Proposed Health RAND Action Plan

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Action Plan Focus Areas - Recommendations

1. Create a Health in All Policies System

2. Align Investments

3. Implement New Measurement and Data Systems

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1. Create a Health in All Policies System

1.1 Develop a coordinated Health in All Policies System

1.1.a Educate county agencies regarding Health in All Policy System and their role and action items

- Timeline: 12 months
- Funding: General/Grant Funding

1.1.b. Create and implement a county-wide task force

- Timeline: 3 months
- Funding: General Fund

1.1.c. Solicit input and recommendations from Healthcare Action's Health in All Policies (HIAP) Workgroup.

- Timeline: 4 months
- Funding: N/A

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1.2 Create a strategic plan for all HHS departments

1.2.a. Set a strategic direction
- Timeline: 4 months
- Funding: General Fund

1.2.b. Conduct a strategic planning session with HHS agency leadership
- Timeline: 6 months
- Funding: General Fund

1.2.c. Draft a strategic plan
- Timeline: 9 months

1.2.d. Plan should be submitted to the CAO for approval
- Timeline: 12 months
- Funding: General Fund

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1.3 Implement policies promoting health equity

1.3.a. Meet with relevant agencies and stakeholders to identify steps for implementation.

- Timeline: 12-18 months
- Funding: N/A

1.3.b. Review and update current county policies

- Timeline: 18-24 months
- Funding: General Fund

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1.4 Improve the delivery and coordination of services

1.4.a. Increase care coordination workforce
- Timeline: 12 months
- Funding: Grant Funding – HD has a grant now

1.4.b. Implement appropriate health information technology
- Timeline 12 months
- Funding: Grant and General Funds, In-Kind Government Support

1.4.c. Increase the number of 501c3's that deliver care coordination services or increase capacity of the existing 501c3s
- Timeline: 12-18 months
- Funding: General/Grant Funding

1.4.d. Implement "No Wrong Door" policy/system throughout county government to provide wrap-around services
- Timeline 24-36 months
- Funding: Grant and General Funds, In-Kind Government Support

1.4.e. Oversee population health management for the County
- Timeline 12 months
- Funding: General Fund

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1.5 Improve HHS communications and materials for residents

1.5.a. Increase communications and outreach efforts
- Timeline: 6 months
- Funding: Grant and General Funds, In-Kind Government Support

1.5.b. Leverage the Prince George's Healthcare Action Coalition and other community partners
- Timeline: 3 months
- Funding: N/A

1.5.c. Establish quarterly HHS updates with community
- Timeline: 6 months
- Funding: N/A

1.5.d. Onboard Community Engagement Specialist to focus on HHS promotion and civic engagement
- Timeline: 12 months
- Funding: General Fund

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2. Align Investments

2.1 Breakdown silos in HHS to coordinate grant funding

2.1.a. Apply for grant opportunities as a combined effort

- Timeline: Ongoing
- Funding: N/A

2.1.b. Establish a HHS Grant Coordination Team to coordinate grant efforts across HHS agencies. This would require an independent Team Leader (not currently employed by an HHS agency).

- Timeline: 6-12 months
- Funding: General Fund

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2.2 Engage the nontraditional health sector to participate in "health mapping" and analysis

2.2.a. Interview key stakeholders from different disciplines for the County's Community Health Needs Assessment

- Timeline: In Progress, Publish in 2022
- Funding: N/A

2.2.b. Establish a Strategic Planning Workgroup comprised of various legislative and executive branch members, and key stakeholders like EDC, DPIE, HD, OIT, etc.

- Timeline: 6-12 months
- Funding: N/A

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2.3 Better coordinate the NGOs and nonprofits that address HHS needs in the County

2.3.a. Expand the existing Community of Practice that is responsible for care coordination across governmental and non-governmental organizations

- Timeline: 12 months
- Funding: General Fund

2.3.b. Select key organizations to participate in the County's Public Health Information Network (PHIN)

- Timeline: 12 months
- Funding: Grant and General Funds, In-Kind Government Support

3. Implement New Measurement & Data Systems

3.1 Identify data gaps and implement systems to address gaps

3.1.a.Implement new Electronic Health Record (EPIC), Public Health Information Network, Omnibus Care Platform, Healthy Planet

- Timeline: 12 months – in progress
- Funding: Grant and General Funds, In-Kind Government Support

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3. Implement New Measurement & Data Systems

3.2 Improve structures that support health and well-being, data transparency, and stewardship

3.2.a.Increase the Health Department's data analysis capacity and publish quarterly dashboards via web and application.

- Timeline: 12-18 months for epidemiologists; 24 months software/IT
- Funding: General Fund; Grant, general, and In-Kind for IT

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Questions?

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