Roosevelt County



Health Council

The **Purpose** of the Roosevelt County Health Council is to serve as a forum linking and networking individuals and agencies for the community to access information and resources.

The **Vision** of the Roosevelt County Health Council is to be a communitybased organization facilitating community wellness.

The **Mission** of Roosevelt County Health Council is to help strengthen the network of community partnerships creating the seamless coordination of comprehensive resources and promotion of community wellness.

Health Priorities for 2021-2022

- *Access to Food
- *Obesity Prevention
- *Alcohol and Substance Abuse Prevention
- *CDC Health Equity Grant
- *Health Education
- *Community Health Awareness
- *Building Capacity and Sustainability

Roosevelt County Health Council

The Council was reestablished in 2013. This small group of community partners work hard to make our community healthier. This is done through health assessments and the implementation of proven programs. Our Council supports Community partners with their endeavors and believe that when we help each other we are not duplicating services and maximizing our resources.

Contact Information

Deborah Gentry, acting coordinator

575-356-4453 deborah.gentry@state.nm.us

Successes Past and Present

- *Produce to the People since 8/2016
- *12 Months of Wellness
- *Fighting Bac Supplied each teacher in Roosevelt County with sanitizing products for the 2019-2020 School Year
- *Community School Garden
- *James School Color Run
- *Hygiene Bags for the High School 19-20
- *National Prevention Day
- *Maze of Life at Jr High--Yearly
- *Healthy Kids Roosevelt County promotion bracelets and BMI Surveillance
- *Red Kettle Fund for Roosevelt County Residences
- *Walking Opportunities for Roosevelt County Booklet also published in Chamber of Commerce Magazine
- *Ripple Effect Suicide Awareness 2020
- *The Council was instrumental in the development of local COAD
- *Vaccine Equity Plan development, survey and implementation.