

# Lincoln County Lincoln County Community Health Advisory Board 2004

- **Activities**

- Sub-committee established need of a countywide community health clinic.
- Hosted a number of events educating residents and health care professionals about the need for a community clinic.
- Recruited volunteers and equipment for the free clinic.
- Held a community clean-up day for the newly donated free health clinic building.
- Continued the Pharmacy Distribution Center
- Held our first Walk this Weigh event. McDonalds donated pedometers to county participants who participated in the kick off event.
- Priorities include: access to health care, physical activity and nutrition

- **Outcomes**

- Low-Income individuals with ongoing pharmaceutical and medical expenses are able to get their prescriptions filled at a greatly reduced cost. There is an income-guideline.
- City of Chandler offered a building to house the Community Health Clinic.
- Recruited volunteers to work in the Community Health Clinic.
- Established a Board of Directors for the Community Health Clinic.
- Approximately 100 residents participated in the Walk this Weigh event and received education regarding healthy living.

- **Future Plans**

- Open the Community Health Clinic providing health care for low-income families without insurance.
- Expand partnership
- Increase awareness of Walk this Weigh campaign and importance of being physically active.
- Continue hosting Walk this Weigh events.

- **Participants**

- Central Oklahoma Community Action Agency, Inc.
- Chandler City Government
- Chandler Food Pantry
- Community Representatives
- Faith Groups
- Langston University (Families First Nutrition Ed.)
- Lincoln County Department of Human Service
- Lincoln County Health Department
- Lincoln County News
- OSU Extension
- OU College of Nursing
- Sac and Fox Nation