

TURNING POINT INITIATIVE COMMUNITY REPORT ON PARTNERSHIP ACTIVITIES

November 2002

TULSA COUNTY

- 2002 Activities
 - The Turning Point Policy Committee partnered with the MATCH and NETFOC policy groups to work on tobacco issues at the local and state levels.
 - The Turning Point Advisory Council partnered with the Community Health Net: CAP project to provide technical assistance in creating a business plan for a 24-hour, 7 days per week clinic to serve uninsured, underserved, and Medicaid populations.
 - Tour de Tulsa, an annual bicycle event in the Tulsa metropolitan area was held.
 - Summer Jamboree, sponsored by the Tulsa City-County Health Department, Aetna, and Tulsa Healthy Start was held.
 - A health profile on Tulsa County is being developed.
 - The Executive Committee approved a proposal to dissolve and become the working part of the Community Health Foundation.

- Outcomes
 - Tour de Tulsa generated over \$6,000. The proceeds will be donated to the *Get Tulsa Kids* Trekin program.
 - A business plan was created for a 24-hour facility to serve uninsured and underserved populations.
 - The Community Health Foundation Board will serve as the Executive Board for the Tulsa Turning Point Initiative.
 - The Tulsa County Health Profile (11 chapters) was completed.

- Future Plans
 - A Smoke Free Pregnancy Initiative is being planned for implementation in Tulsa.
 - The Community Health Net: CAP Project will become the Sharelink System to help reduce the number of routine visits to the Emergency Room.
 - The Community Health Foundation will host an annual dinner with all proceeds going to the Tulsa Turning Point Partnership
 - Get Tulsa Kids Trekin' will be implemented in five elementary schools starting in January and running through May
 - Planning to participate in the National Cover the Uninsured Week in March

- Participants
 - Blue Cross/ Blue Shield
 - Community Health Net
 - Community Service Council
 - Good Samaritan Health Services
 - Hillcrest Healthcare System
 - Indian Healthcare Resource Center
 - Margaret Hudson Program
 - Morton Comprehensive Health Services
 - OSU College of Osteopathic Medicine
 - OU College of Public Health
 - Planned Parenthood of Arkansas and Eastern Oklahoma
 - Tulsa City-County Health Department
 - Tulsa Coalition for Children's Services
 - University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center in Tulsa