

Organization Information

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Organization Type and Additional Attributes

Organization Type:	Hospital
For-Profit Status:	Not-For-Profit
Health System:	CareGroup, Inc.
Community Health Network Area (CHNA):	Alliance for Community Health (Boston/Chelsea/Revere/Winthrop)(CHNA 19),
Regions Served:	Boston-Jamaica Plain, Boston-Mission Hill, Boston-Roxbury,

CB Mission

Community Benefits Mission Statement

New England Baptist Hospital is committed to collaborating with community partners and residents across Boston to identify areas of special need in musculoskeletal disease and collaborate on programs to address these needs, with special focus on underserved populations through outreach, education and provision of services to address musculoskeletal health.

Target Populations

Name of Target Population	Basis for Selection
Obesity Prevention	Statewide health priority, Community need/request
Violence Prevention	Community need/request
Arthritis and Lupus Education/Support	Statewide health priority, Community need/request
Elder Isolation	Statewide health priority, Community need/request
Elder Transportation	Community need/request
Osteoporosis Prevention	Statewide health priority, Community need/request
Increase Physical Activity	Statewide health priority, Community need/request
Access to healthy fruits and vegetables	Statewide health priority, Community need/request
Hunger Prevention	Statewide health priority, Community need/request

Workforce Development	Community need/request
Community Beautification	Community need/request
Promote General Health and Wellness for Elders	Statewide health priority, community need/request
Falls Prevention	Statewide health priority, Community need/request
Warm Winter Clothing	Community need/request
Improving access and safety for our community	Community need/request
Project SEARCH Transition High School Program	Community need/request

Publication of Target Populations

Website

Hospital/HMO Web Page Publicizing Target Pop.

NEBH.org

Key Accomplishments of Reporting Year

NEBH collaborated with Morgan Memorial, Goodwill and Madison Park High School in Roxbury to offer a one-year, school-to-work internship through the Project SEARCH High School Transition Program.

The program provides real-life work experience combined with training and independent living skills to help youths with significant disabilities make successful transitions from school to productive adult life. Eight students participated in the program. Three of the eight students have been hired in permanent positions at the hospital.

NEBH collaborated with Roxbury Tenants of Harvard (RTH) and Fair Foods to offer fresh fruits and vegetables at a discount for the residents of RTH.

Aging Well at Roxbury Tenants of Harvard (RTH) - NEBH collaborated with RTH on three programs, Easy Steps Program, an exercise class for seniors that concentrates on strength, balance, flexibility, fall safety and endurance; Walk and Talk, a walking group that walks twice a week; and Healthy Moves, a program for seniors that have completed the East Steps Program. This program focused on building upon the strength, balance, flexibility, and endurance learned in Easy Steps as well as an educational series that included classes on cognitive thinking, fall prevention and nutrition.

NEBH continues to be the major funder of the Mission Link bus that provides much needed transportation to the elderly in Mission Hill.

NEBH collaborated with the Boston Celtics on Sr. Celtics. The Sr. Celtics program encourages elderly members of the Mission Hill/Roxbury community to maintain an active lifestyle through participation in fitness and health education classes. Celtics players, legends and New England Baptist Hospital staff led seniors in group workouts and discussed the benefits of physical exercise.

NEBH partnered with the Boston Celtics on Jr. Celtics. The Jr. Celtics program challenges over 600 3rd-5th graders to develop their basketball game through skills, drills and leadership training.

To help with senior isolation in Mission Hill/Roxbury, NEBH collaborates with the Mission Hill Senior Legacy Project on a number of activities, including the quarterly birthday party, annual Senior Prom and the Sr. Celtics fitness program. These activities have been very successful with over 125 seniors attending each event. These programs keep seniors active and moving and also help with the isolation/depression problem with the elderly.

Eleven students from Mission Hill/Roxbury/Boston were employed for the summer through the Meredith Cameron Youth Opportunity Internship at NEBH.

By partnering with the Mission Hill School and residents of Mission Hill, forty six families were given food during the winter holidays. Food is also provided to supplement student and family food needs, as meals are not served by the Boston school system during vacations.

NEBH provided much needed warm winter clothing to 72 community members.

NEBH collaborated with the Boston Public Library, Friends of the Parker Hill Branch to offer Yoga for Older Adults. A weekly yoga class for seniors.

Plans for Next Reporting Year

In 2019, NEBH will be collaborating with Boston hospitals on a joint city-wide CHNA and will also conduct our own CHNA in 2019 that will focus on Mission Hill/Roxbury. New England Baptist Hospital is committed to collaborating with community partners and residents across Boston to identify areas of special need in musculoskeletal disease and collaborate on programs to address these needs, with special focus on underserved populations through outreach, education and provision of services to address musculoskeletal health.

NEBH will continue to focus on the following areas: Musculoskeletal Health, Obesity Prevention, Violence Prevention, Workforce Development, Elder Isolation, Access to Healthy Affordable Food, Food Insecurity/Hunger and Mobility and Transportation for the Elderly as well as improving the health, function, and quality of life of older adults. NEBH is committed to improving the health status and well-being of those living throughout its community benefit service area.

Community Benefits Process

Community Benefits Leadership/Team

David Passafaro, President, Christine Dwyer, Director, Community and Government Affairs, Elaine Adams, Registered Nurse & Community Member, Laura Adams, Director of Senior Services, Roxbury Tenants of Harvard, & Community Member, Beth Donato, MSPT, Director of Inpatient Rehabilitative Services, Carmen Pola, Founding Member of the Mission Hill Senior Legacy Project, Ashley Dubois, HRIS Coordinator, Human Resources, Kathleen Hayes, Registered Nurse, Michael Howe, Executive Assistant, John Jackson, Administrative Coordinator, BCYF, Tobin Community Center, Eileen O'Donnell, RN, Clinical Leader, Employee Health, Paige Legassie, Business Partner, Human Resources, Janet McCarthy, Registered Nurse & Community Member, Jarlin Rizik, Manager, Central Transportation Lynn Stewart, Manager, Amenities & Student Services

Community Benefits Team Meetings

Meetings were held in January, April, September and December 2018.

Community Partners

ABCD/Parker Hill Fenway Service Center, Alice Heyward Taylor Housing Development, Arthritis & Lupus Support Group, Boston Athletes United for Change, Boston Building Materials, Boston Celtics, Boston Center for Youth and Families-Tobin Community Center, Boston Police Department, City of Boston Parks Dept., Commission on Affairs of the Elderly City of Boston, Friends of McLaughlin Park, Fair Foods, Fireside Chat Group, Greater Boston Arthritis Foundation, Greater Boston Heart Association, Madison Park High School, Maria Sanchez House, Mission Church Hispanic Social Committee, Mission Grammar School, Mission Hill Crime Committee, Mission Hill Health Movement, Mission Hill Link, Inc., Mission Hill Little League, Mission Hill Main Streets, Mission Hill Neighborhood Housing Services, Mission Hill Road Race, Mission Hill School, Mission Hill Senior Legacy Project, Mission Main Housing Development, Morgan Memorial Goodwill, Pine Street Inn's, Doe House, Project SEARCH ,Residents of Mission Hill, Roxbury Tenants of Harvard, Sociedad Latina, Boston Public Library, Mission Hill Branch

Community Health Needs Assessment

Date Last Assessment Completed and Current Status

In 2016, NEBH conducted a comprehensive community health needs assessment (CHNA) focusing on Mission Hill and Roxbury, its primary service area with respect to its community benefit initiatives. The overall goal of the assessment was to compile information from a range of quantitative and qualitative sources to clarify the health care needs and priorities of community residents and assess the overall strengths and weaknesses of the area's health and social service systems. Ultimately, the purpose of the assessment was to facilitate the development of a strategic plan that would guide how NEBH would work with stakeholders in Mission Hill and Roxbury to strengthen the community and improve health status moving forward. NEBH continues to focus on the needs from the CHNA that led us to focus on the following areas: Musculoskeletal Health, Obesity, Prevention, Violence Prevention, Workforce Development, Elder Isolation, Access to Healthy Affordable Food, Food Insecurity/Hunger and Mobility and Transportation for the Elderly as well as improving the health, function, and quality of life of older adults. NEBH is committed to improving the health status and well-being of those living throughout its community benefit service area. The report was completed in July 2016 and was presented to the Hospital's Board of Trustees who approved it in September 2016. The implementation plan started in September 2016. In 2019, NEBH will be collaborating with Boston hospitals on a joint city-wide CHNA and is also conducting our own CHNA in 2019.

Consultants/Other Organizations

John Snow, Inc.

Data Sources

CHNA, Community Focus Groups, Hospital, Interviews, MassCHIP, Public Health Personnel,

CHNA Document - PDF format

[NEBH CHNA REPORT FINAL-2016.DOCX](#)

Implementation Strategy (optional)

File Upload (optional)

Not Specified

Community Benefits Programs

Access to Healthy and Affordable Food

Program Type	Community Benefits Planning Process, Community Health Needs Assessment, Outreach to Underserved,
Statewide Priority	Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston-Mission Hill, • Health Indicator: Other: Nutrition, Overweight and Obesity, • Sex: All, • Age Group: All, • Ethnic Group: All, • Language: All,

Goal Description	Goal Status
There is a major need for access to affordable fresh fruits and vegetables in Mission Hill. NEBH is committed to helping to offset the cost of healthy food.	Every month over 100 residents at Roxbury Tenants of Harvard (RTH) are able to purchase fresh fruits and vegetables at half the cost through Fair Foods \$2 A Bag program. NEBH is working with RTH to offer the \$2 A Bag program twice a month.

Partners

Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
Fair Foods	http://www.fairfoods.org/
Roxbury Tenants of Harvard	http://www.missionpark.com/rth.htm

Contact Information	Christine Dwyer 125 Parker Hill Avenue Boston, MA 02120 617-754-5403
Detailed Description	NEBH is committed to providing access to healthy and affordable food to the Mission Hill community. NEBH collaborated with Roxbury Tenants of Harvard (RTH) and Fair Foods on the \$2 A Bag program to offset the cost of fresh fruits and vegetables.

Aging Well in Place at Roxbury Tenants of Harvard (RTH)

Program Type	Community Benefits Planning Process, Community Education, Community Health Needs Assessment, Outreach to Underserved, Prevention,
Statewide Priority	Address Unmet Health Needs of the Uninsured, Chronic Disease Management in Disadvantage Populations, Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston-Mission Hill, • Health Indicator: Other: Arthritis, Other: Nutrition, Other: Osteoporosis/Menopause, Other: Safety - Home, Overweight and Obesity, Physical Activity, • Sex: All, • Age Group: Adult-Elder, • Ethnic Group: All, • Language: All,

Goal Description	Goal Status
The Easy Steps program and Healthy Moves program concentrate on strength, balance, flexibility, endurance and education about fall prevention. It also encourages relaxation and breathing to focus the mind and deal with stress.	Easy Steps program and Healthy Moves are programs for seniors that focus on strength, balance, flexibility, endurance, nutrition and fall prevention. Every week, between 15-20 elder residents participate in the Easy Steps and Healthy moves programs. Residents have reported that they feel healthier, stronger and have more energy.
Osteoporosis is a major public health threat for an estimated 54 million Americans age 50 and older. Twenty percent of non-Hispanic Caucasian	NEBH supports a walking group serving between 30-40 women and men between the ages of 40 and 90 from all ethnic backgrounds at each session. The group walks two times a week. The Hospital also offers educational programs such as stretching, eating healthy, etc. to this group. The group has reported having more energy and like having

and Asian women aged 50 and older are estimated to have osteoporosis, and 52 percent are estimated to have low bone mass. The Massachusetts Department of Public Health (DPH) has identified osteoporosis as a public health issue and established the Osteoporosis awareness program. Physical activity can improve the overall health and well-being of older adults. Even modest levels of activity, done each day for a total of 30 minutes, can prevent or control osteoporosis and weight gain.

the opportunity to meet people that live in their development. Ninety percent of the walking group is Asian with the other ten percent being Latino.

Partners

Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
Roxbury Tenants of Harvard	www.missionpark.com
Contact Information	Christine Dwyer 125 Parker Hill Avenue, Boston MA 02120
Detailed Description	NEBH collaborates with RTH to offer three programs for seniors, Easy Steps program, Healthy Moves and a Walking Group. Programs focus on strength, balance, flexibility, endurance and fall prevention. As well as keeping seniors active and moving.

Arthritis and Lupus Support Group

Program Type	Community Education, Support Group,
Statewide Priority	Chronic Disease Management in Disadvantage Populations, Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston, • Health Indicator: Other: Arthritis, • Sex: All, • Age Group: Adult, • Ethnic Group: All, • Language: English,

Goal Description	Goal Status
To address access, education, treatment and support the needs of people with Rheumatoid Arthritis and Lupus, especially in underserved residents in the City of Boston.	Every month, 12-15 people with Arthritis and or Lupus attend the support group. The group leader is always available for questions and calls from potential group members. The group leader is always looking for new members and sends out a monthly mailing to the group and potential members.

Partners

Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
Arthritis Foundation, 617-244-1800	https://www.arthritis.org/massachusetts/
Denice Garrett, Group Leader	Not Specified
Lupus Foundation, 508-872-5200	https://www.lupus.org/massachusetts
Contact Information	Christine Dwyer, 617-754-5403 New England Baptist Hospital 125 Parker Hill Avenue Boston, MA 02120
Detailed Description	To provide support and education to residents of Boston with Rheumatoid Arthritis and Lupus.

Arthritis Foundation (MA Chapter), Jingle Bell Run

Program Type	Community Education, Community Participation/Capacity Building Initiative,
Statewide Priority	Chronic Disease Management in Disadvantage Populations, Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,

EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston, Boston-Allston, Boston-Back Bay, Boston-Beacon Hill, Boston-Brighton, Boston-Charlestown, Boston-Chinatown, Boston-Dorchester, Boston-Downtown, Boston-East Boston, Boston-Fenway Kenmore, Boston-Greater, Boston-Hyde Park, Boston-Jamaica Plain, Boston-Mattapan, Boston-Mission Hill, Boston-North End, Boston-Roslindale, Boston-Roxbury, Boston-South Boston, Boston-South End, Boston-West Roxbury, • Health Indicator: Other: Arthritis, Other: Uninsured/Underinsured, Physical Activity, • Sex: All, • Age Group: All, • Ethnic Group: All, • Language: All,

Goal Description	Goal Status
NEBH partners with the Greater Boston Chapter in their fight against Arthritis and to help improve the quality of life of people affected by arthritis.	The Greater Boston Arthritis Foundation's Jingle Bell Run raises funds and awareness to help cure America's #1 cause of disability.

Partners

Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
Arthritis Foundation Greater Boston chapter	Not Specified

Contact Information	Christine Dwyer 125 Parker Hill Avenue Boston, MA 02120 617-754-5403
Detailed Description	New England Baptist Hospital has partnered with the Arthritis Foundation (MA Chapter) in support of helping the Arthritis Foundation in the fight against arthritis by supporting the Arthritis Foundation's commitment to raising awareness and reducing the impact of arthritis, which strikes one in every five adults and 300,000 children, and is the nation's leading cause of disability.

Dinner at Pine Street Inn's Doe House

Program Type	Community Health Needs Assessment, Outreach to Underserved,
Statewide Priority	Address Unmet Health Needs of the Uninsured, Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston-Mission Hill, • Health Indicator: Other: Nutrition, • Sex: All, • Age Group: Adult, • Ethnic Group: All, • Language: All,

Goal Description	Goal Status
The Doe House is one of the Pine Street Inn's supportive housing sites for former homeless men and women. The goal is to offer much needed food to the residents and to help the residents with isolation.	In 2015, we started with 3-4 residents, now every month we have 15-18 residents join us for dinner and conversation. NEBH staff prepare and serve the healthy meal for them and spend time socializing with the residents. Every month, each resident receives a gift card to Stop & Shop so that they may purchase food.

Partners

Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
Pine Street Inn's Doe House	Not Specified

Contact Information	Christine Dwyer 125 Parker Hill Ave Boston, MA 02120 617-754-5403
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Detailed Description	On the third Wednesday of the month, volunteers from NEBH have dinner with the residents of the Pine Street Inn's Doe House. Staff cook, serve dinner and spend time conversing with the residents. Each month, residents receive a gift card to Stop and Shop and, much needed clothing, winter coats, toiletries, etc.
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Elder Isolation	
Program Type	Community Benefits Planning Process, Community Health Needs Assessment, Outreach to Underserved, Prevention,
Statewide Priority	Address Unmet Health Needs of the Uninsured, Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston-Jamaica Plain, Boston-Mission Hill, Boston-Roxbury, • Health Indicator: Mental Health, Other: Nutrition, Physical Activity, • Sex: All, • Age Group: Adult-Elder, • Ethnic Group: All, • Language: All,

Goal Description	Goal Status
<p>Monthly Bingo at the Maria Sanchez House</p> <p>There are many issues related to older adult health with isolation being one of them. NEBH is committed to the seniors living in and around Mission Hill/Roxbury/Jamaica Plain to help with elder isolation.</p>	<p>For the past two years, NEBH has participated in monthly Bingo with the residents of the Maria Sanchez House. Each month 15-20 elders that live in the senior building attend this social event. Residents look forward to it every month and enjoy the socialization. NEBH provides the prizes and refreshments.</p> <p>In 2018, NEBH held four birthday celebrations for seniors living in Mission Hill/Roxbury/Jamaica Plain. Over 125 seniors from the area come to the celebration. The parties were held at the Mission Main housing development, Roxbury Tenants of Harvard and the Tobin Community Center. Seniors receive a healthy lunch, gift, raffles and enjoy entertainment. NEBH also collaborates with the Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health, Wentworth Institute, Roxbury Tenants of Harvard, the Tobin Community Center and the Mission Hill Senior Legacy Project on the Mission Hill Senior Prom. Over 150 elders attend the annual prom.</p>

Partners	
Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
Maria Sanchez House	Not Specified
The Mission Hill Senior Legacy Project	Not Specified
Roxbury Tenants of Harvard	www.missionpark.com
Contact Information	Christine Dwyer 125 Parker Hill Avenue Boston, MA 02120 617-754-5403
Detailed Description	The Mission Hill Senior Legacy Project brings seniors from throughout the Mission Hill/Roxbury/Jamaica Plain neighborhoods together for social and educational events. This helps with elder isolation.

Food Insecurity	
Program Type	Community Benefits Planning Process, Community Health Needs Assessment, Outreach to Underserved,
Statewide Priority	Address Unmet Health Needs of the Uninsured, Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston, Boston-Dorchester, Boston-Hyde Park, Boston-Jamaica Plain, Boston-Mattapan, Boston-Mission Hill, Boston-Roxbury, • Health Indicator: Other: Nutrition, • Sex: All, • Age Group: All, • Ethnic Group: All, • Language: All,

Goal Description	Goal Status
Emergency food pantry services for low-income families.	NEBH provides financial support for the food pantry at the ABCD, Parker Hill/Fenway site. The pantry provides emergency food for low income families in the community. The pantry helps over 100 families a week with food assistance.
Hunger continues to be on the rise in Massachusetts. Hungry households in Massachusetts, are in pockets of poverty around the state. In low income communities, families with children suffer from hunger four times more often than the statewide average. NEBH is committed to combating hunger in our local neighborhood by partnering with the Mission Hill Elementary School, Mission Hill Senior Legacy Project and Mission Hill residents.	NEBH provides food and Stop & Shop gift cards to families from the Mission Hill School during holidays and school vacations and to families that live in Mission Hill throughout the year. Last year NEBH helped 46 families with food assistance through Stop and Shop gift cards and food.
Turkey give-a-way for the Thanksgiving holiday	NEBH provides financial support for turkeys for the seniors living in Mission Hill during the holidays. Over 200 turkeys were given to low income seniors living in housing developments in Mission Hill/Roxbury.

Partners

Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
ABCD, Parker Hill Fenway Service Center	bostonabcd.org/parker-hillfenway-nsc.aspx
Boston Center for Youth and Families, Tobin Community Center	Not Specified
Mission Hill Elementary School	Not Specified
Mission Hill Senior Legacy Project	Not Specified

Contact Information

Christine Dwyer NEBH 125 Parker Hill Avenue Boston, MA 02120 617-754-54043

Detailed Description

Food insecurity has been linked to myriad health problems in adults and children. Hungry households in Massachusetts, for the most part, live in pockets of poverty around the state. In low income communities, families with children suffer from hunger four times more often than the statewide average. NEBH partnered with the Parker Hill/Fenway ABCD, the Mission Hill Elementary School, the Mission Hill Senior Legacy Project and residents that live in Mission Hill to combat hunger.

Health Educators in Action

Program Type	Community Education, Community Health Needs Assessment, Community Participation/Capacity Building Initiative, Outreach to Underserved, Prevention,
Statewide Priority	Address Unmet Health Needs of the Uninsured, Chronic Disease Management in Disadvantage Populations, Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston-Mission Hill, Boston-Roxbury, • Health Indicator: Other: Nutrition, Overweight and Obesity, Physical Activity, • Sex: All, • Age Group: All, • Ethnic Group: Hispanic/Latino, • Language: All,

Goal Description

The goal is to promote health equity in the Mission Hill/Roxbury neighborhood by increasing access to local, affordable, and culturally relevant nutrition and fitness resources.

Goal Status

Over the last year, teen Health Educators implemented a range of health and wellness activities related to fitness and nutrition that reached more than 1,643 Mission Hill youth and families. Health Educators held engaging activities surrounding fitness and nutrition, including spinning the "Wheel of Health" to receive fun prizes and a Jeopardy-style trivia game, as well as holding peer-to-peer conversations with community youth on the importance of making healthy food and beverage choices.

Heath educators encourage and enable Mission Hill youth and families to make positive

behavior changes that improve their overall health and quality of life.

Partners	
Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
Sociedad Latina	www.sociedadlatina.org
Contact Information	Christine Dwyer 125 Parker Hill Avenue Boston, MA 02120 617-754-5403
Detailed Description	To address health inequities among Latinos in Boston, Sociedad Latina created a standalone health education program called Health Educators in Action. Each year, the program hires and intensively trains high school Health Educators to research health inequities, identify needs in our Mission Hill community, and design innovative events, activities, and workshops that will promote positive health outcomes among children and youth in our community. Program goals and objectives are designed to address the childhood obesity epidemic in our community, promoting good nutrition, physical activity, and knowledge of healthy lifestyles and the importance of healthy habits. NEBH continues to partner with Sociedad Latina on this very important initiative.

Jr. Celtics Program	
Program Type	Community Health Needs Assessment, Outreach to Underserved, Prevention,
Statewide Priority	Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston, Boston-Allston, Boston-Brighton, Boston-Charlestown, Boston-Chinatown, Boston-Dorchester, Boston-East Boston, Boston-Fenway Kenmore, Boston-Greater, Boston-Hyde Park, Boston-Jamaica Plain, Boston-Mattapan, Boston-Mission Hill, Boston-North End, Boston-Roslindale, Boston-Roxbury, Boston-South Boston, Boston-South End, Boston-West Roxbury, • Health Indicator: Other: Safety - Sports, Overweight and Obesity, Physical Activity, • Sex: All, • Age Group: Child-Preteen, • Ethnic Group: All, • Language: All,

Goal Description	Goal Status
The Jr. Celtics program challenges 3rd-5th graders to develop their basketball game through skills, drills and leadership training. Also providing physical activity.	Over 600 3rd-5th graders attended the Jr. Celtics program that was presented by New England Baptist Hospital. This program challenges young people to develop their basketball game through skills, drills and leadership training.

Partners	
Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
Boston Celtics	http://www.nba.com/celtics/community/junior-celtics
Contact Information	Christine Dwyer 125 Parker Hill Avenue, Boston, MA 02120 617-754-5403
Detailed Description	The Jr. Celtics program challenges 3rd-5th graders to develop their basketball game through skills, drills and leadership training. Also keeping them active with physical exercise.

Mission Hill Neighborhood	
Program Type	Community Benefits Planning Process, Community Health Needs Assessment, Community Participation/Capacity Building Initiative,
Statewide Priority	Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston-Mission Hill, • Health Indicator: Environmental Quality, Injury and Violence, Other: Public Safety, Overweight and Obesity, Physical Activity,

- **Sex:** All,
- **Age Group:** All,
- **Ethnic Group:** All,
- **Language:** All,

Goal Description

Cleaner neighborhoods lead to lower crime and more activity in parks and play. More activity leads to better health, improved performance in school and long term economic gains. Several long-term studies have been done that show this. Cleaner neighborhoods derive economic value from this as well as mental and physical health benefits.

Maintenance of the City of Boston's McLaughlin Park and two ball fields atop Mission Hill.

Mission Hill Main Streets is helping to improve the health and safety in Mission Hill. Mission Hill Main Streets works nonstop to preserve, sustain and improve the diverse neighborhood.

A top priority for Main Streets is neighborhood beautification. Sprucing up property and streets promote neighborhood pride and neighbors working together build a sense of community.

Goal Status

NEBH continues to beautify the neighborhood hiring a trash truck each year during student move in week, helping with snow removal for the City of Boston, sweeping and cleaning the streets that surround the hospital and community and working with community members and Mission Main Streets on keeping Mission Hill clean.

The City of Boston's McLaughlin Park/Field is maintained on a weekly basis by NEBH allowing the residents of Mission Hill to play Little League baseball, softball, soccer, etc. This allows the residents to maintain an active lifestyle with physical activity.

NEBH financially supports much needed office space for Mission Hill Main Streets in a New England Baptist Hospital building in Mission Hill.

Partners

Partner Name, Description

City of Boston Parks Department, 6176354500

Friends of McLaughlin Playground

Mission Main Streets

Partner Web Address

www.boston.gov/departments/parks-and-recreation

Not Specified

Not Specified

Contact Information

Christine Dwyer 125 Parker Hill Avenue Boston, MA 02120 617-754-5403

Detailed Description

To help neighborhood development, physical activity, beautification and safety.

Obesity Prevention

Program Type

Community Benefits Planning Process, Community Education, Community Health Needs Assessment, Outreach to Underserved, Prevention,

Statewide Priority

Address Unmet Health Needs of the Uninsured, Chronic Disease Management in Disadvantage Populations, Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,

EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)

Not Specified

DoN Health Priorities (optional)

Not Specified

Target Population

- **Regions Served:** Boston-Mission Hill,
- **Health Indicator:** Overweight and Obesity, Physical Activity,
- **Sex:** All,
- **Age Group:** All,
- **Ethnic Group:** All,
- **Language:** All,

Goal Description

Help to decrease the number of adults and children who are overweight and obese by contributing to public parks and fields and,

Goal Status

NEBH continues to maintain the City of Boston's McLaughlin Park in Mission Hill. This allows the residents of Boston access to two ball fields, a walking path/trail and a playground, resulting in daily activity and exercise for youth and adults. There are daily and weekly Little League, softball and soccer games that take place at the ball field as

through the promotion of wellness and exercise.

NEBH has a long-standing commitment to improving the health status of Boston residents, with a focus on movement and prevention of obesity. The Hospital supports the Mission Hill Little League and the Boston Center for Youth and Families -Tobin Community Center.

well as practice and training for youth football leagues.

NEBH provides financial support for the Mission Hill Little League, giving access to over 100 youth to play youth baseball in the spring/summer. Playing a sport keeps children active and moving, helping in the prevention of obesity.

NEBH provides financial support for the summer camp at the Tobin Community Center. The support allows 10 youth to participate in the summer camp. The camp encourages young children to exercise and keep active helping in the prevention of obesity.

Partners

Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
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Boston Center for Youth and Families Tobin Community Center	Not Specified
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Boston Parks Dept. McLaughlin Park	Not Specified
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Mission Hill Little League	Not Specified
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Contact Information

Christine Dwyer 125 Parker Hill Avenue, Boston, MA 02120 617-754-5403

Detailed Description

Obesity and Overweight are major problems in Massachusetts. While many epidemics can be defeated with a pill or a vaccine, obesity requires changes in behavior as well as access to affordable, nutritious foods and opportunities for physical activity in the places where people live. Low income residents are more likely to be overweight and obese for a variety of socio-economic reasons and low income residents are more likely to develop chronic diseases - such as diabetes, heart disease, osteoarthritis and high blood pressure. NEBH has a long-standing commitment to improving the health status of Boston residents, with a focus on Mission Hill. The goal of this initiative is to address the need for education and physical activity in order to combat obesity.

Project Search High School Transition Program

Program Type	Mentorship/Career Training/Internship, Outreach to Underserved,
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Statewide Priority	Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
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EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
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DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
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Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Regions Served: Boston,• Health Indicator: Other: Education/Learning Issues,• Sex: All,• Age Group: Adult-Young,• Ethnic Group: All,• Language: All,
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Goal Description

NEBH partnered with Morgan Memorial, Goodwill and Madison Park High School to offer a one-year, school-to-work internship through the Project SEARCH High School Transition Program. The program provides real-life work experience combined with training in employability and independent living skills to help youths with significant disabilities make successful transitions from school to productive adult life.

Goal Status

In 2018, eight students from Madison Park High School participated in the program. The students learned skills that will enable them to apply for a related position when they graduate from high school. After completion of the program, NEBH hired three students into permanent positions at the hospital.

Partners

Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
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Boston Public Schools	https://www.bostonpublicschools.org/
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Madison Park High School	Not Specified
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Morgan Memorial Goodwill Industries	https://www.goodwillmass.org/
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Contact Information	Christine Dwyer 125 Parker Hill Avenue, Boston MA 02120 617-754-5403
Detailed Description	A one-year, school-to-work program that takes place entirely at the workplace. Total workplace immersion facilitates a seamless combination of classroom instruction, career exploration, and relevant job-skills training through strategically designed internships. The program provides real-life work experience combined with training in employability and independent living skills to help youths with significant disabilities make successful transitions from school to productive adult life.

Sociedad Latina Building and Renovation

Program Type	Community Participation/Capacity Building Initiative, Grant/Donation/Foundation/Scholarship,
Statewide Priority	Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston-Mission Hill, • Health Indicator: Other: Education/Learning Issues, Other: Nutrition, Physical Activity, • Sex: All, • Age Group: Adult-Young, Child-Teen, • Ethnic Group: Hispanic/Latino, • Language: All,

Goal Description	Goal Status
Support for the purchase of Sociedad Latina's building and renovation so that they can continue to offer programs to 5,000 Latino Youth. Sociedad Latina is a non-profit organization founded in 1968 for at-risk Latino youth located in Mission Hill. Sociedad Latina provides cultural, social, educational and recreational activities for the Latino population.	NEBH has committed financial support to Sociedad Latina's building purchase and renovation project over the next 5 years.

Partners

Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
Sociedad Latina	www.sociedadlatina.org

Contact Information	Christine Dwyer 125 Parker Hill Avenue Boston MA 02120 617-754-5403
Detailed Description	Financial support for the building purchase.

Sr. Celtics Program

Program Type	Community Benefits Planning Process, Community Health Needs Assessment, Outreach to Underserved, Prevention,
Statewide Priority	Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston-Jamaica Plain, Boston-Mission Hill, Boston-Roxbury, • Health Indicator: Other: Nutrition, Other: Osteoporosis/Menopause, Overweight and Obesity, Physical Activity, • Sex: All, • Age Group: Adult-Elder, • Ethnic Group: All, • Language: All,

Goal Description	Goal Status
This program encourages elderly members of the Boston community to	Two fitness classes were held in 2018, with over 150 seniors attending each session. Seniors participated in physical activity and lectures about nutrition and healthy eating

maintain an active lifestyle through participation in fitness and health education classes.

and fall prevention. NEBH Nutritionists, Physical Therapists and Nurses participate in the program.

Partners

Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
Boston Celtics	http://www.nba.com/celtics/community/health-fitness
Mission Hill Senior Legacy Project	Not Specified
Roxbury Tenants of Harvard	Not Specified
Tobin Community CenterBCYF	Not Specified
ABCD Parker Hill Service Center	Not Specified

Contact Information

Christine Dwyer 125 Parker Hill Avenue Boston, MA 02120 617-754-5403

Detailed Description

The Sr. Celtics program, encourages elderly members of the Boston community to maintain an active lifestyle through participation in fitness and health education classes. Boston Celtics players and Legends, and staff from New England Baptist Hospital lead seniors in group workouts and discuss the benefits of physical exercise and nutrition.

Transportation for the Elderly

Program Type	Community Benefits Planning Process, Community Health Needs Assessment, Outreach to Underserved,
Statewide Priority	Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston-Mission Hill, • Health Indicator: Access to Health Care, Environmental Quality, Other: Arthritis, Other: Chronic Pain, Other: Public Safety, Overweight and Obesity, • Sex: All, • Age Group: Adult, Adult-Elder, • Ethnic Group: All, • Language: All,

Goal Description

The Mission Link bus provides much needed transportation for the elderly, getting them to and from their doctor's appointments, food shopping, pharmacy, etc. as well as providing the opportunity for them to be social and active.

Goal Status

NEBH is committed to enabling a healthy lifestyle for seniors that live in our community. Many seniors would not be able to get to their doctors appointments, shop for food, attend events, etc. in Mission Hill without the Mission Link bus. The bus runs Monday through Friday from 10:30am to 7pm and two Saturdays a month. Over 11,000 community members used the bus to get to and from Brigham Circle in 2018.

Partners

Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
Mission Hill Community	Not Specified
Mission Hill Link	Not Specified

Contact Information

Christine Dwyer NEBH 125 Parker Hill Avenue Boston, MA 02120 617-754-5403

Detailed Description

Because the neighborhood of Mission Hill is located on a hill, the need for transportation up and down the hill is needed especially for the elderly. As people grow older, the level of mobility that the elderly population has can become limited. The need for a bus in the Mission Hill Community is much needed. Without the monetary assistance from NEBH and the MBTA, the community would not have transportation up and down the hill.

Violence Prevention

Program Type	Community Education, Community Health Needs Assessment, Outreach to Underserved, Prevention,
Statewide Priority	Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified

DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston-Mission Hill, • Health Indicator: Injury and Violence, • Sex: All, • Age Group: All, • Ethnic Group: All, • Language: All,

Goal Description	Goal Status
NEBH continues to work with community groups in Mission Hill and the Boston Police to help educate and keep our youth engaged in activities to prevent violence in our community. The Boston Center for Youth and Families-Tobin Community Center work with youth living in the Mission Hill area.	NEBH does security rounds throughout the Mission Hill area. This service provides detection and deterrence in the neighborhood, 7 Days a week 24 hours a day at scheduled and unscheduled intervals. NEBH continually reviews and upgrades its video system to enhance recording quality and does rounds on an average of 10 times a day. NEBH is called upon frequently by the Boston Police for video surveillance. NEBH supports youth basketball programs at the Tobin Community Center and retreats. These programs occupy young boys, keeping them from violence on the streets. They teach them about teamwork, responsibility and brings youth from housing developments together.

Partners

Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
Boston Police	Not Specified
Mission Hill Crime Committee	Not Specified
Mission Hill Problem Properties	Not Specified
Tobin Community Center	Not Specified

Contact Information	Christine Dwyer NEBH 125 Parker Hill Avenue Boston, MA 02120 617-754-5403
Detailed Description	The Tobin Community Center, Community agencies and the Boston Police work with the youth in Mission Hill/Roxbury by reaching out and providing education and activities for them. These organizations provide violence prevention education and activities for youth. NEBH also works with the Boston Police to make the community a safer place.

Warm Winter Clothing for the Community

Program Type	Community Health Needs Assessment, Outreach to Underserved,
Statewide Priority	Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston-Dorchester, Boston-Hyde Park, Boston-Jamaica Plain, Boston-Mattapan, Boston-Mission Hill, Boston-Roxbury, • Health Indicator: Other: Homebound, Other: Safety, Physical Activity, • Sex: All, • Age Group: All, • Ethnic Group: All, • Language: All,

Goal Description	Goal Status
To provide brand-new winter coats, hats, scarves, clothing, etc. to our community members in need, helping with self confidence, school attendance, elder isolation, physical activity and overall wellness.	NEBH provided much needed winter clothing for students and seniors in the Mission Hill Community. Seventy- two winter coats were given to students and elders at the Tobin Community Center, Roxbury Tenants of Harvard and the Mission Hill School.

Partners

Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
Mission Hill School	Not Specified
Roxbury Tenants of Harvard (RTH)	Not Specified
Tobin Community Center	Not Specified

Contact Information	Christine Dwyer 125 Parker Hill Avenue Boston, MA 02120 617-754-5403
Detailed Description	To provide low-income families in our community with a warm, safe winter.

Workforce Development

Program Type	Community Benefits Planning Process, Community Participation/Capacity Building Initiative, Mentorship/Career Training/Internship, Outreach to Underserved,
Statewide Priority	Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	Not Specified
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston, Boston-Dorchester, Boston-Hyde Park, Boston-Jamaica Plain, Boston-Mattapan, Boston-Mission Hill, Boston-Roslindale, Boston-Roxbury, Boston-West Roxbury, • Health Indicator: Other: Education/Learning Issues, • Sex: All, • Age Group: Adult-Young, • Ethnic Group: All, • Language: All,

Goal Description	Goal Status
The Meredith Cameron Youth Opportunity Internship offers high school and college students from Boston, (with a focus on Mission Hill) paid summer internships.	Eleven students were gainfully employed during the summer of 2018. The students participated in weekly lunch and learn lectures. Introducing them to clinical and administrative careers.

Partners

Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
ABCD Parker Hill Fenway Service Center	http://bostonabcd.org/parker-hillfenway-nsc.aspx
Private Industry Council	http://bostonpic.org/
Roxbury Tenants of Harvard	http://www.missionpark.com/rth.htm
Sociedad Latina	http://www.sociedadlatina.org/

Contact Information	Christine Dwyer 125 Parker Hill Avenue Boston MA 02120 617-754-5403
Detailed Description	The Hospital's focus for workforce development is providing employment, job training and supporting the educational needs of our community residents. In addition to promoting neighborhood development by providing jobs, the Hospital works with schools from elementary school up and with job training programs to help encourage young people to enter healthcare as a career and to succeed.

Yoga for Older Adults

Program Type	Community Health Needs Assessment, Community Participation/Capacity Building Initiative, Healthy Communities Partnership,
Statewide Priority	Promoting Wellness of Vulnerable Populations,
EOHHS Focus Issue(s) (optional)	N/A,
DoN Health Priorities (optional)	Not Specified
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regions Served: Boston, Boston-Mission Hill, Boston-Roxbury, • Health Indicator: Other: Arthritis, Other: Hypertension, Other: Osteoporosis/Menopause, Overweight and Obesity, Physical Activity, • Sex: All, • Age Group: Adult, Adult-Elder, • Ethnic Group: All, • Language: All,

Goal Description	Goal Status
To provide weekly yoga for older adults living in Mission Hill. The benefits of yoga include improvements in strength, flexibility, stress management and balance.	Each week, between 20-25 older adults participate in yoga.

Partners

Partner Name, Description	Partner Web Address
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Friends of the Parker Hill Branch of the Boston Public Library	Not Specified
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Contact Information

Christine Dwyer, 617-754-5403, 125 Parker Hill Avenue, Boston, MA 02120

Detailed Description

Weekly Yoga class for seniors at the Boston Public Library, Parker Hill Branch. The benefits from Yoga include flexibility, increased muscle strength and tone, improved respiration, energy and vitality, maintaining a balanced metabolism, weight reduction, cardio and circulatory health, and protection from injury. Keeping your joints more flexible can help reduce pain through gentle stretching.
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Expenditures

Community Benefits Programs

Expenditures	Amount
Direct Expenses	\$703,483.00
Associated Expenses	Not Specified
Determination of Need Expenditures	Not Specified
Employee Volunteerism	\$7,288.00
Other Leveraged Resources	Not Specified

Net Charity Care

Expenditures	Amount
HSN Assessment	\$3,134,843.00
HSN Denied Claims	\$8,627.00
Free/Discount Care	\$88,688.00
Total Net Charity Care	\$3,232,158.00

Corporate Sponsorships	\$23,000.00
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Total Expenditures	\$3,965,929.00
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Total Revenue for 2018	\$377,276,051.00
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Total Patient Care-related expenses for 2018	\$223,692,420.00
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Approved Program Budget for 2019	\$475,000.00
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(*Excluding expenditures that cannot be projected at the time of the report.)

Comments:

In 2018, NEBH paid \$370,872 to the City of Boston's voluntary PILOT program. The funds contribute to the health and well being of those living in the City of Boston.

Optional Information

Community Service Programs

Expenditures	Amount
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Direct Expenses	\$4,125.00
Associated Expenses	Not Specified
Determination of Need Expenditures	Not Specified
Employee Volunteerism	Not Specified
Other Leveraged Resources	Not Specified
Total Community Service Programs	\$4,125.00

Link to Hospital Formatted PDF Community Benefits Report: Not Specified

Bad Debt: \$359,379.00 Certified

Optional Supplement: Not Specified

Current Status: Published

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