By the Numbers – COPD in New Hampshire

5.9% of adults have been diagnosed with COPD (prevalence)2

69,400 adults have been diagnosed with COPD (incidence)2

40.0 people out of every 100,000 die per year3

$138 million is the annual cost for treatment4

Vaccinations5
- 55.4% have had the flu shot
- 72.4% have had the pneumonia shot

Hospitalizations
- 1,441 Medicare hospitalizations5
- $3,170 per Medicare beneficiary with COPD4
- 22.1% 30-day COPD readmission rate6

COPD and Chronic Diseases

Asthma, cardiovascular disease, depression and diabetes all have high prevalence rates in the COPD population, making earlier diagnosis, education and optimal treatment even more important.

Individuals in New Hampshire with incomes less than $15,000 are 7.0x more likely to have COPD than those with incomes greater than $50,000.

Change starts with empowering individuals, families and the healthcare community to prevent the disease, diagnose it early and treat it appropriately. Find out more and get involved at www.copdfoundation.org.