Vision for Montgomery County: A healthy, safe, and thriving community!

**PHDMC believes that all residents of Montgomery County should have:**

- equal access to resources that promote a healthy lifestyle
- an environment that promotes health and wellness
- social support and community connections
- knowledge about healthy choices and behaviors
The local growing group is currently working on all action steps for the CHIP. Action steps the group has completed thus far include:

- A food map of Montgomery County has been created; the map identifies food resources including gardens (active, inactive)
- The work group has identified gardens with strong community infrastructure, as well as gardens that need assistance rebuilding.
- The next meeting is scheduled for October 24th.
School Children

- **Child Care** – Offering Ohio Healthy Program, a statewide initiative to improve nutrition and physical activity within child care centers. To date, there are 10 centers awarded in Montgomery County.

- **Summer Meals** – Group has assessed 2016 and 2017 data of summer meal sites in Montgomery County and moving forward with a plan to increase attendance at sites to address food insecurity among children. Data review concluded a number of barriers, including: transportation, time of day meals are offered, & locations.

  - This work group also addresses physical activity among children as another objective and is currently working to connect physical activity opportunities with summer meal programs.

- The next meeting is scheduled for October 25
Food for Sale

- Pilot project: Increase availability and sales of produce and other healthy options at Food Mart, 1413 N. Main Street, Dayton.

  - Reviewed customer survey data from PHDMC and Homefull
  - Provided additional shelving to Food Mart for healthy options
  - Homefull started selling fresh lettuce and tomatoes for customers to purchase all ingredients for BLTs.
  - Sub-committee creating evaluation tools
  - Long term goals – Create a local produce distribution network and produce stand at Dollar stores

- Next Meeting: October 3rd, 11am
East Dayton Food Access Resiliency Enterprise

Improve food security in inner East Dayton by increasing affordability, quality and nutritional value of available food, and by enhancing residents' knowledge of how to grow, acquire, prepare and distribute it.
West Dayton Food Access Collective Impact Project

Ensure that the origin of healthy food (production) and the final markets (distribution) are conducted by, and ultimately benefit, residents of West Dayton already living in food deserts.

The target population will be provided direct access to local, nutritious, affordable food itself as well as to food-related jobs and education, leading to improved health for them, their families, and their community.
A cooperatively owned full-service grocery store for Northwest Dayton
November 15, 2017 8:30am – 3:00pm

Dayton Metro Library – Main Library

Registration: $10.00 through eventbrite
(low-income scholarships available)