

2014 Meigs County Creating Healthy Communities Interventions

Healthy Eating

Community

- One new grocery store will be opened in the Village of Middleport, increasing access to fresh healthy foods. The store will accept SNAP and WIC vouchers to accommodate residents in highest need.
- The Meigs County Juvenile Court Community Diversion Program will expand the community garden in Syracuse, which started in 2012. Produce from the garden will be donated to a local food pantry.

School

- The garden at Meigs Local High School will be expanded from 2013 efforts. Produce will be distributed to the school cafeteria as well as local food pantries, increasing access of fresh fruits and vegetables.

Active Living

Community

- A basketball court will be repaired and resurfaced at Ferman Moore Park in Middleport
- A new playground will be installed in the village of Tappers Plains.
- A shared use agreement will be adopted in one of the priority communities in Meigs County.

Tobacco Free Living

Worksite/Community

- A smoke free campus policy will be adopted at a worksite or recreation area in the village of Pomeroy.
- A smoke free campus policy will be adopted at a worksite or recreation area in the village of Tappers Plains.

Community

- At least one multi-unit housing complex in the priority community of Middleport will implement a 100% tobacco free policy.

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