

2019-2023 Pennsylvania Cancer Control Plan

Report Card

The 2019-2023 Pennsylvania Cancer Control Plan guides statewide efforts for five years to ensure that resources from state, federal, and other sources are targeted to make the greatest impact on Pennsylvania's cancer burden. Clicking on the Cancer Plan sections below will display graphs that track progress towards reaching the 19 goals outlined in the cancer plan.

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The Cancer Plan was developed by a broad stakeholder group working in all aspects of cancer control, with guidance from The Pennsylvania Comprehensive Cancer Control Program (PCC) and the Pennsylvania Department of Health (PADOH). This 2019-2023 Cancer Plan Goals Report Card was created by the PCC's evaluation partner: the Research and Evaluation group at Public Health Management Corporation (PHMC). Click [here](#) to view the full Cancer Plan.



How to use this Report Card: All colorful squares are interactive, you can click on them to take you to their designated page. On the Overview page, you can also click on the progress symbols next to each goal to be taken to the page with that goal's chart. Please contact Heather Batson at PHMC with any questions about how to use this report card: heather@phmc.org

Overview of All Goals

On this page you will find a snapshot of the 21 Cancer Plan Goals with a symbol indicating their progress towards completion. Click the symbol next to any goal, and you will be brought to the page of that goal.



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Goal In Progress



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Increasing Health Equity



Goal 1.1: Increase the percentage of Pennsylvanians with a regular health care provider by 1.5%.



Goal 2.1: Increase the percentage of patients that report that their doctor always communicated well by 3 percentage points.

Prevention through Healthy Behaviors



Goal 3.1: Increase the percentage of adolescents, male and female, aged 13-17, who complete the two-dose HPV or are up to date with the vaccination series by 20%.



Goal 4.1: Decrease the percent of current adult smokers by 4%.



Goal 4.2: Increase the number of radon positive homes with an operational mitigation system by 5%.



Goal 5.1: Increase the percent of melanomas diagnosed at an early stage by 3%.



Goal 6.1: Decrease the rate of adult obesity by 2%.



Goal 6.2: Decrease the rate of childhood obesity by 1%.



Goal 7.1: Reduce the growth of HCV among adolescents and young adults, aged 15 to 34 years by 24.6%.

Screening and Early Detection of Priority Cancers



Goal 8.1: Increase the percentage of women who have had a mammogram in the past two years by 5%.



Goal 9.1: Increase the percentage of women aged 21-65 who have had a pap test in the past three years by 5%.



Goal 10.1: Increase the percentage of Pennsylvanians aged 50-75 who received one of the recommended CRC screenings per USPSTF guidelines by 6%.



Goal 11.1: Increase the percentage of lung cancers diagnosed at an early stage by 5%.



Goal 12.1: Increase the percentage of prostate cancers diagnosed at an early stage by 7%.

Diagnosis and Treatment of Cancer Patients

Goals 13.1, 14.1, and 15.1 are under development. See the Diagnosis and Treatment of Cancer Patients page by clicking this box for more information.

Quality of Life of Cancer Survivors



Goal 15.2: Decrease the percent of cancer survivors who smoke by 5.2%.



Goal 15.3: Decrease the percent of cancer survivors aged 18 and older who reported no physical activity in their leisure time by 1%.



Goal 15.4: Increase PAs pain management policy for cancer survivors rating from "51% to 80%" to "above 80%" to align with national policy





Goal 15.5: Improve PA's grade for palliative care in health systems from 68% (B) to 80% (A)


Increasing Health Equity


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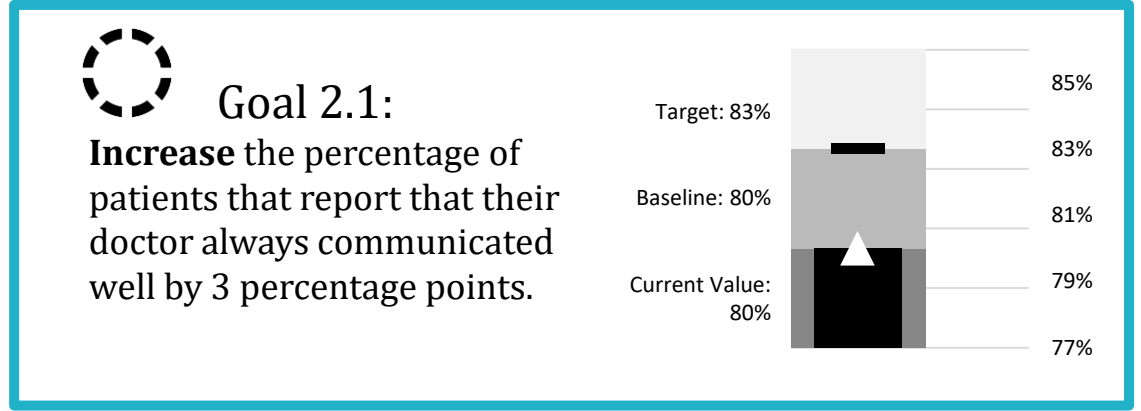
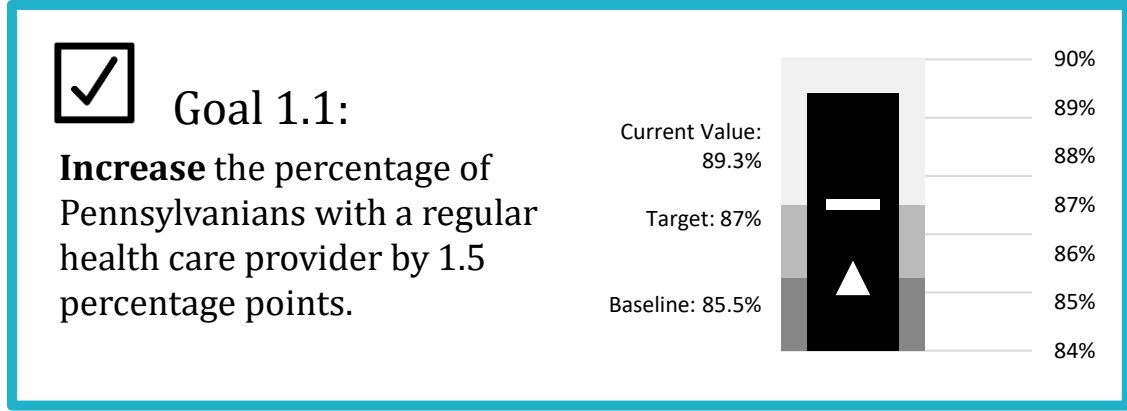
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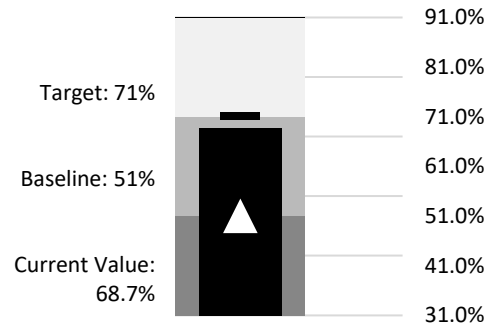
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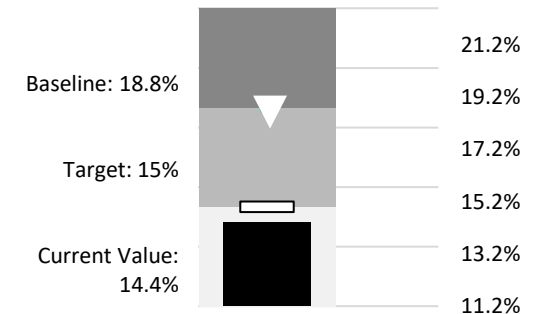
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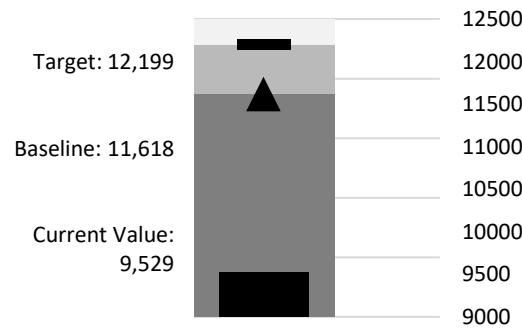
Goal 4.1

Decrease the percent of current adult smokers by 4%



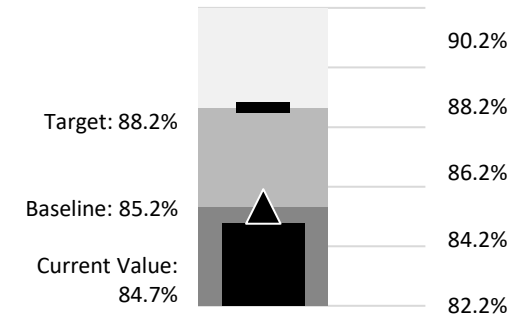
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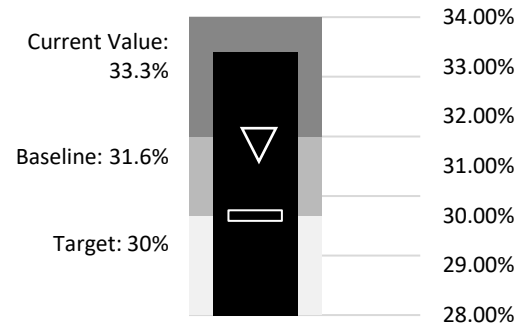
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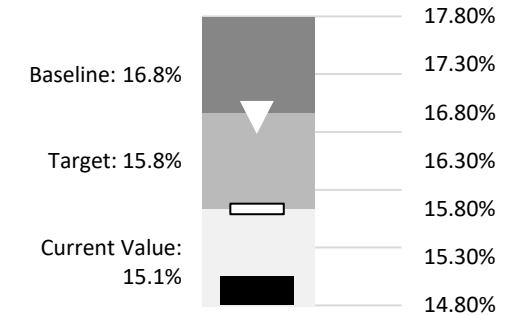
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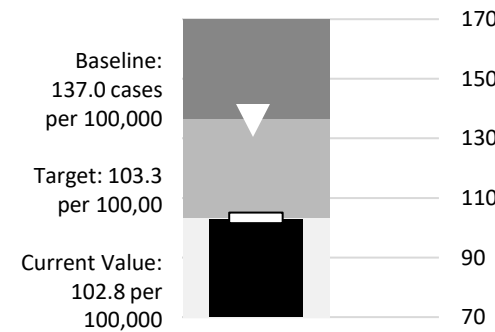
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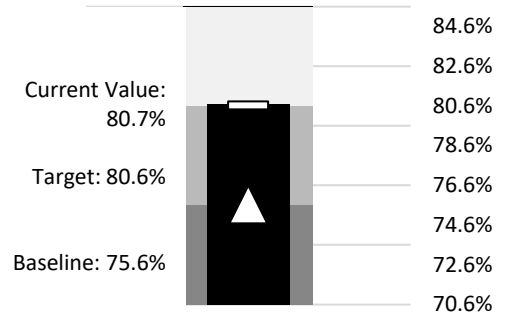
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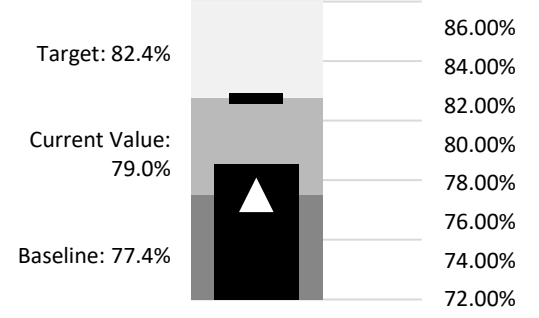
Goal 8.1:
Increase the percentage of women who have had a mammogram in the past two years by 5%.




Current Value:	80.7%
Target:	80.6%
Baseline:	75.6%



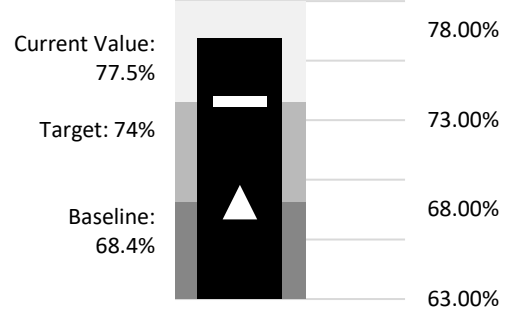
Goal 9.1:
Increase the percentage of women aged 21-65 who have had a pap test in the past three years by 5%.



Current Value:	79.0%
Target:	82.4%
Baseline:	77.4%



Goal 10.1:
Increase the percentage of Pennsylvanians aged 50-75 who received one of the recommended colorectal cancer screenings per USPSTF guidelines within the recommended interval by 6 percentage points



Current Value:	77.5%
Target:	74%
Baseline:	68.4%

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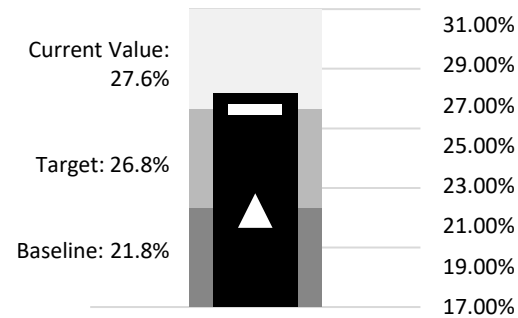
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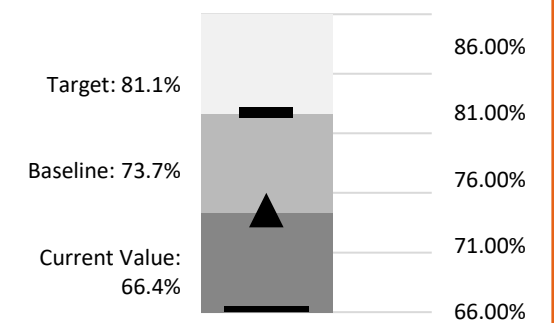
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Goal 13.1:
Increase the number of Pennsylvanians participating in clinical trials.

Regional cancer centers have convened a committee to measure clinical trial participation in PA: This will become a baseline measure.

Goal 14.1:
Expand public and provider awareness of and increase patient access to genetic counseling and testing.

The Genetics and Genomics workgroup was formed and is developing a toolkit for primary care providers to use with patients.

Goal 15.1:
Goal 15.1 is still in development; progress will be updated once the goal is finalized.

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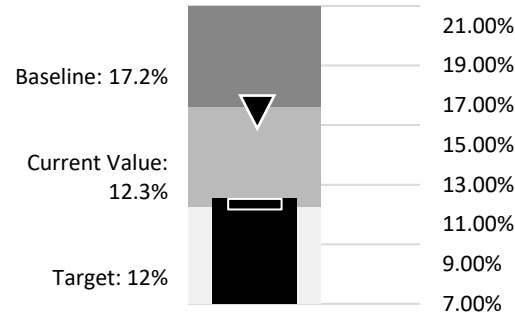


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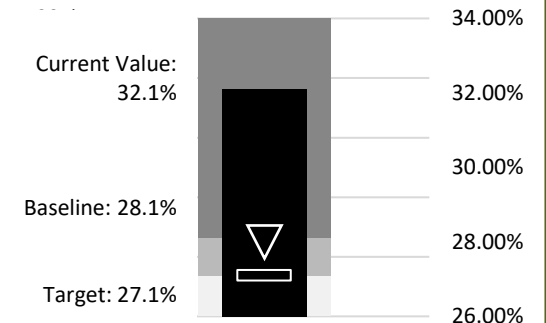
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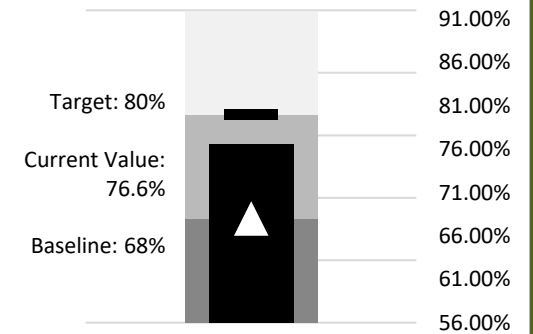
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