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Neighborhood Health Association Community Collaboration Luncheon to Follow Groundbreaking for New Medical Clinic

[Toledo, Ohio] – The Neighborhood Health Association (NHA) will hold a community collaboration luncheon, along with the Local Initiative Support Corporation (LISC), to celebrate the groundbreaking of its new medical clinic, Nexus Healthcare, on **Tuesday**, **March 31**. The groundbreaking is scheduled for 11:00 a.m. at 1415 Jefferson Ave, and the luncheon will follow at noon in the Belvedere Room of the Toledo Club, 235 14th Street.

The theme of the luncheon is collaboration. The new medical clinic came about through collaboration with LISC, a national community development support organization. At the luncheon, NHA Chief Executive Officer, Doni Miller, and Kim Cutcher, Deputy Director for LISC's Toledo office, will speak about the new medical clinic. Denise Scott, Executive Vice President, and Anika Gross-Foster, Program Vice President, from the national LISC organization will discuss additional funding opportunities for our community.

Community leaders interested in developing the city's core neighborhoods will learn about how collaboration and what LISC calls "collective impact" can significantly improve funding for their projects. Collective impact is an effort to bring together a great number of organizations within a city to create a common vision, form goals to work toward this vision, and act together to further these goals.

The speakers will discuss in detail strategies that can be used to make community projects successful.

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