



Primary Care & Public Health Integration Successes



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Organization Name: ERIE COUNTY HEALTH DEPT. / ERIE COUNTY Community Health CTR.

COMMUNITY CHARACTERISTICS

1. Community Type

- Urban Suburban
 Rural Other Combined Rural / URBAN

2. Please describe community characteristics or other setting information relevant to the integration.

A DEARTH OF SERVICES, COUPLED WITH COMMUNITY HEALTH ASSESSMENT AND IMPROVEMENT PROCESS DATA LED TO THE INTEGRATION OF PRIMARY AND DENTAL CARE FOR OUR COMMUNITIES AT RISK FOR CARE.

DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATIONS/AGENCIES

3. Public Health Organization/Agency Name(s)

Name 1: ERIE COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH / ERIE COUNTY Health Dept.

Name 2 (optional): ERIE COUNTY Community Health Center ; FATHCAL

Name 3 (optional): _____

Type (may check more than one):

- Federal Health Agency Non-Profit Foundation
 State Health Agency Academic Institution Association
 Local Health Agency Institute Other _____

4. Primary Care/Health Care Organization/Agency Name(s)

Name 1: ERIE COUNTY COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER

Name 2 (optional): _____

Name 3 (optional): _____

Type (may check more than one):

- Hospital Association
 Community Health Center Rural Health Clinic
 Health Center Controlled Network Academic Health Center
 Payer (Insurer/Medicaid) Other: _____
 Private Practice _____

5. Other Community Organizations, Agencies or Businesses

Name 1: _____

Name 2: _____

- Business Other _____
 Community Organization

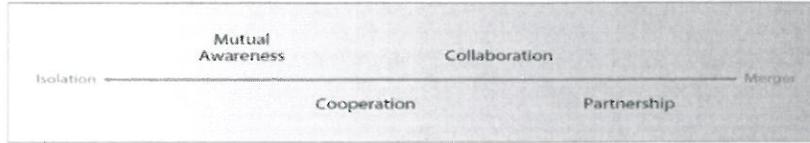
OVERVIEW OF THE INTEGRATION

6. Title of integration activity. Provide a brief title that describes the integration.

Public Health - Primary Care - Population Health

7. Please select where you think you fall on the integration scale for the following time periods: Isolation being least integrated, and merger being most integrated.

IOM (Institute of Medicine).
2012. Primary Care and Public Health: Exploring Integration to Improve Population Health. Washington, DC: The National Academies Press.



	Isolation	Mutual Awareness	Cooperation	Collaboration	Partnership	Merger
Where you were when you began	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Where you are now	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
Where you hope to be	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				

8. Provide a brief description and goal of the integration.

We have integrated our staff, our public approach, our Board activities and our client measured outcomes. We have a new dental clinic and an interagency referral system that is unparalleled.

9. How was this integration activity funded? (may check more than one):

- Federal grant
- State grant
- Local grant
- Other: LOCAL LEVY FUNDS.
- Private funding
- Insurance
- No additional funding was obtained for this project

10. How are you measuring/evaluating the success of the integration? What indicators do you have to-date of success? (ex. ROI, cost benefit, improved outcomes, time savings).

BUDGET. Patient Outcomes. Clinical Performance measures. UDS DATA. Financial performance measures. DAILY EVALUATIONS. STAFF MBO'S. IMPACT ON COMMUNITY AND TRENDING COMMUNITY HEALTH ASSESSMENTS.

11. Describe any key elements that made this integration a success, and briefly explain why.

A GREAT BUSINESS PLAN.

12. Describe lessons learned along the way, and briefly explain.

LESSON THAT EXPECTED STAKEHOLDERS DID NOT COME THROUGH WITH SUPPORT OF ANY KIND, WHILE WE HAVE GAINED NEW STAKEHOLDERS OF SUCH VALUE, WE CAN ONLY SAY HOW GOOD IT IS TO BRIDGE BUILD.

LINK TO ADDITIONAL WEBSITE INFORMATION

Please list any links to websites or resources below.

WWW.ERIECOHEALTHOHIO.ORG.