

Healthy in the Hills Network



Member Agreements

2020-2023

VISION

Over the next ten years, our efforts as a community network will result in improved physical environments with greater opportunities and accessible support for all. With a growing business community and increased access to resources, we will strengthen the community and grow job opportunities. The Network aims to address the social determinants of health and health equity barriers to ensure the changing local economy impacts the community at large.

The Healthy in the Hills Network (Network), established in 2012, is a team of cross-sector partners in southern West Virginia and eastern Kentucky who have developed a shared vision for improving rural health that may be replicable in rural areas in Appalachia, across the United States and abroad. The Network has drafted a Community Health Improvement Plan in order to launch a collaborative, community-driven planning process to address the social determinants of health and health equity.

In the winter of 2020, the Healthy in the Hills Network and Mingo County partners were recognized by the Department of Health and Human Resources as a Gold level community as part of the Healthy People, Healthy Places program. The Network will strive to achieve benchmarks to achieve Platinum level status over the next three years.

COMMITMENT

Network members are committed to participating in a health improvement journey with partners. Specifically, members are asked to assist in the following ways:

- Celebrate Healthy People, Healthy Places Gold Level Recognition
- Join the April 14th, 2020 Online Network meeting from 10:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m. to adopt health improvement goals for our community
- Participate in quarterly Network meetings
- Join committees to help with implementing projects to improve health and the economy
- Continue to celebrate and troubleshoot together as we make achievements along the journey to healthier communities.

SIGNATURES

I offer my signature as my commitment to serve on the Healthy in the Hills Network from 2020 until 2023 as a representative of my community and/or enterprise in order to help achieve our collaborative health improvement goals.

Full Name:

Affiliation (*List the community, organization or business who you represent*):

Signature & Date:

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