



2018 – 2020 Prescription for Health Statewide Learning Network Priorities

Long term goal to proactively improve the health of Michigan residents

Goal	Strategies	Metrics
Facilitate collaboration and build partnerships between established Prescription for Health programs in Michigan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Convene quarterly Prescription for Health meetings organized around priority topics generated by participants¹ • Distribute, by email, summary of quarterly meetings and resources • Provide opportunities for networking between individuals, organizations involved in healthcare, food systems, and other complimentary fields • Participate in and contribute to national conversations about best practices 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number of meetings and events hosted • Number of attendees • Number and diversity of organizations or programs represented in the learning network • Number of individuals on the network mailing list

¹ Topics may include metrics and evaluation, electronic solutions, current funding sources and opportunities for collaborative proposals, strategies for engaging community stakeholders, communications and program promotion.

<p>Develop and expand use of shared measurement strategies</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify minimum standards that programs must meet to be identified as a Prescription for Health program • Develop and provide access to standardized evaluation tools that allow for customization at the community level² • Publish document highlighting best practices for program evaluation including metrics, data collection tools, analysis and reporting • Explore opportunities for developing a platform for sharing data across programs to begin measuring impacts at a regional or state level • Identify which programs are not using the tools and document why, so it's clear when reporting impacts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluation tools developed and made available • Number of programs using standardized evaluation tools
<p>Increase awareness about Prescription for Health programming and its impacts across Michigan</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop content and design promotional materials (print and electronic) • Attend conferences and events to make presentations on Prescription for Health programming, impacts, and resources available to new programs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number of events attended • Number of presentations given • Number of individuals reached through presentations • Number of Prescription for Health related articles submitted and published including reach (if available)

² Priorities include tools for children and youth, as well as for family focus groups

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write and submit Prescription for Health success stories in publications and electronic newsletters accessed by professional and stakeholder groups 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number of promotional materials distributed
Identify legislative, institutional and/or organizational policies that may need to be removed, updated or introduced to support Prescription for Health programming in Michigan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Partner with advocacy organizations or networks to provide leadership with policy initiatives • Demonstrate health impacts as a result of the program to gain support of legislators and decision-makers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number of advocacy organizations or networks working to advance Prescription for Health programming • Number of policy changes made due to this effort • Number of legislators and decision-makers who advocate for Prescription for Health programs
Identify funding models that provide long-term support for increasing access to healthy foods for programs like Prescription for Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore opportunities for structuring the program in a way in which expenses can be billable or reimbursable (e.g., work of patient navigators is reimbursable) 	
Increase scope and breadth of Prescription for Health programs in Michigan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide technical assistance to organizations interested in implementing Prescription for Health programs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number of new Prescription for Health programs in Michigan each year • Total number of Prescription for Health programs in Michigan

		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Program duration• Number of providers involved• Number of patients served• Demographics of patients served• Number of participating retail locations• Amount of incentives distributed• Amount of incentives redeemed• Dollars invested in the programs
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