Hawaii Public Health Institute: Working to Keep Hawaii the Healthiest State in the Nation

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What is a Public Health Institute?

PHIs address current and emerging health issues by providing expertise in areas such as:

- Fiscal/Administrative Management
- ➤ Population Based Health Program Delivery
- ➤ Health Policy Development, Implementation, & Evaluation
- ➤ Training & Technical Assistance
- > Research & Evaluation
- ➤ Health Information Services
- Health Communications and Social Marketing
- ➤ Convening/Partnering



Program Areas of PHIs (list is not exhaustive)

School Health

Health Promotion &

Preparedness

Disease Prevention

Workforce of Health

Social Determinants Public Health & Health Systems Development

Development

Health & the Built Environment

Oral Health Behavioral Health

HIV/AIDS Prevention & Control Rural Health



Our History





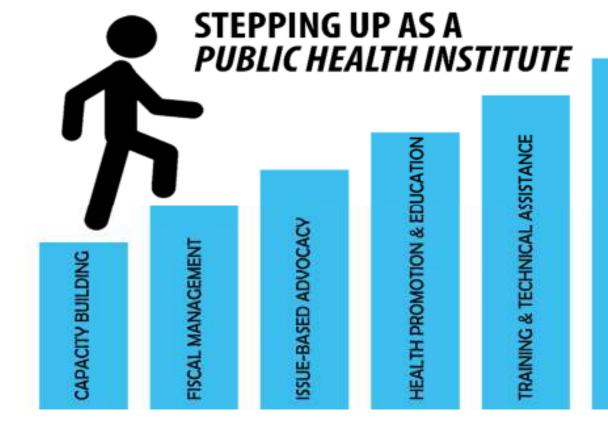


Who We Are

Mission: building healthier communities through partnerships with government, academia, foundations, businesses and community-based organizations. HIPHI fulfills its mission to improve health and quality of life in Hawai'i by providing issue-based advocacy, health promotion and education, technical assistance and other capacity building services—supported by fee-for-service contracts, grants, and donations.

Hub for Health – Central resource for all things public health







POLICY DEVELOMPENT, IMPLEMENTATION,

& EVALULATION

Our Policy & Advocacy Successes in 2015

- ✓ HB 940 -> Act 019: Adding ESDs to Smoke-Free Workplace Clean Air law
- ✓ SB 1030 -> **Act 122**: Raising the legal age to purchase, possess, and consume tobacco products, including ESDs, to 21
- ✓ HB 525 -> Act 123: Tobacco-Free State Parks
- ✓ Preserved funding for tobacco prevention & control





2016 CTFH Legislative Priorities

- ✓ Protecting funding for tobacco control
- ✓ Taxation
- ✓ Smoke-free vehicles when a minor is present
- ✓ ESD regulation





2016 Obesity Prevention Task Force Priorities

- Reducing Sugar-Sweetened Beverage Consumption Licensed childcare facility restrictions, default beverage in kids meals & SSB fee
- ► Increase Physical Examination Requirement
- Paid Family Leave
- ➤ Other Public Health Issues....



Technical Assistance

- Public Health Training Hui: Workforce Development
- ► Internship Program
- ➤ Evaluation age to 21
- > Fiscal Management



Perspectives on Community Health







State Forums to Advance Health System Transformation

- Opportunity to convene stakeholders in communities to develop a shared definition of population health and create a roadmap
- Focus is on diverse, rural and island-based communities





Looking Ahead

> Public Health Resource & Hub

- ➤ Continue expanding our current work
- Continue to assess the needs of our communities & stakeholders

Get Involved...

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