



HEALTHY CHICAGO 2025: Closing Our Life Expectancy Gap

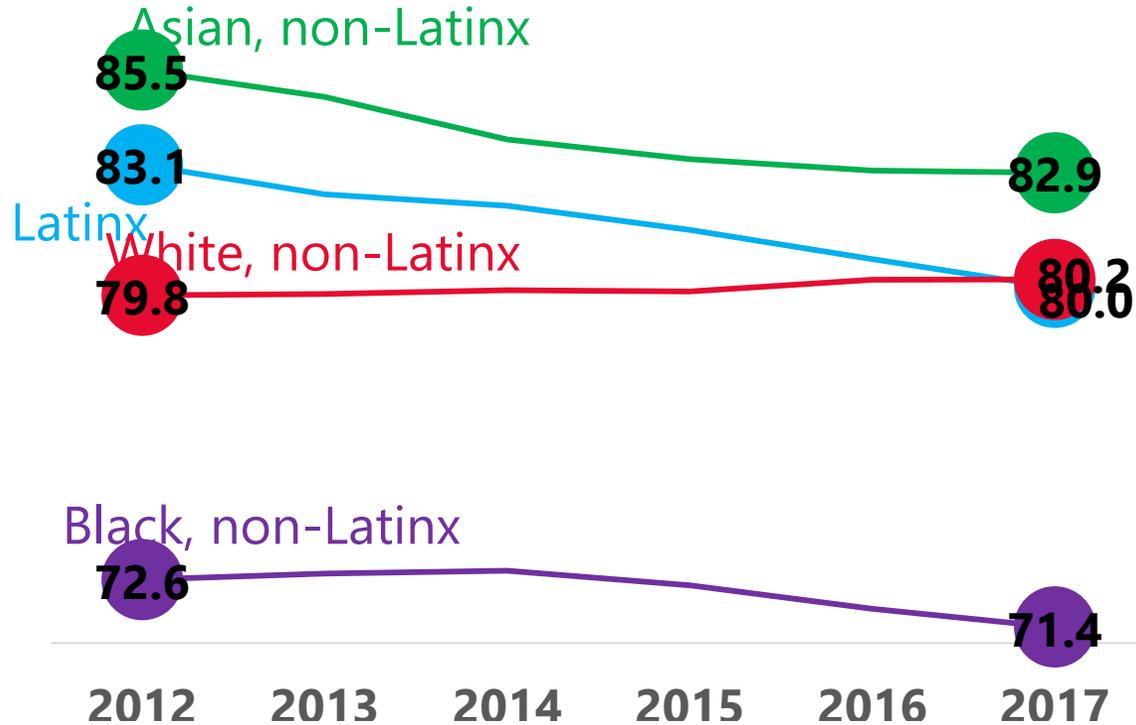
HEALTHY CHICAGO 2025 VISION

A city where all people and all communities have power, are free from oppression and are strengthened by equitable access to resources, environments and opportunities that promote optimal health and well-being.



Facing Facts: Life Expectancy Gap

CHICAGO LIFE EXPECTANCY **DECREASING** FOR ALL RACE-ETHNICITIES EXCEPT WHITE, NON-LATINX



Chronic Disease

4.3 years

Gun-Related Homicide

2.1 years

Infant Mortality

0.7 years

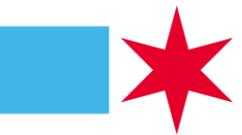
HIV/Infectious Disease

0.5 years

Opioid Overdose

0.4 years

National projections estimate **COVID-19** will reduce life expectancy in 2020 by **1.13 years**, with reductions for Black and Latinx populations at **3 to 4 times** that for whites.



Expanding our impact

Healthy Chicago 2025 **BUILDS** on Healthy Chicago 2.0



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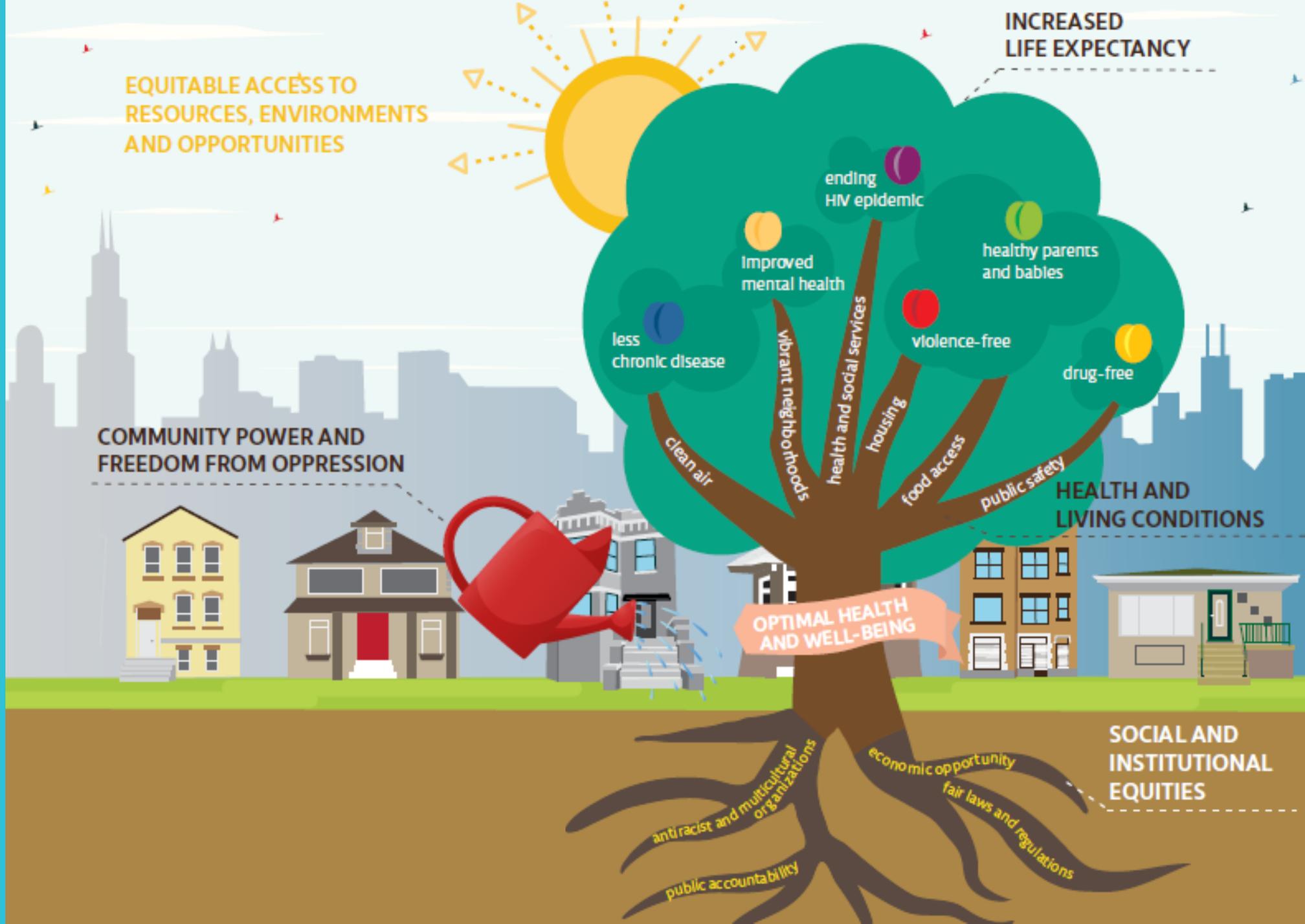
Citywide Health Improvement Plan
To Close Our Life Expectancy Gap

Identify Local Priorities



Evaluate Progress

Take Action



The HEALTHY CHICAGO 2025 WAY

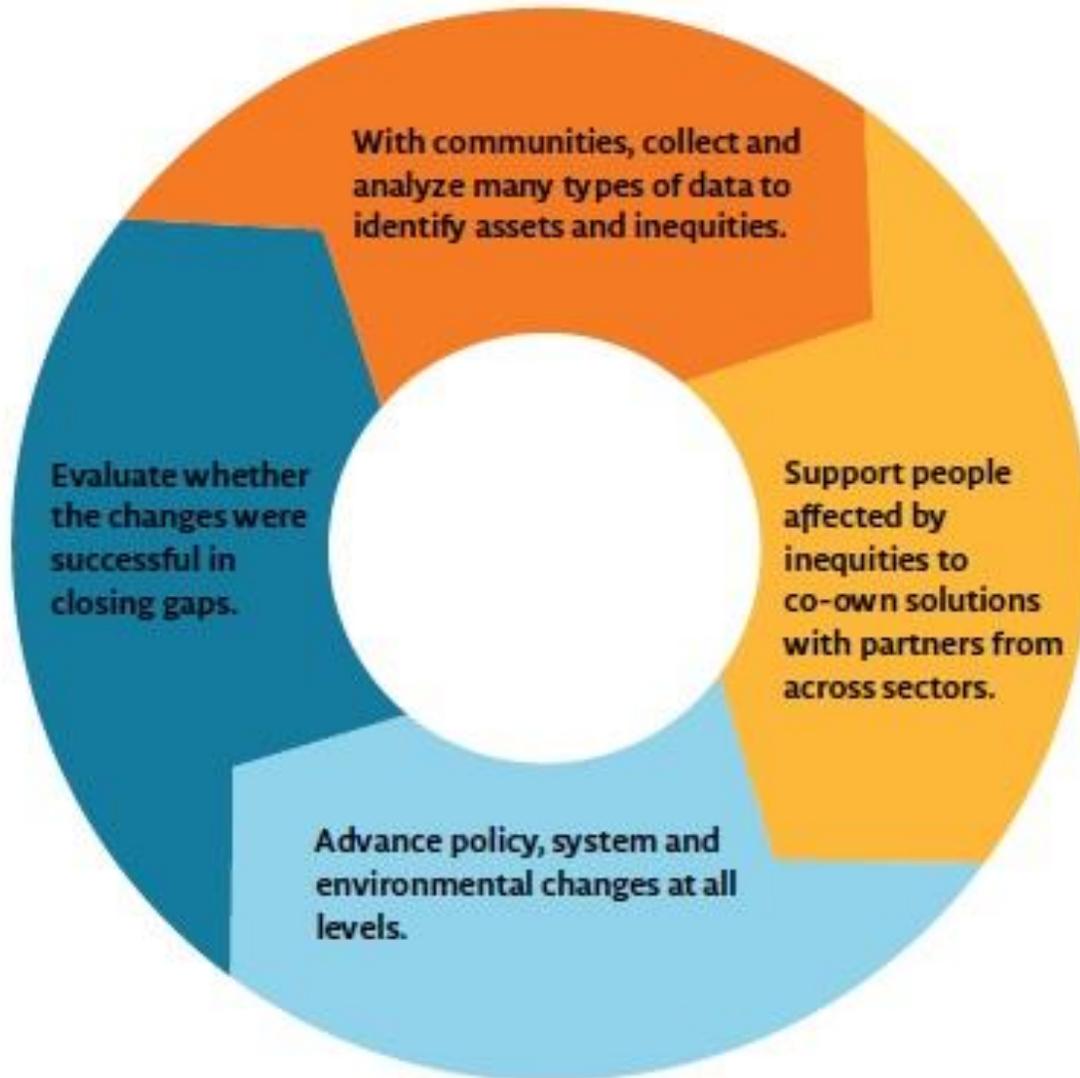
Assessment themes	<p>To close the racial life expectancy gap, we will...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Improve systems of care for populations most affected by inequities •Further the health and vibrancy of neighborhoods •Strengthen community capacity and youth leadership •Transform policies and processes to foster anti-racist, multicultural systems 							
Assessment priority areas	Address inequities in...	 HOUSING	 FOOD ACCESS	 ENVIRONMENT	 PUBLIC SAFETY	 NEIGHBORHOOD PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT	 HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES	 PUBLIC HEALTH SYSTEMS ORGANIZATIONS
Populations experiencing inequities	With a focus on...	Black, Latinx and low-income Chicagoans	Black, Latinx and low-income Chicagoans	Communities disproportionately burdened by pollution	Black Communities	Disinvested and gentrifying communities	Black, Latinx and low-income Chicagoans	Black and Latinx Chicagoans
Ideal states	So within one generation, all Chicagoans...	Have a healthy, affordable home	Have enough nutritious food and local food businesses thrive	Breathe clean air free of harmful pollutants	Are safe across the city and have trusting relationships with law enforcement	Live in vibrant neighborhoods that reflect their identities	Benefit from a full range of health and human services	Have voice and power in the public health system
Healthy Chicago 2025 vision	<p>In a city where... All people and all communities have power, are free from oppression and are strengthened by equitable access to resources, environments and opportunities that promote optimal health and well-being.</p>							



Cross-Sector/Community-Focused Implementation is in work

[Healthy Chicago 2025](#)

Change process



HC 2025 Guiding Principles:

- 1- ANTIRACISM:** We actively challenge and redress racist systems through our process and strategies.
- 2-ASSET BASED:** We highlight community strengths as we tell our stories.
- 3-EQUITY FOCUSED:** We recognize that trauma affects all individuals, communities, organizations, and systems, and we support resilience and healing.
- 4-TRAUMA INFORMED:** We consider who benefits and who is burdened by our proposed solutions.
- 5-CAPITAL BUILDING:** We promote equitable wealth building, affordability and belonging.
- 6- COMMUNITY LED:** We make sure that community members, including youth, have power in decision-making.

MEASURING PROGRESS

INDICATOR 1: LIFE EXPECTANCY

Increase life expectancy for Black Chicagoans and reverse declines in Latinx and Asian populations

INDICATOR 2: OVERALL HEALTH STATUS

Improve overall health status for Black and Latinx Chicagoans

- Health and Racial Equity Impact Assessment Toolkit
- Chicago Equity Dashboard



INDICATOR 3: ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Increase economic well-being for Black and Latinx Chicagoans

INDICATOR 4: MENTAL WELL-BEING

Increase access to behavioral health treatment for all Chicagoans, with a focus on Black, Latinx and Asian populations



HEALTHY CHICAGO 2025 IMPLEMENTATION

Healthy Chicago Equity Zones

- Healthy Chicago Equity Zones will **lead hyper-local strategies** to confront the social and environmental factors that contribute to health and racial equity – with the ultimate goal of **closing Chicago's life expectancy gap**.

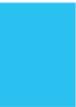
→ **Place-based**

→ **Community-led**

→ **Equity-centered**,
rooted in policy and
system change

Read [Request for Proposal](#)



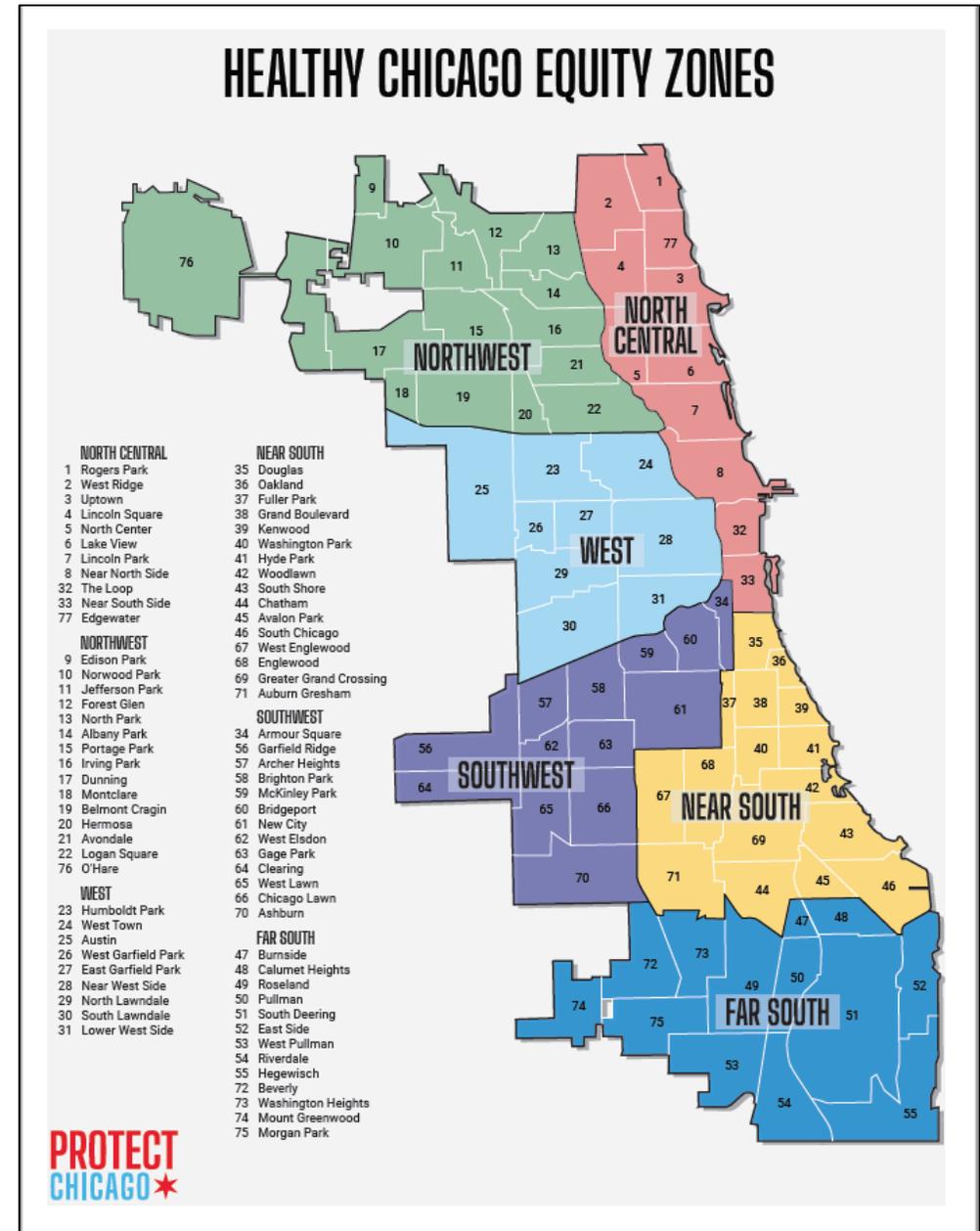


EQUITY ZONE ACTIVATIONS

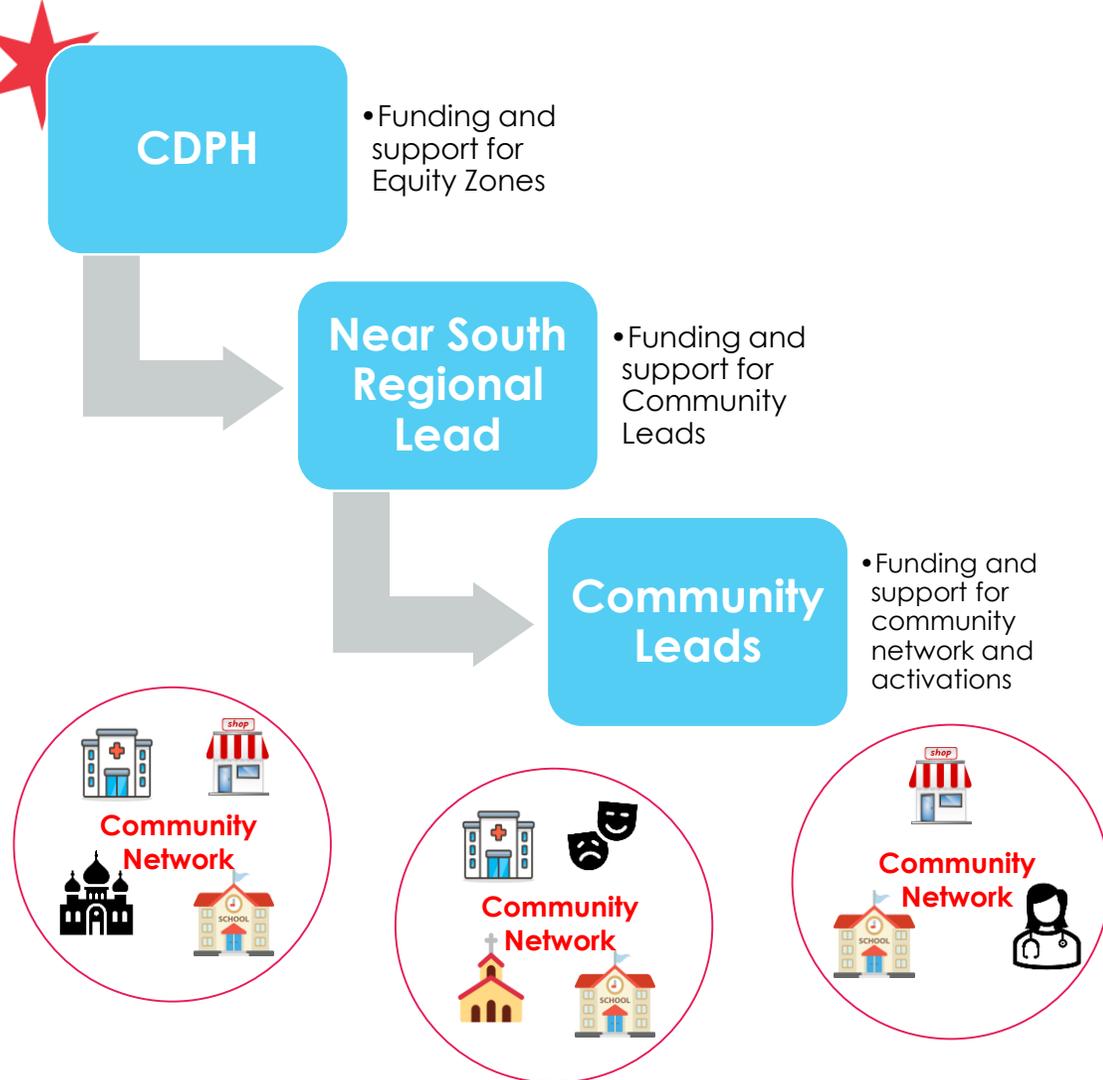
- Expand or maintain a **neighborhood network**
- Conduct **assessments** to understand challenges/opportunities in neighborhood health
- Establish, implement, and monitor the success of health and racial equity **action plans**
- Recruit, train, and deploy community members and trusted messengers to disseminate **public health messages** and improve **health literacy**
- Coordinate outreach, education, and engagement strategies to **link people to services** and build support for **City-wide initiatives**
- Implement systems to regularly collect, analyze, and interpret **community health data**; develop and execute a **community-based participatory research** agenda
- Identify and propose **policy and systems changes** that address barriers to health

★ EQUITY ZONES MAP

- Six Equity Zones, covering the entire geography of Chicago
 - North Central: **Swedish Convent Hospital**
 - Northwest: **Northwest Side Housing Center**
 - West: **Rush Medical/West Side United**
 - Southwest: **Southwest Organizing Project**
 - Near South: **Greater Auburn Gresham Development Corporation**
 - Far South: **Phalanx Family Services**
- Within Equity Zones, different community areas will be prioritized based on issue – starting with COVID vulnerability



EQUITY ZONE STRUCTURE



EXAMPLE: Near South Equity Zone

- 1 Regional Lead
- **Up to 16** Community Leads, each covering one or more neighborhoods in the region
- Each Community Lead coordinates a **hyper-local neighborhood network** of partners, including:
 - Other community groups
 - Health providers
 - Schools
 - Faith-based organizations
 - Businesses



HEALTHY CHICAGO EQUITY ZONES – Vaccine Strategy

Building on the successful Racial Equity Response Team and Protect Chicago Plus vaccine equity pilot, these efforts began with **community leadership of COVID-19 vaccination campaigns**, including outreach and engagement during 2021.

A FEW HIGHLIGHTS



NORTHWEST: Last week, Regional Lead, **Northwest Center**, provided Trauma Informed Certification training to the 36th Ward staff! Well done all.



WEST: Regional Lead, **West Side United**, features an incredible Westside perspective video on their site. Watch "Our West Side" below. Be encouraged!



COVID-19 TESTING

Provided by
Phalanx Family Services
in collaboration with
Agile Technologies Group, LLC



Month of December days for testing
Mondays: 6th, 13th, 20th, Tuesdays: 21st, 28th
Thursdays: 2nd, 9th, 16th,
Phalanx Family Services
837 W. 119th Street

Mon. & Tues from 10am - 1pm
Thursdays from 2pm - 5pm



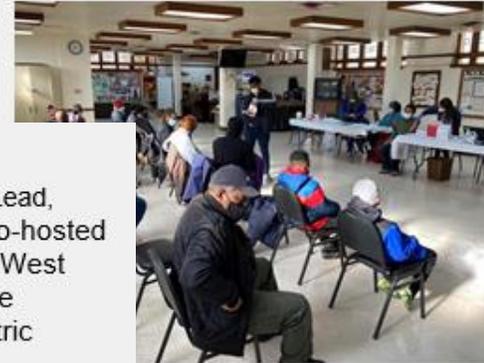
FDA Approved
COVID-19 Rapid Testing
Antibody, and Antigen
Results within 10 minutes

Pre-Registration Not Required
WALK-INS ACCEPTED
MUST PRESENT VALID ID

ACCEPTING INDIVIDUALS 2 YEARS OF AGE & OLDER
For ages 2 & 17, parents must be present and give consent

For Questions Please Call
(773) 291-1086

NEAR SOUTH REGION: Regional Lead **Greater Auburn-Gresham Development Corp** co-organized a vax event in Grand Crossing on 11/20. CBS2 even featured Community Lead **Chesterfield Community Council** (starts at 0:40).



SHOUTOUTS

NORTH CENTRAL: Regional Lead, **Swedish Hospital**, recently co-hosted a children's vaccine clinic in West Ridge. Over 200 people were vaccinated with either pediatric vaccines or boosters!



NORTHWEST: Regional Lead, **Northwest Center**, is hiring! Click on the following links if you or someone you know is interested in their **Grants Manager** or **Director of Community Organizing** opportunities.



SOUTH WEST: Organizer, Elideth Hernandez, from the **Southwest Organizing Project** (Regional Lead) was interviewed by Listen Up Chicago. Her inspiring story **HERE**.



A FEW HIGHLIGHTS



NORTH CENTRAL REGION: Regional Lead, **Swedish Hospital**, co-hosted a West Ridge Children's Vaccine Clinic on 11/19. The event was a huge success and reaching 200+ pediatric and booster vaccines. This event could not have been possible without those who helped!



PAID RESEARCH OPPC FOR CHICAGO PARENT child aged 5-11? CDPH would like you to participate in a **virtual focus group!**

Qualified individuals who complete a 90-minute online discussion session will earn \$50. Focus groups will be hosted in English / Spanish and take place 7:00pm-8:30pm the week of 12/13.

Data Across Sectors for Health (DASH) is **FUNDING** a national cohort of community based organizations and organizers interested in developing their work through an **Asset Based Community Development (ABCD)** program design. Applications due 12/17.

REQUEST for PROPOSAL opportunity. Community Education to **Prevent Childhood Lead Poisoning**. Bid deadline 12/20; pre-solicitation conference 12/1. More details [HERE](#).

VACCINE AWARENESS DAY on 11/12 was a success! More than 20,000 doses; the most since 5/15!



SOUTHWEST REGION: Gage Park Community Lead, **Gage Park Latinx Council**, through a local partnership, was supplied 100+ cases of water bottles to distribute in their community. They were recognized for making the touchpoints while continuing to build Gage Park's rich history. Watch it [HERE](#).



WEST REGION: Humboldt Park Community Lead, **Erie Neighborhood House**, hosts its weekly vaccination event at Gethsemane Lutheran Church in Cicero, IL. Going above and beyond.

EVENTO DE VACUNAS GRATIS
SIN REGISTRACION
CADA JUEVES 4:00PM-7:00 PM
 *Lunes: Nov 22

FAR SOUTH REGION: Regional Lead **Phalanx Community Services** held a Youth Explosion Event earlier this month. The highlight reel alone merits a high five. Check it out and give them a LIKE!



SHOUTOUTS
 NEAR SOUTH REGION: Community Lead for South Chicago, **Chicago Family Health Center**, is hosting a series of vaccine clinics after supporting CPS' Vaccine Awareness Day last week!

LA VACUNA COVID-19 PEDIÁTRICA
 CFHC ahora ofrece la vacuna COVID pediátrica de Pfizer para niños de 5 a 11 años. Ayúdenos en la lucha contra el COVID-19. **VACINE A SUS NIÑOS.**

LA VACUNA COVID-19 PEDIÁTRICA EN CFHC:
CFHC PULMAN: 570 E. 115th St.
 Sábado 13 de noviembre, 9:00 AM - 11:00 PM
 Sábado 20 de noviembre, 9:00 AM - 11:00 PM
CHICAGO LAWN: 3223 W. 63rd St.
VIERNES 12 DE NOVIEMBRE, 1:00-5:00 PM
 Sábado 13 de noviembre, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
ROSELAND: 120 W. 111th St.
 Sábado 13 de noviembre, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 Sábado 20 de noviembre, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
EAST SIDE: 80536 E. 105th St.
 Sábado 13 de noviembre, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 Sábado 20 de noviembre, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
SOUTH CHICAGO: 9119 S. Exchange Ave.
VIERNES 12 DE NOVIEMBRE, 1:00-5:00 PM
 Sábado 13 de noviembre, 1:00-4:00 PM
 Lunes 15 de noviembre, 4:00-7:00 PM
 Martes 17 de noviembre, 4:00-7:00 PM

12 DE NOV. JUEVE CONCIENCIACIÓN DE VACUNACIÓN DE CPS!

773-244-4421

★ NEXT STEPS: 2022 Growth Timeline

VACCINE EQUITY ACTIVATIONS



HEALTH & RACIAL EQUITY ACTIVATIONS



THOUGHTS, SUGGESTIONS, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS



THANK YOU

