The Health Project—Erratum Statement

The State of Nebraska

In 2012, the original application from the State of Nebraska contained references to detection of early stage cancers from a clinical preventive screening initiative. After seeking clarification from the State of Nebraska, Health Fitness Corporation, and medical consultants, the correct language now reads as follows:

"As a result of a large increase in preventive screenings, there have been a significant amount of cases in which conditions have been detected in their early stages, with many getting screened for the first time. During the two year period, 514 benign colorectal polyps and pre-cancerous lesions of the cervix were detected and 26 new cases were diagnosed."

This updated information did not change the decision by The Health Project Board of Directors to confer the Koop award to the State of Nebraska.