



Community A1C & Blood Pressure Screening

Final Report - Ideas to Action 2025

By Beth Krebs-Smith, Edgerton Public Library, October 2026

Number of people involved in or impacted by the project since Ideas to Action funding:

61 people screened & 7 volunteers

Do you anticipate that your project will continue after Ideas to Action funding?

Yes, our project will continue as far into the future as people are still interested in the service and the Edgerton Lions are willing to assist with fundraising for supplies, advertising, health fair participation, etc.

Did your project encourage partnerships and collaborations with any community partners or other WILS members? Who did you connect with during this process and how might you sustain those connections?

In addition to our partnerships with the Edgerton Hospital and Edgerton Lions, we have also had a regular volunteer from Sara's Health and Fitness (gym) in Edgerton and will be attending their health fair on October 10. We have also had conversations with a nutritionist and plan to reach out to Rock County Health again to see if they would like to provide any additional information or services on a periodic basis.

Thinking about your project, what was the most innovative part? What can you, or your community, do now that it couldn't before?

Honestly, the whole thing is innovative. To my knowledge, there isn't another library in the state offering free screening services. Our community, and those around us, now have access to a no-cost, low-stress opportunity to keep an eye on some of their most important health information.

How do you think other WiLS members could use what you learned and accomplished at their own organizations?

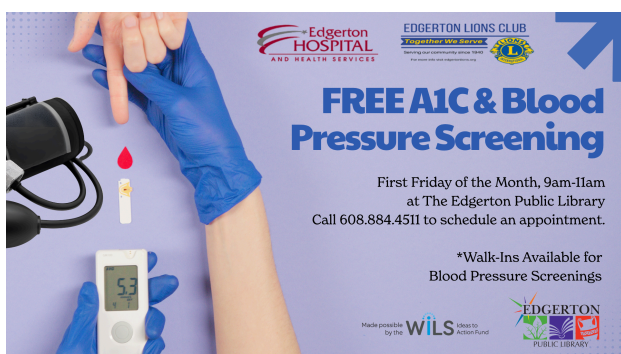
We have developed all of the waivers and results forms as well as procedures for registration and running the screening days that work very well. There are legal aspects of offering health services that have to be navigated, and that is information we are now able to assist with. Other libraries are welcome to all of our information and forms to start similar projects of their own.

Is there anything else you'd like to share about your Ideas to Action project?

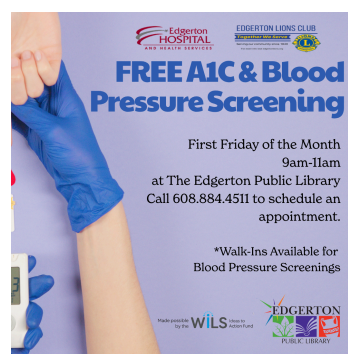
I am excited to say that we are presenting at the 2026 WLA Annual Conference on October 22th at 10:15am in Salons G & H. Come check us out! 😊

Project product(s):

[Project Supply List](#) | [Waiver of Liability](#) | [Press Release](#)



[Free A1C & Blood Pressure Screening Graphic](#) (landscape)



[Free A1C & Blood Pressure Screening Graphic](#) (square)



[Small Flyer](#) (2 per page)

Edgerton Community Diabetes Screening																											
Name: _____	Date of Birth: _____																										
A1c: _____	Normal Range: Less than 5.7%																										
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- If your A1C level is between 5.7 and less than 6.5%, your glucose levels have been in the prediabetes range. - If you have an A1C level of 6.5% or higher, your glucose levels were in the diabetes range. www.diabetes.org																											
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IMPORTANT: This screening is provided as a community service. The A1c/A1c screening test may provide false high or low results for some individuals with atypical hemoglobin variants or reduced red blood cell circulation. It is intended to assist in identifying elevated A1c levels which may be indicative of diabetes or pre-diabetes. If the screening is within normal values but you have known atypical red cell changes (such as Thalassemia) or hemoglobin variants (such as sickle cell disease) or increased levels of hemoglobin (F), signs or symptoms of diabetes, or other concerns about diabetes, you should make an appointment with a medical provider. This screening is not intended to substitute for a comprehensive medical examination. A1c screenings are performed under a valid CLIA Certificate of Waiver or a CLIA Certificate authorizing moderate or high complexity testing.																											
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[Result Form for Diabetes Screening](#)