# Healthy New Jersey 2020: Regional Meeting November 2011



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### HNJ's Historical Use

- As a data source/warehouse;
- To support grant or funding applications;
- Framework for planning, goal setting, and agenda building; and
- To highlight Departmental health improvement priorities

### **HNJ Lessons Learned**

#### Positives:

- Provides a valuable data source
- Emphasizes public health priorities
- Facilitates interdepartmental program collaboration
- Encourages collaboration across New Jersey governing entities

### Negatives:

- Not well integrated with programmatic level activities
- Not well advertised, lower utilization rates than desired
- Limited accountability (who and for what?)
- Challenge to interpret progress in achieving objectives



# **Regional Meeting Objectives**

- Raise awareness of the Healthy New Jersey 2020 initiative
- Educate on the processes and strategies used to develop and set population health improvement goals
- Obtain feedback on New Jersey's leading health indicators
- Create new and cultivate existing stakeholder partnerships



# **Framework**





# Healthy New Jersey 2020 Vision\*



# A state in which all people live long, healthy lives

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# **HNJ Overarching Goals\***

- Attain high quality, longer lives free of preventable disease
- Achieve health equity, eliminate disparities
- Create social and physical environments that promote good health
- Promote quality of life, healthy development, healthy behaviors across life stages

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# Healthy New Jersey Mission\*

To improve health through strengthening policy and practice, Healthy New Jersey will:

- Identify statewide health improvement priorities;
- Increase public awareness and understanding of the determinants of health, disease, and disability and the opportunities for progress;
- Provide measurable objectives and goals that can be used at the state and local level;
- Engage multiple sectors to take actions that are driven by the best available evidence and knowledge;
- Identify critical research and data collection needs.

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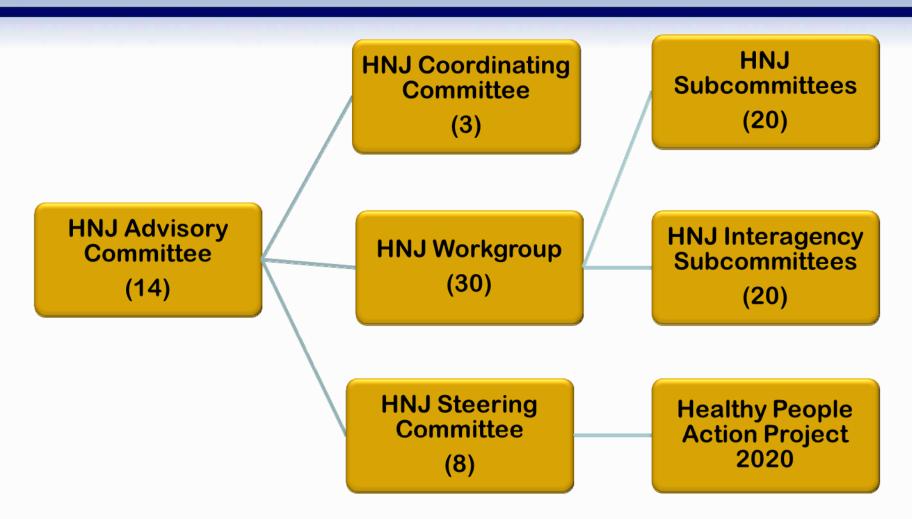


# **Development Process**



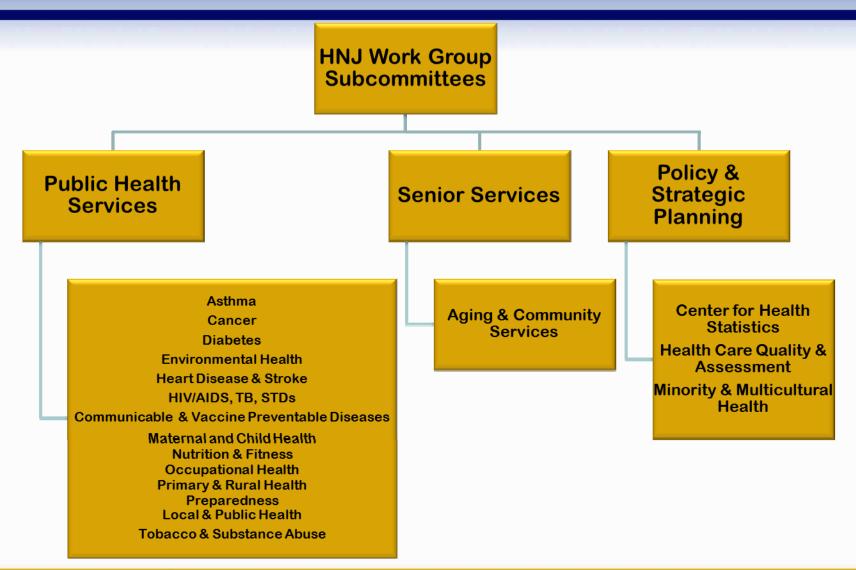


### **HNJ Committee Organization**



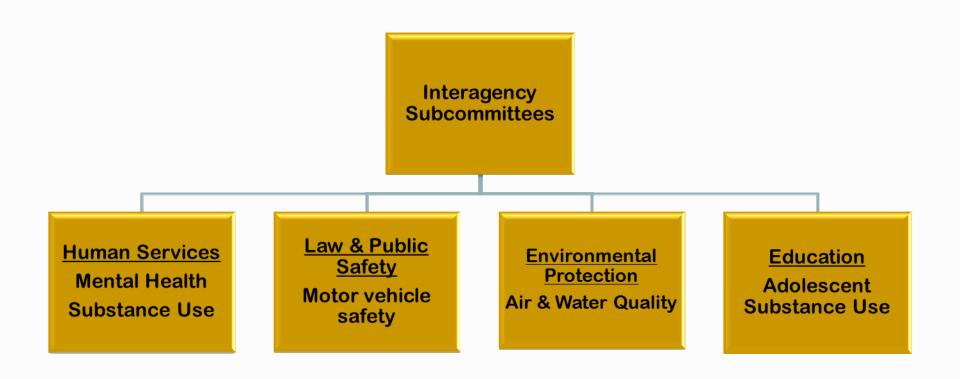


### **DHSS Divisional Collaboration**





# Inter Agency Collaboration





# **Content**





# **Working Definitions**

- Topic Area A set of objectives related to a specific subject area such as a disease, condition, or age group
- Objective Specific, measurable, and realistic statement of intended outcomes to achieve by the year 2020
- Baseline The initial data point of the objective to which subsequent data will be compared
- Target The level of progress or performance expected for an objective



# HP/HNJ Topic Areas



- Access to Health Services
- Adolescent Health
- Arthritis, Osteoporosis, and Chronic Back Conditions
- Blood Disorders and Blood Safety
- Cancer
- Chronic Kidney Disease
- Dementias, Including Alzheimer's Disease
- Diabetes
- Disability and Secondary Conditions
- Early and Middle Childhood
- Educational and Community-Based Programs
- Environmental Health
- Family Planning
- Food Safety
- Genomics
- Global Health
- Health Communication and Health IT
- Healthcare-Associated Infections
- Health-Related Quality of Life & Well-Being
- Hearing and Other Sensory or Communication Disorders

- Heart Disease and Stroke
- HIV
- Immunization and Infectious Diseases
- Injury and Violence Prevention
- Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Health
- Maternal, Infant, and Child Health
- Medical Product Safety
- Mental Health and Mental Disorders
- Nutrition and Weight Status
- Occupational Safety and Health
- Older Adults
- Oral Health
- Physical Activity and Fitness
- Preparedness
- Public Health Infrastructure
- Respiratory Diseases
- Sexually Transmitted Diseases
- Sleep Health
- Social Determinants of Health
- Substance Abuse
- Tobacco Use
- Vision



# Topic Areas (# of objectives)



Topic Area	# of Obj	Topic Area	# of Obj
Access to Health Care Services	7	HIV/AIDS, TB, & STDs	5
Asthma	4	Injury & Violence	6
Cancer	16	Maternal & Child Health	20
Communicable and Vaccine Preventable Diseases	6	Mental Health	3
Diabetes	11	Nutrition & Fitness	4
Environmental Health	4	Occupational Safety & Health	4
Kidney Disease	6	Older Adults	7
Health Care Associated Infections	4	Local & Public Health	5
Hearing and other Sensory Disorders	3	Public Health Preparedness	4
Heart Disease & Stroke	3	Tobacco & Substance Abuse	4



# **Objective Types**

- Person level
  - Diseases, health behaviors & outcomes
- Infrastructure
  - —Processes/Functions
  - Facility standards
  - —Accreditation/Quality Improvement
- Developmental
  - In anticipation of data availability



### **Objective Selection Criteria**

- Measurable
- Consistent with priority health areas
- Reliable and valid data sources
- Address population disparities
- Align with program objectives and priorities
- Sustainable for decade-long surveillance



### **Data Sources**

- Birth
- Death
- Fetal/Infant death
- Inpatient hospital discharge (UB)
- Registry Data
- Program documentation
- DEP/DHS/L&PS

- Emergency department encounters (ED)
- Behavioral Risk Factor Survey (BRFS)
- Youth Behavioral Risk Factor Survey (YBRFS)



# Tying Healthy New Jersey to local health improvement initiatives





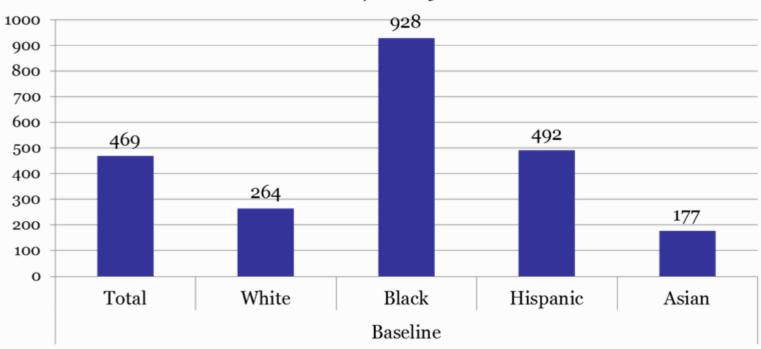
# **Asthma Objectives**

- 1. Reduce the death rate due to asthma (Age groups 35-64, 65+)
- 2. Reduce the hospitalization rate due to asthma (Ages < 5, 5-64, 65+)
- 3. Reduce the proportion of persons with asthma who miss school or work days (5-17, <18)
- 4. Increase the proportion of persons with current asthma who receive formal patient education asthma selfmanagement education (<18, 18+)



### The Data

### Asthma Hospitalization rate (per 100,000) among children <5 years old by Race/Ethnicity, NJ, 2009



DHSS Office of Chronic Disease Prevention, Asthma Program, Uniform Billing Data, 2009



### The Pediatric Asthma Intervention

- Grants administered through a collaboration between DHSS' OMMH and Asthma Education and Awareness Program:
  - Identify at-risk youth through active collaboration with state and local partners
  - Increase Asthma Treatment Plan/Asthma Action Plan utilization
  - Ensure access to primary care
  - Reduce exposure to asthma triggers, and
  - Improve asthma control

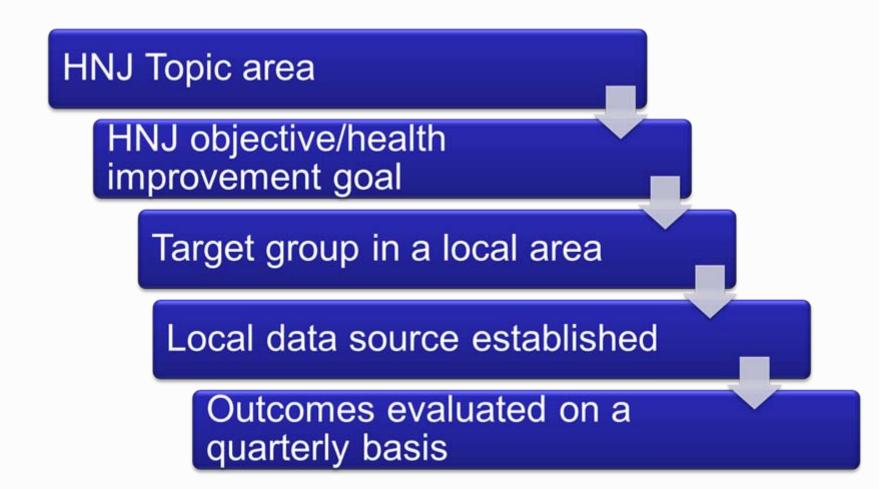


### Measuring the Outcomes

- Funded agencies track specific outcomes in order to demonstrate success.
  - —Referrals to case management
  - —Emergency Room Usage/Hospitalizations
  - —Education/Awareness
  - Linkages to primary care



# HNJ applied at a local level





# **Next Steps**





### Timeline of Activities

#### **November**

- HNJ Regional Meetings 11/4, 11/7, 11/18
- Evaluation survey of meeting attendees

### **December/January**

- Finalize Objectives and Targets
- Launch HNJ 2020 Report Online
- Establish leading health indicators



### **HNJ Website URL**

http://healthy.nj.gov



### Currently includes:

- November 2011 Regional Meeting Agenda
- HNJ 2010 State Health Assessment Data System (NJSHAD) health indicator profiles
- Healthy People 2020 links
- Healthy People/Healthy New Jersey 2010 publications

### Coming soon:

HNJ 2020 Launch report



# HNJ 2020 Links

### **Healthy New Jersey (HNJ) Publications**

http://www.healthy.nj.gov

# NJ State Health Assessment Data (NJSHAD) Indicator Profiles

http://www4.state.nj.us/dhss-shad/home

### **Healthy People 2020 Online**

http://healthypeople.gov/



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