Access to preventative health care and nutritious foods are powerful tools in improving community health.

Did You Know?

- Through the Affordable Care Act (ACA) nearly 25,000 Humboldt County residents and over 4 million Californians gained insurance coverage between 2013 and 2015.*
- The ACA has created 367,000 healthcare jobs in California.*
- 15.8 million households were food insecure in the United States in 2015. **
- The United States spends $160 billion annually in healthcare costs resulting from food insecurity. ***

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***BREAD FOR THE WORLD: HUNGER IN 2016

Food for People serves over 12,000 Humboldt County residents each month. Through the combined efforts of charitable organizations and the Federal Safety Net, we can end hunger. Please contact your representatives and ask them to protect the Affordable Care Act and nutrition assistance programs like SNAP and Free and Reduced Price School Meals:

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