

Join us for a Community Health Needs Discussion *Share your thoughts!*

Baystate  Franklin Medical Center

Tuesday, June 7, 2016

3:00 – 5:00 pm

**John Olver Transit Center, 1st Floor Meeting Room
12 Olive Street, Greenfield**

The event is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be provided.

Every three years hospitals conduct a community health needs assessment (CHNA) for the area they serve. The assessment is overseen locally by the Baystate Franklin Medical Center (BFMC) Community Benefits Advisory Council (CBAC), a group of community representatives charged with guiding the hospital's community benefits priorities and process.

We are excited to share that the 2016 CHNA is almost complete. Before the report is finalized BFMC and its CBAC would like to share preliminary findings with the public. Please join us for a Community Listening Session to review the health needs identified through research and help us determine any key health issues that you think we may have missed.

The Community Listening Session is hosted by members of BFMC's CBAC, representing: The Opioid Task Force, Life Path, Community Action, Franklin Regional Council of Governments, The Recover Project, UMASS School of Public Health, MA Dept. Of Public Health, Community Health Center of Franklin County, Greenfield Health Department and Baystate Franklin Medical Center.

Important parking information: The Transit Center is accessible by bus! See route information at frta.org. PLEASE DO NOT PARK AT THE TRANSIT CENTER. Onsite parking is only for 30 minutes. Pay-to-park lots are across the street on Olive, and behind the courthouse on Hope, and there are meters along Bank Row.

Please direct questions regarding this event to Baystate Health's Office of Public Health and Community Relations at 413-794-1016 or socialimpact@baystatehealth.org.