



## Impact Investing for Better Health & Financial Outcomes

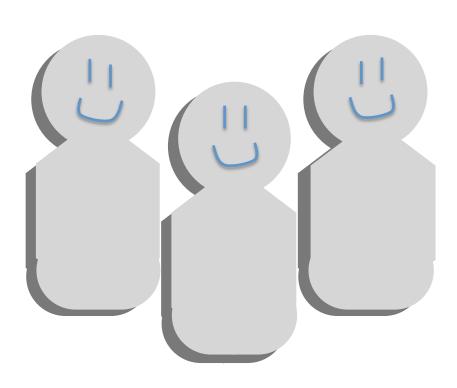
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## what matters to health?



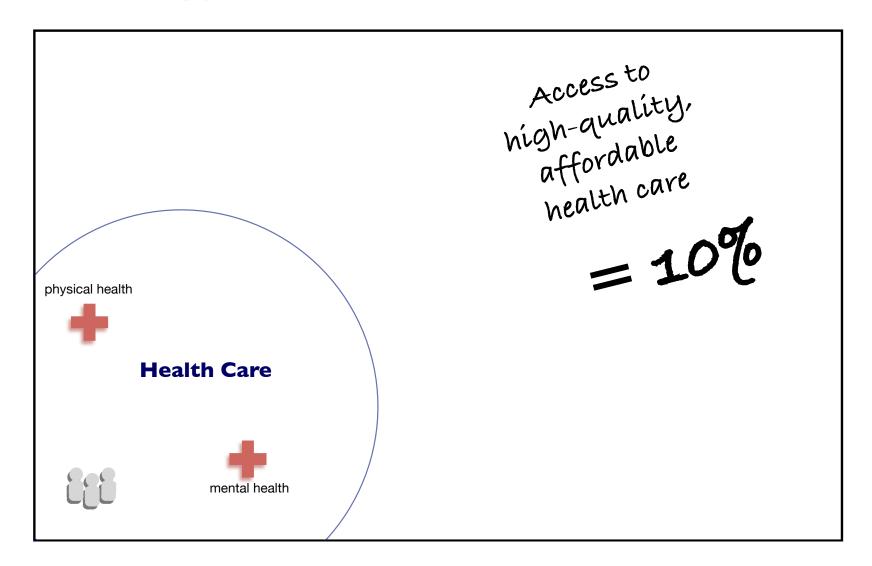
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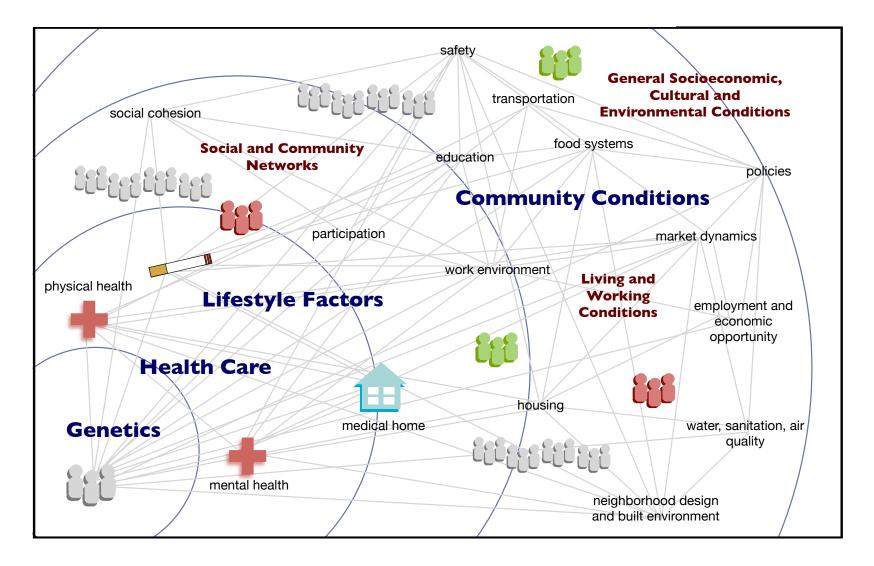


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### health care, plus...

socioeconomics
housing
transportation
food access

### relationships

The influence of relationships on the risk of death are comparable with well-established risk factors such as smoking and alcohol consumption, and exceed the influence of risk factors such as physical inactivity and obesity.

(Holt-Lunstad, Smith, Layton. PLoS Med. 2010; 7[7].)

### education

College graduates live 5 years longer than those who don't complete high school. If all Americans had the same good health as college grads, we'd avoid \$1 trillion of costs annually.

(RWJF Commission to Build a Healthier America. Issue Brief 6: Education and Health. Sept. 2009. Nat. Longitudinal Mortality Study. 1988-1998.)

child development

local jobs & training control/participation

a **community system** focused on health work environment
built environment
natural environment
public safety
economic development

### community

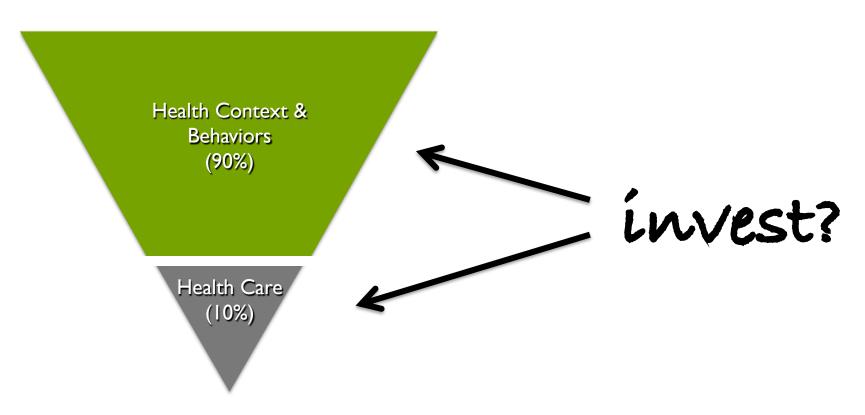
A \$10 per person annual investment in community-based prevention over five years could produce 5% reductions in type 2 diabetes, high blood pressure, heart and kidney disease, and stroke — with ROI of \$5.60 for every dollar invested.

healthyamericans.org/reports/prevention08/



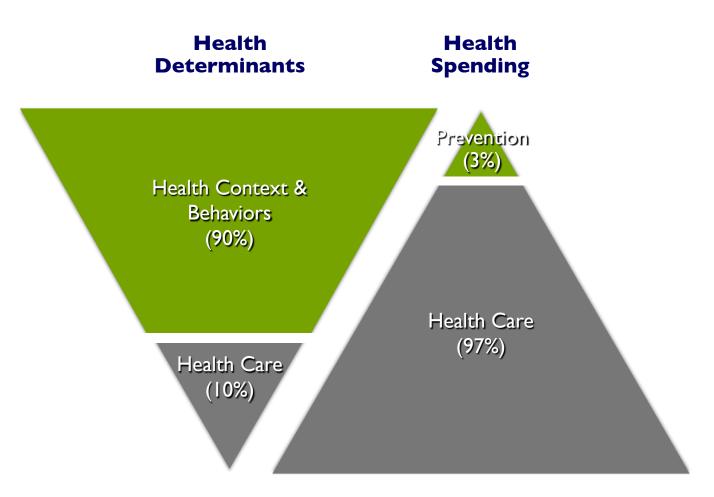
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## Health Determinants

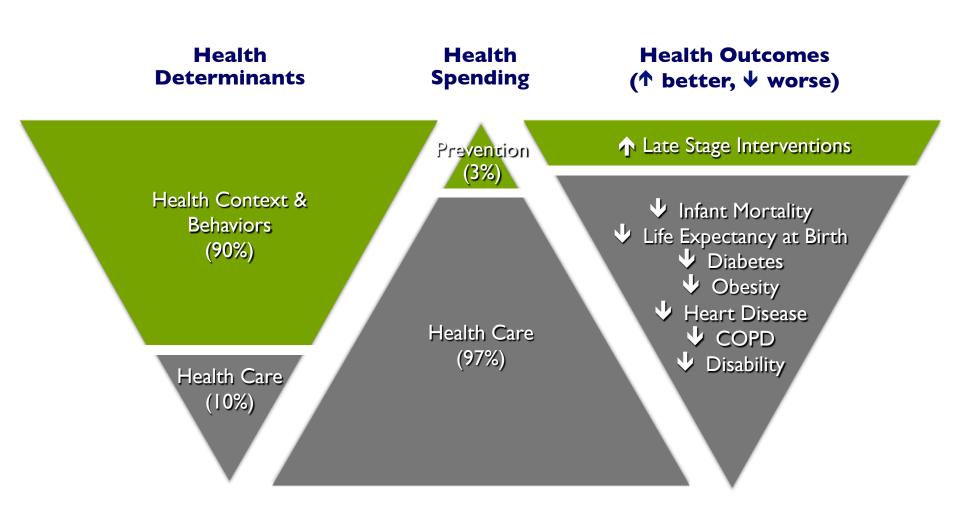




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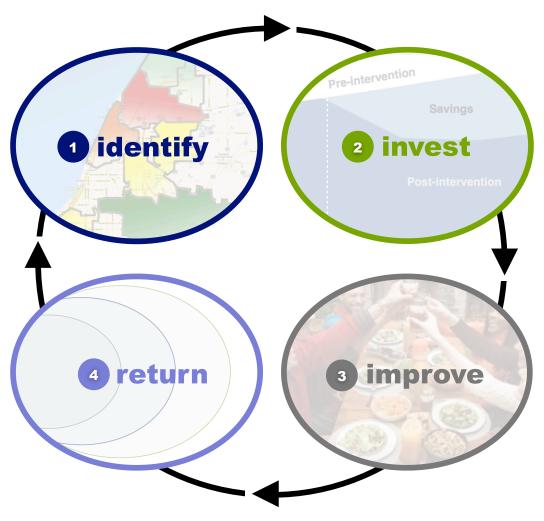




## health-impact investing



## How would we invest for better health?



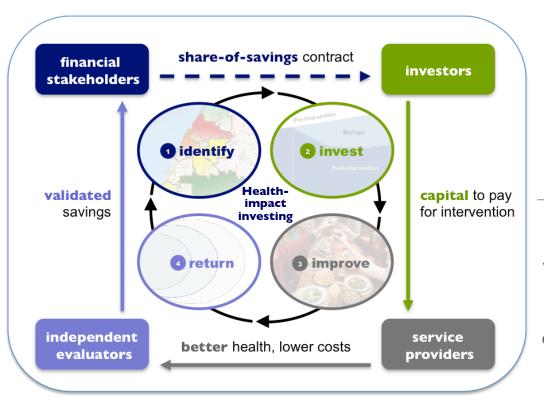


## Health-impact investing: how it works

What are the causes of poor health – and who is paying?

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Can the savings be validated, shared and reinvested?



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What is the required investment and risk/return?

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What initiatives and service providers are evidence-based?

ongoing learning • iterative/adaptive • sustainable reinvestment



# Health-impact investing: what's required

- I. Known causes of significant and costly health issues that can be prevented or improved
- 2. Evidence-based interventions and service providers with demonstrated results
- 3. Net savings potential and method for measuring/validating actual cost savings (e.g., RCT using insurance claims data)
- **4.** Payers that agree to share/reinvest savings:
  - Government health plans & commercial insurers
  - Self-insured employers
  - Providers with aligned incentives (Accountable Care Organizations, Patient-Centered Medical Homes, capitated)
- 5. ROI/IRR: acceptable investor risk-return and payback period



# Health-impact investing: potential applications

- Preventable/manageable chronic disease (heart disease, asthma,
   COPD, diabetes)
- "Superusers" of emergency department/hospital readmissions
- Mental illness (especially with comorbidity)
- Addiction/recovery
- Preventive oral health
- Onsite/location-based clinics and telehealth
- At-risk maternity/prenatal care, and early childhood development



# Philanthropy as a bridge to health-impact investing

- Validate existing evidence-base with rigorous evaluation design & insurance claims data; due diligence of intervention and service providers
- Confirm risk/return proposition will attract impact investors (philanthropy to commercial investors)
- Identify payer(s) of outcomes for scale-up

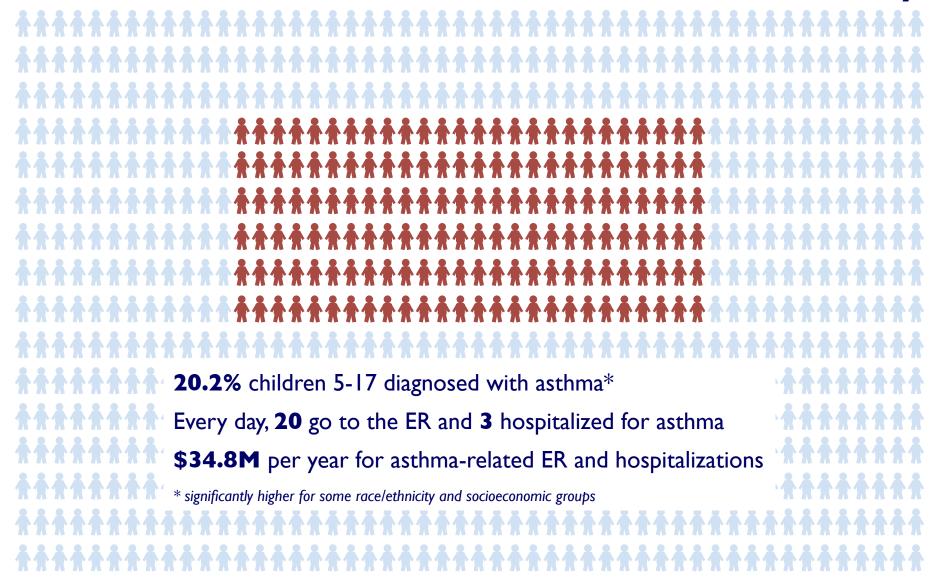


## a simple example

(with a few complicated charts)



## Asthma in Fresno: A Crisis for Children and Community





#### **Asthma: A Business Case for Prevention**



Community Preventive Services
Task Force

Asthma Control: Home-Based Multi-Trigger, Multicomponent Environmental Interventions

#### **Economic Review**

Cost-benefit studies show return of \$5.3 to \$14.0 for each \$1 invested.

www.thecommunityguide.org/asthma/multicomponent.html

## PEDIATRICS

Published online February 20, 2012 Pediatrics Vol. 129 No. 3 March 1, 2012 pp. 465 -472

(doi: 10.1542/peds.2010-3472)

#### Article

Community Asthma Initiative: Evaluation of a Quality Improvement Program for Comprehensive Asthma Care

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Twelve-month data show a significant decrease in any (≥1) asthma ED visits (68%) and hospitalizations (84.8%).

http://pediatrics.aappublications.org/content/129/3/465.abstract



#### **Phase I - Targeted Outcomes**

- Reduce the rate of asthma emergencies among 200 high-risk children enrolled in Medi-Cal in Fresno:
  - ≥30% lower asthma-related emergency department (ED) visits
  - ≥50% lower hospitalizations
- Measure health care cost savings for payers using an actuarial analysis of insurance claims data; reduction in asthma-related health care services for program participants vs. randomized control group
- **Develop an impact investment strategy** to finance scale-up of the program in Phase II

Is a *Social Impact Bond* a viable strategy for financing a home-based asthma program for high-risk children covered by Medi-Cal?





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Potential: 16,000 children with poorly controlled asthma covered by Medi-Cal



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## 1 identify

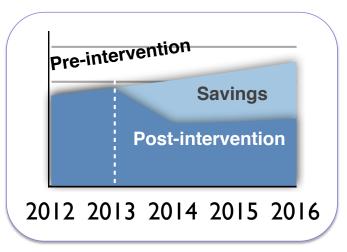
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## Value of reducing emergency room (ER) by 30% and inpatient hospital by 50%



Per Person Per Year

**Emergency and Hospital Costs** 

Pre-intervention: \$16,371
Post-intervention: \$8,598
Savings: \$7,773

**Program Investment** \$2,728 and Infrastructure

Net Savings \$5,045 Net ROI 1.8

Potential: 16,000 children (3-19) covered by Medi-Cal had an ER or urgent care visit for asthma in past 12 months

Target top 10%: 1,600 x \$5,000 = **\$8 million net savings** 





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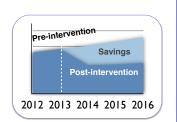


## 4 return

Project lead & evaluation: RCT using insurance claims data



<u>Validation</u>: third-party health insurance actuary → actual savings achieved



















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pre-intervention Savings 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016

## investors







## a bigger example

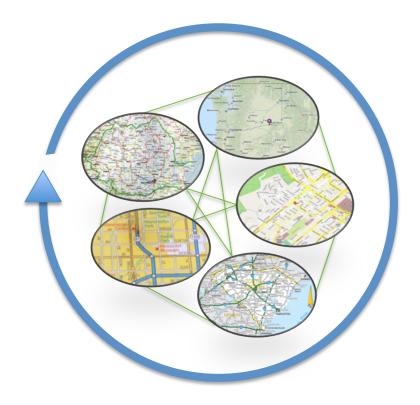




five places. five metrics. five years.

- National competition launching 2014
- Five communities compete to win the HICCup Prize for the greatest cost-effective improvement in health over five years
- HICCup will help local leaders with data...new solutions...and investment models that generate better health with financial returns

More coming... **HICCup.co** 

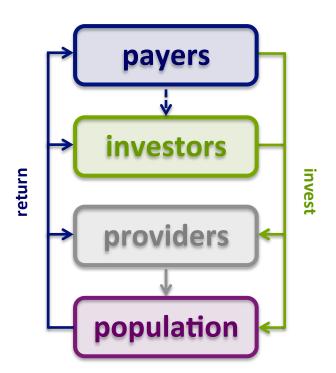




## **Health Capital Markets**

≈ investment bank for community health

- Shift \$: treatment → health
- Portfolio approach
- Progressive reinvestment



impact investing insurance/reinsurance **HC** payment/delivery innovation fund new business models health credit exchange health trust/fund debt financing sponsorships/in-kind community benefit micro/crowdfunding philanthropy public sector funding policy change



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