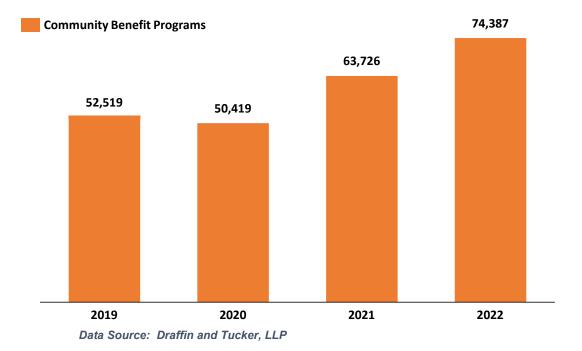


Phoebe Worth Medical Center Community Health Implementation Plan

FY 2023 thru FY 2025

**Community Benefits** are programs or activities that provide treatment and/or promote health and healing as a response to identified community needs. They are not provided for marketing purposes and are guided by these four principles:

- 1. Improves access to health care services
- 2. Enhances health of the community
- 3. Advances medical or health knowledge
- 4. Relieves or reduces the burden of government or other community efforts.





- I. Mental Health & Mental Disorders
- II. Diabetes Management and Prevention
- III. Access to & Quality of Healthcare Services

## Implementation Strategy Process

The Implementation Strategy of Phoebe Worth reflects our plans to respond to the community's identified health needs as well as pairing our plans with current community benefit activities and our overall operating strategies. The Strategy is a compilation of input and feedback from our Community Leaders and Providers with knowledge of population health issues, Phoebe Worth Management Team, Phoebe Worth Executive Team and our Phoebe Worth Board of Directors. On December 21, 2022, the Phoebe Worth Board of Directors reviewed and approved the Implementation Strategy.

## Implementation Strategy Priority I: Mental Health & Mental Disorders

What	Who	Where	Metric/Intended Outcomes
Participate with Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital on creating an internal/and or behavioral health workgroup/taskforce	<ul> <li>PWMC</li> <li>Phoebe Strategy and Planning Department</li> <li>Phoebe Behavioral Health</li> </ul>	Worth County	Increase access to and utilization of mental health services and care through telemedicine and in person counselor sessions.
Continue access to Tele-Behavioral Health services within our Rural Health Clinic	<ul> <li>PWMC</li> <li>Phoebe Physician Group</li> </ul>		Track # of Telebehavioral Health visits
Continue providing operating and treatment space to ASPIRE behavioral health. ASPIRE offers behavioral health, addictive disease, and developmental disability services to children and adults.	<ul> <li>PWMC</li> <li>ASPIRE</li> </ul>		Track # of on-site ASPIRE visits/sessions

## Implementation Strategy Priority II: Diabetes Management & Prevention

What	Who	Where	Metric/Intended Outcomes
Continued Support of the local Community Garden	<ul> <li>PWMC</li> <li>Village Community Garden</li> </ul>	Worth County	Promote the Eating of Fresh Fruits and Vegetables Construct a Demonstration Kitchen for education on preparation and treatment of local vegetable products at the Garden Collaborate with the Health Department on their programs that are structured to reduce emergency room visits.
Continued Support of the Worth County Health Departments Diabetes Program – Program provides education, screening, and treatment to low-income individuals and assists them with their health supplies and medications.	<ul> <li>PWMC</li> <li>Worth County Health Department</li> </ul>		

## Implementation Strategy Priority III: Access to & Quality of Healthcare Services

What	Who	Where	Metric/Intended Outcomes
Expand access to care within our Rural Health Clinic by establishing Urgent Care services to all ages and by expanding operating hours.	✤ PWMC	Worth County	Establish Urgent Care Services to be offered in our Rural Health Clinic by Fiscal Yearend 2023
Continue and expand access to care for specialty health care services such as Oncology, Cardiology, Pulmonary, and Orthopedic.	<ul> <li>PWMC</li> <li>Phoebe Physician</li> <li>Group</li> </ul>		# of patients treated in our Specialty Clinic
Partner with Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital as they implement and expand their Nurse Family Partnership Program into Worth County	<ul> <li>PWMC</li> <li>Phoebe Putney</li> <li>Memorial Hospital</li> <li>Network of Trust</li> </ul>		Expand Nurse Family Partnership's services to Worth County residents