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Focused Outreach: Giving a Boost

• Synthesizing community observations of health information needs;
• Identifying target populations and health information foci; and
• Designing health information outreach strategies.

Evaluation is based upon process assessment, noting changes in participation rates in NNLM NER activities.
Community Health Information

- Tailored PubMed training for twenty librarians via webinar.
- Staff training for Bangor Public Library on how mental health, trauma, homelessness and substance use disorder impacts the community.
- Tablets for Eastern Maine Community College, to be used in the promotion of health information resources.
- EMCC librarian received funding to attend a national conference.