



Resource Updates

Could public transportation expansion improve the health of your community? As mentioned in [Oklahoma's Health Improvement Plan](#), rural residents in nearly 56% of Oklahoma counties must travel more than 10 miles to reach a full-service grocery store. The [2017 County Health Rankings & Roadmaps](#) indicate that overall, 82% of Oklahomans drive to work alone. Additionally, Oklahoma has a high rate of crude deaths, 3.8 per 100,000, due to car, pick-up truck or van accidents.¹

The National Network of Public Health Institutes (NNPHI) and CDC are sponsoring an upcoming Dialogue4Health web forum on public transportation expansion. The learning series, built from the CDC's Health Impact in 5 Years (HI-5) initiative, focuses on community-wide, non-clinical approaches with evidence of 1) positive health impacts 2) results within 5 years and 3) cost effectiveness.

Community-Wide Interventions That Have Health Impact in 5 Years (HI-5): An In-Depth Look at Public Transportation Expansion

Wednesday, April 26th, 10:00 am- 11:00 am Pacific Time



CDC/Amanda Mills

RSVP at <http://www.dialogue4health.org/web-forums/detail/public-transportation-expansion>

Funding Opportunities

In Oklahoma, support for public transportation services comes as federal and state grants. Learn more at <http://www.okladot.state.ok.us/transit/pubtrans.htm>. Also access resources for Oklahoma Department of Transportation Community Based Programs and Grants at [https://ok.gov/odot/Programs_and_Projects/Special_Programs_\(Community_Based_Programs_&_Grants\)/index.html](https://ok.gov/odot/Programs_and_Projects/Special_Programs_(Community_Based_Programs_&_Grants)/index.html)

CHIO News & Community Events



CHIO Collaborate

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- **Kingfisher County Collaborative** Meeting was held on April 10th and featured a presentation on the 2-1-1 helpline. Read more at https://www.facebook.com/Kingfisher-Community-Collaborative-Inc-147567892525/?hc_ref=SEARCH
- The **Oklahoma Turning Point Council (OTPC)** is seeking nominations to recognize initiatives or projects in Oklahoma which contribute to health improvement and quality of life in communities across the state. To submit a nomination application, visit the OTPC website at <http://okturningpoint.org/annualconference/communitychampion/> Nominations close at 5 p.m. Friday, May 26. Awardees will be notified by June 30.
- The final registration deadline for the **2017 National Network of Public Health Institutes (NNPHI) Annual Conference** is approaching on April 19th. The conference will be held in New Orleans on May 17th- 19th with a theme of "Navigating Uncertainty, Spanning Boundaries, Improving Health." <https://nnphi.org/event/2017-nnphi-annual-conference-abstract-submission-and-registration/>
- The CHIO 2016 **Year-End Report** is now available. Please tell us about your year at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2016CHIO>
- PHIO has provided an online tool you may use for the proposal process based on the Guidelines and Rules Governing CHIO Incentives for **H2O** created and provided by OU. Access the form at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CHIO-H2O>. CHIOs must spend the funds by October 31, 2017



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1. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics. Underlying Cause of Death 1999-2015 on CDC WONDER Online Database, released December, 2016. Data are from the Multiple Cause of Death Files, 1999-2015, as compiled from data provided by the 57 vital statistics jurisdictions through the Vital Statistics Cooperative Program. Accessed at <http://wonder.cdc.gov/ucd-icd10.html>