



Michigan Cancer Consortium Goals for 2009 – 2015

Breast Cancer:

Reduce the breast cancer death rate in Michigan.

Cancer Genomics:

Increase availability of cancer-related genetic information to the Michigan public and decrease barriers to risk-appropriate services.

Cancer Survivorship:

Improve the quality of life for cancer survivors in Michigan.

Cervical Cancer:

Reduce the cervical cancer death rate in Michigan by 30 percent.

Childhood Cancers:

Improve the quality of life for childhood cancer survivors in Michigan.

Colorectal Cancer:

By 2015, increase to 75 percent the proportion of average-risk people in Michigan who report having received appropriate colorectal cancer screening and follow-up of abnormal screening results.

End-of-Life Care:

By 2015, prevent and reduce avoidable suffering up to, and during, the last phase of life for persons with cancer by specified data markers.

Environmental/Occupational Cancers:

Improve education about environmental/occupational exposures and cancer risk in Michigan.

Healthy Lifestyles:

Increase the number of Michigan residents who adopt a healthy lifestyle by improving their knowledge, motivation, and opportunity to adopt a healthy nutritional regimen and obtain adequate physical activity levels to maintain good health.

Ovarian Cancer:

Improve understanding of, and access to, genetic counseling services for women who may be at high risk for developing ovarian cancer.

Prostate Cancer:

Make available prostate cancer symptom management materials for providers, survivors and families.

Skin Cancer:

Reduce melanoma cancer death rates in Michigan.

Tobacco Control/Lung Cancer:

Promote tobacco addiction treatment (cessation) among adults and youth.