



The Colorado Health Foundation™

**About The Colorado Health Foundation**

We work to make Colorado the healthiest state in the nation by increasing the number of Coloradans with health insurance, ensuring they have access to quality, coordinated care and encouraging healthy living.

The Foundation invests in the community through grants and initiatives to health-related nonprofits that focus on these goals, as well as by operating medical education programs to increase the health care workforce.

**Mission & Values**

Collaboration is the best medicine for Colorado's lagging health status. Everything we do is done with others. Only by bringing together individuals, organizations and resources can we hope to overcome the barriers to better health.

**Vision:**

Colorado will become the healthiest state in the nation.

**Mission:**

To improve the health and health care of Coloradans by increasing access to quality health care and encouraging healthy life style choices.

**Goals:**

All Coloradans have:

- Access to the components of *Healthy Living* – nutritious food, physical activity and disease management tools – because these are key to staying healthy.
- *Health Coverage* because people who do are more likely to receive necessary care.
- Quality, coordinated *Health Care* because those who do are healthier.

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