

## COMMUNITY HEALTH NEEDS ASSESSMENT (CHNA)

Every three years, Baptist Health Richmond completes a Community Health Needs Assessment to identify the health needs in our community. To support our mission of improving health in our communities, we then outline how we will address those needs in our Implementation Strategy report.

### PROCESS

#### ASSEMBLE COMMITTEE

The CHNA committee included **hospital and system leadership** coordinated by the system planning team.

#### IDENTIFY COMMUNITY SERVED

The community served by the CHNA includes the counties where the majority of our inpatients reside. In 2020, **more than 76% of our inpatients** lived in Madison County.

#### COLLECT DATA

The committee **solicited community input** and collected data from state and national sources, including **local health departments**. The data included demographic and socioeconomic information, disease prevalence and health indicators.

#### PRIORITIZE HEALTH NEEDS

The committee reviewed and discussed the data. They selected these significant health needs to address:

- 1. Behavioral health and substance abuse**
- 2. Social determinants of health**
- 3. Obesity and healthy lifestyles**

#### ADDRESS HEALTH NEEDS

The committee developed the Implementation Strategy outlining these goals for each health need:

##### BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE

1. Expand access to ensure patients receive timely treatment with behavioral health services.
2. Reduce stigma for behavioral health services.
3. Develop community stakeholder partnerships.



##### SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH

1. Determine top issues for our community.
2. Establish community partnerships.
3. Implement Epic screening tool use for inpatients.

##### OBESITY AND HEALTHY LIFESTYLES

1. Increase awareness and education on obesity and healthy lifestyle-related issues.



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