



## SPRING 2017

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## 2017 Cancer Coalition Fall Meeting

The 2017 SD Cancer Coalition Fall Meeting will take place on **Tuesday, September 26th** at the Highland Conference Center in Mitchell. The focus of the meeting will be on coalition building with several important updates being discussed. We strongly recommend that anyone interested in continuing their membership with the SD Cancer Coalition make plans to attend. Registration information will be available in early August!



## 2016 Year in Review & Outcomes Report

**SD Cancer Coalition  
2016: Year in Review**

The South Dakota Comprehensive Cancer Control Program (SD CCCP) began in 2005 with the goal of reducing the burden of cancer and promoting access to cancer prevention and treatment services throughout the state. Through the SD Cancer Coalition, the SD CCCP brings together diverse organizations and individuals to monitor and assess cancer-related issues in the state. The SD CCCP determines priority areas of focus on an annual basis and mobilizes resources that can impact outcomes. In this report, Coalition activities and outcomes are highlighted to review the progress made in 2016 towards achieving the goals and priorities of the SD Comprehensive Cancer Control State Plan 2015-2020.

**Goals of the SD Comprehensive Cancer Control State Plan 2015-2020**

- Prevent cancer among South Dakotans
- Detect cancer in the earliest stages for all South Dakotans
- Ensure timely and appropriate access and treatment for all cancer patients in SD
- Optimize South Dakotans' quality of life across the continuum of cancer
- Eliminate disparities in the burden of cancer in SD

*"Reducing the burden of cancer in South Dakota will take dedication and collaboration, but working together we can decrease the impact this devastating disease has on all South Dakotans."*

- Kim Maham-Ryndon,  
Secretary of Health

The SD Cancer Coalition [2016 Year in Review](#) and Evaluation Outcomes Report is now available! The Year in Review highlights efforts our coalition and partners have made to ease the burden of cancer in SD.

The [Full Evaluation Outcomes Report](#) highlights all of our 2016 evaluation findings, including a complete chart outlining progress within the state plan.

Both documents, along with other reports and outcomes, are available on the [Cancer Coalition website](#).

## Task Force Updates

The **HPV Task Force** is finalizing an updated rack card and reminder magnet that will highlight the importance of the HPV vaccine. The task force is also working to develop packets of HPV resources for providers that will be disseminated during site visits that address all childhood and adolescent immunizations. Last, the task force is seeking nominations for two HPV Vaccination Recognition Awards. Use the following link to nominate an individual or an organization by Friday, May 12th: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/QX729KR>.

The **UV Task Force** is wrapping up an update of the worksite UV model policy to align with current recommendations. The task force awarded the City of Britton Swimming Pool with a Worksite UV Protection Policy grant. As part of the grant, a UV protection policy will be developed and adopted, and environmental changes will be implemented. The UV task force is also developing a model sun safety policy for child care programs. The task force is considering releasing a child care sun safety RFA in conjunction with the release of the new policy.

The **Breast Cancer Task Force** continues to disseminate the short video and infographic that was developed in 2016 targeting providers across the state and encouraging them to have discussions with their patients about risk-appropriate breast cancer screening. The task force is also helping to promote the All Women Count! Program to low-income women who are eligible to receive a free mammogram and office visit.

The **Colorectal Cancer Task Force** honored Sara Romeo, RN Navigator for Falls Community Health, and Sanford Health Family Medicine Clinics in the Sioux Falls Region for increasing screening rates among their eligible patients. Sara was awarded the 80 percent by 2018 Champion of the Year Award and Sanford Health Family Medicine Clinics received the 80 percent by 2018 Organization of the year Award.

More information on coalition task forces can be found at <http://www.cancersd.com/membership/task-forces/>.

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## Sun Safety in Outdoor Workers

### *Implementation of a Worksite UV Protection Model Policy to Reduce Skin Cancer Risk in SD Worksites*

Skin cancer is the most commonly diagnosed preventable cancer in the United States. Adults spend more than one-third of their day at the workplace and workers who spend a majority of that workday outdoors are at increased risk for skin cancer due to exposure to ultraviolet radiation (UVR). The South Dakota Department of Health partnered with the South Dakota WorkWell Partnership to implement a multi-component approach to address sun safety policy, systems and environment change in worksites to increase sun safety behaviors and reduce the burden of skin cancer in outdoor workers. Read the [final report](#) or [executive summary](#).



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## Prevalence of HPV Infection in U.S. Adults

On April 6th, CDC published a National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey data brief titled [Prevalence of Human Papillomavirus in U.S. Adults Aged 18-69 Years, 2011-2014](#). One key finding was that during 2011-2014, prevalence of any oral HPV for adults aged 18-69 was 7.3%; high-risk HPV was 4.0%. In addition, from 2013-2014, prevalence of any and high-risk genital HPV for adults aged 18-59 was 45.2% and 25.1% in men and 39.9% and 20.4% in women, respectively.



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## Making the Case for Comprehensive Cancer Control

A flyer has been released by the Comprehensive Cancer Control (CCC) National Partnership explaining the importance of CCC coalitions as well as the numerous resources available to support coalitions through the National Partnership. Coalitions can use the flyer to demonstrate the importance of investing in cancer control and make the case for organizations to get involved.

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## 2017 State of Cancer Care in America

ASCO's State of Cancer Care in America: 2017 examines significant changes occurring in the cancer care delivery system as it shifts to provide high-quality, high-value care for a growing patient population. The report describes the unparalleled momentum to improve cancer care, as well as challenges that threaten to slow progress.



[Read the Report](#)

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## National Cancer Survivors Day Social Media Toolkit

The George Washington Cancer Center is pleased to announce the latest social media toolkit release for National Cancer Survivors Day on June 4th, 2017. It's a day to celebrate those who have survived, and provide inspiration for those recently diagnosed. [Download the toolkit and spread the word about survivorship.](#)



## May is Skin Cancer Awareness Month

May is [Skin Cancer Awareness Month](#), and the Division of Cancer Prevention and Control (DCPC) offers a number of resources for partners. Share the updated infographic, "[Protect the Skin You're In](#)," and check out resources on the [Sun Safety Resource Toolkit](#).

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## National and State Trends in Sales of Cigarettes and E-Cigarettes

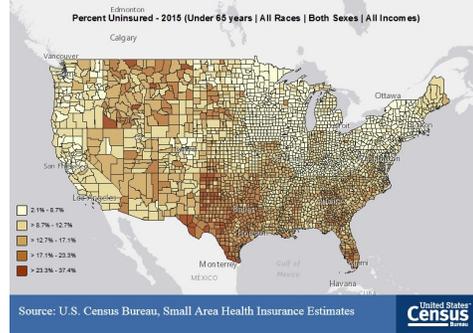
The CDC's Office on Smoking and Health (OSH) has released a tobacco-related article in the March 9th edition of the *American Journal of Preventive Medicine* titled, "National and State Trends in Sales of Cigarettes and E-Cigarettes, U.S., 2011-2015." Authors examined retail scanner data from convenience and grocery stores, mass merchandisers like Walmart; drug, dollar, and club stores; and military commissaries and found that during 2011-2015, cigarette sales decreased slightly and e-cigarette sales increased significantly. However, in 2015, convenience store sales of conventional cigarettes increased for the first time in a decade and continue to outweigh sales of e-cigarettes in traditional outlets. The article provides state-level data on changes in unit sales of cigarettes and e-cigarettes, by product type, that occurred during 2014-2015.

[Read the Article](#)

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## Single-Year Estimates of Health Insurance Coverage for All US Counties Available Online

(DCPC) announces a new dataset, the 2015 Small Area Health Insurance Estimates (SAHIE), now available on the [Census Bureau's website](#). SAHIE is the only source of single-year estimates of health insurance coverage for all counties in the US by select economic and demographic characteristics. The Census Bureau's website features an [Interactive Tool](#) that allows data users to create, download, and share custom data tables, maps, and time trend charts.



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## Upcoming Events and Training Opportunities

There are several events and training opportunities available this summer!  
Visit <http://www.cancersd.com/events/> to see them all. Here are just a couple to consider:

[August 4: Immunize SD Conference in Sioux Falls](#)  
[The More You Know...Cancer Webinar Series](#)

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