

<i>OBJECTIVES</i>	<i>STRATEGIES</i>	<i>2005 BASELINE MEASURES</i>	<i>STATEWIDE CURRENT PROGRESS</i>	<i>ADDITIONAL GAPS IDENTIFIED OR RESOURCES NEEDED</i>	<i>OUTCOMES / YEAR COMPLETED</i>
<b>Rehabilitation Carole S.</b>					
Develop, expand, and evaluate rehabilitation information and resources for Colorado cancer survivors and their families.	Enhance the current Colorado Cancer Resource Guide Online website (CCRGonline.org) to include a hot button for <u>rehabilitation</u> .				
	Develop and implement a <u>multimedia public service</u>				
	Develop an informational pamphlet that includes a reference to the <u>CCRGonline.org rehabilitation</u>				
	Encourage health care providers to distribute copies of <u>the pamphlet to all cancer</u>				
	Display the informational pamphlet at community events <u>within Colorado</u> .				
	Contact cancer support groups to increase their awareness of <u>rehabilitative services available in Colorado</u> .				
Educate health care professionals of the need for and use of rehabilitation throughout the cancer experience.	Provide ongoing education on cancer rehabilitation at the <u>annual Colorado Cancer</u>				
	Expand continuing education offerings to provide <u>rehabilitation training for health care professionals</u> .				
	Implement and/or integrate curricula in cancer rehabilitation in all Colorado universities and professional health care <u>education programs</u> .				
	Provide certification in cancer rehabilitation on the state level to practitioners including nurses, psychologists, psychiatrists, social workers, occupational and physical therapists, exercise physiologists, physicians, and other health care workers who <u>complete a course and</u>				

	Develop and expand the certification of rehabilitation programs to include, but not be limited to exercise, occupational therapy, functional capacity, psychosocial stability, speech and hearing, etc.				
	Provide internships and fellowships in cancer				
Ensure that all cancer survivors (including pediatric, geriatric, and disparate populations) have access to rehabilitative services and complementary therapies throughout all phases of their cancer experience.	Educate decision-makers (e.g., legislators) about economic and insurance barriers related to health care for cancer survivors such as insurance reimbursement for cancer				
	Identify geographic regions within Colorado and expand the number of professionals who are trained to address selected cancer rehabilitation issues.				
	Acquire funding for the underprivileged through public and private foundations.				
	Increase the number of cancer rehabilitation facilities/support programs throughout Colorado.				
	Develop specialized rehabilitative programs to address the unique needs of each subpopulation, such as organized play for pediatric				
	Develop culturally sensitive and age-specific programs that increase access to rehabilitation services and complementary therapies.				
Disseminate, expand and enhance research in cancer rehabilitation.	Develop a cancer rehabilitation research website that highlights professional literature, findings and successful interventions/outcomes.				
	Link the cancer rehabilitation research website to <a href="http://www.coloradocancercoalition.org">www.coloradocancercoalition.org</a>				
	Encourage and obtain funding for cancer rehabilitation				
	Provide internships and fellowships in cancer				

	Implement cancer research that delineates the impact of rehabilitation on: - The survivor's recovery - Side effects such as the relationship between physical activities and medications - Psychosocial resilience				
Objectives and Strategies to add to Rehabilitation Section.					