



## ACHs at-a-glance: September 2016

ACH	Counties	Backbone	Governance (decision-making in bold)
Better Health Together (BHT) <a href="#">website</a>	Adams, Ferry, Lincoln, Pend Oreille, Stevens, Spokane	Better Health Together	15-member Board of Directors that governs both ACH and BHT programs. 80 regional organizations participate in an ACH Leadership Council. Rural county coalitions are emerging for local activation.
Cascade Pacific Action Alliance (CPAA) <a href="#">website</a>	Cowlitz, Grays Harbor, Lewis, Mason, Pacific, Thurston, Wahkiakum	CHOICE Regional Health Network	44-member Regional Coordinating Council which uses a consensus decision-making model. Seven county level forums convene local stakeholders.
Greater Columbia (GC ACH) <a href="#">website</a>	Asotin, Benton, Columbia, Franklin, Garfield, Kittitas, Klickitat, Walla Walla, Whitman, Yakima	Benton-Franklin Community Health Alliance	17-member Board of Directors as well as an open participation Leadership Council that regularly includes 30-50 regional participants.
King County <a href="#">website</a>	King	Public Health-Seattle & King County	25-member Interim Leadership Council with an Interim Steering Committee. Workgroups include Council and community members.
North Central (NCACH) <a href="#">website</a>	Chelan, Douglas, Grant, Okanogan	Chelan-Douglas Health District	17-member Governing Board and three county-level Coalitions for Health Improvement (CHIs) that convene local stakeholders.
North Sound (North Sound ACH) <a href="#">website</a>	Island, San Juan, Skagit, Snohomish, Whatcom	Whatcom Alliance for Health Advancement	29-member Governing Body that includes regional stakeholders from all five counties. A Steering Committee.
Olympic Community of Health (OCH) <a href="#">website</a> <a href="#">Facebook</a>	Clallam, Jefferson, Kitsap <a href="#">Instagram</a> <a href="#">Twitter</a>	Kitsap Public Health District	22-member Governing Board includes 15 sectors and seven tribes. Executive Committee and a Regional Health Assessment and Planning Committee that reviews health assessments and advise the board on regional priorities.
Pierce County <a href="#">website</a>	Pierce	Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department	23-member Board of Trustees. Pierce Health Innovation Partnership that engages 30-40 regional stakeholders.
Southwest Washington Regional Health Alliance (SWWA RHA) <a href="#">website</a>	Clark, Skamania	Southwest Washington RHA	22-member Board of Directors that governs both ACH and Early Adopter Behavioral Health activities. A Community Advisory Council includes 13 Medicaid enrollees.

ACH	Regional Priorities	Regional Projects (under the State Innovation Model (SIM) grant)
Better Health Together (BHT) <a href="#">website</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Access to oral health care</li> <li>• Community-based care coordination</li> <li>• Linkages in housing, food security &amp; income stability systems</li> <li>• Obesity reduction &amp; prevention</li> <li>• Whole-person care</li> </ul>	Pathways Hub Pilot: For two pilots, the ACH will coordinate five Medicaid Managed Care Plans, four primary care clinics/health systems, and three social determinants of health organizations to implement a standardized process to identify and address the needs of 150 at-risk individuals by connecting them to community based, coordinated services.
Cascade Pacific Action Alliance (CPAA) <a href="#">website</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Access to care &amp; provider capacity</li> <li>• Adverse childhood experiences (ACEs) prevention &amp; mitigation</li> <li>• Chronic disease prevention &amp; management</li> <li>• Economic &amp; educational opportunities</li> <li>• Health integration &amp; care coordination</li> </ul>	Youth Behavioral Health Coordination Pilot Project: In four pilot sites across four counties, the ACH is coordinating with school districts, clinicians, and behavioral health care providers to identify students with behavioral challenges as early as possible and connect these children and their families to community-based interventions and treatment services.
Greater Columbia (GC ACH) <a href="#">website</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Behavioral health</li> <li>• Care coordination</li> <li>• Healthy youth &amp; equitable communities</li> <li>• Obesity/diabetes</li> <li>• Oral health: primary caries prevention</li> </ul>	Readmission Avoidance Pilot: The ACH will coordinate the clinical care and social supports for patients at risk for hospital readmission. Nursing students (RN-BSN) will help with discharge planning for patients to assess follow-up medical and social needs and to improve care transitions and communication across care settings. Patients in the program will be geocoded to identify community 'hotspots'.
King County <a href="#">website</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Access to care</li> <li>• Care coordination for complex needs</li> <li>• Health equity</li> <li>• Housing-Health intersections</li> <li>• Prevention: chronic disease &amp; social determinants of health</li> <li>• Physical/behavioral health integration</li> </ul>	Prevention and Management of Chronic Disease in Low-Income and Immigrant Populations through Housing-based and Community Health Worker Interventions in King County: The ACH will leverage three organizations' Community Health Worker (CHW) initiatives in 10 public and affordable housing properties to coordinate care for Medicaid enrollees from historically underserved communities with or at risk of chronic disease.
North Central (NCACH)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School-based obesity prevention</li> <li>• Whole Person Care health care transformation</li> </ul>	Whole Person Care Collaborative: This initiative will improve the capacity of provider organizations across the North Central region to define and implement effective Whole Person Care in primary care clinics through collaboration and sharing resources.
North Sound (North Sound ACH) <a href="#">website</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Behavioral health integration &amp; access</li> <li>• Care coordination</li> <li>• Dental &amp; primary care access</li> <li>• Health disparities</li> <li>• Housing</li> <li>• Prevention</li> </ul>	Prevention via Increasing Awareness and Accessibility of Long-Acting Reversible Contraception (LARC): The ACH will bring together health care, Medicaid Managed Care, and community organizations to train providers and educate consumers about LARC to increase contraceptive options and decrease unintended pregnancy.
Olympic Community of Health (OCH) <a href="#">website</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Access to care</li> <li>• Behavioral health integration &amp; access</li> <li>• Chronic disease prevention &amp; management</li> <li>• Healthy aging: safety &amp; support</li> <li>• Prevention: lifelong health for children</li> </ul>	Olympic Peninsula Coordinated Opioid Response: The ACH will lead a comprehensive initiative to assess, plan, coordinate and implement a multi-sector, community response to the regional opioid crisis, including opioid abuse, dependence, and overdose. The ACH is engaging the Salish Behavioral Health Organization, Tribes, and Kitsap, Jefferson, and Clallam counties in this effort.
Pierce County <a href="#">website</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Access to care</li> <li>• Behavioral health</li> <li>• Chronic disease</li> <li>• Health equity &amp; social determinants of health</li> </ul>	Blood Pressure Project to Link Community Health Workers (CHWs) and Health Care Systems: The ACH will coordinate recruiting, hiring and training people with appropriate cultural and linguistic skills as CHWs. CHWs will offer chronic disease prevention in non-clinic settings. The project will create a multi-agency CHW "Hub".
Southwest Washington RHA (SWWA RHA) <a href="#">website</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Access to care</li> <li>• Behavioral health integration</li> <li>• Care coordination</li> </ul>	Co-location of Primary Care in Behavioral Health Settings: The ACH will help address obstacles and implement strategies to develop a nontraditional, reverse co-location model where physical health services are provided in-house at two behavioral health sites.