Missouri Million Hearts Implementation Teams

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| **Advocacy**: “Educate elected officials and the public in general regarding the burden of heart disease and stroke in Missouri and garner support for appropriate public policy initiatives which decrease this burden on Missourians.”  |
| **Communications/Messaging**: “Oversee communication venues, information-sharing, and messaging among partners in the Missouri Million Hearts initiative and the general public.” |
| **Community Engagement**: “Develop strategic partnerships with community organizations inclusive of the faith community which raises awareness of the risk factors, increase knowledge of prevention strategies and treatment options for heart disease and stroke.”  |
| **Evaluation**: “Develop performance metrics for the overall Missouri Million Hearts Partnership and development systems for ongoing reporting of the progress of each implementation team.” |
| **Membership**: “Develop and maintain database of partners, provider champions inclusive of their membership on the individual Implementation Teams.”  |
| **MMH CME**: “Develop Continuing Medical Education (CME) Opportunities which build on evidence-based interventions and promotes provider engagement in Missouri Million Hearts.”  |
| **MMH Data Group**: “Respond to data requests from the Partnership, pilot communities or general public for community level heart disease and stroke data and develop a template for semi-annual Missouri Million Hearts Report.” |
| **MMH Fellowship**: “Educate health care professional students and health care professionals on the national Million Hearts® initiative as well as the Missouri Million Hearts Partnership; increase Million Hearts screenings and education statewide; and improve population cardiovascular health in Missouri”.  |
| **Patient Engagement**: “Foster the development and statewide use of plain-language, culturally-sensitive patient education materials pertaining to the ABCs of heart disease and stroke prevention in clinical and community settings, to empower patients through enhanced health literacy and improved knowledge so they may actively participate in the management of their cardiovascular health and outcomes.”  |
| **Pharmacy Million Hearts Workgroup**: “To highlight the clinical capacity of pharmacists as an integral member of the healthcare team and utilize their expertise to increase public awareness of high blood pressure and its complications and to help those affected by high blood pressure lead healthy lives.”   |
| **Provider Champions/Quality Improvement**: “Promote provider engagement of the Missouri Million Hearts Partnership and foster implementation of the ABCs of heart disease and stroke prevention in clinical settings.”  |
| **MMH Pilot Project**: “Foster development and implementation of the Strategic Doing Action Plan for addressing heart disease and stroke prevention in Dent County.”  |