Built Environment and Health Equity in Alameda County

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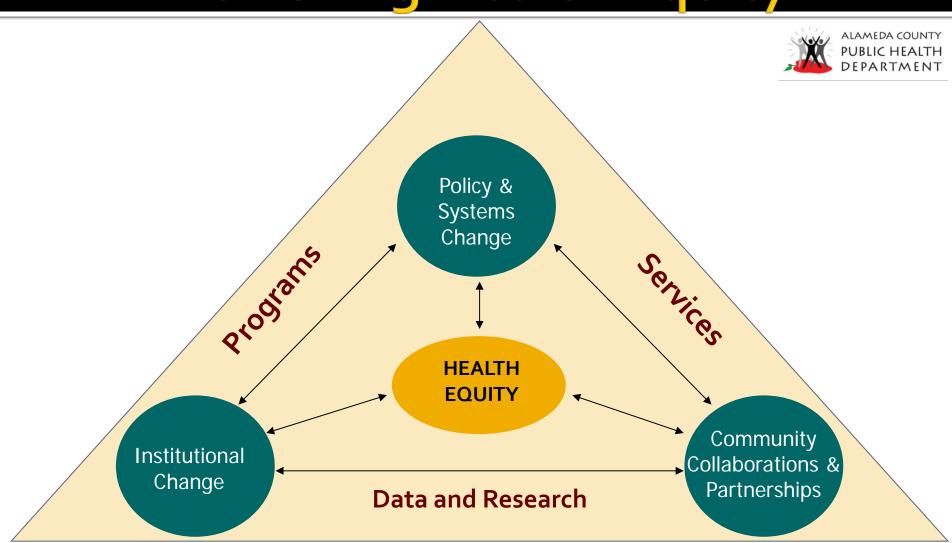
Health Equity



Everyone in Alameda County, no matter where you live, how much money you make, or the color of your skin, leads a healthy, fulfilling and productive life.



ACPHD's Approach to Achieving Health Equity



Ashland and Cherryland Community Health and Wellness Element



An Element of the Alameda County General Plan

Ashland/Cherryland Health Element

- The General Plan sets the policies for how we use and manage physical, social, and economic resources.
 - A long-term policy document
 - Not just a land use plan; but land use is integral
- Ashland/Cherryland Health Element approved by County Board of Supervisors December, 2015



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Community Engagement Process

- Project Website
- Wellness Advisory Committee
- Workshops
- ACT Street Fair
- EALI Charrette
- Focus Groups
- Survey







ACT Neighborhood Street Party Booth











Healthy Development Guidelines:

Partnership for Healthy and Equitable Development









Community Engagement in Planning



"[This has been] an opportunity to be true partners. I can see how these [guidelines] could have been made without residents at all. We have partnered because we have something to say. We have a lens that should always be there. We know how [development] will affect the people who live here."

Kim Frazier from the East
 Oakland Building Healthy
 Communities





Healthy Development Guidelines:

Collaborative and Technical Process



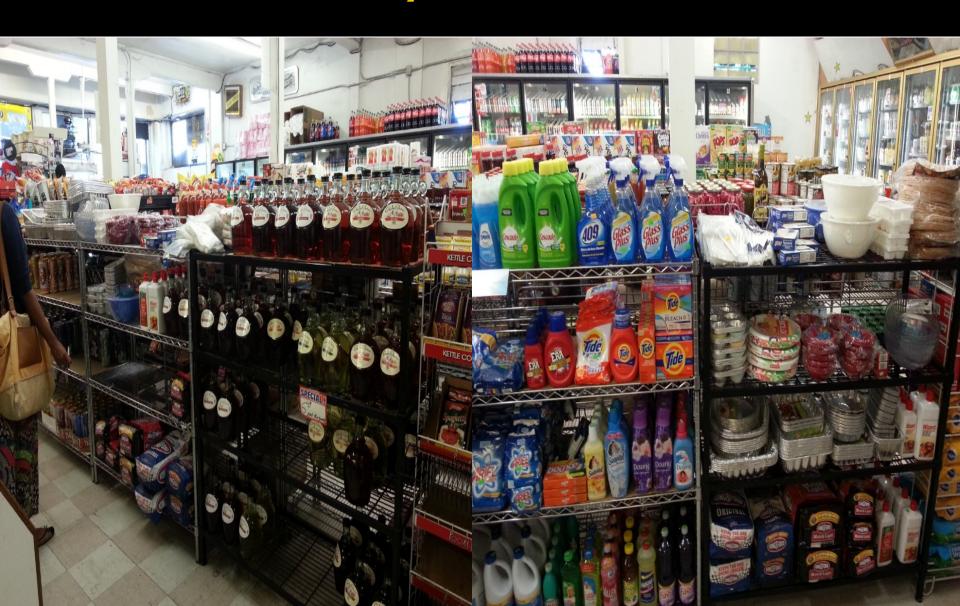












BEFORE

Disorganized

Difficult to find groceries and healthy foods

Underutilized space







AFTER

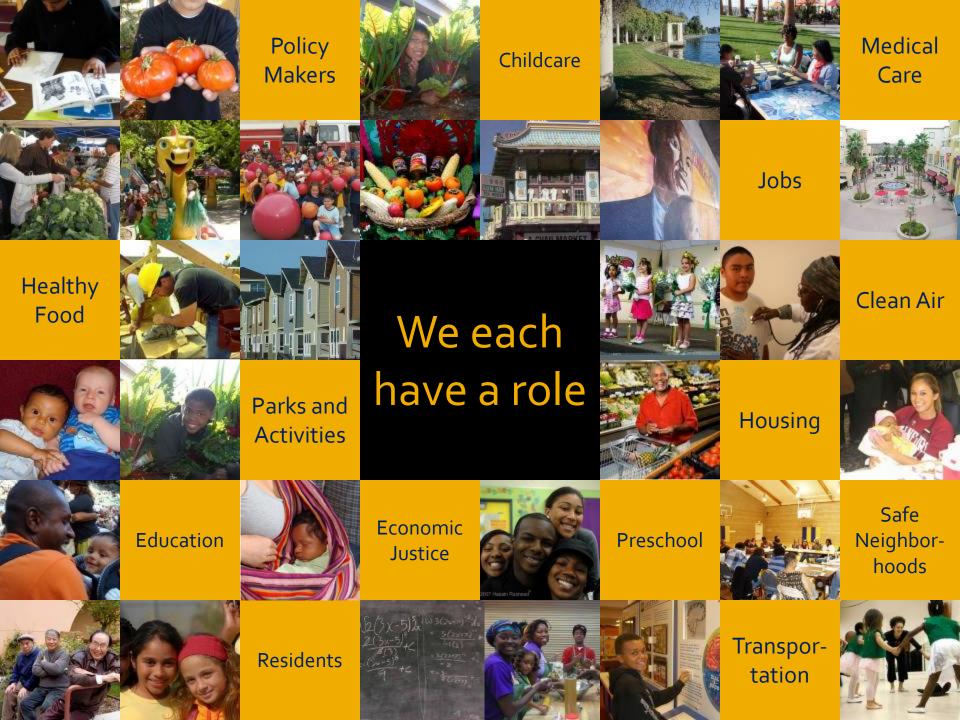
Easier to find healthier groceries











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