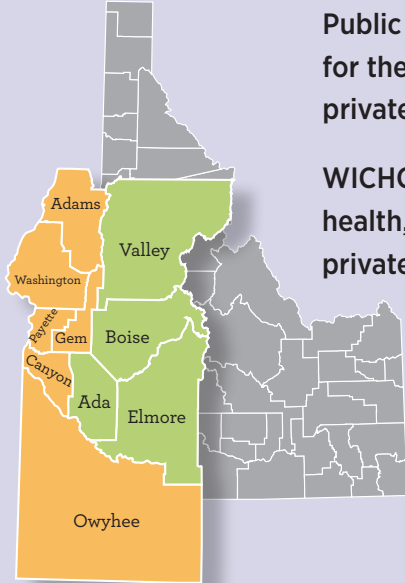


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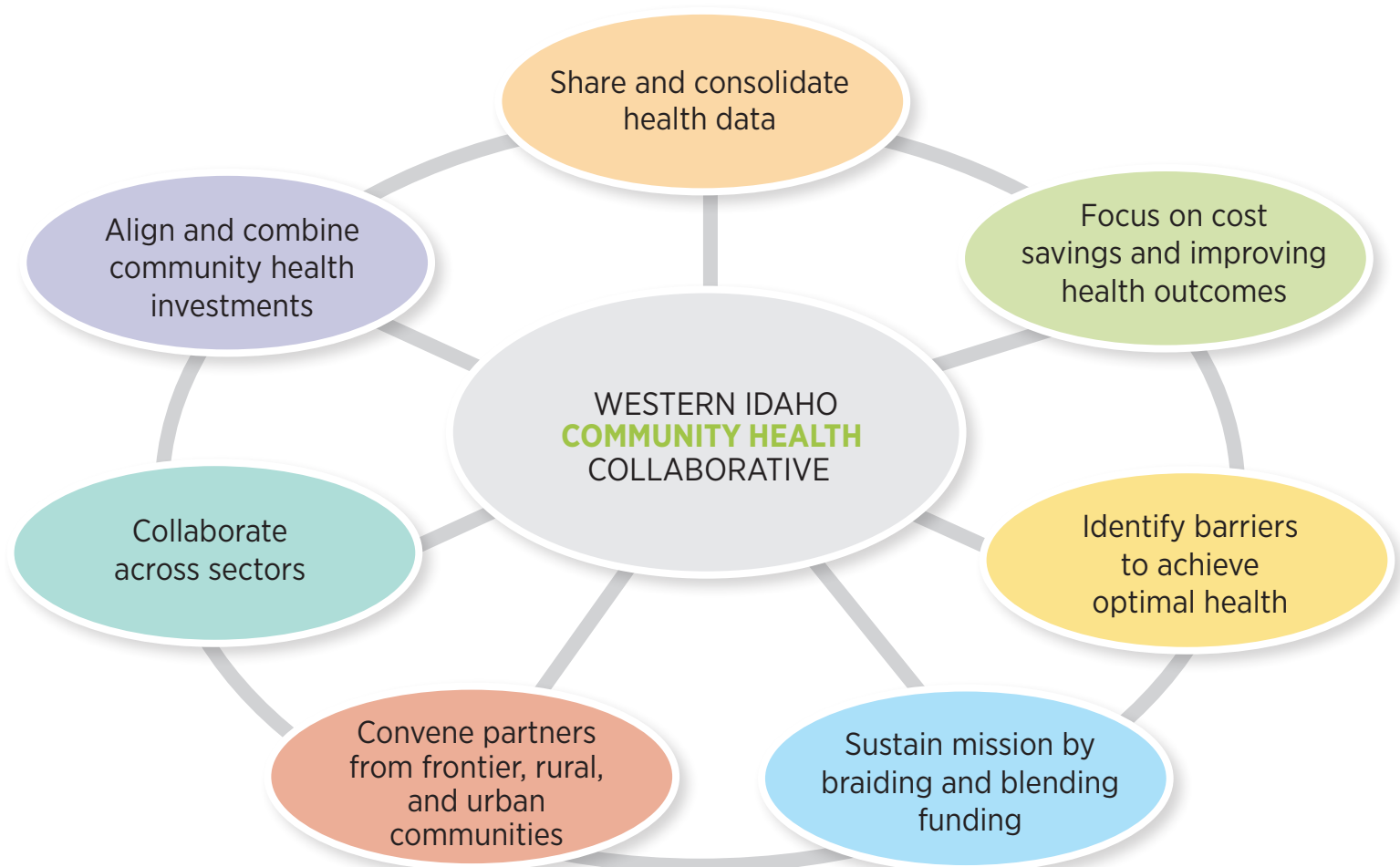


Public Health Districts III and IV are requesting \$105,400 in one-time funding for 1.2 FTE for the Western Idaho Community Health Collaborative (WICHC). Due to the increase in private funding, this is a 12% decrease from last year (\$119,400 FY20).

WICHC is a ten-county multi-sector partnership that brings together healthcare, public health, and social service agencies to address community health through upstream private and public investments.

MATCHING WICHC PRIVATE FUNDERS

- Blue Cross of Idaho
- Foundation for Health
- Saint Alphonsus
- St. Luke's Health System
- PacificSource Health Plans
- United Way of Treasure Valley





WICHC Accomplishments

Since Receipt of Funding on July 1, 2019:

Organization + Development

- Established charter for Funding Council and WICHC
 - Finalized membership and elected officers
 - Aligned multi-sector stakeholders and advocated for a sixth guiding principle to the Idaho Medicaid Value-Based Purchasing Request for Information to address the social determinants of health
 - Established a multi-sector data workgroup to determine how data will be compiled and shared to inform the strategic plan
 - Applied to be mentees as part of the Data Across Sectors for Health (DASH) Mentorship program
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Research

- Invited and attended national meeting with subject-matter experts leading similar collaborations in Washington D.C.
 - Reviewed community health data from the ten counties
 - Currently participating in mentorship and learning opportunities with other states (Oregon, Washington, and Colorado) related to community collaborative development
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Funding + Growth

- Added a funding partner, for a total of five private funders — Saint Alphonsus, St. Luke's, PacificSource, Blue Cross of Idaho Foundation for Health, and United Way of Treasure Valley
 - Actively in round two of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation grant application for Aligning Systems for Health, with funding up to \$400,000 for 24 months. WICHC, in collaboration with Boise State University, was selected as one of 27 semifinalists out of 151 proposals
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Upcoming Efforts + Strategies for 2020

- » Establish priority areas and populations (such as Medicaid, 0-5 years old)
 - » Develop and implement strategic plan
 - » Apply for grant funding using funding council dollars as match requirements
 - » Select and fund community-led initiatives
 - » Determine and develop data collection and analytics needs for WICHC
 - » Continue to seek and add private funders
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