

FY 11 Work Plan
Harding County Health Council
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This year the Harding County Health Council received notice that there would be no additional funding for health councils through the department of health. After several meetings both with the council and with the county commissioners, we decided to try and sustain for the following fiscal year. Currently we are in the process of seeking additional funding. The commissioners have committed five hundred dollars to assist with the health fair. The Legions Post #77 has provided us with a small one thousand dollar donation.

Our main focus will be on access to health as we only have medical services twice a week. The coordinators time will be on a volunteer basis as will the assistance of the council. The council will now take a more active role in assisting the coordinator.

Currently we are scheduled to have a health fair in October. This takes several months to coordinate and the different duties will be delegated to the volunteer council members. Manna ministries (food) orders will now be set up on a quarterly basis and as funds become more accessible will proceed to every other month and so forth. We will continue to bring in additional services such as acupuncturist, massage therapist, etc. on an as needed basis.

Funding continues to be a problem and we will try to seek whatever is possible to sustain and continue the work we do for our county.