ASSESSMENT



COLLECTING, ANALYZING, AND USING DATA
TO EDUCATE AND MOBILIZE COMMUNITIES,
DEVELOP PRIORITIES,
GARNER RESOURCES,
AND PLAN ACTIONS

(Public Health Accreditation Board, 2011, p. 4)

CAPACITY



RESOURCES AND RELATIONSHIPS NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT CORE FUNCTIONS AND ESSENTIAL SERVICES

(Adapted from Public Health Accreditation Board, 2011, p. 6)



COALITION



AN ORGANIZED GROUP OF PEOPLE IN A COMMUNITY WORKING TOWARD A COMMON GOAL



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT



PROCESS OF WORKING COLLABORATIVELY WITH PEOPLE WITH RESPECT TO ISSUES AFFECTING THEIR WELL-BEING



CULTURE



PATTERNS OF HUMAN BEHAVIOR THAT INCLUDE LANGUAGE, THOUGHTS, COMMUNICATION, CUSTOMS, BELIEFS, VALUES, AND INSTITUTIONS OF RACIAL, ETHNIC, RELIGIOUS, OR SOCIAL GROUPS

(Adapted from Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, n.d. US Department of Health and Human Services)



EFNEP



EXPANDED FOOD AND NUTRITION EDUCATION PROGRAM, A FEDERAL COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAM IN WHICH PEER EDUCATORS DELIVER LESSONS TO LOW-INCOME FAMILIES

ENVIRONMENT



PHYSICAL, SOCIAL, OR ECONOMIC FACTORS
THAT INFLUENCE PEOPLE'S PRACTICES, SUCH
AS THE PRESENCE OF HEALTHY CHOICES IN
RESTAURANTS OR OF FINANCIAL INCENTIVES
TO ENCOURAGE DESIRED BEHAVIOR



FOOD ACCESS



CONDITIONS IN WHICH A PERSON OR GROUP CAN OBTAIN HEALTHY FOOD, DEPENDING ON FACTORS SUCH AS PHYSICAL ACCESS, SEASONAL AVAILABILITY, AFFORDABILITY, KNOWLEDGE, OR CULTURAL ATTITUDES



HEALTH DISPARITY



A DIFFERENCE IN POPULATION HEALTH STATUS
THAT IS AVOIDABLE AND CAN BE CHANGED;
THESE DIFFERENCES CAN RESULT FROM
ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL AND/OR ECONOMIC
CONDITIONS, AS WELL AS PUBLIC POLICY



HEALTH EQUITY



CONDITIONS IN WHICH EVERYONE HAS

THE OPPORTUNITY TO ATTAIN

THEIR FULL HEALTH POTENTIAL,

REGARDLESS OF SOCIAL POSITION OR OTHER

SOCIALLY-DETERMINED CIRCUMSTANCE

(Adapted from Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 2010, p. 107)



IMPLEMENTATION



THE REALIZATION OF AN APPLICATION, OR EXECUTION OF A PLAN, IDEA, OR MODEL



INDICATOR



A MEASUREMENT THAT REFLECTS THE STATUS
OR REVEALS THE DIRECTION OF A SYSTEM (A
COMMUNITY, THE ECONOMY, THE
ENVIRONMENT); SUCH AS WHETHER IT IS
INCREASING OR DECREASING, IMPROVING OR
DETERIORATING, OR STAYING THE SAME

(Adapted from Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Public Health Performance Standards, n.d., p. 21)



POLICY



A LAW, REGULATION, RULE, PROTOCOL, OR PROCEDURE, DESIGNED TO GUIDE OR INFLUENCE BEHAVIOR

(Adapted from Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 2010, p. 107)



POPULATION-BASED INTERVENTION



ACTION TAKEN TO IMPROVE OR PROTECT
HEALTH STATUS OF ENTIRE POPULATIONS OR
COMMUNITIES (IN CONTRAST TO
INDIVIDUALS), CONSIDERING BROAD
DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH AND ALL LEVELS OF
PREVENTION

(Adapted from Bethel University Department of Nursing, n.d.)



SECTOR



A SEGMENT OF THE COMMUNITY, SUCH AS
BUSINESS, SCHOOLS, COMMUNITY
INSTITUTIONS, WORKPLACES, OR HEALTH CARE



SNAP



SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM, A PROGRAM OF THAT OFFERS NUTRITION ASSISTANCE TO ELIGIBLE, LOW-INCOME INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES

University of Minnesota

EXTENSION

SPECTRUM OF PREVENTION



A FRAMEWORK FOR EFFECTIVE PREVENTION THAT PRESENTS A RANGE OF INTERVENTION ACTIVITIES AT SIX DIFFERENT LEVELS



STAKEHOLDER



A PERSON OR ORGANIZATION WITH DIRECT INTEREST, INVOLVEMENT, OR INVESTMENT IN A COALITION OR ITS EFFORTS

(Adapted from Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 2010, p. 108)



STRATEGY



MEANS BY WHICH POLICY, PROGRAMS, AND PRACTICES ARE PUT INTO EFFECT AS POPULATION-BASED APPROACHES



SYSTEM



A COLLECTION OF PARTS OF COMPONENTS THAT INTERACT WITH ONE ANOTHER TO FUNCTION AS A WHOLE

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTAL EXTENSION

SYSTEMS CHANGE



CHANGE THAT IMPACTS ALL ELEMENTS,
INCLUDING SOCIAL NORMS, OF AN
ORGANIZATION, INSTITUTION, OR SYSTEM;
MAY INCLUDE A POLICY OR
ENVIRONMENTAL CHANGE STRATEGY

(Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 2010, p. 109)

