



Strategic Plan Fiscal Years (FY) 2025-2030

GOAL 1:

In coordination with community partners, expand educational opportunities to the public sector on all neurotrauma injuries to increase awareness on the effects of neurotrauma and how to respond to an injury.

OBJECTIVES:

- 1.1 Provide survivors and caregivers with awareness of how a neurotrauma injury can affect a person's life immediately following an injury and throughout their lifetime. Include information on accessing neurotrauma injury support groups.
- 1.2 Educate the public on neurotrauma injury prevention as well as the signs, symptoms and what to do when recognizing a TBI, SCI or Stroke.
- 1.3 Coordinate public education efforts to maximize the impact and ensure efforts are not being duplicated.
- 1.4 Collaborate with Hawai'i's Department of Education to create and distribute a curriculum for elementary students and teachers on choices and behavior patterns that have historically contributed to neurotrauma injuries.

GOAL 2:

In coordination with community partners, connect providers to educational opportunities to increase awareness of neurotrauma and improve service delivery and outcomes for the survivors they serve.

OBJECTIVES:

- 2.1 Provide social workers and medical providers with insight on survivors' experiences and methods for effective communication to improve collaboration between patient and provider.

- 2.2 Work with administration and staff involved with educating youth to establish and implement a Return-to-Learn protocol for students exhibiting signs of a TBI, including the identification of TBI signs and symptoms and how to discuss with parents.

GOAL 3:

Expand survivors', family members', and caregivers' connections to available resources in Hawai'i.

OBJECTIVES:

- 3.1 Work with hospital staff and interested stakeholders to develop and implement an effective way to share information and resources with survivors to increase access to services and supports.
- 3.2 Provide guidance for members of the neurotrauma community to gather in a safe space to share thoughts, ideas, and resources on a regular basis.

GOAL 4:

Use data to identify the needs and service gaps for survivors of neurotrauma and family members/caregivers.

OBJECTIVES:

- 4.1 Develop and implement a plan for obtaining generalizable data.
- 4.2 Develop and implement a plan to analyze data and identify service gaps to direct program activities.