

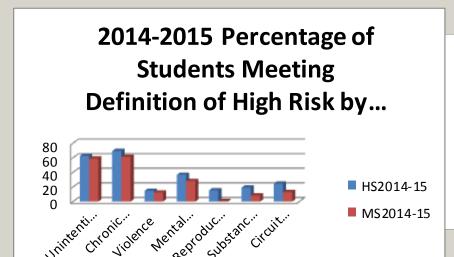
## **ADOLESCENT HEALTH INITIATIVES**

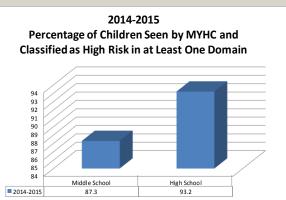
### **SUMMARY**

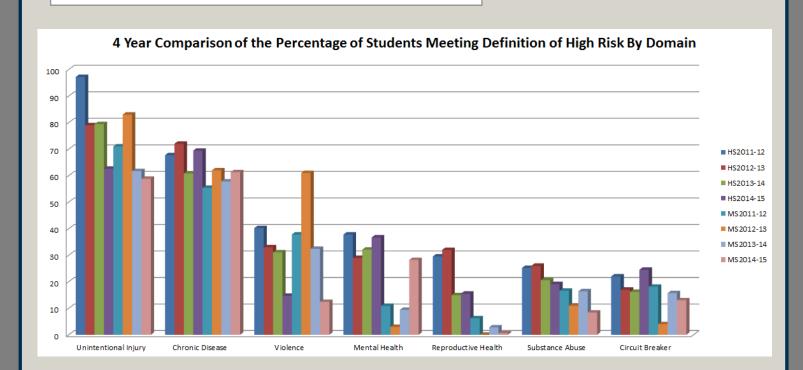
The Mobile Youth Health Center provides services to adolescents in Allentown, Bethlehem, and Panther Valley Schools through the HealthStar medical vans. This program serves students with health needs and with a special focus on uninsured adolescents.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

High Risks are identified by each student completing an adolescent high risk assessment. A "Circuit Breaker" indicates that there is potential for immediate harm.







# **SUCCESSES** -The report card below shows how the students we serve in all 3 school districts compare to the HP 2020 targets.

Objective	Baseline	2020	MYHC	High	Middle
	Daseille	Target	Data	School	School
Indicates an IMPROVEMENT when compared to the HP2020 Target Data.		Target	(N = 601)	(n = 278)	(n = 323)
Indicates a DECLINE when compared to the Healthy People 2020 Target Data					
AH-1 Increase the proportion of adolescents who have had a wellness checkup in the past 12 months	68.7% (2008)	75.6%	59.7%	57.2%	61.9%
OH-7 Increase the proportion of children, adolescents, and adults who used the oral health care system in the past year	44.5% (2007)	49.0%	63.7%	66.2%	61.6%
AH-2 Increase the proportion of adolescents who participate in extracurricular and/or out-of-school activities	82.4% (2007)	90.6%	53.2%	52.5%	53.9%
AH-3.1 Increase the proportion of adolescents who have an adult in their lives with whom they can talk about serious problems	75.7% (2008)	83.3%	89.0%	89.9%	88.2%
SA-1 Reduce the proportion of adolescents who report that they rode, during the previous 30 days, with a driver who had been drinking alcohol (grades 9 -12).	28.3% (2008)	25.5%	1.8%	1.8%	1.9%
SA-13.1 Reduce the proportion of adolescents reporting use of alcohol or any illicit drugs during the past 30 days (12-17 years)	18.4% (2008)	16.6%	3.5%	5.8%	1.5%
AH-7 Reduce the proportion of adolescents who have been offered, sold, or given an illegal drug on school property	22.7% (2009)	20.4%	1.7%	2.9%	0.6%
SA-13.2 Reduce the proportion of adolescents reporting use of marijuana during the past 30 days (12-17 years).	6.7% (2008)	6.0%	3.2%	5.8%	0.9%
SA-14.4 Reduce the proportion of persons engaging in binge drinking during the past month—adolescents aged 12 to 17 years.	9.5% (2008)	8.6%	0.7%	0.7%	0.6%
SA-21 Reduce the proportion of adolescents who use inhalants (12-17 years).	4.0% (2008)	NA	0.5%	0%	0.9%
TU-2.2 Reduce use of cigarettes by adolescents (past month): 9 - 12 grade.	19.5% (2009)	16.0%	3.7%	6.5%	1.2%
TU-3.1 Reduce the initiation of the use of tobacco products among children and adolescents aged 12 to 17 years	7.7% (2008)	5.7%	7.7%	13.3%	2.8%
IVP-36 Reduce weapon carrying by adolescents on school property	5.6% (2009)	4.6%	1.2%	0.4%	1.9%
IVP-34 Reduce physical fighting among adolescents	31.5% (2009)	28.4%	14.8%	14.0%	15.5%
IVP-15 Increase use of safety belts	84.0% (2009)	92.0%	84.0%	82.0%	85.8%

### **CHALLENGES & NEXT STEPS**

As the Adopt a School initiative rolls out in districts across network locations we look forward to integrated care.

