

HCA Sets New Goals

Last year, the Health Care Agency joined several other County departments and initiated the process for creating a balanced scorecard. The Balanced Scorecard ensures that the Agency's services align with the County's strategic goals. It also provides HCA with tools to measure progress and communicate the Agency's successes.

A set of new goals have currently been established by HCA and noted in the following table:

VISION STATEMENT	<i>Working Together for a Healthier Tomorrow</i>			
MISSION STATEMENT	<i>In partnership with the community, protect and promote the health & safety of individuals and families in Orange County through assessment and planning, prevention and education, and treatment and care.</i>			
CORE SERVICE AREA	ASSESSMENT AND PLANNING	PREVENTION AND EDUCATION	TREATMENT AND CARE	ADMINISTRATION AND WORKFORCE
GOALS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To be well prepared for any and all disease outbreaks or emergencies 2. To publish major health care studies and implement best practices that will influence health policy across the country. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. To achieve a steady reduction in preventable infections, episodic, and chronic disease morbidity, injury and mortality in Orange County. 4. To promote health and wellness and improve overall quality of life for individuals and families in Orange County. 5. To deliver exceptional health care services that will improve the overall health of the people in Orange County. 		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. To secure and efficiently provide and manage resources to address the health needs of Orange County individuals and families 7. To become the employer of choice in Orange County