



CHRONIC CARE COLLABORATIVE'S SIX PRIORITY ISSUES:

1. Long term care based upon a foundation of integrated home and community based services
2. Mental health and services to person who have chronic disease
3. Integration of Medicare and Medicaid to maximize services and benefits
4. Eliminate exclusions in insurance policies related to pre-existing conditions or genetic screens
5. Clinical trials – continuing private and public health insurance benefits for insured who participate in clinical trials
6. Prevention and wellness – to continue life enhancing opportunities.

A SEAT AT THE TABLE:

Administrative policy makers seeking expertise

- **Board of Health Advisory Committee** (Department of Health and Environment) a governor appointed consumer seat to develop the rules and regulations for personal care homes and related organizations.
- **Long Term Care Advisory Committee** (Department of Health Care Policy and Financing) a committee member to develop recommendations for programs and program modifications that will help create a coordinated continuum of long-term care services and a unified LTC delivery system.
- **Silverprint Long Term Care Committee** (follow-up to the 2005 White House Conference on Aging) a committee member which is charged to develop the section on the website and a strategic plan for long term care for Colorado.
- **Center for Improving Value in Health Care** (CIVHC) appointment by the Governor as a member of the Consumer Engagement Subcommittee to advise State on public insurance strategies; leverage commitment from public and private sector; integrate the work of other public and private entities in the state related to health care.