

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
CRITERIA USED IN SELECTING PRIORITY POLICY
DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS IN 2001

As the Board conducted its 2001 process to develop policy development priority projects, it used the following criteria to help identify those projects that had the greatest likelihood to result in successful efforts:

- 1. Does the issue involve multiple agencies?**
- 2. Will there be measurable outcomes as a result of the work?**
- 3. What is the prevalence and severity of the health threat and are interventions available?**
- 4. What is the level of awareness and readiness on the part of the public, politicians, and professionals to deal with the issue?**
- 5. Is the work statewide in scope?**
- 6. Does the board have statutory authority to deal with this issue?**
- 7. Are there sufficient resources to tackle the issue?**
- 8. Does the board have a potentially unique role in dealing with this issue or would it be more appropriate for another agency to take the lead?**