# **Chronic Lung Disease Action Plan**

### What To Do Every Day:

- ☐ Take your medicines as directed.
- ☐ Stay active and exercise as much as you can.
- ☐ Do not smoke.
- ☐ Make sure no one smokes in your house or around you.
- ☐ Drink water. Follow your doctor's instructions for how much water to drink.

# **Call Your Clinic if You Have Any of the Following:**



☐ more coughing, mucus or phlegm than usual



☐ more short of breath or wheezing than usual



☐ more tired than usual or unable to do your usual activities

- ☐ fever of 100.8 F or higher
- ☐ using your inhalers or nebulizers more than usual
- ☐ lower oxygen saturation than usual
- ☐ people around you say your symptoms have changed

#### Whom to Call and What to Say

Name:

Number:

Tell the person who answers the phone, "I have chronic lung disease and my symptoms have changed. I need to make an appointment with a doctor today."

## Call 911 or Go to the Hospital if You:

- ☐ can't catch your breath at rest
- ☐ have bluish lips or fingernails
- ☐ have confusion

- ☐ have no relief from a rescue inhaler
- ☐ have grayish skin

☐ can't wake up easily