



Capturing the Emerging Issues of
Community and Public Health
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Panel Discussion:
Advancing Health Equities
Within the Public Health System

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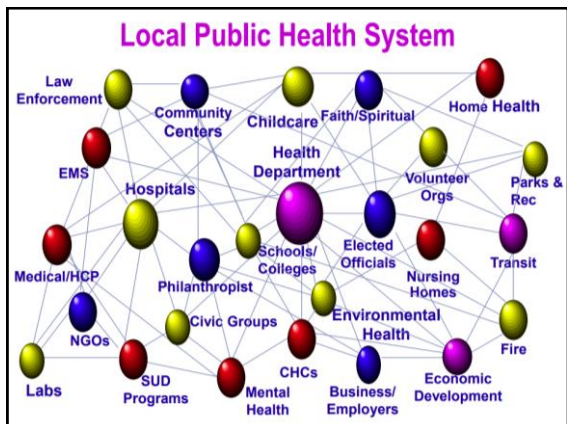
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Defining Health Equity

“Health Equity” means that everyone has a fair and just opportunity to be as healthy as possible.

This requires removing obstacles to health such as poverty, discrimination, and their consequences, including powerlessness and lack of access to good jobs with fair pay, quality education and housing, safe environments, and health care.”

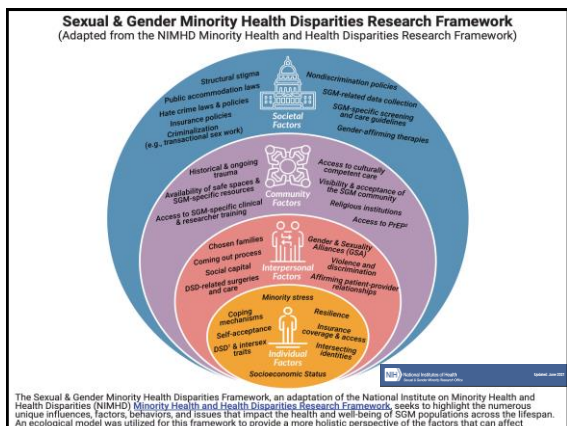
-What is Health Equity? And What Difference Does a Definition Make?
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, May 2017



National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities Research Framework

		Levels of Influence*			
		Individual	Interpersonal	Community	Societal
Domains of Influence (Over the Lifespan)	Biological	Biological Vulnerability and Mechanisms	Caregiver-Child Interaction Family Microbiome	Community Illness Exposure Herd Immunity	Sanitation Immunization Pathogen Exposure
	Behavioral	Health Behaviors Coping Strategies	Family Functioning School/Work Functioning	Community Functioning	Policies and Laws
	Physical/Built Environment	Personal Environment	Household Environment School/Work Environment	Community Environment Community Resources	Societal Structure
	Sociocultural Environment	Sociodemographics Limited English Cultural Identity Response to Discrimination	Social Networks Family/Peer Norms Interpersonal Discrimination	Community Norms Local Structural Discrimination	Social Norms Structural Discrimination
	Health Care System	Insurance Coverage Health Literacy Treatment Preferences	Patient-Clinician Relationship Medical Decision-Making	Availability of Services Safety-Net Services	Quality of Care Health Care Policies
	Health Outcomes	Individual Health	Family/ Organizational Health	Community Health	Population Health

*National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities, 2016
Health Disparities Populations: Race/Ethnicity, Low-SES, Rural, Sexual and Gender Minority
Other Fundamental Characteristics: Sex and Gender, Disability, Geographic Region



Educational Opportunities Populations with Health Disparities

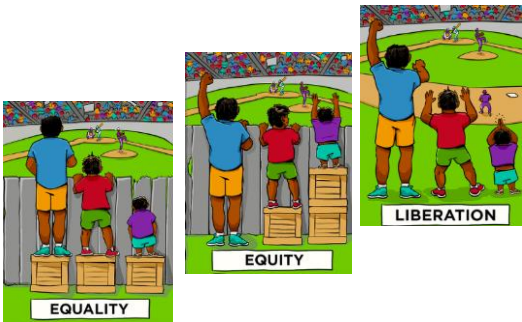
- Adults of color
- Immigrants/Refugees
- Incarcerated adults
- LGBTQIA populations
- Adults with physical and mental disabilities
- Impoverished and uninsured adults
- Frail elderly
- Adults with special needs

Our Community Clinical Settings

- VNA
- Employee Health
- Homeless Clinic
- Parish Nursing
- Department of Health
- Cancer Care
- Wound Clinic
- School Nurse
- COVID testing and vaccination
- Men and Women Prisons
- Urgent Care
- Rehabilitation and Detox Center
- Costa Rica and Belize
- Ambulatory Care Centers



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Questions?

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