# **Evaluation of Legacy Partnerships for Healthier Communities**

## **Project Summary & Goals**

The Center for Community Health Development is working with the American Legacy Foundation (Legacy) on a multi-site evaluation of their Legacy Partnerships for Healthier Communities. Moving away from a traditional model of funding agencies to implement programs, Legacy is testing a technical assistance support model that holds promise for increasing local sustainability of successful activities. Legacy has partnered with communities to provide training and technical assistance to build local capacity for tobacco prevention and control. The CCHD team will work with the Legacy Foundation and their partner communities to develop evaluation capacity to measure the effectiveness of their program implementation and outcomes.

## **Principal Investigator**

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#### **Project Dates**

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### **Communities Involved**

Cherokee Nation, OK McDowell County, WV Summers County, WV Lafayette, LA

#### **Funder**

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