

### **The Wellness Challenge Concludes**

- 75 actively logged at the end of the last program period.
- **Benefits of the Program**
  - Introduced, inspired, encouraged a LOT of district staff to adopt healthy behaviors and activities.
  - Estimate is that at least 600-700 staff had at least one experience with the program (i.e. signed up, took the health risk assessment, participated).
  - Countless people changed their lifestyles (lives) as a result of participating in the program (evidenced by surveys and feedback).
- **Shortcomings of the Program**
  - Vendor did not update, modernize or change the program to keep up with what the rest of web-based health incentive programs are doing. Program was very stagnant and un-engaging.
  - Program relied on staff that are comfortable with technology. Those that were not technology savvy could not benefit from the program.
  - Easy for people to "game" the program.
  - People don't like to track their activities

### **United Health Care: Simply Engaged Program**

- Working with Sean White at Mercer to design the best implementation strategy. "Launch" estimated mid-February to early March with HRA and/or Biometric Screenings. Discussion for Trust.

### **Seasonal Campaigns**

- **Maintain Don't Gain**
  - Participants: 73 active
  - 40 lost weight, 10 maintained their weight
  - 95% recorded their weight every week of the 7 weeks!
- **February/March:** American Heart Month and National Nutrition Month
  - 6 week campaign/challenge to begin mid to late February **HEALTHY U** combining fitness, nutrition, rest/relaxation (stress management).
- **Weight Watchers at Work**
  - **Community Resource Center: Weight Loss to date 200 lbs**
  - **Penny Creek: 100 lbs (5 weeks)**
- **Fitness Classes**
  - Ten classes District wide
- **Wellness Wednesday: Weekly Wellness Newsletter**
  - Readership (opens) 200-300
- **Other News:**
  - **American Heart Association:** Fit Friendly Award 4<sup>th</sup> year in a row!
  - **Bastyr Internships:** HEALTHY Me Program
  - **CRC 1,000 Mile Resolve:** 50 ppt's. Goal is to increase Wellness Room usage.