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CANCER OUTCOMES REPORT

FY 2015

Fisher-Titus is dedicated to early detection and treatment of cancer as well as the best care for each patient we treat.



PROGRAM OUTCOMES AND COMMUNITY OUTREACH

If you or a loved one is dealing with cancer, it's important you have a facility close to home that will provide everything you need for the best possible treatment, recovery and comfort.

Fisher-Titus Medical Center's Cancer Program has been Accredited by the American College of Surgeon's Commission on Cancer since 1989 assuring our patients that they are receiving the highest quality cancer care.

The Oncology & Hematology Department at Fisher-Titus serves the community with board certified physicians and experienced nurses who are specially trained in the treatment of oncology patients. Cleveland Clinic Cancer Centers-North Coast Cancer medical oncologist-hematologists and radiation oncologists are available for patient treatment and follow-up at the Fisher-Titus Cancer Care Center.

Huron County Health Assessment

In 2014, 11% of Huron County adults had been diagnosed with cancer at some time in their life, increasing to 25% for those over the age of 65.

Of those diagnosed with cancer they reported the following types: prostate (23%), breast (21%), other skin cancer (19%), melanoma (7%).

Huron County's Incidence of Cancer 2007-2011/All Types 1,624 cases

Prostate: 209 cases (13%)

Breast: 208 cases (13%)

Colon and Rectum: 187 cases (12%)

Prevention Programs

Skin Cancer Prevention

Huron County Health assessment showed 19% of residents reported they had skin cancer.

As a large agricultural community this was concerning, so educational programs were held at three local high schools.

The program included a video, "Dear 16 Year Old Me" and a presentation on skin cancer by Dr. Scott Kaple, Family Medicine.

Programs:

10/14/2015: 75 attendees

10/15/2015: 40 attendees

10/2/2015: 22 attendees

Pretest completed with Posttest follow up within 2 months

Results:

Sunscreen use: 14% increase

Tanning bed use: 51% decrease

Skin checks: 54% increase

Screening Programs

Skin Cancer Screening

Huron County Health assessment showed 19% of residents reported they had skin cancer.

Events:

Skin Cancer screenings

4/25/2015: 102 attendees

- 7 presumptive squamous cell
- 1 suspected melanoma
- 28 referred on for further testing and/or biopsy.

10/24/2015: 16 attendees

- 14 referred on for further testing and/or biopsy. On further follow-up 1 had squamous cell removed.

Breast Cancer

Huron County Health assessment showed 21% of population had breast cancer and only 52% of women over 40 had a mammogram, with only 19% of low -income having a mammogram.

Through a Susan G. Komen grant

mammogram screening events were held.

Physical exams are also part of the screening.

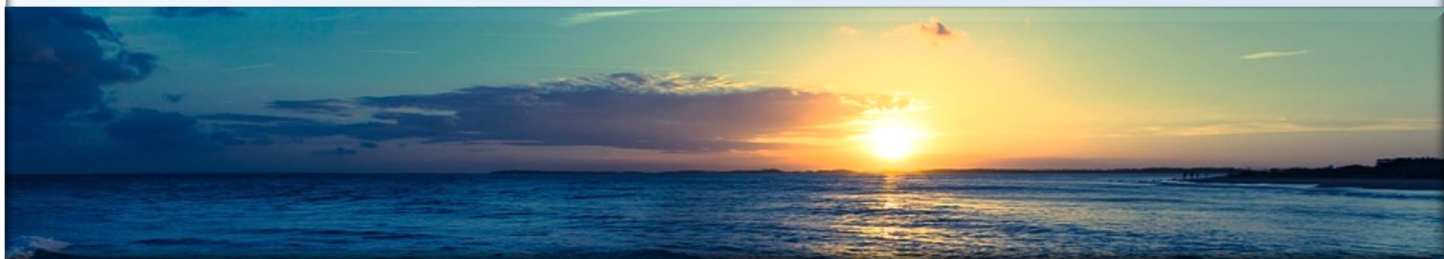
Komen Screenings:

2/21/2015: 16 attendees

8/8/2015: 9 attendees

11/21/2015: 6 attendees

3 attendees had negative diagnostic follow up.



Outreach Programs

Sun Damage Awareness

Huron County Health assessment showed 19% of residents reported they had skin cancer.

Huron County is a large agricultural, seasonal outside work community.

Distributed information on skin damage awareness and offered derma scans for farmers, construction workers, master gardeners and the general population.

Posttest follow up will occur in 2016.

Awareness:

4/8/2015: 15 attendees	7/27/2015: 40 attendees	9/30/2015: 14 attendees
5/15/2015: 26 attendees	8/17/2015: 10 attendees	10/24/2015: 40 attendees
5/30/2015: 42 attendees	8/24/2015: 86 attendees	11/7/2015: 11 attendees
7/18/2015: 21 attendees	9/10/2015: 32 attendees	

Prostate PSA screenings offered at community blood screening events.

Events:

2/7/2015: 30 attendees	10/24/2015: 20 attendees
4/18/2015: 45 attendees	10 abnormal reported to PCP

Walking Programs

The World Cancer Research Fund estimates that about 1/4 to 1/3 of the new cancer cases expected to occur in the U.S. will be related to overweight or obesity and/or physical inactivity. Monthly Walk with a Doc events are offered as well as a Couch to 5K event.

Events:

1/17/2015	4/29/2015	9/23/2015
1/24/2015	5/11/2015	10/10/2015
2/23/2015	6/16/2015	11/5/2015
3/14/2015	8/4/2015	

465 attendees from the various events.



Additional Programs

Cancer Support Group

Assists patients and their loved ones with information, resources and support

Dates held: 1/27 and 3/24

5 participants

American Cancer Society

American Cancer Society program to help female cancer patients manage appearance and related side effects of chemotherapy.

Dates held: 1/12 and 3/9

5 participants

Tobacco Cessation

A trained respiratory therapist works one on one on tobacco cessation support and nicotine patches. 72 individuals assisted.

Anti-Tobacco Campaign Bookmark

125 fifth graders designed bookmarks discouraging tobacco use. Bookmarks were then printed and distributed in various public locations.

Cancer Patients Support

American Cancer Society Relay for Life

Girls Night Out

Cancer Services of Huron and Erie County



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