

## APPENDIX 1

### New York State Turning Point Initiative Strategic Plan 2000 - 2004

## SUMMARY RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ACTION

Goals	Objectives	Lead Agency & Participants
<p><b>Strengthen ability of communities to monitor health status to identify broad range of determinates that affect health of their residents.</b></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Over the four-year period, provide training and technical assistance to improve the use of data and information for Community Health Assessment.</li>   <li>2. By 2000, align community health assessment processes of hospitals and local health departments.</li>   <li>3. By 2001, address priority CHA data and information gaps.</li>   <li>4. By 2002, standardize and centralize CHA data and information so that all community partners can have electronic access to the most current public health data, information and resources.</li> </ol>	<p><b>NYSDOH NYSACHO, HANYS, SUNY School of Public Health (SPH)</b></p> <p><b>NYSDOH NYSACHO, HANYS</b></p> <p><b>NYSDOH Academia, NYSDOH Office of Managed Care</b></p> <p><b>NYS DOH NYS Community Health Partnership, NYSACHO, Academia, Consultants, New York State Academy of Medicine</b></p>
<p><b>Promote broader and more effective participation by and more effective communication among diverse groups in community health improvement activities.</b></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. By 2000, start a campaign to raise consciousness and broaden knowledge about and participation in community health improvement efforts at state and local levels.</li>   <li>2. By 2001, train communities to conduct social marketing and media advocacy campaigns on local health priorities.</li>   <li>3. By 2002, assure that organizations participating in community health improvement activities are technologically capable of communicating (via e-mail, videoconferencing, teleconferencing etc.) with their local partners, regionally and throughout the state.</li> </ol>	<p><b>NYS Community Health Partnership</b></p> <p><b>NYS Community Health Partnership/Community Health Institute</b></p> <p><b>NYS DOH NYSACHO</b></p>

Goals	Objectives	Lead Agency & Participants
<b>Restructure investments to better support communities to identify and address the broad range of determinates that affect the health of their residents.</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. By 2002, make government support for community health improvement more accessible to local partners.</li> <li>2. Investigate and create long-term institutionalized funding mechanisms to support community health efforts in NYS so that community health can be sustained.</li> </ol>	<b>NYSDOH NYSACHO, HANYS</b>  <b>SCAA, HANYS</b>
<b>Improve the ability of local community health coalitions to identify, address and track access to health services including prevention.</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Develop a technical assistance program to assist community health partnerships to address access.</li> </ol>	<b>NYS DOH SCAA, HANYS,</b>
<b>Strengthen skills of the public health work force and the capacity of communities to address the broad range of determinates that affect the health of their residents.</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Develop and implement training and education opportunities and curricula around areas identified during the strategic planning process.</li> <li>2. Plan and implement a Community Health Institute for local partnerships and coalitions across the spectrum of professionals, agencies and community groups comprising the public health workforce that will achieve sustained success in community health improvement.</li> </ol>	<b>NYSDOH, NYSACHO, NYS Community Health Partnership, Academia, Other state agencies,</b>  <b>Cornell, NYSDOH, SCAA, NYSACHO, HANYS,</b>
<b>Incorporate continuous quality improvement in public and community health improvement efforts.</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Develop and implement a quality improvement process in community and public health efforts.</li> </ol>	<b>NYS DOH</b>