



COMMUNITY HEALTH DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION

The mission of Community Health Development Foundation is to improve the health outcomes of underserved populations by expanding access to health- and wellness-related services and programming. This mission is rooted in the belief that communities are healthier when they are well-equipped to fulfill their residents' social and preventative care needs.

Our efforts to improve community health are centered around three main goals: listening to patients, connecting patients to other local organizations, and taking a community-specific approach to both preventative care and health education.

PATIENT ADVISORY BOARDS



At each health center in which we operate, the Foundation establishes a Patient Advisory Board to ensure that the services offered are aligned with the local community's needs. Area residents provide insights into their experience as patients, share their ideas for improvements, and collaborate to shape the future of healthcare in their community.

PATIENT NAVIGATOR REFERRAL NETWORKS



We develop referral networks that help healthcare providers easily connect patients with local advocates, agencies and nonprofits. Powered by a convenient online tool and staffed by an assigned Patient Navigator, these networks help patients to successfully identify, understand and utilize services that can improve their health.

COMMUNITY-FOCUSED OFFERINGS



We work with local physicians to identify existing gaps in health and wellness education. We then partner with nearby businesses, nonprofits and service providers to offer new educational opportunities that fulfill those needs. Programs range from healthy cooking demonstrations and addiction support to preventative care education and health screenings.

SUPPORTING THE FOUNDATION

As a nonprofit, the Community Health Development Foundation's activities are funded entirely through private donations, grant dollars, and a financial support from Community Health Development Partners. To support the Foundation's work with your own financial contribution, or to suggest a potential partnership in a community where the Foundation is currently active, email us at info@communityhdf.org.