

## CHI Mission and Ministry

### Project Summary & Goals

CIK was contracted to facilitate a year-long process of bringing stakeholders together to assess community needs and opportunities, and to plan community health and wellness services at the Francis Center. The project included completion of an in-depth study of the Hikes Point community to investigate demographics, health conditions and health outcomes, environmental supports and barriers, and specific community motivators for health behavior. With the information provided through the study and during coalition meetings, CIK developed an action plan and logic model for the creation of health and wellness services at the Francis Center, aligned with University of Louisville Hospital's recent Community Health Needs Assessment and Implementation Strategy.

### Project Dates

July 1, 2016 – June 30, 2017

### Principal Investigators

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### Communities and Partners Involved

CIK served as a partner to KentuckyOne Health, John Paul II Parish, and their joint service to the Hikes Point community of Louisville, KY.

### Funders

This project was funded by Catholic Health Initiatives as a Mission and Ministry planning grant to KentuckyOne Health.

### Key Findings

Following synthesis of secondary data and stakeholder input, the Francis Center proposed a three-year implementation period, during which services would be gradually implemented as specific needs are identified and relationships with the community are enhanced. Throughout the first year, the Francis Center planned to continue to evaluate community health needs, specifically targeting older adults. The Center additionally planned to design and execute a marketing plan to include routine communication with community partners about services and events. The full three-year proposal was submitted to Catholic Health Initiatives for a Mission and Ministry Fund Implementation Grant.