoholrelated crashes and to be a cost-effective intervention.

#### Drinker's Check-up (Albuquerque, NM)

Filed under Evidence-Based Practice, Health / Substance Abuse, Adults

**GOAL:** Drinker's Check-up is designed to help problem drinkers reduce their alcohol use and alcohol-related consequences.

**IMPACT:** Study participants had a significant reduction in alcohol use, alcohol-related consequences, symptoms of alcohol dependence, and a decrease in ambivalence about reducing alcohol use.

## Together Learning Choices (TLC) (Los Angeles, New York, San Francisco, and Miami)

Filed under Evidence-Based Practice, Health / Teen & Adolescent Health, Teens, Adults, Urban

**GOAL:** The goal of Together Learning Choices was to help HIVinfected youth increase their use of health care, decrease drug and alcohol use and risky sexual behaviors, and improve their quality of life. Search Filters Clear all (31 results) Save a link to this search Keyword Search (2) alcohol

Search Sorting

Sort by relevance 🔻

### Ranking

Evidence-Based
 Practice
 Effective Practice
 Good Idea

Featured 🔞

Spotlight

Local
 CDC Community Guide

### Primary Target Audience

Children

Adults

Women

Men

Elderly

Families

Racial/Ethnic Minorities

### Topics and Sub-topics

- 🕨 🗌 Health
- Economy
   Education
- Environment
- Public Safety
- Social Environment
- Transportation

### Determine effective courses of action to improve or sustain health status by borrowing from more than 2100 best practice programs and policies



Indicator	CISCO Current and Target		Data	View the Legend Status	
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nnual Violent Injury Incident Rate	Current:	75.1 Rate per 100,000 population	75.1 71.3	TARGET NOT MET	
	Target:	71.3 Rate per 100,000 population	Current Target		
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opulation Living within an Area with verage Daytime and Nighttime Noise evels Greater than 60 Dec		70.0 percent 67 percent	70.0 67 Current Target	TARGET NOT MET	
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ersons Who Delayed or Did Not Obtain ledical Care		15.1 percent 14.3 percent	15.1 14.3 Current Target	TARGET NOT MET	
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	Target:	47 hospitalizations/1,000 Medicare enrollees	Current Target		
<u>dults Who Speak a Language Other than</u> nglish Who Have Difficulty Understanding leir Doctor		1.7 percent 2.0 percent	1.7 2.0 Current Target	TARGET MET	
eople with a Usual Source of Health Care		88.8 percent 91.1 percent	88.8 91.1	TARGET NOT MET	

Establish benchmarks and measure performance to explicitly demonstrate value and accountability in improving health status over time



Some examples of already active HCI sites.

PORH can be found at; www.porh.psu/porh/population -health Kansas http://www.kansashealthmatters.org/ Arizona http://www.arizonahealthmatters.org/ Hawaii http://www.hawaiihealthmatters.org/ **Rhode Island** http://www.rihealthcarematters.org/ Delaware http://www.delawarehealthtracker.com/ Wyoming http://www.wyominghealthmatters.org/index.php New York – North Country http://www.ncnyhealthcompass.org/index.php Virginia – Hampton Roads http://www.ghrconnects.org/ Colorado - Boulder http://www.bouldercountyhealthcompass.org/ Georgia - Coastal http://www.coastalgaindicators.org/ Missouri - SW www.swmocounts.org Oregon http://www.healthyklamath.org/