



Community Health Assessment/Community Health Improvement Plan 2015

Visioning Meeting Results
June 30th, 2015

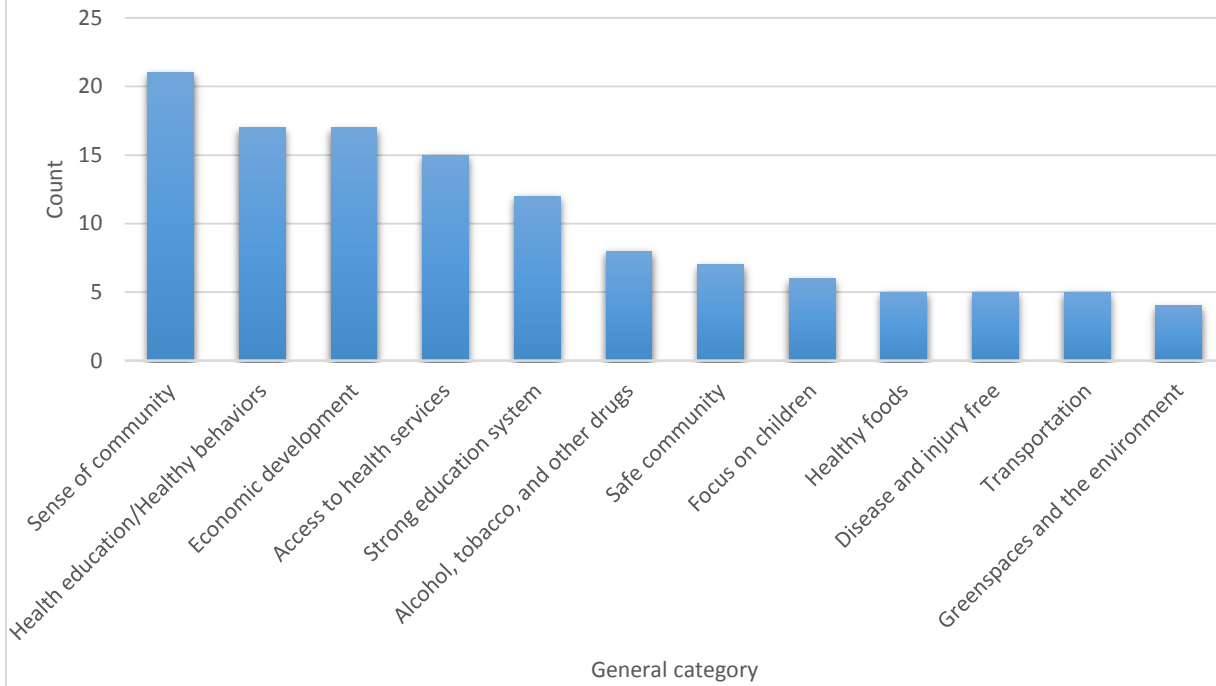
Question 1. What does a healthy community mean to you?

112 unique responses from 45 individuals:

Table 1. Results for visioning prompt number 1.

	Count	Percent
Sense of community <i>(i.e. sense of pride, social and community support, family-oriented, and respect for all).</i>	21	17.2%
Health Education/Healthy Behaviors <i>(i.e. availability of resources, culture of health, and focus on prevention)</i>	17	13.9%
Economic development <i>(i.e. economic opportunities, affordable housing, productive citizens, and using taxes wisely)</i>	17	13.9%
Access to health services <i>(i.e. access to providers closer to home, more mental health services, and access to facilities for healthy living)</i>	15	12.3%
Strong education system <i>(i.e. educated and intelligent population, access to colleges and technical schools, and focus on completion of secondary education)</i>	12	9.8%
Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs <i>(i.e. smoke free, eliminating addiction, and more programs to address drug abuse/addiction)</i>	8	6.6%
Safe community <i>(i.e. low crime rate, lower risky behaviors, decrease injuries, and improve lighting)</i>	7	5.7%
Focus on children <i>(i.e. focus on children, activities geared towards teens, and improve access to libraries and activities)</i>	6	4.9%
Healthy foods <i>(i.e. access to healthy and affordable foods)</i>	5	4.1%
Disease and injury free <i>(i.e. lower incidence of disease, emergency preparedness, importance of quality of life and longevity)</i>	5	4.1%
Transportation <i>(i.e. safe roads, improved sidewalks and public transportation)</i>	5	4.1%
Greenspaces and the environment <i>(i.e. improved park system)</i>	4	3.3%

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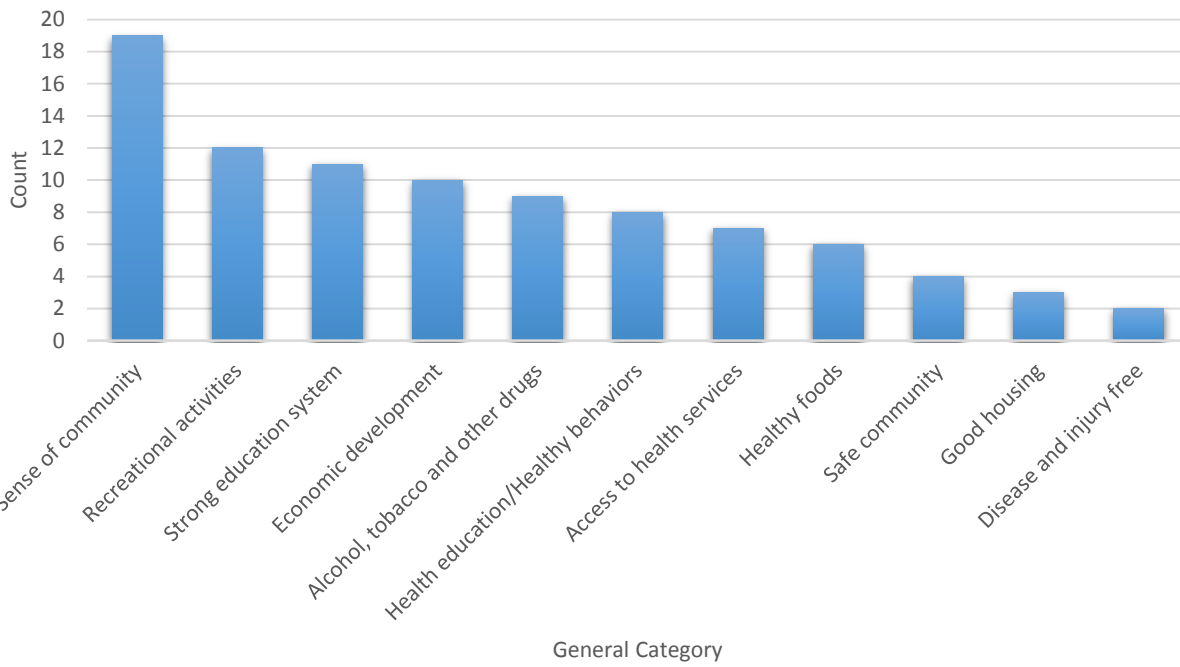


Question 2. What are important characteristics of a healthy community for all who work, learn, live, and play here?
 91 unique responses from 45 individuals:

Table 2. Results for visioning prompt number 2.

	<i>Count</i>	<i>Percent</i>
Sense of community <i>(i.e. places for children, no community or political divide, tolerance and acceptance, and collaboration between elected officials)</i>	19	20.9%
Recreational activities <i>(i.e. park systems, pools, community activities like 5K race, family friendly festivals, and opportunities to be physically active)</i>	12	13.2%
Strong education system <i>(i.e. job training and opportunities for growth, community college, and emphasis on early childhood education)</i>	11	12.1%
Economic development <i>(i.e. financial literacy, job opportunities, up-to-date infrastructure and new businesses and employers)</i>	10	10.9%
Alcohol, tobacco and other drugs <i>(i.e. smoke free, drug free, needle exchange program and education programs to address addiction)</i>	9	9.9%
Health education/Healthy behaviors <i>(i.e. health literacy, health in all policies, quality of life and access to preventive care)</i>	8	8.8%
Access to health services <i>(i.e. accessible health care and increased mental health services)</i>	7	7.7%
Healthy foods <i>(i.e. organic and health food options, farmers market, food banks and sit-down restaurants)</i>	6	6.6%
Safe community <i>(i.e. low crime rate and committed first responders)</i>	4	4.4%
Good housing <i>(i.e. affordable, safe, clean and vermin free housing)</i>	3	3.3%
Disease and injury free <i>(i.e. low rates of disease)</i>	2	2.2%

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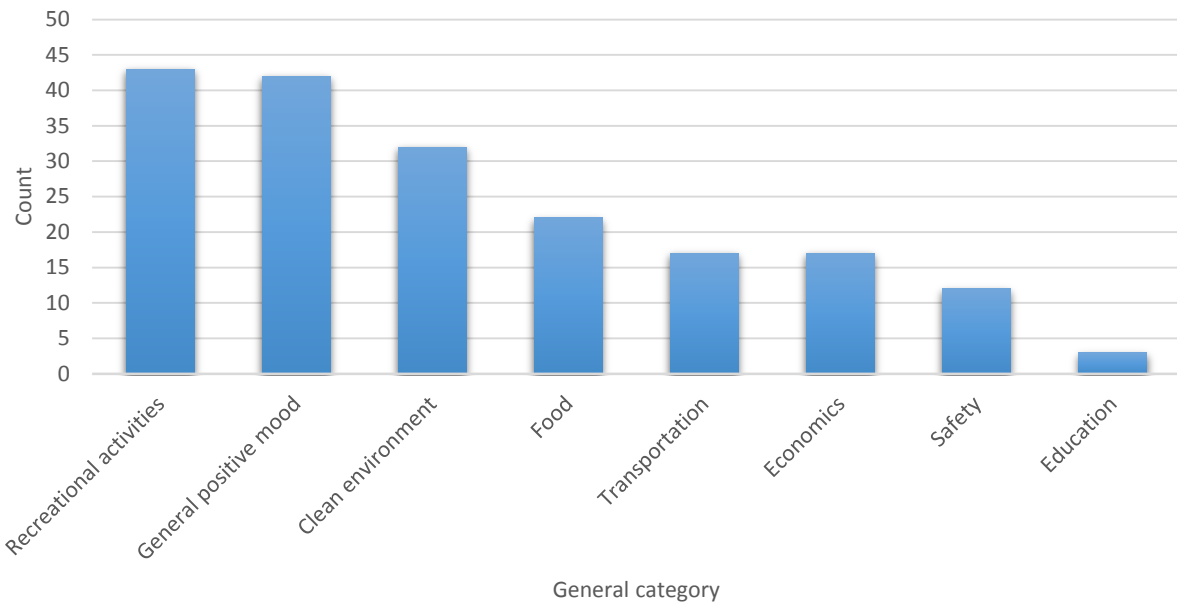
Question 3. In your ideal community, what would you hear, see, taste, touch, and smell?

188 responses from 45 individuals:

Question 3. Results from visioning prompt 3.

	Count	Percent
Recreational activities <i>(i.e. playing outside, having fun, having more parks and green spaces, and more recreational facilities like pools)</i>	43	22.9%
General positive mood <i>(i.e. laughter, people helping each other, positive attitudes, and selflessness)</i>	42	22.3%
Clean environment <i>(i.e. fresh air, clean water, lots of green spaces and flowers and trees, and well-kept homes)</i>	32	17.0%
Food <i>(i.e. locally grown and healthy foods, a variety of restaurants, fresh produce, and farmers markets)</i>	22	11.7%
Transportation <i>(i.e. fewer traffic jams, safe drivers and safe roads, improved sidewalks and bike paths)</i>	17	9.0%
Economics <i>(i.e. upscale retail stores, new businesses, revitalizing downtown spaces, and low unemployment)</i>	17	9.0%
Safety <i>(i.e. neighbors helping neighbors, less profanity and fewer drugs)</i>	12	6.4%
Education <i>(i.e. well-funded schools, access to books, and a quality education)</i>	3	1.6%

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4. What needs to be in place for us to work together effectively to achieve our vision? These were organized into Pillars to support the work of the Community Health Improvement effort in the county.

Communication	People Resources	Built Environment	Financial Resources	Programs	Behaviors
communication	Continue partnerships	infrastructure	financial support	educational empowerment	cooperation
open communication	All hands on deck	roads	pooling of resources	training	willingness to volunteer/participate
communication of plans	public and private partners	public transportation	funding	needs assessment and evaluation	leadership
better communication	diverse team	county-wide parks in all cities	fair taxing	evaluation	documentation/reporting
	committees/subcommittees	merger of metro/county	grant opportunities	raise public awareness	transparency
	community meetings for feedback	joint planning	money	community farming	willingness to take risks
	pooling of resources	system of communication	budget/funding	health education	passion
	community consensus and buy in	county and cities working together		safety education	responsibility
	support of community leaders and public officials	capacity		public education on available resources	transparency
	strong leadership	strong chamber of commerce		family planning/parenting	
	willing parties			clear understanding of existing agencies	ethics
	creative thinkers			homeless and domestic violence shelters	less ego
	effective leadership			drug treatment facilities	unselfishness
	visionary			rehab	unbiased opinions
				needle exchange program	proactive attitudes
				facilities/programs	shared desire
				homeless shelters	openness to change
				student interns	work for common good
				apprenticeships	trust
				summer jobs	open to new ideas
				sports programs	accountability
				transitional treatment facilities	teamwork

				halfway house	collaboration
				community assessment	unbiased opinions
				health activities for ll not just families	determination
				policies and incentives for health education	commitment
				community forums	perseverance
				continuing education	understanding of vision
				education	breakdown walls
				smoke-free policy	involvement of community
				support and resources for those in need	pride in community
				deadlines	
				plan priorities with timeline	
				long and short term goals	
				buy in from all	

5. Working together - What are the key behaviors that will be necessary of the CHA/CHIP partners, the community, and others in the next five years to achieve this vision?

Top Key Behaviors of CHA/CHIP Partners

- # 1 =collaboration: The cells highlighted in this color were identified as a type of collaboration by the LEAD Team
- # 2 =commitment: The cells highlighted in this color were identified as a type of commitment. Many of these fall in the collaboration category.
- # 3 =Integrity: The cells highlighted in this color were identified as a type of Integrity trait by the LEAD Team.
- # 4 =willing to change: The cells highlighted in blue were identified as a willingness to change by the LEAD Team.

Word list generated from the Brainstorming activity for Question # 5

Trustworthiness
Open-mindedness
Honesty
Integrity
Involvement of All
Accountability
Equitable implementation
Cooperation
Passion
Compassion for others
Collaboration
Educated/data driven decisions
Consistency
Clear message
Willingness to change
Commitment
Courage
Selflessness/altruism
Dedication to follow through
Prioritizing and planning
measurable goals
future oriented
health equity focus
Evidence-based

