

YOUTH PROGRAMS

Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws (EUDL)

To provide awareness and prevention services concerning the effects of underage drinking and its consequences, as it related to the development of risky behaviors to include driving under the influence, fighting, pregnancy, poor school performance and health problems to include alcohol dependency with the focus on young people.

Youth ages 10-17 in Fayette County

Rape/Sexual Assault Prevention Education

To provide education and awareness as a means to reduce the incidence of rape and sexual assault in Fayette County.

Youth ages 10-18 in Fayette County

S.M.A.R.T. (Students Making a Right Transition)

To enhance the health, academic, artistic, social and moral development of females ages 10-14 residing in Shelby and Fayette Counties.

Females ages 10-14 residing in Fayette County and LeMoyné Gardens Housing Development in Shelby County

P.T.P. (Parenting Teens with a Purpose)

To expose youth to health careers and increase their ability to excel in a health career academically, by emphasizing math, science, reading comprehension, writing skills, study skills and test taking skills.

Pregnant/parenting teens ages 14 and 15

CAREER/CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAMS

Certified Nursing Assistant Training (C.N.A.)

To provide training and state certification testing.

Residents of Fayette, Hardeman, Madison and Shelby Counties

Project Intensive Health Education

To provide professional education, training and patient education to health care professionals.

Tennessee Managed Care Network Providers

Clinical Training Sites

To establish urban and rural primary care clinical training sites.

3rd and 4th year medical students in West Tennessee

ADULT PROGRAMS

Model AHEC Program

To provide continuing education and training to health professionals and health promotion to consumers of all ages in the 21-counties of West Tennessee.

Health Professionals, health profession students and consumers

Search Your Heart

A faith-based (church) education program, of the American Heart Association, designed to reduce the incidence of premature death and disability caused by cardiovascular diseases.

African Americans ages 8 and above in Fayette and Gibson Counties

Breast Health Program

An innovative breast cancer education and screening program involving faith-based organizations, local businesses, health care facilities and community health volunteers in Fayette and Shelby Counties.

Medically uninsured or underinsured women residing in Fayette and Shelby Counties

Saving Babies Together

To prevent or reduce the risk of birth defects and improve the chances of healthy birth outcomes.

Pregnant females in Fayette, Haywood and Hardeman Counties

HIV/AIDS Training

To improve the quality of care of minorities, vulnerable populations and residents of medically underserved communities in rural and inner cities with HIV.

Health professionals in the 21 counties of West Tennessee

YOUTH PROGRAMS

Lubbie's Fitness Club

To promote and increase participation in exercise/physical activity, improve safety awareness and promote an increase in average daily consumption of fruits and vegetable.

Youth ages 10-12 in Fayette County

After School Health Screening Program

To provide basic health screenings to youth ages 10-14.

Youth ages 10-14 in Fayette County

Project Color Your Plate

To implement a nutrition education program focusing on healthy eating and weight management in order to reduce/prevent chronic diseases.

3rd-5th graders in Fayette and Haywood Counties

Project S.L.A.M. (Saving Lives and Minds)

To reduce the number of African American males in the juvenile justice system.

African American males in grades 3-6 in Fayette and Shelby counties

Young Men's Task Force

To enhance the health, academic and social lives of males in grades 9-12.

Males attending Manassas High School

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Junior Health Careers Opportunities Program (Jr. HCOP)

To provide health careers exploration to 7th grades in Fayette County.

7th graders in Fayette County

Project E.C.H.O. (Empowering Choices for Healthy Opportunities)

To increase self preservation of African American males ages 10-14 by equipping them with tools to aid in survival.

African American males ages 10-14

Tobacco Prevention Program

To prevent initiation of tobacco product use among youth ages 8-18. To promote youth advocacy empowerment toward public awareness for non-use of tobacco products.

Youth ages 8-18

Rites of Passage

To provide violence prevention, risk reduction education and awareness to youth ages 10-14.

Youth ages 10-14

Career Connections

To allow students the opportunity to interview individuals from a variety of health professions.

Youth in grades 7-12

ADULT PROGRAMS

Hablemos Espanol

To improve access to health care for Latino population in Shelby County, by providing transportation, translation/interpreter services and cultural diversity training for health professionals.

Latino population in Shelby County

Multicultural Resource Project

To develop a directory and provide resource materials in other languages for consumers/professionals.

Consumers and professionals in Shelby County

Chronic Disease Education (Walking Clubs)

To provide chronic disease education/awareness and health screenings at community sites.

Residents of Fayette, Hardeman, Madison, and Tipton Counties

Project H.B.P. (Healthy Black People)

To reduce the rates of mortality and morbidity associated with chronic diseases in African Americans residing in Fayette County.

Africans Americans in Fayette County

Project Mobile Clinic

To develop a mobile primary care clinic, community education and lay health training programs in the Boxtown and lower southwest Shelby County.

Residents of Boxtown and lower southwest Shelby County