

COUNTY LEADER FORUM

Agenda

October 11, 2011



PURPOSE

Live Well Live Atchison organized this forum as a way to gain input from respected leaders in Atchison County on how we can work together to improve the health of our community. In order to better understand Atchison's needs, we hope you will participate in a discussion of your health concerns, your hope for Atchison's future, and your ideas for community priorities. Ultimately, we're here to listen to your ideas — we just hope you will share them.

GUIDELINES

Please feel free to participate as much or as little as you would like. We value your ideas and perspectives, so we hope you will share your knowledge and expertise both with the Live Well Live Atchison committee as well as your peers. In order to keep the discussion moving, we ask that you limit the duration of any single comment to 3 minutes or less; however, you should feel free to comment as many times as you would like. If you would prefer to submit written comments, instead of contributing verbally, please feel free to use the notepads and baskets provided to you.

5:30 – 5:45 p.m.	Dinner Please help yourself to the buffet line	
5:45 – 5:50 p.m.	Welcome and Introductions	John Jacobson CEO <i>Atchison Hospital</i>
5:50 – 5:55 p.m.	Why We're Here Meeting purpose and goals	Aggie Asher Social Work Manager <i>Atchison Hospital</i>
5:55 – 6:10 p.m.	Understanding the Challenge Atchison County's health profile: What does the data mean?	Caitlin McMurtry Analyst Kansas Health Institute
6:10 – 6:30 p.m.	GROUP DISCUSSION Facing the Challenge What are the areas of greatest concern in the County Health Rankings?	Rick Berger President & CEO Berger Company
6:30 – 6:50 p.m.	Envisioning a Better Future What is your vision of Atchison County in 10 years from an overall health perspective?	Caitlin McMurtry
6:50 – 7:15 p.m.	Prioritize the Response How would you prioritize a response to resolve these concerns and achieve this vision?	
7:15 – 7:30 p.m.	Moving Forward What are our next steps? What will be done about these challenges?	Live Well Live Atchison