



## **SERVICE & UNIT DEFINITIONS TITLE III-D DISEASE PREVENTION/HEALTH PROMOTION SERVICES**

For evidenced based programs, the following is required:

### **Highest-level criteria:**

- Demonstrated through evaluation to be effective for improving the health and wellbeing or reducing disease, disability and/or injury among older adults; and
- Proven effective with older adult population, using Experimental or Quasi-Experimental Design; and
- Research results published in a peer-reviewed journal; and
- Fully translated in one or more community sites; and
- Includes developed dissemination products that are available to the public.

Additional information and a full description of programs that meet this criteria is available at: [The National Council on Aging \(ncoa.org\)](http://TheNationalCouncilonAging(ncoa.org))

## **DISEASE PREVENTION AND HEALTH PROMOTION SERVICES DESCRIPTIONS AND UNIT RATES**

**4010 DISEASE PREVENTION AND HEALTH PROMOTION SERVICES:** *Disease Prevention and Health Promotion Services provide information and support to older individuals with the intent to assist them in avoiding illness and improving health status.*

**4010.1 TARGET POPULATION:** *Persons over age 60 who are medically underserved or who have the greatest economic need for such services.*

**4010.2 FUNDING SOURCES:** *Disease Prevention and Health Promotion Services are funded through the Older Americans Act.*

**4010.4 UNIT OF SERVICE:** *A unit of service equals one hour of allowable activity.*