

Six-Month Report 2011 Health Care Access Clinic

The mission of the Health Care Access Clinic, is “to facilitate access and provide health care services for Douglas County residents with limited financial means who are not covered by private or government insurance programs.” The clinic’s top diagnoses include hypertension and diabetes, both chronic conditions that require intensive follow up and usually ongoing medicinal treatment. The Clinic asks \$10 per appointment, but does not turn away anyone based on ability to pay.

For the period January 1 to June 30, 2011, Health Care Access has served over 3365 visits on-site. This reflects a 209% increase in individuals served in the same time period of 2010, due to the increase in medical staff and volunteers. The new Electronic Medical Record system new in May 2010 and our new location near the hospital emergency room and health department have increased our volume and sophistication in many ways.

Measurable Outcomes

GOAL #1: By 2011, 60% of patients with types I and II diabetes mellitus shall have a HgA1C of 9% or less.

7/15/10 status: 57% of all Health Care Access diabetics meet this measurement; 75% of our lead ARNP’s patients meet this measurement.

GOAL #2: 10% increase in private contributions over 2010.

6/30/10 status: We are at 28% of our target goal. New development efforts are being initiated in July in response to this performance.

GOAL #3: Reduce wait-time for scheduled appointments to 4 weeks or less.

6/30/10 status: Increased medical staff and volunteers have reduced a prior 12 week wait to elimination of wait time. Same-day and next-day appointments are filled daily.

Expenditure Summary

As of June 30, 2011 general clinical program expenses totaled \$368,264 - 61% of our annual budget.