Rides to Health & Wealth Network

BUILDING RURAL TRANSPORTATION IN WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI
Two Organizations
One Goal
Zero Poverty
Rider Profile – Leo’s Story

CONDITION: Bone infection (diabetes-related foot problem)

NEED: Daily hyperbaric oxygen therapy.


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Transportation Value Chain

SUPPLY
- Public Transit
- Service Transit
- Non-Emergency Medical Transit

SUPPORT
- Community Funders
- Local Govt.
- Transportation Agencies
- Pop. Health Funders

DEMAND
- Employers & Education
- Hospitals, Clinics, FQHC
- Social Service

Impacting Lives in our Local Communities
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Strategic planning

1. Health and Wealth Network
2. Rides to Health and Wealth program

Golden Valley Memorial Health
Compass Health
Nevada Regional Medical Center
Heartland Behavioral Health
Missouri Rural Health Assoc.
County Health Departments
Vernon County Ambulance
Disabled American Veterans

Independent Living Groups
Care Connection
Healthy Nevada
Family Court – Henry County
Cottey College
Regional Planning Commission
MU Extension
WCMCAA/ New Growth
HealthTran -- Ride Resourcing and Coordination
HealthTran in action across Missouri

Health Care Collaborative of Rural Missouri
Buckner, Carrollton, Concordia, Lexington, and Waverly
(Lafayette and surrounding counties)

Your Community Health Center
Rolla – Phelps County

Northwest Health Services
St. Joseph and area

Community Interagency Council
West Plains -- Howell County
What's in it for us?
Health and Wealth Network Mission & Vision

**Mission:**
Connecting Resources, Building Collaboration

**Vision:**
Residents have resources and opportunities to thrive
Sustainability

Partnerships Beyond Health Care:

**Revenue:**
Employers, Education, Network Memberships, Public Transit Initiatives

**Funding:**
Private and Public Transit Funding, Diversified Grant Funding
Outcomes for Leo

HealthTran coordinated stretcher rides brought rural hospital $13,000 in Medicare payments, saved other costs and penalties (readmission).

EXAMPLE

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