

**PHOEBE SUMTER MEDICAL CENTER HOSPITAL  
IMPLEMENTATION PLAN  
AUGUST 1 2022 THRU JULY 31 2024**

***A description of how the implementation strategy was developed and adopted***

Upon the completion of the Community Health Needs assessment, the Planning and Strategy Team met with appropriate service line administrators and personnel to review the current plan for each of the three priority areas (Maternal & Child Health; Nutrition and Healthy Eating; Mental Health and Mental Disorders). The plans were updated and approved by the service line directors or designee with a final review by the Health System Chief Medical Officer, Dr. Dianna Grant. The final draft of the implementation plan was reviewed by Phoebe Sumter Medical Center's Community Benefit Subcommittee and recommended approval to the full board on December 2022.

Please note the CHNA/Implementation plan is a living document adapted in response to everchanging citizens, community, and stakeholder needs. Any list(s) of partners included is not exhaustive. Phoebe Sumter Medical Center welcomes any organizations and stakeholders involved in priority-centered work to join our efforts.

What	Who	Where	Metric/Intended Outcomes
<b>PRIORITY I: Maternal and Children Health</b>			
Focus on prenatal care to prevent low birth weight babies	Our Birth Place, Local OBGYNs, Sumter County Health Department	Sumter County	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reduce Teen Pregnancy to the GA Value of 10.0 per 1,000 teens.</li> <li>• Decrease the number of low birth weight babies in Sumter County</li> <li>• Compared to those not in the NFP who are eligible, the NFP cohort will have:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Fewer low and very low birthweight infants (by percentage)</li> <li>○ Lower C-Section Rates</li> <li>○ Lower NICU admit Rates</li> <li>○ Lower Pre-term Birth Rates &amp;</li> <li>○ There will be no difference between race or ethnicity (equity metric).</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Expand NFP to 75 active Clients</li> <li>• 1,000 Teens complete the Taking Time of Teens curricula and 500 completing Love Notes each year.</li> </ul>
Targeted Public Awareness Campaign	Phoebe Sumter, Sumter County Health Department, Sumter County School System	Sumter County	
Expand Nurse Family Partnership Program (NFP) to Worth & Sumter County and build to capacity (N=75).	Network of Trust	Sumter County	
<b>PRIORITY II: Nutrition and Healthy Eating</b>			
Establish an additional community garden in Sumter County and continue food distribution in areas with food insecurity	Flint River Fresh LLC, Phoebe Sumter Medical Center, Healthy Sumter	Sumter County	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Establish an additional 5 gardens</li> <li>• Promote the Eating of Fresh Fruits and Vegetables</li> </ul>

Create a food pantry that can service those in need in Americus & Sumter County	Phoebe Sumter Medical Center, Healthy Sumter	Phoebe Sumter Properties	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Decrease food deserts in Sumter County</li> <li>• Decrease food insecurity in Sumter County</li> <li>• Reduce % of patients with diabetes related conditions without a Primary Care Physician seen in the Emergency Room.</li> </ul>
Reestablish partnership with local churches and schools through Presentations and Seminars by PSMC Dietitians and Healthworks personnel	PSMC Dietitians and Healthworks Professionals	Sumter Co Schools, Local Churches	
<b>Priority III: Mental Health and Mental Disorders</b>			
Increase number of Mental Health First Aid professionals thru partnership with Middle Flint Behavioral Health	Phoebe Sumter employees, Sumter County Schools, GSW, South Georgia Technical College, Healthy Sumter members, Middle Flint Behavioral Health	Sumter County	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increase number of Mental Health First Aid trained community members from 60 to 300</li> <li>• Decrease number of those presenting in the ER with mental health issues</li> <li>• To decrease the stigma of behavioral health diagnosis and to promote available resources</li> <li>• To Improve the Coordination of Care delivery model between organizations who share patients and to improve access to care</li> <li>• To decrease the number of adults in Sumter County reporting 14 or more days of poor mental health per month from 19% to the US average of 14%</li> </ul>
Screening of local school children for possible mental health issues and providing adequate resources for both students and parents	Phoebe Sumter, Phoebe Physician Group, Sumter County Schools, GSW, South Georgia Technical College	Sumter County	
Link Partners to various Media Outlets for education, awareness and access of services	Phoebe Sumter, Healthy Sumter, Local media	Sumter County	
Decrease frequent mental distress in adults	Phoebe Sumter, Phoebe Physician Group, Middle Flint Behavioral Health	Sumter County	