

What Can a Wellness Council Do?

Support community assessment, planning and service implementation by....

- providing input and guidance on community driven processes to incorporate Health in All Policies .
- providing training for those wishing to be better able to gather data, mobilize community partnerships and secure funding.
- informing new initiative interest groups on resources present in the community and ways to enhance current services with Collective Impact as the goal.
- maintaining relationships with local, regional, state and national organizations.

What We Offer:

Data and assessments to support community safety, health, and wellness

Awareness of our unique community issues

Community-based process for new initiatives

Connections for community collaboration and long-term sustainability

**Online Resource Directory
See website under
“Community Resources”**



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History of the Council

The Community Wellness Council originated in 1993 as the Valencia County Coalition for Families, Children and Community (VCC-FCC), and was "...dedicated to helping build better futures for children and families in Valencia County." The Valencia Maternal Child Health (MCH) Council served in an advisory capacity to the VCC-FCC. In 1999 the VCC-FCC was reorganized as the Valencia Community Partnership, transitioning from a service organization to a focused health assessment and planning organization.

In 2010 the council once again reorganized to become the Community Wellness Council and attained its 501©3 status. The Community Wellness Council is committed to retaining its active and dedicated leadership team passionate about community wellness, health and safety.

The CWC pursues funding from private and public sources as well as individual contributions. We appreciate all forms of support including time and energy.

Our Vision

"A community working in cooperation to ensure the health and well being of all its residents."

Our Mission

"To promote community collaboration through a framework of coordination, assessment and solutions."

Our Community- Selected Priorities for 2019-2021

- 1) Violence Prevention
- 2) Behavioral Health
- 3) Substance Misuse
- 4) Healthy Eating
- 5) Active Living

**Interested in helping the
Community Wellness Council
be a positive source of
community action?**

**Quarterly input sessions called a
"CRUNCH" (Collaborative RUN
down on Community Health) are
open to the public and we
invite you to participate!**

**Our board meetings are also open,
but please email us so we can
confirm the next meeting
time, place and date.**

**We strive for diversity in our group
including youth participation!**

