



“We are in the health business”

– Bill Lindsay, Richmond, City Manager



**City of Richmond
Health in All Policies**



City services through the prism of health



+ Overview



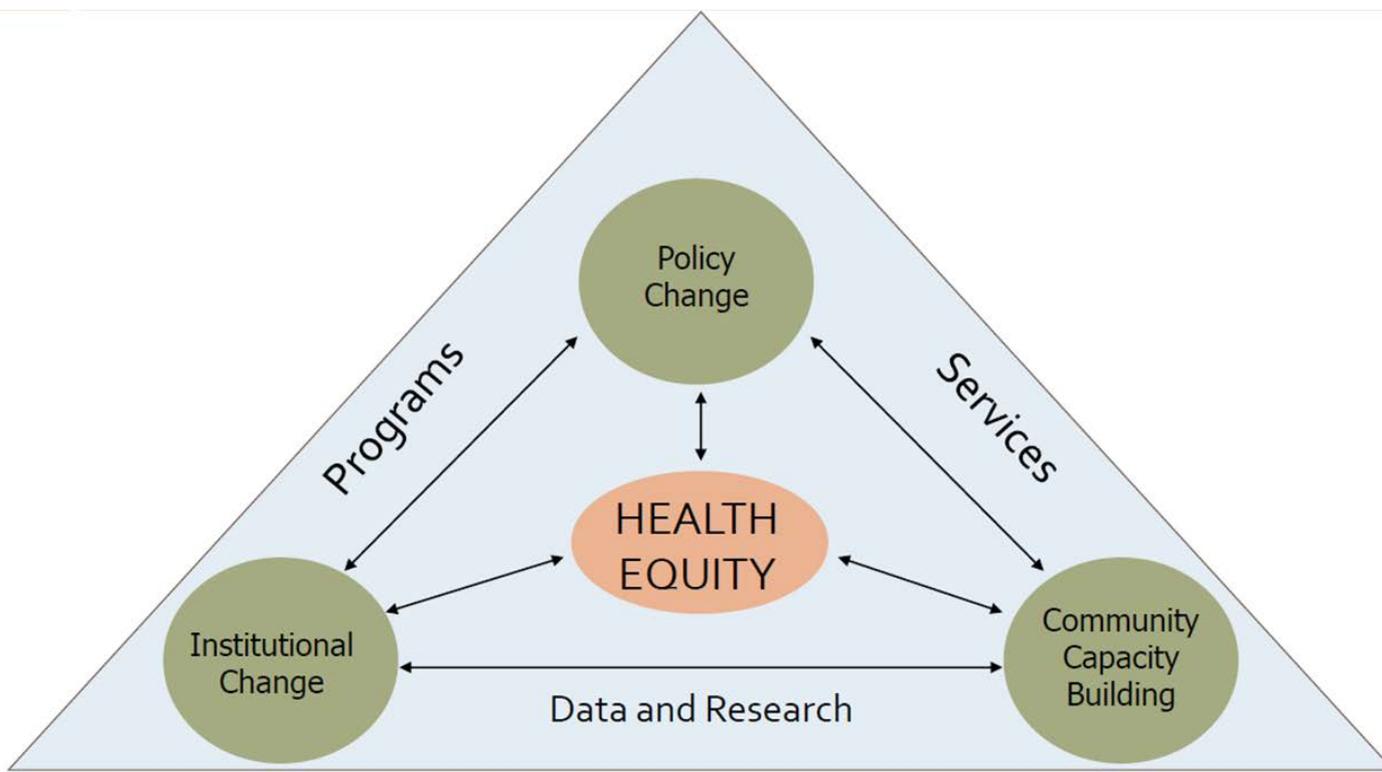
- Background and Context
- How do you define health?
- What are the determinants of health?
- What is Health in All Policies?
- Next Steps and Questions,

+ Unnatural Causes: Episode 1, Health in America

- http://www.unnaturalcauses.org/video_clips_detail.php?res_id=213

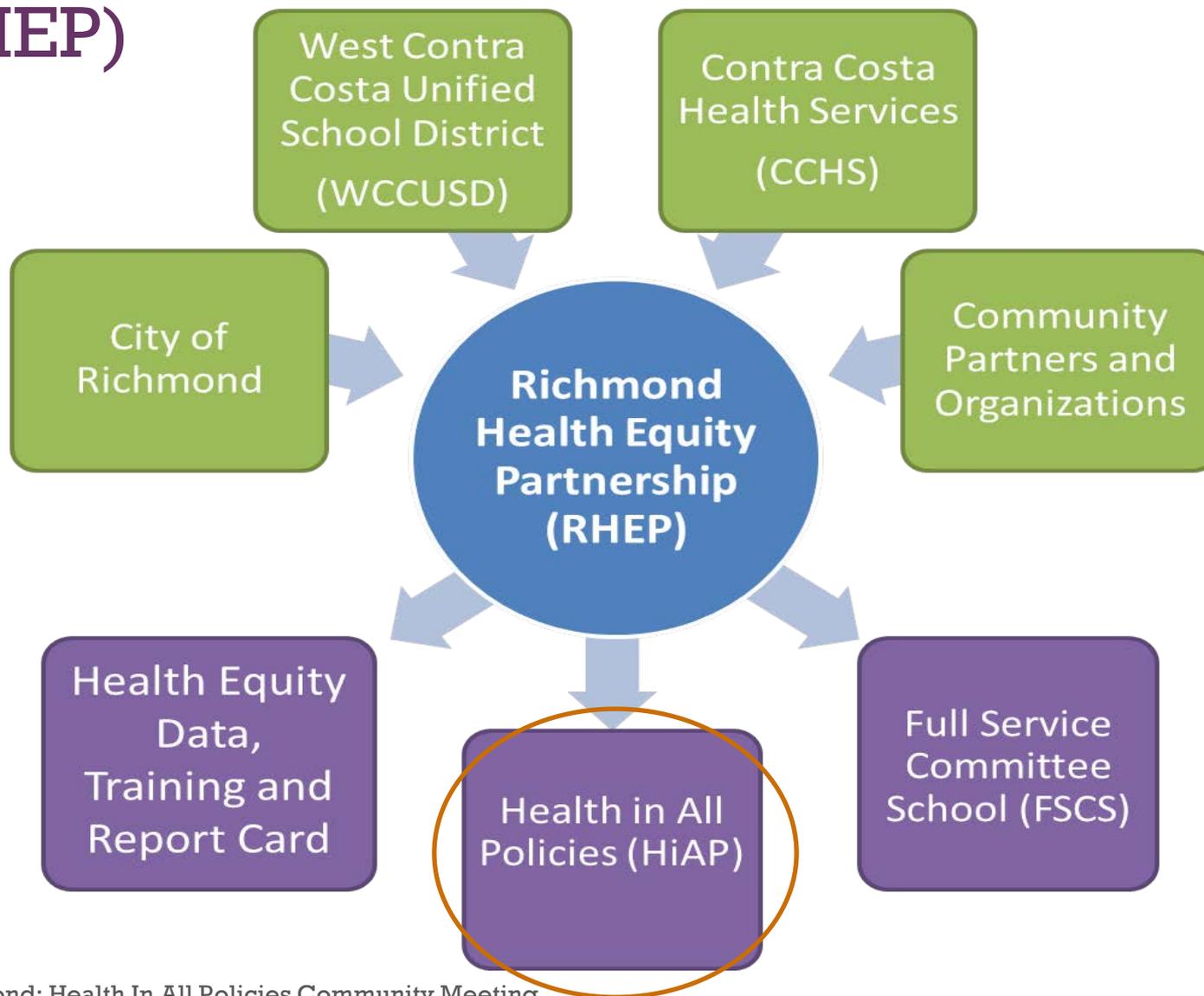


Background and Context



+ Model of change

+ Richmond Health Equity Partnership (RHEP)





How do you define Health?

+ Other definitions of Health...

- Health is a state of complete physical, mental and social well-being and not merely the absence of disease or infirmity.

- (Preamble to the Constitution of the World Health Organization as adopted by the International Health Conference, New York, 19-22 June, 1946; signed on 22 July 1946 by the representatives of 61 States (Official Records of the World Health Organization, no. 2, p. 100) and entered into force on 7 April 1948.)

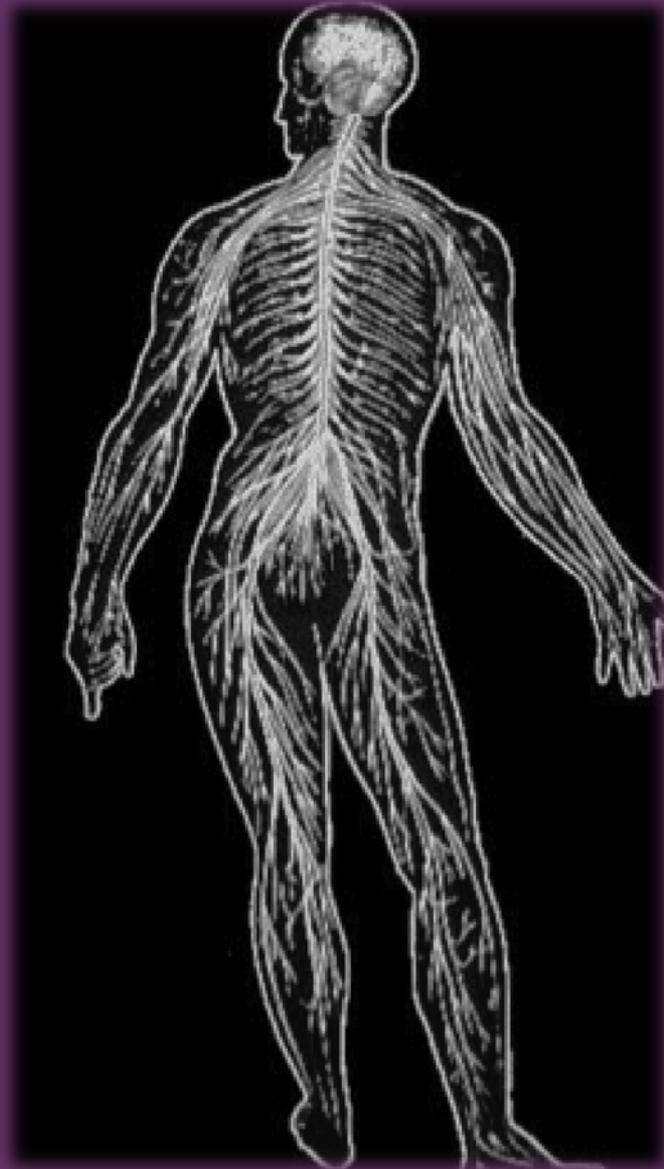




What are the **determinants** of health?

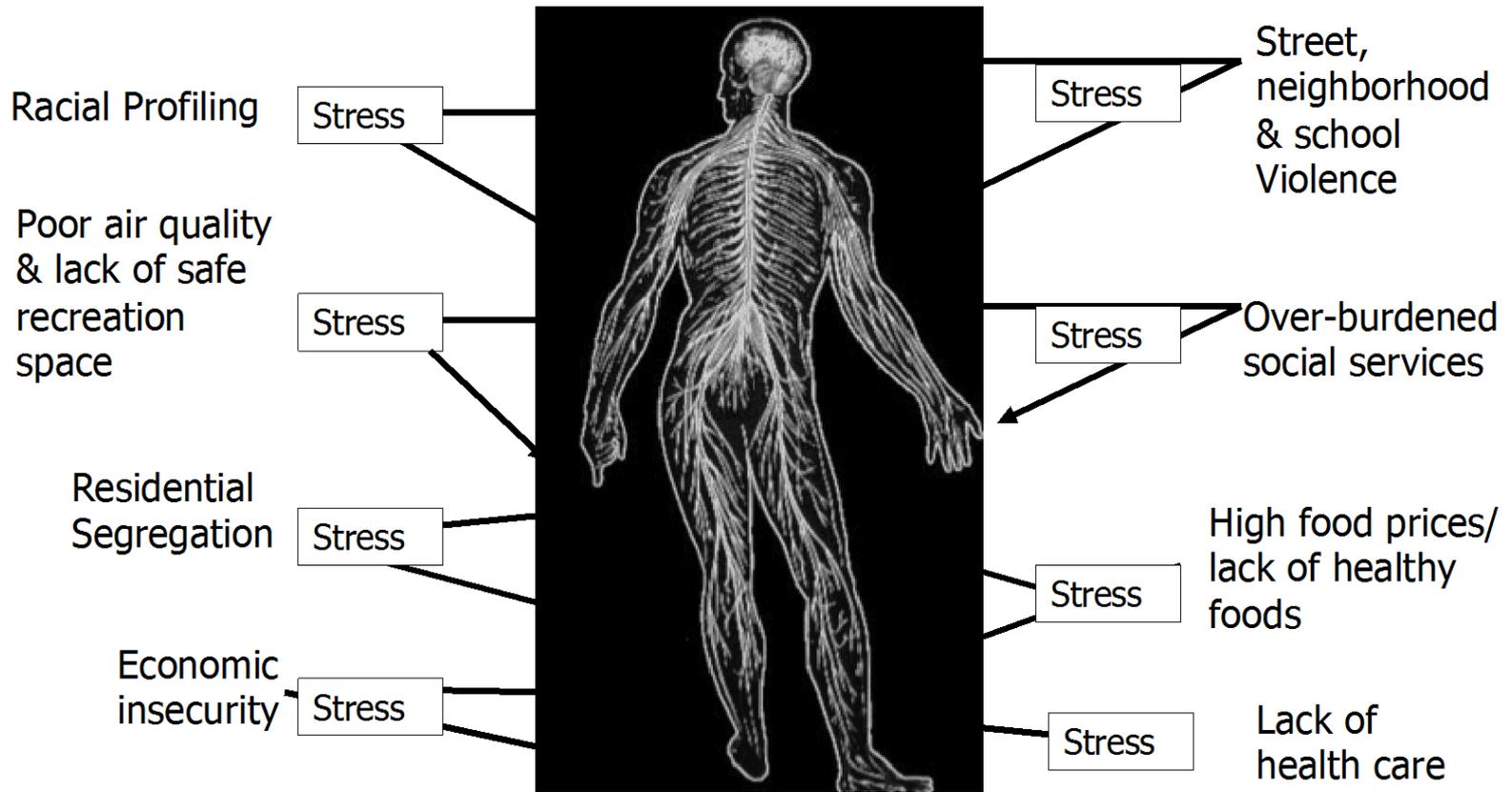


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Cumulative Stressors on some Richmond residents

Chronic stress has known physical and mental health impacts, from clogging arteries and heart disease, to overweight & diabetes to chromosome damage and premature aging.





What is Health in All Policies?



What is Health in All Policies?

■ CALIFORNIA DEFINITION

- HiAP approach recognizes that health and prevention are impacted by policies that are managed by non-health government/non-government entities.
- Many strategies that improve health will also help to meet the policy objectives of other agencies.

■ HiAP Task Force Report—Executive Summary pg. 4 and 5



+ Health in All Policies: Richmond

- **Health in All Policies is both a process and a goal.**

1. Process: Collaborative approach - changing way City employees and larger community think about health.

2. Goal: Improve health equity by addressing the social determinants of health and integrating health into the decision making process across all departments of the City.



+ Community Health and Wellness Element and Current Health Initiatives



+ Roadmaps to Health Video

<http://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/index.aspx?NID=2411>

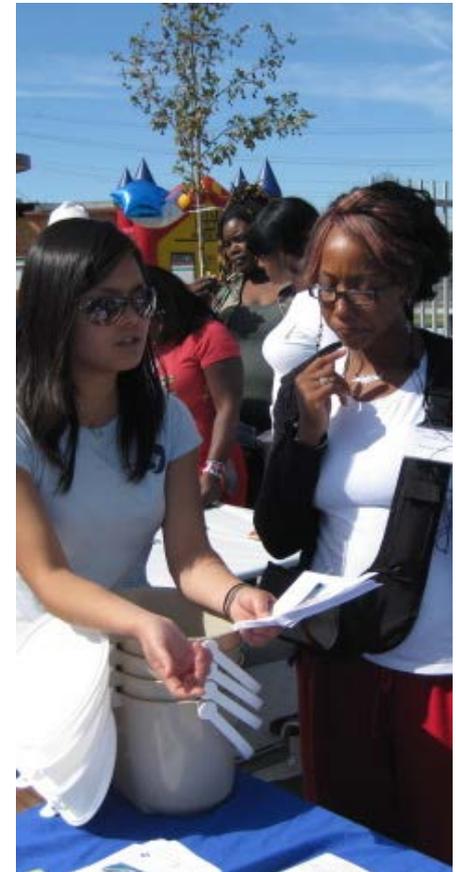
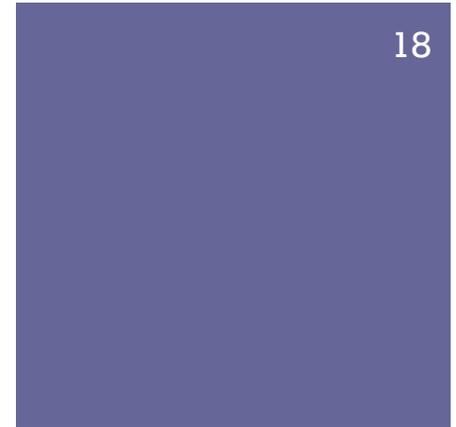
+ Next Steps

- Feedback on Draft HiAP Ordinance and Draft HiAP Strategy Plan
- Working meeting scheduled:
 - Thursday, Nov. 29 from 6:00-7:30,
 - Richmond City Council Chambers,
 - 450 Civic Center Plaza





Questions?





THANK YOU

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