

ADDENDUM

Community input for this report was provided by individuals representing the broad interests of the community. The members of the Franklin County Community Health Needs Assessment Steering Committee are listed on page 1 of the HealthMap 2013 report.

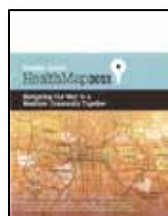
IRS requirements for conducting a CHNA state that the report must identify individuals providing input to the needs assessment who have special knowledge of or expertise in public health by name, title, and affiliation as well as provide a brief description of the individual's special knowledge or expertise. Those individuals are listed below:

Kathy Cowen, Director, Office of Epidemiology, Columbus Public Health: Ms. Cowen works with local public health organizations, physicians, health agencies, educators and hospital administrators to inform of health statistics and explore ways to reverse alarming trends.

Michelle Groux, Epidemiologist, Columbus Public Health: Since 2000, responsibilities include: Analyze epidemiological data and disseminate information to the public, federal, state, and local agencies. Investigate epidemic situations of infectious or chronic diseases and related environmental health problems.

Beth Pierson, Epidemiologist, Planning and Assessment, Franklin County Public Health: Since 2007, Ms. Pierson has been and epidemiologist for planning and assessment and is certified in Public Health.

Joanne Pearsol, Associate Director, Center for Public Health Practice, The Ohio State University College of Public Health: Since 2000, Ms. Pearsol has played an integral role in the creation and strategic direction of Center for Public Health Practice, designing and facilitation training programs that serve the needs of the public health workforce and spearheading fee-for-service support in areas of workforce and organizational development in Ohio. From 1993 – 2000, Ms. Pearsol was a Health Education Consultant with the Ohio Department of Health where she administered state funded programming serving 27 counties and oversaw the resource center for health education and promotion in communities, schools, and work sites.



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