Social Determinants of Health: New Primary Care Team Members

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Quality Care is Not Enough
ex. Diabetes in Native Americans

• Recommended Preventive Services:
  - Native Americans have best rates

• Deaths from Diabetes:
  - Native Americans have highest rates

New Mexico Dept of Health 2010 Report on Ethnic Disparities in Health
New Institutional Vision Statement

“The University of New Mexico Health Sciences Center will work with community partners to help New Mexico make more progress in health and health equity than any other state by 2020.”
Map of HEROes and their regions

Components of HERO Hub

- Local Higher Education Institutions
- UNM HSC Programs & Resources
- Community Hospitals & Health Centers
- Civic Organizations
- County Health Councils
- Area Health Education Centers
Social Determinants

Name ___________________________ Age _______

Address ___________________________ Date _______

Referral to Community Health Worker for:

☐ Food Assistance
☐ Housing Assistance
☐ Utilities Assistance
☐ Transportation Assistance
☐ Daycare Assistance
☐ Legal Assistance

☐ Employment Assistance
☐ Education Assistance
☐ Substance Abuse Assistance
☐ Safety Assistance
☐ Domestic Violence Assistance
☐ Other

____________________________________
Provider Signature
Well Rx Survey Responses (N = 1,374)
States Developing Health Extension or Community Health Worker Programs

- **HEROs** - 16 states
- **CHW** - 10 states
**Vision 2020 Goal:**
**WE'RE GETTING THERE!**

New Mexico achieves 4th largest improvement in ranking in the nation-- jumping ahead four states in America's Health Rankings!

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