



# ***Family/Community-Based Strategies***

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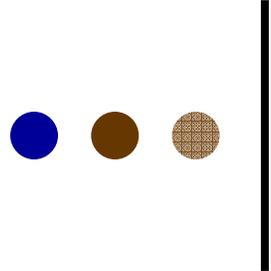
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**1:30-2:00:** Implementing Task Force priority recommendations

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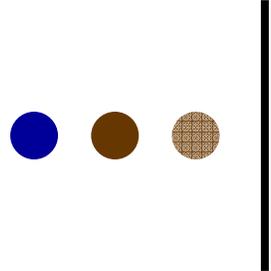
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# Quality of Programs/Services

- *Priority recommendation 3.2:* Private and public funders should place priority on funding evidence-based programs that meet the needs of the population being served.
  - NCGA should appropriate \$25,000 to NC Child and Family Leadership Council (NCCFLC) to support adoption of evidence-based state-funded programs.
  - Foundations should fund evidence-based parent focused interventions.



# Violence

- *Priority recommendation 8.2:* The Department of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention should strongly encourage local Juvenile Crime Prevention Councils to fund evidence-based prevention and treatment programs



## Other Family/Community Recommendations Not Discussed in Other Breakouts

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- **6.1: Improve drivers education.**
- 6.3: Sports injury prevention.
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- 7.3: Comprehensive SA prevention
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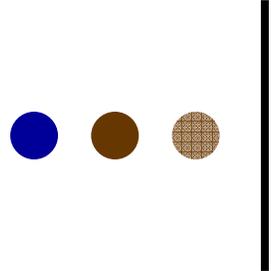
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# ● ● ● | **Quality of Programs/Services**

- *Recommendation 3.3:* The North Carolina General Assembly (NCGA) should provide funding to the Division of Public Health to support multifaceted adolescent health demonstration projects at the community level
  - Involve community organizations, families, adolescents.
  - NCGA should appropriate \$1.5 mil (R) to DPH to support four multi-component, locally implemented adolescent health demonstration programs.



# ● ● ● | Education Strategies

- *Priority recommendation 5.2*: The NCGA should fund a local healthy schools coordinator in each local education agency (LEA) to support implementation of the coordinated school health approach.
  - NCGA should appropriate \$1.64M (R) increased by a similar amount each year up to \$11.5 M (R) to fund a healthy schools coordinator in each LEA.
  - Coordinators will work with School Health Advisory Council, PTAs, parents and other community groups to promote use of evidence-based health programs in schools, and educate parents to discuss health information with their children.

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- *Recommendation 5.4:* The NCGA should require the NC State Board of Education to require schools to use evidence-based curricula when available to teach the objectives of the Healthful Living Standard Course of Study.
  - Should involve School Health Advisory Committee in assessing and evaluating health and education programs and curricula.
  - NCGA should appropriate \$1.15 M (R) to DPI to program grants to LEAs to implement evidence-based curricula.

# ● ● ● | Unintentional Injuries

- *Recommendation 6.1:* The NCGA should continue funding driver education through the North Carolina Department of Transportation so they can work to improve drivers education training.
  - Should develop materials to involve parents appropriately in young drive training.

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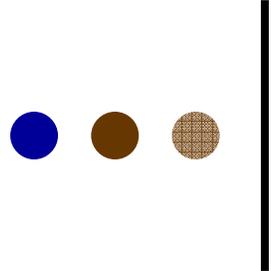
- *Recommendation 6.3:* The NCGA should provide funding to the University of North Carolina (UNC) Injury Prevention Research Center to support injury prevention educators
  - NCGA should appropriate \$300,000 (R) to the Injury Prevention Research Center at UNC-CH to hire staff to train coaches and implement injury prevention programs in schools and youth sports leagues.

# ● ● ● | Substance Abuse and Mental Health Prevention and Treatment

- *Recommendation 7.1:* The NCGA should direct the SBE, Office of Non-Public Education, NC Community College System, and the UNC System to review substance abuse and mental health prevention plans, programs, and policies
  - Office of Non-Public Education governs home school programs

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- *Recommendation 7.3.* Division of Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities and Substance Abuse Services (DMHDDSAS) should develop and implement a comprehensive evidence-based substance abuse prevention plan.
  - Community-based plan targeting youth and their parents.
  - NCGA should appropriate \$1.95M (SFY 2011) and \$3.72 M (R)(SFY 2012) to implement six comprehensive substance abuse prevention pilots that impact on multiple outcomes, including reducing substance use/abuse and improving emotional well-being.



# Sexual Health

- *Recommendation 9.1:* The North Carolina Division of Public Health should increase immunization rates for vaccine-preventable diseases.
  - Parents should ensure their children receive age appropriate immunizations.
  - NCGA should appropriate \$1.5 M (R) to DPH to conduct an aggressive outreach campaign to ensure children and adolescents receive all appropriate immunizations, including HPV.



# Preventing Adult Chronic Disease

- *Priority recommendation 10.1:* The NCGA should raise taxes on tobacco products to the national average, increase funding to support a comprehensive tobacco control program, and mandate that all worksites and public places are smoke free.
  - Local government should expand smoke free laws to all public places.
  - NCGA should increase tobacco taxes to national average and use the funds to support the comprehensive tobacco control program. (\$26.7 M in SFY 2011 increased over time).



# Preventing Adult Chronic Disease, Cont.

- *Recommendation 10.3:* Local government agencies and other relevant organization should work together to establish joint-use agreements for school and community recreational facilities.



# Preventing Adult Chronic Disease

- *Recommendation 10.4:* The North Carolina Division of Public Health should fund demonstration projects in promoting physical activity, nutrition, and healthy weight.
  - The NCGA should appropriate \$500,000 (R) to DPH to support pilot programs in communities of up to \$100,000/year to reduce overweight and obesity among adolescents.



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# Engaging Youth in the Process

- Example of how this can be done
- Brainstorm ways to engage youth in work to move forward priority or other recommendations