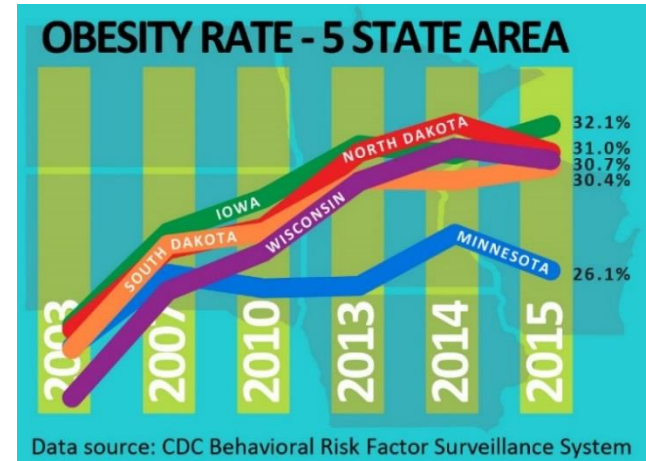


Sustain Funding for Minnesota's Statewide Health Improvement Partnership (SHIP)

SHIP supports local communities working together to prevent the leading causes of death and disease in Minnesota and reduce health care costs.

- Obesity and tobacco use are key risk factors for cancer and heart disease, which are the leading causes of death in Minnesota.
- SHIP provides dedicated funding for evidence-based strategies that prevent and reduce obesity and commercial tobacco use among Minnesotans of all ages.
- Funding also supports strategies to prevent dementia and falls among the elderly.
- Nearly \$35 million in SHIP funding for the 2015-2016 biennium is actively supporting community partners in all 87 counties and 10 tribal nations.
- Almost 2,300 partner sites are engaged, including schools, worksites, businesses, farms, senior organizations, regional planners, health care clinics and more.



SHIP is contributing to lower rates of obesity and commercial tobacco use.

- Minnesota's adult obesity rate has fallen to 26.1% — a rate firmly below our neighboring states of ND, SD, WI and IA.
- Minnesota's obesity rate for kids ages 2–4 who are enrolled in Women, Infants & Children (WIC) is now 8th lowest in the nation (12.3%).
- Minnesota's adult smoking rate dropped to 14.4% in 2014 (down from 16.1% in 2010).
- 10.6% of Minnesota high school students currently smoke (down from 18.1% in 2011).

Snapshot of Select SHIP Strategies:



SHIP is informing comprehensive planning efforts to create safer, more accessible roadways for more than 2 million Minnesotans to walk and bike.



SHIP is helping to establish fall prevention programs in 24 communities, reaching more than 200,000 elderly Minnesotans.



SHIP is helping to expand and establish new farmers' markets, increasing access to healthy, local foods for nearly 690,000 Minnesotans.



SHIP is supporting smoke-free policies in 375 multi-unit houses, reducing exposure to secondhand smoke for nearly 40,000 Minnesotans.

State and local partners support maintaining SHIP funding at \$35 million per biennium.

A Child's Delight Too, Inc.
African American Leadership Forum
Albany Area Schools
Allina Health
American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network
American Heart Association
Appleton Farmers' Market
Area Food Shelf of New Richland
Bicycle Alliance of Minnesota
Blackduck Elementary School
Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota
Brehmer Farms
Bronson Trucking, Inc.
Buffalo Hospital Foundation
Cannon Falls Area Schools
Cardiovascular Health Alliance
Carpentry Contractors Company
CentraCare - BLEND
CentraCare Health Foundation
Chippewa Enterprises Inc
Citizens Alliance Bank
City of Mahnomon
City of Ada - Dekko Community Center
City of Aitkin
City of Goodhue
City of Minneapolis
City of Murdock
City of Princeton
City of Warren
City of Zumbrota
City of Zumbrota Economic Development Authority
ClearWay Minnesota
Cleveland Neighborhood Association
Committee Against Domestic Abuse
Community Wellness Action Council
Commuter Services
Comunidades Latinas Unidas en Servicio (CLUES)
Cornerstones Center
Counter Tools
Crookston Area Chamber & Visitor's Bureau
Crow River Food Council

El Nido Birth and Family Ministries, Inc
Essentia Health Graceville Clinic
Faribault Area Chamber of Commerce and Tourism
Faribault Middle School
Faribault Parks and Recreation
Farm Market Cafe, LLC
Feeling Good MN
FirstLight Health System
Foley Community Education
Foley Public School
HealthPartners
Heart of New Ulm
Hispanic Outreach Program of Goodhue County
Homegrown Minneapolis Food Council
Horn of African aid and Rehabilitation Action Network
Hutchinson Health
Institute for Agriculture and Trade Policy
Inter-County Community Council
ISD 31- Northern Elementary
Itasca County Family YMCA
Jackson County Central Schools
Janesville Food Shelf
Janesville-Waldorf-Pemberton Schools
Judy Jones Consulting
Kelliher School District
Kenyon-Wanamingo Public Schools
Kerkhoven-Murdock-Sunburg Public Schools
Lac qui Parle Farmers Markets, Dawson and Madison
Lac qui Parle Valley ISD Food Service Department
Lac qui Parle Valley Schools
Lake Crystal Area Recreation Center
Lake Crystal Wellcome Memorial Schools
Lake Lillian Community Garden Committee
Lake Lillian Fire and Ambulance
Lake Lillian Sportsmen's Club
Lake Region Healthcare
LifeCare Medical Center

Lincoln Elementary School
Lincoln Park Children and Families Collaborative
Kerkhoven Banner Newspaper
Local Public Health Association of MN
MACCRAY Public Schools
Madison MN Area Chamber of Commerce
Mayo Clinic Health System
Meeker Memorial Hospital
Milestones
Mille Lacs Area Partners for Prevention
Minnesota Academy of Family Physicians
Minnesota Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics
Minnesota Alliance of YMCAs
Minnesota Breast Cancer Coalition
Minnesota Cancer Alliance
Minnesota Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics
Minnesota Medical Association
Minnesota Public Health Association
Minnesota Rural Health Association
Minnesotans for Healthy Kids Coalition
MN Farmers Union
Montevideo Public School District
New Ulm Chamber of Commerce
New Ulm Public Schools
Northfield Senior Center
Northside Elementary
Northwest Regional Development Commission
Northwest Service Cooperative
Onamia Area Farmers Market
Onamia Community Education
Ortonville Area Health
Park Rapids Area Schools
Perham Health
Pine Island Parks Dept.
Pine Island Public Schools
Potter's House Of Jesus Christ
Princeton Public Schools
ProAct Inc.
Productive Alternatives, Inc.

Red Wing Area Farmers Market
Red Wing Area Seniors
Red Wing Community Gardens
Red Wing HRA
Region Five Development Commission
Rejuv Medical
Renewing the Countryside
Rippleside Elementary School
Riverwood Healthcare Center
Safe Communities Coalition
Sauk Rapids-Rice School District
Sherburne County Area United Way
Sleepy Eye Public School
Southwest Breastfeeding Coalition
Springfield Community Wellness Team
Sprout
St. Cloud State University Community Garden
St. Paul Area Chamber of Commerce
Swift County-Benson Health Services
The Aliveness Project
The Farm on St. Mathias
The Good Acre
The Village in Waterville
Thief River Area Food Shelf
Transit for Livable Communities/St. Paul Smart Trips
Tri-City United Le Center K-8 School
United Way of Brown County Area
University of Minnesota Extension
VEAP
Waseca Area Chamber of Commerce
Waseca-Le Sueur Regional Library System
WEM ISD #2143
West Main Pizza
West Side Community Health Services
Western Guard Newspaper
Wonderful Life Foods
Yellow Medicine County Wellness Committee
Yellow Medicine East Schools

