Florida Cancer Data System Updates

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FCDS Updates

FCDS Budget Request

The FCDS submitted a budget increase for 2024-2025 to ensure the mission of data quality, completeness, and timeliness.

2023 NAACCR GOLD Certification

2023 USCS Registry for Surveillance

2022 NPCR Registry of Distinction

2008-2019 NAACCR Fitness of Use for Survival and Prevalence Data









FCDS Background

Over 140,000 new cancer cases per year are diagnosed in Florida.

FCDS Data Sources:

- 4.2 million patients
- 5.3 million cancer cases
- 7.3 million incidence records/~286,798 a year
- 7.1 million death records/~235,000 a year
- 5.9 million inpatient discharge records/~255,00 a year
- 7.8 million outpatient/ambulatory surgery discharge records/~188,000 a yr.
- 19 million pathology records/~ 610,000 per year
- 80 million claims from physicians



Florida Cancer Plan Workgroups

The Florida Cancer Plan Workgroups aim to advance Goal 2:

Ensure the collection of **comprehensive and high-quality cancer-related data** from all Florida cancer patients to inform cancer prevention and control programs.

The workgroups focus on four main objectives:

Cancer Biology
Data Access and Utilization
Collection of Cancer Screening Data
Social Determinants of Health



Workgroup Updates

Screening Data Workgroup – Objective 2.4 By 2025, pilot the addition of cancer screening data as items collected and archived by Florida's statewide cancer data and surveillance program.

Updates: Tobacco Free Florida Funding; DUA development in progress.

Data Access/Use Workgroup – Objective 2.6 By 2025, increase access to and utilization of cancer-related data archived in the state cancer registry (FCDS) by diverse stakeholder groups across Florida.

Updates: Phase I of the Oncology Data Specialist (ODS) support program. The ODS team met with three researchers. NCRA CE Support approved. Enhancing workflows to data request system.



Workgroup Updates

→ SDOH Workgroup – Objective 2.3 By 2025 Pilot the addition of social determinants of health and additional patient demographics such as occupation or country of origin as data collected and archived by Florida's statewide cancer data and surveillance program

Updates: Adding NCI SEER social determinants indicators to data items available to researchers. Expanding these indicators into FCDS data visualization tools and data requests.

Cancer Biology Workgroup – Objective 2.2 By 2025, pilot the addition of cancer biology data such as somatic gene mutations or National Cancer Institute/ North American Association of Central Cancer Registries defined site-specific data items as data collected and archived by Florida's statewide cancer data and surveillance program.

Updates: Submitted application to the Innovation Fund. Seeking alternative funding sources.

Future Steps

- Identification of funding sources to further progress across all workgroup objectives.
- Seek funding to develop and support the collection of cancer recurrence data.



Thank you!

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