



John C. Lincoln

North Mountain Hospital

**Community Health Needs Assessment
Implementation Plan**

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

In September 2012, the John C. Lincoln Health Network completed a Community Health Needs Assessment in accordance with the proposed IRS rules mandated through the Affordable Care Act (2010). Through this assessment, eleven health needs were identified in the John C. Lincoln North Mountain Hospital service area: Stable Housing, Access to Primary Care, Affordable/Accessible Health Care, Health Insurance Coverage, Primary Care Services, Prevention, Chronic Disease Management, Integrated Behavioral Health with Primary Care, Dental Health, Personal Care and Transitional Support following a Hospital Stay, Family Caregiver Education and Tools to Support Personal Responsibility. A more detailed explanation of these needs, the data used to identify them and the actions John C. Lincoln Health Network plans to implement to meet these needs can be found in the complete Community Health Needs Assessment published on the John C. Lincoln Health Network website.

In the second quarter of 2013, the John C. Lincoln Health Network reached an agreement to affiliate with Scottsdale Healthcare, a neighboring not-for profit hospital network operating three hospitals in Scottsdale, Arizona. The affiliation was formalized in October 2014, and the Scottsdale Lincoln Health Network was created.

Over the next few years, the newly formed Scottsdale Lincoln Health Network will focus on the integration of the two legacy organizations into a single organization. These integration efforts will directly and indirectly impact the identified health needs for John C. Lincoln North Mountain Hospital. This updated Community Health Needs Assessment Implementation Plan includes the areas where the creation of the Scottsdale Lincoln Health Network will have the opportunity to impact the health needs of the John C. Lincoln North Mountain Hospital community. In some instances, new actions may be identified through the integration, while in others; previously identified actions may no longer be appropriate or applicable.

Throughout the integration process, John C. Lincoln North Mountain continues to be committed to its roots of providing community service to the people it serves.