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DuPage County Food Security Council Meeting

September 19, 2018

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VISION

Impact DuPage is committed to **creating a common understanding of community needs,** gaps, and priorities that will **advance the well-being of the DuPage County community.**

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STEERING COMMITTEE MEMBERS

DuPage County Health Department
DuPage Federation on Human Services Reform
DuPage County Public Defender's Office
United Way of DuPage/West Cook
AMITA Health
DuPage County Community Services
Edward-Elmhurst Healthcare
DuPage Health Coalition
Metropolitan Family Services DuPage
People's Resource Center
Northwestern Medicine
DuPagePads
DuPage Foundation
DuPage Medical Group
Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital
Community Consolidated School District 89

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PROCESS

Assessment

Forces of Change Assessment

Landscape Review Assessment

Local System Assessment

Community Profile

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FORCES OF CHANGE

Employment and Wages

Aging Population

Affordable Housing

Technology and Social Media Use

Transportation

Mental health

Gun access and gun violence

Funding

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LANDSCAPE REVIEW PROCESS

- Survey collection time frame: February 13th – April 13th, 2018
- Survey available electronically and in paper format
- Survey distributed via committee member networks, non-profit sites, and various social media outlets
- Focused on capturing a representative sample of DuPage County residents
- 1,577 responses collected (1,496 English, 81 Spanish)

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LANDSCAPE REVIEW RESULTS

What are the greatest strengths of DuPage County?

- Good Schools (59%)
- Low Crime/Safe Neighborhoods (40%)
- Parks and Recreation (37%)

What are the most important health concerns?

- Drug Abuse (44%)
- Mental Health Problems (43%)
- Too Much Screen Time/Technology Use (21%)

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LANDSCAPE REVIEW RESULTS

What are the top risky behaviors?

- Drug Abuse (58%)
- Alcohol Abuse (34%)
- Too Much Screen Time/Technology Use (30%)

Where should the community focus its attention?

- Access to Mental Health Treatment (33%)
- Access to Alcohol/Drug Abuse Treatment (25%)
- Good Jobs and Healthy Economy (22%)
- Affordable Housing (22%)

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LOCAL SYSTEM ASSESSMENT PROCESS

- April 25, 2018 – 63 community leaders attend all-day event to evaluate the local service provider system
- 10 Essential Services
- Discussion and scores

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LOCAL SYSTEM ASSESSMENT

The Essential Service receiving the HIGHEST scores

Essential Service 6: Enforce Laws

100.0

Essential Service 5: Develop Polices/Plans

95.8

Essential Service 2: Diagnose and Investigate

93.1

Essential Service 4: Mobilize Community Partnerships

83.3

Essential Service 1: Monitor Health Status

72.2

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LOCAL SYSTEM ASSESSMENT

The Essential Service receiving the LOWEST scores

Essential Service 9: Evaluate Services

70.8

Essential Service 7: Link People to Needed Services

65.6

Essential Service 3: Inform, Educate, Empower

58.3

Essential Service 10: Research Innovative Solutions

49.3

Essential Service 8: Assure a Competent Workforce

37.5

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Community Profile

How healthy is the community?

What does the health status of the community look like?

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SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH

- Economic Stability
  - Median Household Income
  - Public Benefit Program Utilization
- Community Food System
  - Food Insecurity
  - Food Availability and Accessibility
- Housing
  - Homeownership and Housing Affordability
  - Homelessness

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SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH

- Education
  - Performance and Resources K-12
  - Educational Attainment – High School Diploma
  - Educational Attainment – Bachelor's Degree
- Civic Engagement
- Crime
- Linguistic Isolation
- Transportation

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COMMUNITY FOOD SYSTEM INDICATORS

- Food Insecurity Rate
- Child Food Insecurity Rate
- Households with No Car and Low Access to a Grocery Store*
- Food Insecure Children Likely Ineligible for Assistance
- People with Low Access to Grocery Store*
- People 65+ with Low Access to a Grocery Store
- Low-Income and Low Access to a Grocery Store*
- SNAP Certified Stores

*Data also available for census tracts

CSBG 2018 COMMUNITY NEEDS ASSESSMENT

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- Survey of residents, primarily individuals with low-incomes, in Spring 2018
- Survey available at 23 health and human service agencies in DuPage County
- 2,496 responses (English and Spanish)
- Top Food and Nutrition Needs
  - Getting food from food pantries (32%)
  - Getting more food for my money (20%)
  - Learning how to shop and cook for healthy eating (17%)

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2019-2021

STRATEGIC ISSUES

Behavioral Health

How do we strengthen prevention and treatment of behavioral health issues for residents of DuPage County?

Health Status Improvement

How do we build a person-centered model of healthcare that is efficient and effective, creates meaningful access to care for all, and demonstrably improves health status?

Affordable Housing

How do we develop affordable housing that meets the demographic profile of the county?

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Q & A

What are some other ways we should use these data?

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