



# **ACCION**

***Against Colorectal Cancer  
In Our Neighborhoods***

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# El Paso County



	El Paso	US
Population <sup>1</sup>	820, 790	
Hispanic <sup>2</sup> (%)	81	15
Below poverty (%)	26.6	13.5
Less than HS diploma <sup>2</sup> (%)	30.2	15.4
Uninsured <sup>3</sup> (%)	36	14.7

<sup>1</sup>United States Census Bureau. State and County QuickFacts. <http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/states/48/48141.html>. Accessed August 3, 2012.

<sup>2</sup>US census Bureau. 2005-2009 American Community Survey 5 year Estimates, El Paso County Texas.

<sup>3</sup> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Survey Data. Atlanta, Georgia: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; 2009.



# Program Partners



- TTUHSC Paul L Foster School of Medicine, El Paso
- Dept. of Family and Community Medicine
- Center of Excellence – Cancer

## Community Partners

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cancer &amp; Chronic Disease Consortium</li> <li>• Rio Grande Cancer Foundation</li> <li>• Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church</li> <li>• St Pius Church</li> <li>• All Saints Church</li> <li>• University Medical Center</li> <li>• El Paso Housing Authority</li> <li>• American Cancer Society</li> <li>• La Mujer Obrera</li> <li>• Centro San Vicente Clinic</li> <li>• San Elizario</li> <li>• YMCA</li> <li>• University of Texas at El Paso</li> <li>• Social Work Program</li> <li>• UT-School of Public Health</li> <li>• Texas A&amp;M Colonias Program</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Manhattan Presbyterian Church</li> <li>• San Pablo Lutheran Church</li> <li>• Creative Kids</li> <li>• Our Lady of Guadalupe Church</li> <li>• Sacred Heart Catholic Church</li> <li>• La Fe Clinic</li> <li>• Texas 211 Program</li> <li>• Harvest Clinic</li> <li>• County Senior Center</li> <li>• City Health Dept.</li> <li>• Baptist Clinic</li> <li>• St Stephens Church</li> <li>• TTUHSC-El Paso, Departments of             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Family and Community Medicine</li> <li>• Gastroenterology</li> <li>• Oncology</li> <li>• Surgery</li> <li>• Pathology</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
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# Program Overview



**Community Outreach & Education**  
(N > 6,000)

**Provision of Screening & Diagnostic Tests**  
(N=5,500 FITs  
N=605 COLS)

**Patient Navigation**

## Sustainability

- Promotora
- Video
- Promotora and Video
- Group & Individual

- FIT test
- Colonoscopy

- Tracking & reminders
- Insurance eligibility
- Facilitate PCP access
- Address structural & behavioral barriers
- Scheduling transportation
- Accessing treatment
- PCP communication

# Progress to Date



Period: 8-31-11 – 10-18-2012

- 2168 individuals recruited
- 1662 FIT tests distributed
- 127 colonoscopies indicated
- 1351 tests completed
- 362 individuals received education

## Outcomes (As of 8/28/12)

- FIT positive rate 4.3%
- 3 Cancers diagnosed
- 15 Adenomatous polyps removed

