

FOOD INSECURITY – County Activities 2018

STRATEGIES	COUNTY	ACTIVITIES
<p>Strategy 1: Screen & intervene: screen clients for food insecurity & provide referrals for food assistance</p>	<p>Hood River</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Screen all clients using a 2-question screening for all clients seeking services at the HRCHD and enter findings in client record • Provide inclusive resource list to all clients screening positive
	<p>Josephine</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work on the 2-question, schedule staff training and implement having each person encountered at the Health Department fill out the questions • Continue to update and distribute the color Community Resource Guide for Josephine County
	<p>Lane</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conduct screenings at enrollment for MCH home visiting clients as to if they are experiencing food insecurity utilizing the "Screen and Intervene" materials from the Oregon Food Bank • Refer clients experiencing food insecurity to appropriate supplemental food resources • If a family screens positive for food insecurity, MCH home visiting staff will provide the family with a resource list that includes Food Assistance programs and educational opportunities
	<p>Malheur</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Screen all MCH clients for food insecurity. Using the "Targeted Case Management (TCM) Visit Form". Outcomes will be recorded in the ORCHIDS data base • For all MCH clients who screen positive for food insecurity, using the Targeted Case Management Visit Form, link them to resources such as federal and community-based food assistance, education classes (such as cooking matters) when available, DHS self-sufficiency program, WIC, Love INC and other church affiliated food banks, and other resources as needed, including, but not limited to mental health services and budgeting classes
	<p>Morrow</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All CARE Team referrals (and their families) will be screened consistently for possible Food Insecurity

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Referrals received by the CARE Team will include an assessment regarding Food Insecurity
<p>Strategy 2: Support or provide food security education</p>	Lane	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A half day training for MCH Nurses and other interested Public Health Staff on utilizing Motivational Interviewing as applied to nutrition education and coaching
<p>Strategy 3: Increase access to healthy, affordable food, (including food assistance safety net programs)</p>	Hood River	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Train staff to ask about related factors, including insurance, primary care, dental, mental health, housing, transportation, medication and support needs (among others) in order to provide referrals and resources to other agencies or providers • Refer clients who are interested and have 2 or more identified needs to agency Client Care Coordinator for Bridges 2 Health Program for enrollment and case managed assistance
	Josephine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key staff have joined the Veggie Rx group and are working with them to develop partnerships with stores in each area of our county that will accept the vouchers • The group is also working with the two CCOs to fund the vouchers • The vouchers will be given to clients who are visited in the Public Health home visiting programs, possibly some in WIC, to clients with specific nutrition related health problems who are visited by the CCO staff, and others and our list expands and funding is available
	Umatilla	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promote local Farmer's Market's in Umatilla County through social media outlets • Teaching students in Umatilla County school districts about healthy eating utilizing the My Plate curriculum
<p>Strategy 4: Increase economic stability for individuals and families</p>	None	