Local health departments are on the first line of public health and public safety, working to keep us healthy and safe. Every day, millions of Americans rely on local health departments to protect and promote the health of our communities. NACCHO is the national membership organization for local health departments, and the mission is to be a leader, partner, catalyst, and resource for all people in their communities. NACCHO’s vision is health, equity, and security for all people in their communities.

RESULTS

The city manager formed a needs assessment. The city manager identified the areas of greatest need and developed a plan to address those needs. The city manager also formed a collaboration with healthcare providers to improve the delivery of services.

ASSESSMENTS

The city manager conducted a needs assessment to identify the areas of greatest need.

COLLABORATION ON

The city manager formed a collaboration with healthcare providers to improve the delivery of services.

STORIES FROM THE FIELD

Local health departments are on the front lines of public health and make it easier for people to improve their health. Local health departments are also on the front lines of public health emergencies, and the capacity to ensure the health of our communities.

Changes in service delivery

Local health departments continue to be a primary provider of services. Local health departments continue to provide services in a variety of settings, including clinics, hospitals, and community centers. Some local health departments have expanded their services, while others have reduced their services.