



Nevada Cancer Plan 2026-2030

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2026-2030 Nevada Cancer Plan

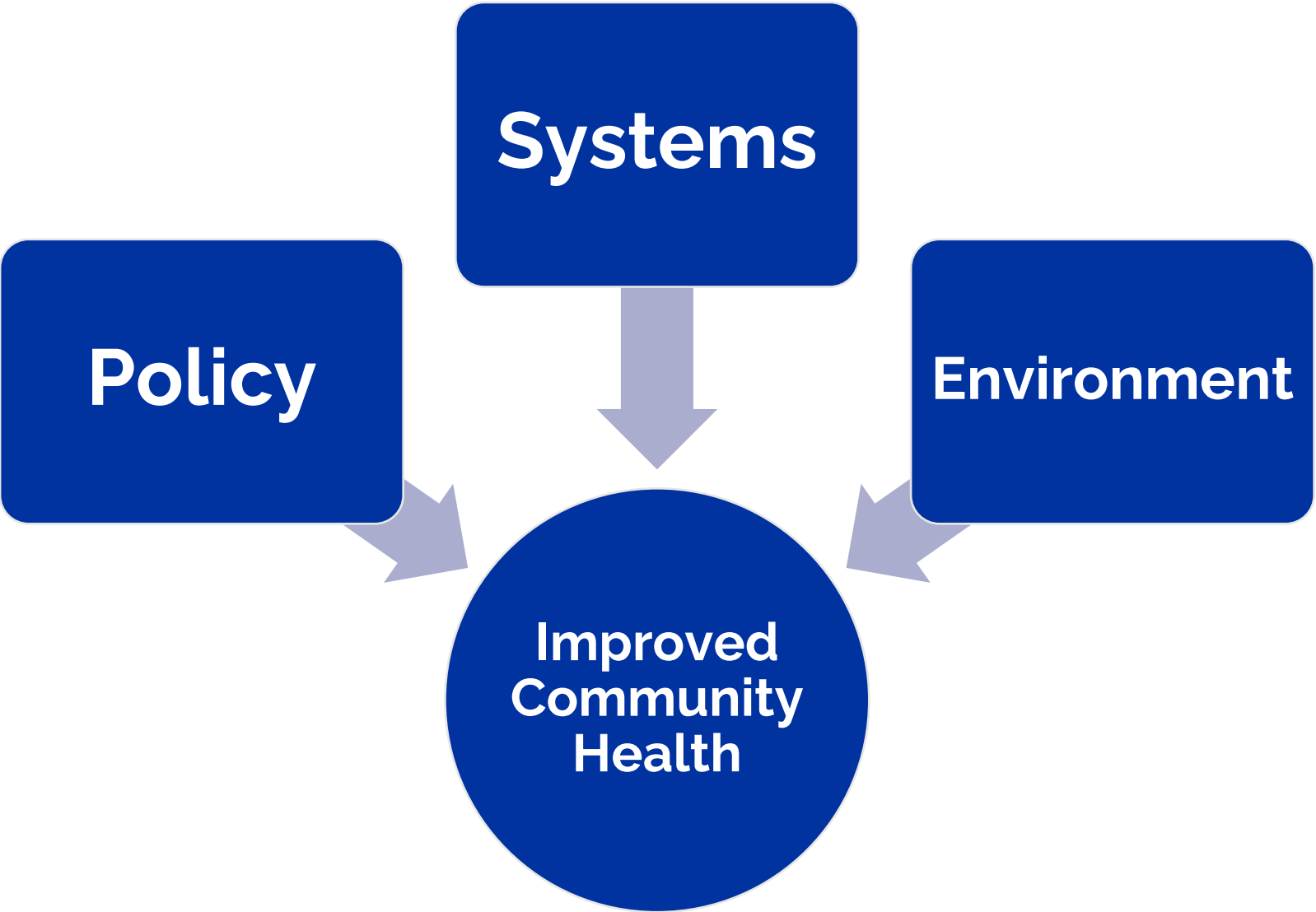
What is it?

- ✓ Framework for action
- ✓ Features Nevada's cancer data
- ✓ Goals and objectives
- ✓ Strategies for achieving progress

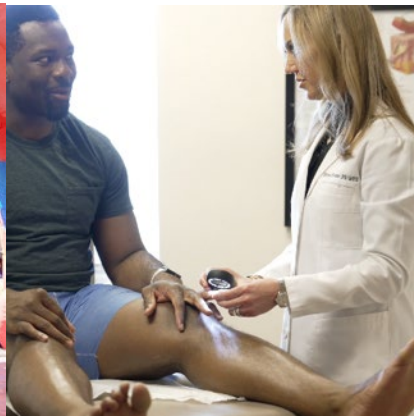




2026-2030 Nevada Cancer Plan - PSE



Who is the Nevada Cancer Plan for?





2026-2030 Nevada Cancer Plan

8 GOAL AREAS

- ✓ Prevent cancer
- ✓ Expand the use of genetics as a risk factor
- ✓ Increase early detection of cancers
- ✓ Support access to affordable, quality health care
- ✓ Improve quality of life
- ✓ Provide high quality data & proactive surveillance
- ✓ Increase cancer research
- ✓ Improve access to care and quality of life for pediatric & AYA cancer survivors





2026-2030 Nevada Cancer Plan Crosscutting Issues

- ✓ Racial and Ethnic Disparities
- ✓ Housing and Food Insecurity
- ✓ Access to Healthcare and Geography
- ✓ Public Health Infrastructure
- ✓ Environmental Exposures





Objectives Development



DATA DRIVEN



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INPUT



CAN WE MEASURE IT?

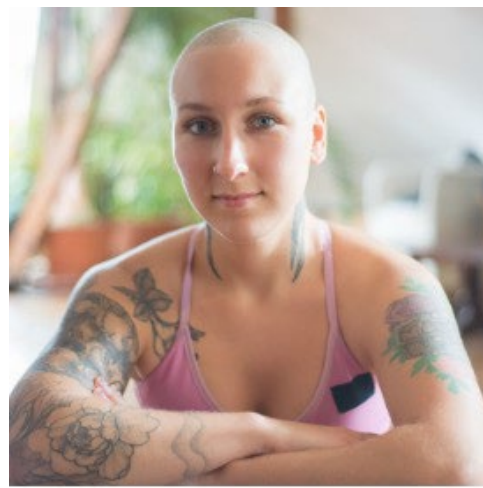


CAN WE ACHIEVE IT?



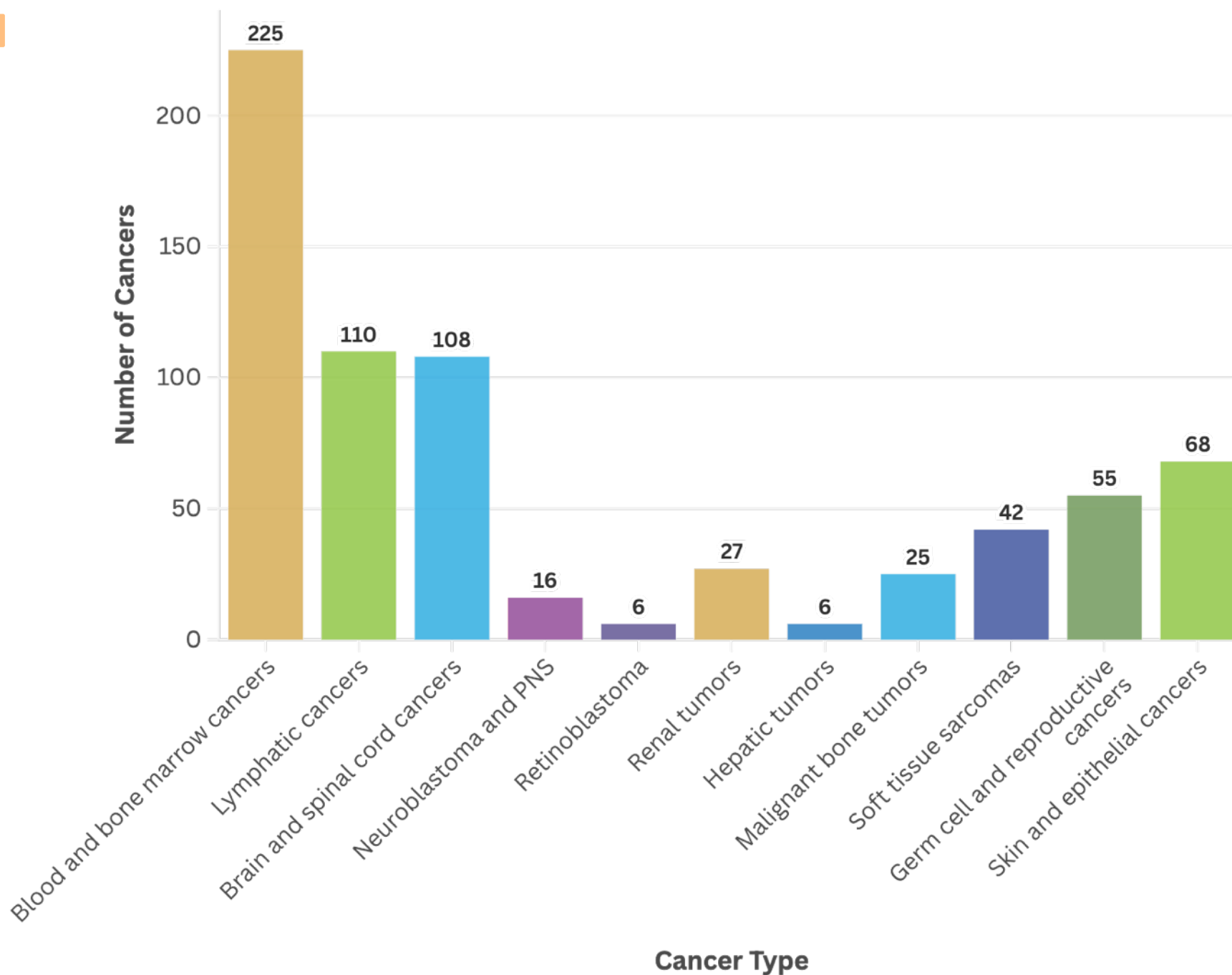


Adding Pediatric & AYA Cancers to the Plan





Incidence/ Case Data



Source: Nevada Central Cancer Registry • Pediatric and Adolescent Cancers in Nevada, 2018-2022. Age-adjusted 5-year counts and annualized incidence rates for those ages 0-19. Cancers are grouped using the International Classification of Childhood Cancer and the dataset includes all childhood cancers recorded in the Nevada Central Cancer Registry that meet this classification for those ages 0-19 when diagnosed.



Workforce & Access Data

Provider Type	Data Year	NV Rate per 100,000	US Rate	Total Count
Pediatric APRN	2024	-	-	68
Pediatric Cardiology	2024	1.9	4.8	14
MDs & DOs, Pediatrics, Gen.	2024	52.2	87.6	375
MDs & DOs, pediatric subspecialties	2024	23.9	45.2	172
MDs, child & adolescent psychiatry	2023	6.7	5.8	48
Other Data Measures	Data Year	NV Rate per 100,000	US Rate	Total Count
Children under 19 without health insurance	2024	8.5	5	-
ABP certified Peds Hem/Onc	2024	1.75	3.85	12
ABP certified all subspecialties	2024	24.78	40.68	170
ABP peds hospice/palliative	2024	0	0.53	0

Source: Physician Workforce in Nevada, 2024, Packham, et. Al.



Other Data

- ✓ In-State vs. Out-of-State Treatment by ICCC Grouping (2018-2022)
 - ✓ 19.27% left the state for all or some treatment; highest rates of travel were for central nervous system cancers, hepatic, cancers, malignant bone tumors and retinoblastoma
 - ✓ 65.4% received all treatment in state
- ✓ Out of State Travel Data – partially estimates, from community organizations
 - ✓ 2 organizations charged 95 families leaving the state for care in 1 year
 - ✓ Averaged 664-847 miles per round trip (# total trips unknown)
 - ✓ Annual out of pocket travel costs per families - \$7,500 - \$10,000 just for travel



And More Data

- ✓ Pediatric Oncology Physician Survey – handful of qualitative responses on perceived needs
- ✓ Childhood Cancer in Nevada data report (2011-2021)

POLICY REPORT

ECONOMIC & FISCAL POLICY



HOUSING AFFORDABILITY IN NEVADA:

An Economic Analysis and Policy Considerations

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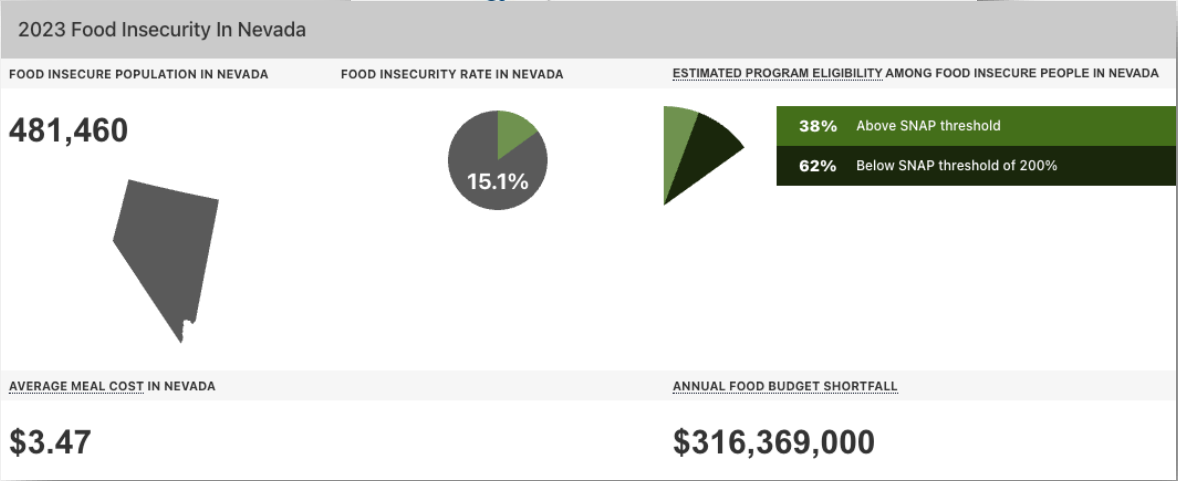
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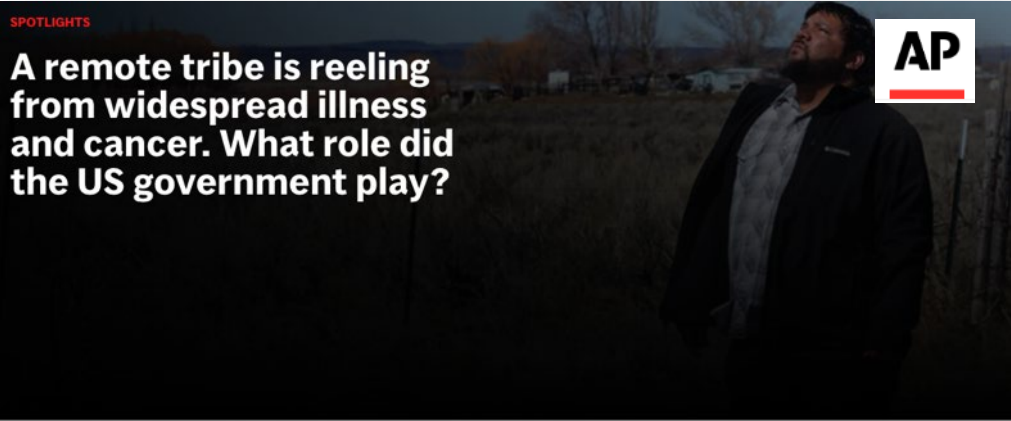


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SPOTLIGHTS



A remote tribe is reeling from widespread illness and cancer. What role did the US government play?

By Gabe Stern
SEPT. 10, 2024

OWYHEE, Nev. (AP) — The family placed flowers by a pair of weathered

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The Goal

Improve access to quality care and supportive resources for individuals and families impacted by cancer among children, adolescents, and young adults.





Objective 1

- ✓ Increase the availability of data for pediatric, adolescent and young adult cancers through complete, accurate, and timely reporting to Nevada's Central Cancer Registry and proactive epidemiological reporting.
 - ✓ Education
 - ✓ Data in, data out
 - ✓ Qualitative data
 - ✓ Federal data initiatives



Objective 2

- ✓ Expand access and participation in research and clinical trials for pediatric and AYA patients.
 - ✓ Education
 - ✓ Community awareness
 - ✓ Improve research infrastructure
 - ✓ Barriers & facilitators



Objective 3

- ✓ Expand access to timely and comprehensive treatment for pediatric and AYA cancers within Nevada.
 - ✓ Education
 - ✓ Workforce assessment, retention, and development
 - ✓ Transition of care
 - ✓ Ancillary programs
 - ✓ Reimbursement parity for telehealth



Objective 4

- ✓ Increase psychosocial support, increase access to long-term follow-up and survivorship, and reduce financial burden on families.
 - ✓ Education
 - ✓ Telehealth & tele-navigation
 - ✓ Expand available resources
 - ✓ Eliminate insurance coverage gaps

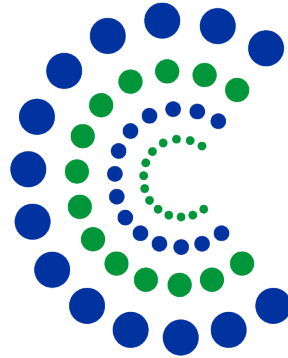




Putting the Plan to Work

- ✓ Pediatric & AYA Collaborative
 - ✓ Data work group forming
- ✓ Cancer Talks podcast – 1 recorded, 1 planned
 - ✓ Family Resources
 - ✓ Parents of pediatric/adolescent patients
- ✓ Advocate for Policy Change
 - ✓ Providing educational materials to legislators in December
- ✓ Webinars and Conferences
 - ✓ 2 sessions at 2025 Nevada Cancer Control Summit; breakout track planned for 2027
 - ✓ Potential Lunch & Learn webinar session

THANK YOU!



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