

Meeting Notes

January 19, 2023, 9:30-11:00am via Microsoft Teams

Attendees: Catalina Burillo; Stephanie Moore; Katie Haner; Erin Barrett; Kaley Petersen; Kylie Davis; Holly Joseph; Sara Kraner; Donna Norkoli; Maegan Sorenson; Bernard Brown; Caitlin Cameron; Christy Rivette; Naomi Hyso; Kathleen Jakinovich; Lacey Morris; Laura Fitzpatrick; Nicole Persing-Wethington; Sandy Whitaker; Jena Zeerip; Sarah Oleniczak; Katie Miller.

DISCUSSION ITEM

- **Prescription for Health Celebration**
- **Reinstating the Northwest Michigan Chronic Disease Prevention Coalition (NMCDPC)- *Where do we go from here?***
- **MiThrive and CHIR Review**
- **Recommendations for the NMCDPC**

NOTES & NEXT STEPS

Thank you to everyone who participated and supported the Prescription for Health Project through District Health Department #10 (DHD#10)! This project was supported through a grant from the Michigan Health Endowment Fund (2019-2022). To learn more about the outcomes from this project, please reference the slides from today's meeting ([linked here](#)) and the data reports ([DHD10 Report 1 here](#); [DHD10 Report 2 here](#); [MSU-E report here](#)).

The Rx for Health Project was initiated under the guidance of the regional NMCDP coalition in 2019. Most coalition contacts have indicated an interest in reconvening the coalition in 2023 to strategize next-steps to prevent chronic disease in the 11-county region, while acknowledging current efforts of the Northern Michigan Community Health Innovation Regions (CHIR). For more information about the history and mission of the regional NMCDP coalition, please reference the coalition one-pager linked [here](#).

Erin Barrett and Donna Norkoli (DHD#10) provided an overview of the 31-county Community Health Innovation Regions (CHIR) in Northern Michigan, which includes the Northwest CHIR, Northcentral CHIR, and Northeast CHIR. Collectively, the CHIR includes all 11 counties that are a part of the coalition's regional scope. For more information, please refer to the meeting slides as well as the CHIR website (<https://northernmichiganchir.org/>).

As a result of the MiThrive community health needs assessment and improvement plan conducted in 2021, each of the 3 CHIR regions identified chronic disease as a priority issue.

In light of the CHIR efforts, **strategic mapping** is a recommended process to ensure that efforts of the coalition and coordinated and aligned with the larger region's efforts, as well as those of the specific CHIR work groups (while limiting duplication).

Complete the poll to provide insight for future coalition planning purposes: pollev.com/katiemiller817