

1. On behalf of the Joint Select Committee, and at the direction of the chair, local and state public health officials were directed to:
  - Identify important public health needs that are not being met;
  - Estimate the costs associated with the needed activities;
  - Describe how investment in the needed activities would protect or improve public health;
  - Suggest how policymakers could determine whether investments in the needed activities would be effective; and
  - Establish priorities for the needed activities.

Does this document meet these objectives?

2. Acknowledging that the needs and priorities of any one particular health jurisdiction are likely to differ than the aggregate results, is it agreed that this document represents a consensus effort among the public health community with respect to needed investment, prioritization of needed activities, and quantification of needed activities in dollar terms?
3. Does this document represent a good starting place to engage in a discussion about the manner in which any additional public health resources should be distributed?
  - If not, where should we start?