

**2018 Action Agenda  
Justus-Warren Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention Task Force  
October 25, 2017**

**Endorse**

1. Endorse the request for \$3 million in recurring funding to expand tobacco cessation services including funding for QuitlineNC.
2. Endorse the request for \$7 million in recurring funding for tobacco use prevention.
3. Endorse the \$1 million recurring funding request to expand the Healthy Food Small Retailer Program.
4. Endorse Care4Carolina's efforts to close the health insurance gap and recommend that Task Force members sign the C4C resolution.

**Support**

1. Support American Heart Association/American Stroke Association efforts to assure coverage of all cardiovascular-related USPSTF A and B preventive services for all Medicaid enrollees with no or minimal cost sharing.
2. Support the request for \$3,180,887 in recurring funding to expand EFNEP nutrition education program outreach.

The 2018 Action Agenda outlines recommendations for action on issues of particular interest to the Task Force in a given year. Additional details on recommendations are provided in fact sheets.

The Task Force designates four categories for its priorities:

- **Support**  
The highest level, "support," means that the JWTF takes leadership on the issue.
- **Endorse**  
The JWTF may "endorse" an action advanced by another group that is important to preventing heart disease and stroke. This level is generally less active than "support."
- **Administrative**  
"Administrative" concerns are those which may not require legislation but that the JWTF seeks to advance.
- **Track and Monitor**  
The JWTF may "monitor" certain issues that are not currently ripe for intervention or involvement but may require action at a later time.