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As a friend of PHC, you know how vital our work is to our local communities. In 2017, the PHC developed new partnerships to advance our mission with no federal or state funding. We believe the financial support you provide is an endorsement of our ability to meet local needs — to do the work you value as a community.

Please join our dedicated staff, Board members, friends, partners and local communities who invest in what they believe in.

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# 2017 Annual Report

"The Public Health Council is a place where people share my goals, understand my challenges, and believe that together we can make a difference." — Jeannette Birge, Child and Family Services



Storytime at The Villages at Crafts Hill
Executive Director Alice Ely reads stories to children as part of the
Lebanon Lunch Friends program in July 2017.

# Message from the Board of Directors

Julia Griffin, Chair



The Public Health Council has had another great year! We continued to address leading health concerns for the region by bringing partners together to try new things, expand quality programs, and fill service gaps.

We expanded access to oral health care, provided healthy food to children

during summer months, and protected many neighbors against flu.

We were particularly pleased to welcome the Upper Valley Community Nursing Project to our "family" as this project, which helps elders receive continuity of care and remain independent at home, so nicely reflects our own mission.

The upcoming year promises to be busy, especially for our staff and working groups. In addition to our usual coalition work and project development, we will work with area hospitals to conduct the community health needs assessment they do every three years. We use the results to update our Community Health Improvement Plan. We revise our priorities and strategic direction based on what our communities and partners want from us.

The needs assessment will be complete by the fall of 2018 and we will launch into planning for the next three years of collaborative work. This is a rewarding time to reflect on our progress so far and set a course for the future.

Please join me in supporting the PHC's work in 2018. Together we can make our communities healthier places to live, work, and play.

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#### The Power of Collaboration

Examples of Our Impact

#### **Upper Valley Community Nursing Project**

- PHC now serves as fiscal sponsor for the Upper Valley Community Nursing Project, which provides advocacy, training, and technical assistance for community and parish nursing programs.
- This partnership serves our mission of supporting older adults living in our communities.

#### **Oral Health Care**



People Served by
Upper Valley Smiles for Life

Oral Health Screening, Education, and Referral Pilot Project

 Led to expansion of Ottauquechee Health Foundation's SMILES Program, to serve participants in various NH locations.

## **Healthy Eating & Active Living**



6,670 Summer Meals

**3 Lebanon Sites**Rivermere
Romano Circle
The Villages at Crafts Hill

**460** Volunteer Hours

- Partnered with Alice Peck Day Memorial Hospital, LISTEN Community Services, Hartford Community Coalition, and Twin Pines Housing Trust to pilot Lebanon Lunch Friends, a summer meal program for low-income children in Lebanon.
- Sponsored an evaluation of 4 area summer meal programs to explore opportunities for growth.

#### **Financial Information**

#### 2017 Statement of Activities

#### INCOME

Donations	
Individual	\$4,045
Municipalities	\$13,657
Corporations	\$80,087
Foundations -	\$68,148
State Program Grants	\$0
Federal Program Grants	\$0
Other Income	\$144

#### **EXPENSES**

Total Income

Personnel	\$70,055
Professional Fees	\$2,571
Occupancy	\$4,200
Direct Program Expenses	\$63,740
Travel Expenses	\$1,508
Other Expenses	\$5,298
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Total Expenses	\$147.372

Net Ordinary Income\* \$18,709

### Increase Preventive Care



1,106
Free Flu Shots Given

\$166.081

### **5 Community Clinics**

Plainfield, NH Enfield, NH Canaan, NH Orford, NH So. Royalton, VT

 Students from Geisel Medical School administered vaccine donated by Dartmouth-Hitchcock.

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<sup>\*</sup>Committed to 2018 program support.