

<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>
<i>Survivorship Linda B.</i>					
Develop, implement, evaluate and maintain cancer survivorship education programs that increase access to state-of-the-art cancer treatment, supportive care and quality of life information and resources.	Provide ongoing education on survivorship at the annual <u>Cancer Coalition Conference</u> .				
	Provide easy-to-use, interactive, web-based cancer resource programs (e.g., how to obtain Medicaid/ Medicare) for <u>survivors living in Colorado</u> .				
	Teach survivors how to access and evaluate available				
	Increase knowledge and perceived behaviors to prevent cancer recurrence among <u>Colorado cancer survivors</u> .				
	Develop and evaluate obesity and tobacco education <u>programs for cancer survivors</u> .				
	Tailor communication (literacy, language, content and delivery for specific cancer survivor populations such as hearing or visually impaired) with a focus on underserved communities, to increase awareness of <u>available interventions and</u>				
	Educate decision-makers about economic and insurance barriers related to health care for cancer survivors.				

Ensure that all cancer survivors have adequate access to high-quality treatment and other post-treatment follow-up services.	Identify, evaluate, and implement current "Patient Navigation" programs and systems to increase access to state-of-the-art treatment, supportive care and quality of life services for geographically-isolated, poor, and medically underserved populations. This will help cancer survivors enter the health care system, establish eligibility for assistance programs for which they qualify, and access the medical, supportive services and complementary therapies.				
	Determine and increase the proportion of survivors receiving state-of-the-art treatment services.				
	Develop culturally-sensitive, literacy-appropriate and age-specific programs that increase access to survivorship services.				
Develop research interventions to address survivorship issues.	Increase the number of cancer survivors living in Colorado who make informed decisions about their participation in treatment, rehabilitative, supportive care and/or quality of life clinical				
	Implement and evaluate community-based clinical trials education and research programs that are appropriate for literacy, culture and geography for cancer survivors regardless of where they live in				
	Identify existing types of survivor navigation systems delivered in a variety of locations or through different mechanisms (e.g. rural, urban, on-line, print, telephone, clinical trials) and determine those				

	Survey and analyze the insured populations in Colorado to determine the impact the cancer survivor's level of coverage has on timely access to care and receipt of follow-up.				
	Identify, disseminate and deliver "best practices" model approaches and outreach strategies for culturally-, linguistically- and literacy-specific cancer communications and health promotions, in partnership with cancer survivors, caregivers and community advocacy.				
	Develop interventions to alleviate financial burden of participation in treatment, supportive care and quality of life clinical trials for underserved and underinsured.				
	Conduct research on preventive interventions to evaluate their impact on cancer recurrence.				
Objectives and Strategies to add to Rehabilitation Section.					