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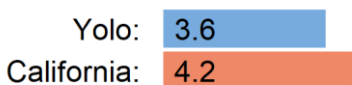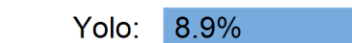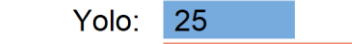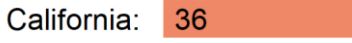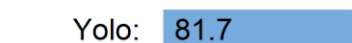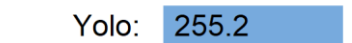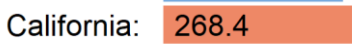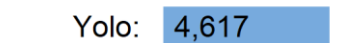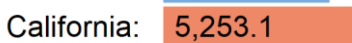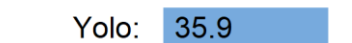
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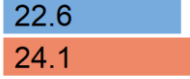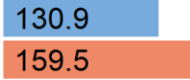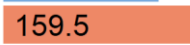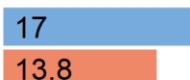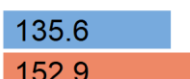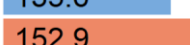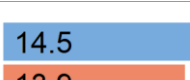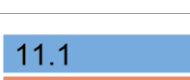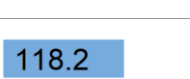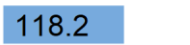
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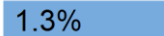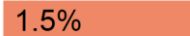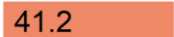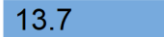
The tables and figures that follow show the specific values for the health need indicators used as part of the health need identification process. Indicator values for Yolo County were compared to the California state benchmark and are highlighted below when the county's performance was worse than the state's value. The associated figures show rates for the county compared to the California state rates.

Length of Life

Table 1: County length of life indicators compared to state benchmarks.
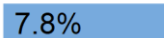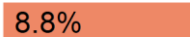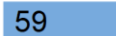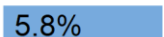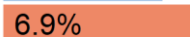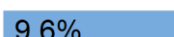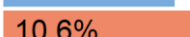
Indicators	Description	Yolo	California	
Early Life				
Infant Mortality	Number of all infant deaths (within 1 year), per 1,000 live births.	3.6	4.2	Yolo: 3.6 California: 4.2
Preterm Birth	Percentage of births preterm (<37 weeks)	8.9%	8.9%	Yolo: 8.9% California: 8.9%
Child Mortality	Number of deaths among children under age 18 per 100,000 population.	25.0	36.0	Yolo: 25 California: 36
Life Expectancy	Average number of years a person can expect to live.	81.7	81.7	Yolo: 81.7 California: 81.7
Overall				
Premature Age-Adjusted Mortality	Number of deaths among residents under age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted).	255.2	268.4	Yolo: 255.2 California: 268.4
Premature Death	Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted).	4,617.0	5,253.1	Yolo: 4,617 California: 5,253.1
Stroke Mortality	Number of deaths due to stroke per 100,000 population.	35.9	41.2	Yolo: 35.9 California: 41.2

Indicator	Description	Yolo	California	Chart
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease Mortality	Number of deaths due to chronic lower respiratory disease per 100,000 population.	35.8	34.8	Yolo: 35.8 California: 34.8
Diabetes Mortality	Number of deaths due to diabetes per 100,000 population.	22.6	24.1	Yolo: 22.6 California: 24.1
Heart Disease Mortality	Number of deaths due to heart disease per 100,000 population.	130.9	159.5	Yolo: 130.9 California: 159.5
Hypertension Mortality	Number of deaths due to hypertension per 100,000 population.	17.0	13.8	Yolo: 17 California: 13.8
Cancer, Liver, and Kidney Disease				
Cancer Mortality	Number of deaths due to cancer per 100,000 population.	135.6	152.9	Yolo: 135.6 California: 152.9
Liver Cancer Mortality	Number of deaths due to liver cancer per 100,000 population.	9.5	7.7	Yolo: 9.5 California: 7.7
Liver Disease Mortality	Number of deaths due to liver disease per 100,000 population.	14.5	13.9	Yolo: 14.5 California: 13.9
Kidney Disease Mortality	Number of deaths due to kidney disease per 100,000 population.	5.0	9.7	Yolo: 5 California: 9.7
Intentional and Unintentional Injuries				
Suicide Mortality	Number of deaths due to suicide per 100,000 population.	11.1	11.2	Yolo: 11.1 California: 11.2
Unintentional Injuries Mortality	Number of deaths due to unintentional injuries per 100,000 population.	34.1	35.7	Yolo: 34.1 California: 35.7
COVID-19				
COVID-19 Mortality	Number of deaths due to COVID-19 per 100,000 population.	118.2	185.1	Yolo: 118.2 California: 185.1
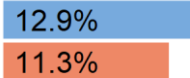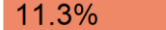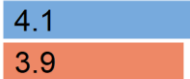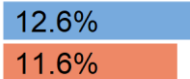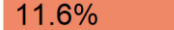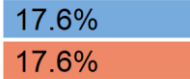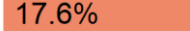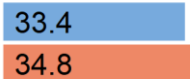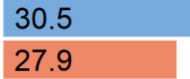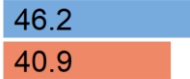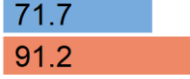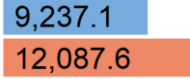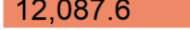
COVID-19 Case Fatality	Percentage of COVID-19 deaths per laboratory confirmed COVID-19 cases.	1.3%	1.5%	Yolo: 1.3% California: 1.5%
Other				
Alzheimer's Disease Mortality	Number of deaths due to Alzheimer's disease per 100,000 population.	45.7	41.2	Yolo: 45.7 California: 41.2
Influenza and Pneumonia Mortality	Number of deaths due to influenza and pneumonia per 100,000 population.	13.7	16.0	Yolo: 13.7 California: 16
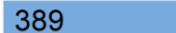
Quality of Life

Table 2: County quality of life indicators compared to state benchmarks.

Indicators	Description	Yolo	California	
Chronic Disease				
Diabetes Prevalence	Percentage of adults ages 20 and above with diagnosed diabetes.	7.8%	8.8%	Yolo: 7.8% California: 8.8%
Hospitalizations for Diabetes Long Term Complications	Age-sex-adjusted hospitalization rate for long-term complications due to diabetes per 100,000.	59.0	97.0	Yolo: 59 California: 97
Low Birthweight	Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams).	5.8%	6.9%	Yolo: 5.8% California: 6.9%
HIV Prevalence	Number of people ages 13 years and older living with a diagnosis of human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) infection per 100,000 population.	150.6	395.9	Yolo: 150.6 California: 395.9
Disability	Percentage of the total civilian noninstitutionalized population with a disability.	9.6%	10.6%	Yolo: 9.6% California: 10.6%
Dental Health				

Indicator	Description	Yolo	Benchmark	Chart
Emergency Department (ED) Visits for Dental Diagnosis Adult	ED visits for persons ages 18 and older with dental problems as the primary diagnosis per 100,000.	433.0	277.2[1]	Yolo: 433 / California: 277.2
ED Visits For Dental Diagnosis Child	Emergency department visits for persons under age 18 with dental problems as primary diagnosis per 100,000.	136.0	277.2[1]	Yolo: 136 / California: 277.2
Falls				
ED Falls Ages 65+	Emergency department visits for persons ages 65 or older for accidental falls per 100,000.	5,543.2	5,166.8[2]	Yolo: 5,543.2 / Benchmark: 5,166.8
Hospitalizations for Falls Ages 65+	Hospitalizations for persons ages 65 or older for accidental falls per 100,000.	1,623.4	1,447.5[2]	Yolo: 1,623.4 / Benchmark: 1,447.5
Mental Health				
Hospitalizations for Self-Inflicted Injuries Youth	Non-fatal hospitalizations for self-inflicted injury for persons ages 15-24 per 100,000.	29.2	25.3[3]	Yolo: 29.2 / Benchmark: 25.3
Hospitalizations for Mental Health Young Adults	Hospitalizations for Mental Health (MDC 19) for persons ages 15-24 per 100,000.	913.0	701.0[4]	Yolo: 913 / Benchmark: 701
Hospitalizations for Mental Health or Substance Use	Hospitalizations for mental health or alcohol- or drug-related diagnoses per 100,000.	131.0	106.0	Yolo: 131 / California: 106
Poor Mental Health Days	Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (age-adjusted).	4.3	3.7	Yolo: 4.3 / California: 3.7

Frequent Mental Distress	Percentage of adults reporting 14 or more days of poor mental health per month (age-adjusted).	12.9%	11.3%	Yolo: 12.9% California: 11.3%
Poor Physical Health Days	Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (age-adjusted).	4.1	3.9	Yolo: 4.1 California: 3.9
Frequent Physical Distress	Percentage of adults reporting 14 or more days of poor physical health per month (age-adjusted).	12.6%	11.6%	Yolo: 12.6% California: 11.6%
Poor or Fair Health	Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted).	17.6%	17.6%	Yolo: 17.6% California: 17.6%
Cancer				
Colorectal Cancer Prevalence	Colon and rectum cancers per 100,000 population (age-adjusted).	33.4	34.8	Yolo: 33.4 California: 34.8
Cancer Colon Hospitalizations	Hospitalizations for with colon cancer as the primary diagnosis per 100,000	16.0	22.0	Yolo: 16 California: 22
Breast Cancer Prevalence	Female in situ breast cancers per 100,000 female population (age-adjusted).	30.5	27.9	Yolo: 30.5 California: 27.9
Lung Cancer Prevalence	Lung and bronchus cancers per 100,000 population (age-adjusted).	46.2	40.9	Yolo: 46.2 California: 40.9
Prostate Cancer Prevalence	Prostate cancers per 100,000 male population (age-adjusted).	71.7	91.2	Yolo: 71.7 California: 91.2
COVID-19				
COVID-19 Cumulative Incidence	Number of laboratory confirmed COVID-19 cases per 100,000 population.	9,237.1	12,087.6	Yolo: 9,237.1 California: 12,087.6

Other				
Asthma Emergency Department (ED) Rates	Emergency department visits due to asthma per 10,000 (age-adjusted).	389.0	422.0	Yolo: 389 California: 422
Asthma ED Rates for Children	Emergency department visits due to asthma among ages 5-17 per 10,000 population ages 5-17 (age-adjusted).	475.0	601.0	Yolo: 475 California: 601

[1]Benchmarked against state rate for all ages
[2]Benchmarked against 2016 Yolo county rate
[3]Benchmarked against 2013-2016 Yolo county rate
[4]Benchmarked against 2012-2015 Yolo county rate
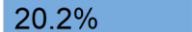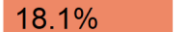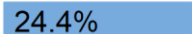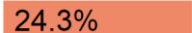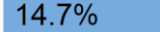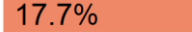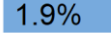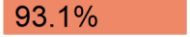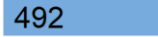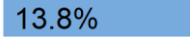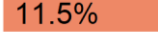
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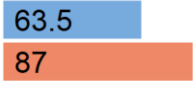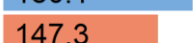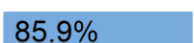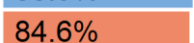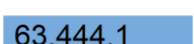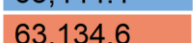
Indicators	Description	Yolo	California	
Excessive Drinking	Percentage of adults reporting binge or heavy drinking (age-adjusted).	20.2%	18.1%	Yolo: 20.2% California: 18.1%
Drug Induced Death	Drug induced deaths per 100,000 (age-adjusted).	13.2	14.3	Yolo: 13.2 California: 14.3
Adult Obesity	Percentage of the adult population (age 20 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to 30 kg/m2.	24.4%	24.3%	Yolo: 24.4% California: 24.3%
Physical Inactivity	Percentage of adults ages 20 and over reporting no leisure-time physical activity.	14.7%	17.7%	Yolo: 14.7% California: 17.7%
Limited Access to Healthy Foods	Percentage of population who are low-income and do not live close to a grocery store.	1.9%	3.3%	Yolo: 1.9% California: 3.3%
Food Environment Index	Index of factors that contribute to a healthy food environment, from 0 (worst) to 10 (best).	8.6	8.8	Yolo: 8.6 California: 8.8

Access to Exercise Opportunities	Percentage of population with adequate access to locations for physical activity.	96.0%	93.1%	Yolo: 96% / California: 93.1%
Chlamydia Incidence	Number of newly diagnosed chlamydia cases per 100,000 population.	492.0	585.3	Yolo: 492 / California: 585.3
Teen Birth Rate	Number of births per 1,000 female population ages 15-19.	8.2	17.4	Yolo: 8.2 / California: 17.4
Adult Smoking	Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted).	13.8%	11.5%	Yolo: 13.8% / California: 11.5%

Clinical Care

Table 4: County clinical care indicators compared to state benchmarks.
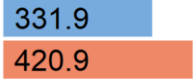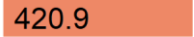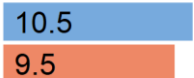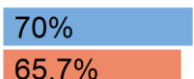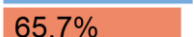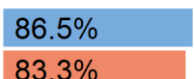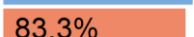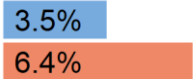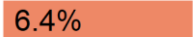
Indicators	Description	Yolo	California	
Primary Care Shortage Area	Presence of a primary care health professional shortage area within the county.	No	NA	Yolo: No / California:
Dental Care Shortage Area	Presence of a dental care health professional shortage area within the county.	No	NA	Yolo: No / California:
Mental Health Care Shortage Area	Presence of a mental health professional shortage area within the county.	Yes	NA	Yolo: Yes / California:
Medically Underserved Area	Presence of a medically underserved area within the county.	Yes	NA	Yolo: Yes / California:
Mammography Screening	Percentage of female Medicare enrollees ages 65-74 that received an annual mammography screening.	37.0%	36.0%	Yolo: 37% / California: 36%
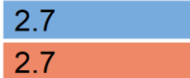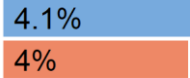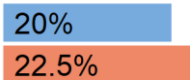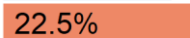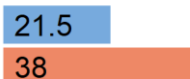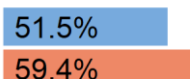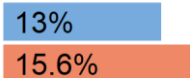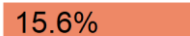
Indicators	Description	Yolo	California	
Dentists	Dentists per 100,000 population.	63.5	87.0	Yolo: 63.5 California: 87
Mental Health Providers	Mental health providers per 100,000 population.	368.7	373.4	Yolo: 368.7 California: 373.4
Psychiatry Providers	Psychiatry providers per 100,000 population.	16.3	13.5	Yolo: 16.3 California: 13.5
Specialty Care Providers	Specialty care providers (non-primary care physicians) per 100,000 population.	212.6	190.0	Yolo: 212.6 California: 190
Primary Care Providers	Primary care physicians per 100,000 population + other primary care providers per 100,000 population.	180.1	147.3	Yolo: 180.1 California: 147.3
Prenatal Care	Percentage of live births receiving prenatal care in the first trimester	85.9%	84.6%	Yolo: 85.9% California: 84.6%
Preventable Hospitalization	Preventable hospitalizations per 100,000 (age-sex-poverty adjusted).	535.1	948.3	Yolo: 535.1 California: 948.3
COVID-19				
COVID-19 Cumulative Full Vaccination Rate	Number of completed COVID-19 vaccinations per 100,000 population.	63,444.1	63,134.6	Yolo: 63,444.1 California: 63,134.6
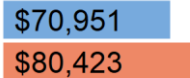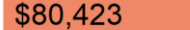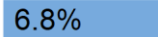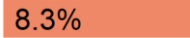
Socio-Economic and Demographic Factors

Table 5: County socio-economic and demographic factors indicators compared to state benchmarks.

Indicators	Description	Yolo	California	
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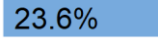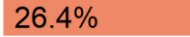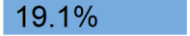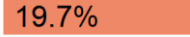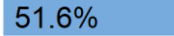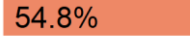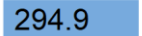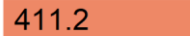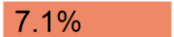
Homicide Rate	Number of deaths due to homicide per 100,000 population.	2.3	4.8	Yolo: 2.3 California: 4.8
Firearm Fatalities Rate	Number of deaths due to firearms per 100,000 population.	5.3	7.8	Yolo: 5.3 California: 7.8
Violent Crime Rate	Number of reported violent crime offenses per 100,000 population.	331.9	420.9	Yolo: 331.9 California: 420.9
Juvenile Arrest Rate	Felony juvenile arrests per 1,000 juveniles.	2.6	2.1	Yolo: 2.6 California: 2.1
Motor Vehicle Crash Death	Number of motor vehicle crash deaths per 100,000 population.	10.5	9.5	Yolo: 10.5 California: 9.5
Education				
Some College	Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education.	70.0%	65.7%	Yolo: 70% California: 65.7%
High School Completion	Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent.	86.5%	83.3%	Yolo: 86.5% California: 83.3%
Disconnected Youth	Percentage of teens and young adults ages 16-19 who are neither working nor in school.	3.5%	6.4%	Yolo: 3.5% California: 6.4%
Third Grade Reading Level	Average grade level performance for 3rd graders on English Language Arts standardized tests.	2.9	2.9	Yolo: 2.9 California: 2.9
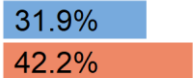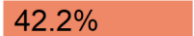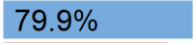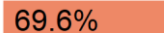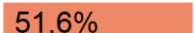
Third Grade Math Level	Average grade level performance for 3rd graders on math standardized tests.	2.7	2.7	Yolo: 2.7 California: 2.7
Employment				
Unemployment	Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work.	4.1%	4.0%	Yolo: 4.1% California: 4%
Family and Social Support				
Children in Single-Parent Households	Percentage of children that live in a household headed by single parent.	20.0%	22.5%	Yolo: 20% California: 22.5%
Social Associations	Number of membership associations per 10,000 population.	6.4	5.9	Yolo: 6.4 California: 5.9
Residential Segregation (Non-White/White)	Index of dissimilarity where higher values indicate greater residential segregation between non-White and White county residents.	21.5	38.0	Yolo: 21.5 California: 38
Income				
Children Eligible for Free Lunch	Percentage of children enrolled in public schools that are eligible for free or reduced-price lunch.	51.5%	59.4%	Yolo: 51.5% California: 59.4%
Children in Poverty	Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty.	13.0%	15.6%	Yolo: 13% California: 15.6%

Median Household Income	The income where half of households in a county earn more and half of households earn less.	$70,951.0	$80,423.0	Yolo: $70,951 California: $80,423
Uninsured Population under 64	Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance.	6.8%	8.3%	Yolo: 6.8% California: 8.3%
Income Inequality	Ratio of household income at the 80th percentile to income at the 20th percentile.	5.9	5.2	Yolo: 5.9 California: 5.2

Physical Environment

Table 6: County physical environment indicators compared to state benchmarks.
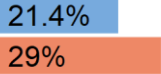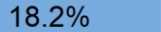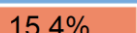
Indicators	**Description**	**Yolo**	**California**	
Housing				
Severe Housing Problems	Percentage of households with at least 1 of 4 housing problems: overcrowding, high housing costs, lack of kitchen facilities, or lack of plumbing facilities.	23.6%	26.4%	Yolo: 23.6% California: 26.4%
Severe Housing Cost Burden	Percentage of households that spend 50% or more of their household income on housing.	19.1%	19.7%	Yolo: 19.1% California: 19.7%
Homeownership	Percentage of occupied housing units that are owned.	51.6%	54.8%	Yolo: 51.6% California: 54.8%
Homelessness Rate	Number of homeless individuals per 100,000 population.	294.9	411.2	Yolo: 294.9 California: 411.2
Transit				
Households with no Vehicle Available	Percentage of occupied housing units that have no vehicles available.	8.0%	7.1%	Yolo: 8% California: 7.1%

Long Commute - Driving Alone	Among workers who commute in their car alone, the percentage that commute more than 30 minutes.	31.9%	42.2%	Yolo: 31.9% California: 42.2%
Access to Public Transit	Percentage of population living near a fixed public transportation stop.	79.9%	69.6%	Yolo: 79.9% California: 69.6%
Air and Water Quality				
Pollution Burden Percent	Percentage of population living in a census tract with a CalEnviroscreen 3.0 pollution burden score percentile of 50 or greater.	44.4%	51.6%	Yolo: 44.4% California: 51.6%
Air Pollution - Particulate Matter	Average daily density of fine particulate matter in micrograms per cubic meter (PM2.5).	6.3	8.1	Yolo: 6.3 California: 8.1
Drinking Water Violations	Presence of health-related drinking water violations in the county.	No	NA	Yolo: No California:

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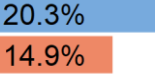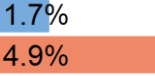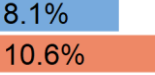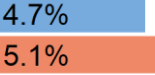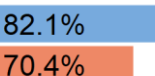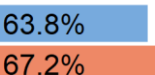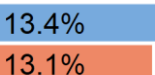
Table 7 shows the results from the Yolo Community Health Status Survey. Survey questions, the percent of sample responding to each question, and the comparable benchmark(s) are shown. Benchmarks are listed in the table and include benchmarking data to the same question in the 2018 community survey, or 2020 California Health Interview Survey (CHIS) data.

Table 7: Yolo County Community Health Status Survey responses compared to selected benchmarks.

Question Number	Question	Value	Benchmark	Benchmark Source	
Q8	Do you have a condition that substantially limits one or more physical activities? (Yes)	21.4%	29%	2018 county survey	Value: 21.4% Benchmark: 29%
Q10a	Have you ever been told you have asthma/lung disease/COPD/emphysema? (Yes)	18.2%	15.4%	2020 CHIS (California)	Value: 18.2% Benchmark: 15.4%

Q10b	Have you ever been told you have autoimmune disease (Lupus, Type 1 diabetes)? (Yes)	8.8%	5.2%	2018 county survey	Value: 8.8% Benchmark: 5.2%
Q10c	Have you ever been told you have cancer? (Yes)	4.6%	5.8%	2018 county survey	Value: 4.6% Benchmark: 5.8%
Q10d	Have you ever been told you have diabetes? (Yes)	11.3%	10.9%	2020 CHIS (California)	Value: 11.3% Benchmark: 10.9%
Q10f	Have you ever been told you have heart disease (Yes)	2.9%	6.5%	2020 CHIS (California)	Value: 2.9% Benchmark: 6.5%
Q10g	Have you ever been told you have hypertension? (Yes)	17%	25.1%	2020 CHIS (California)	Value: 17% Benchmark: 25.1%
Q10h	Have you ever been told you have mental illness? (Yes)	13.5%	12.2%	2020 CHIS (California)	Value: 13.5% Benchmark: 12.2%
Q10e	Have you ever been told you have a drug or alcohol problem? (Yes)	2.4%	2.8%	2018 county survey	Value: 2.4% Benchmark: 2.8%
Q10j	Have you ever been told you have a physical disability? (Yes)	7.4%	8.5%	2018 county survey	Value: 7.4% Benchmark: 8.5%
Q10i	Have you ever been told that you have obesity/overweight? (Yes)	19.5%	28.5%	2020 CHIS (California)	Value: 19.5% Benchmark: 28.5%
Q11	Was there ever a time during the past 12 months when you felt that you might need to see a professional because of problems with your mental health, emotions, nerves, or use of alcohol or drugs? (Yes)	34.9%	20.9%	2020 CHIS (California)	Value: 34.9% Benchmark: 20.9%

Q44	Do you have health insurance? (No)	3.3%	7.5%	ACS 5-year (2019) TableID: DP 03 (California)	Value: 3.3% Benchmark: 7.5%
Q15	How long does it normally take you to get to your regular doctor's office from your home? (Over 30 Minutes)	8%	14.5%	2018 county survey	Value: 8% Benchmark: 14.5%
Q18	Were you satisfied with how quickly you were able to get an appointment? (No)	13.1%	15.3%	2018 county survey	Value: 13.1% Benchmark: 15.3%
Q21g	If not satisfied, select I have to wait too long to see a doctor	9%	11.3%	2018 county survey	Value: 9% Benchmark: 11.3%
Q21j	If not satisfied, select: The doctor does not speak the same language as I do	0.3%	3.3%	2018 county survey	Value: 0.3% Benchmark: 3.3%
Q21d	If not satisfied, select I did not have transportation to the medical clinic	3.6%	3.5%	2018 county survey	Value: 3.6% Benchmark: 3.5%
Q21k	If not satisfied, select: The medical clinic is not open all of the time, so it is difficult to get an appt.	4.9%	4.4%	2018 county survey	Value: 4.9% Benchmark: 4.4%
Q21l	If not satisfied, select: There are not enough doctors in my area, so it is difficult to get an appt.	4.4%	3.3%	2018 county survey	Value: 4.4% Benchmark: 3.3%
Q21a	If not satisfied, select I did/do not have insurance	10.3%	11.7%	2018 county survey	Value: 10.3% Benchmark: 11.7%
Q21b	If not satisfied, select I did/do have health insurance, but it does not cover all of my costs	8.2%	7.7%	2018 county survey	Value: 8.2% Benchmark: 7.7%
Q21e	If not satisfied, select I do not trust the healthcare providers	3.1%	2.4%	2018 county survey	Value: 3.1% Benchmark: 2.4%

Q23a	Why visit ER: Could not get an urgent care appointment with my doctor	20.3%	14.9%	2018 county survey	Value: 20.3% Benchmark: 14.9%
Q23c	Why visit ER: Needed to refill a prescription	1.7%	4.9%	2018 county survey	Value: 1.7% Benchmark: 4.9%
Q23d	Why visit ER: Thought it seemed more convenient than waiting for an appointment	8.1%	10.6%	2018 county survey	Value: 8.1% Benchmark: 10.6%
Q23b	Why visit ER: Do not have a regular doctor or dentist, this is my usual source of care	4.7%	5.1%	2018 county survey	Value: 4.7% Benchmark: 5.1%
Q48	Do you have dental insurance? (Yes)	82.1%	70.4%	2020 CHIS (California)	Value: 82.1% Benchmark: 70.4%
Q49	Have you been to the dentist in the past 12 months? (Yes)	63.8%	67.2%	2020 CHIS (California)	Value: 63.8% Benchmark: 67.2%
Q50	Do you have reliable internet at home? (No)	13.4%	13.1%	ACS 5-year (2019) TableID: S2801 (California)	Value: 13.4% Benchmark: 13.1%

Service Provider Survey Results

Service Provider Survey results are included in Table 8 for Yolo County. The county snapshot lists the 5 most commonly reported health needs by the survey sample, the top 3 priority health needs selected by the sample, and the top three descriptions selected by the sample to describe each priority health need.

Table 8: Yolo Service Provider Survey Results Summary

Service Provider Survey Snapshot	Yolo County	
Health Needs	**% Reporting**
Most Frequently Reported	
Access to Mental/Behavioral Health and Substance Use Services	78.6%
System Navigation	78.6%
Active Living and Healthy Eating	71.4%
Access to Basic Needs	71.4%
Access to Specialty and Extended Care	71.4%
Increased Community Connection	71.4%

Top 3/ Priority *(Most Frequently Reported Characteristics)*	
Access to Mental/Behavioral Health and Substance-Use Services	50.0%
There aren't enough mental health providers or treatment centers in the area (e.g., psychiatric beds, therapists, support groups).	
Substance use is a problem in the area (e.g., use of opiates and methamphetamine, prescription misuse).	
There aren't enough services here for those who are homeless and dealing with substance use issues.	
Access to Basic Needs	50.0%
Lack of affordable housing is a significant issue in the area.	
It is difficult to find affordable childcare.	
Many people in the area do not make a living wage.	
Access to Specialty and Extended Care	35.7%
Not all specialty care is covered by insurance.	
People have to travel to reach specialists.	
The area needs more extended care options for the aging population (e.g., skilled nursing homes, in-home care).	

CHNA Methods and Processes

Two related models were foundational in this assessment. The first is a conceptual model that expresses the theoretical understanding of community health used in the analysis. This model is important because it provides the framework for the collection of primary and secondary data. It is the tool used to ensure that the results are based on a rigorous understanding of those factors that influence the health of a community. The second model is a process model that describes the various stages of the analysis. It is the tool that ensures that the resulting analysis is based on a tight integration of community voice and secondary data and that the analysis meets federal regulations for conducting hospital CHNAs.

Conceptual Model

The conceptual model used in this needs assessment is shown in Figure 1. This model organizes a population's individual health-related characteristics in relation to up- or downstream health and health disparities factors. This model illustrates how health outcomes (quality and length of life) result from the influence of health factors describing interrelated individual, environmental, and community characteristics, which in turn are influenced by underlying policies and programs.
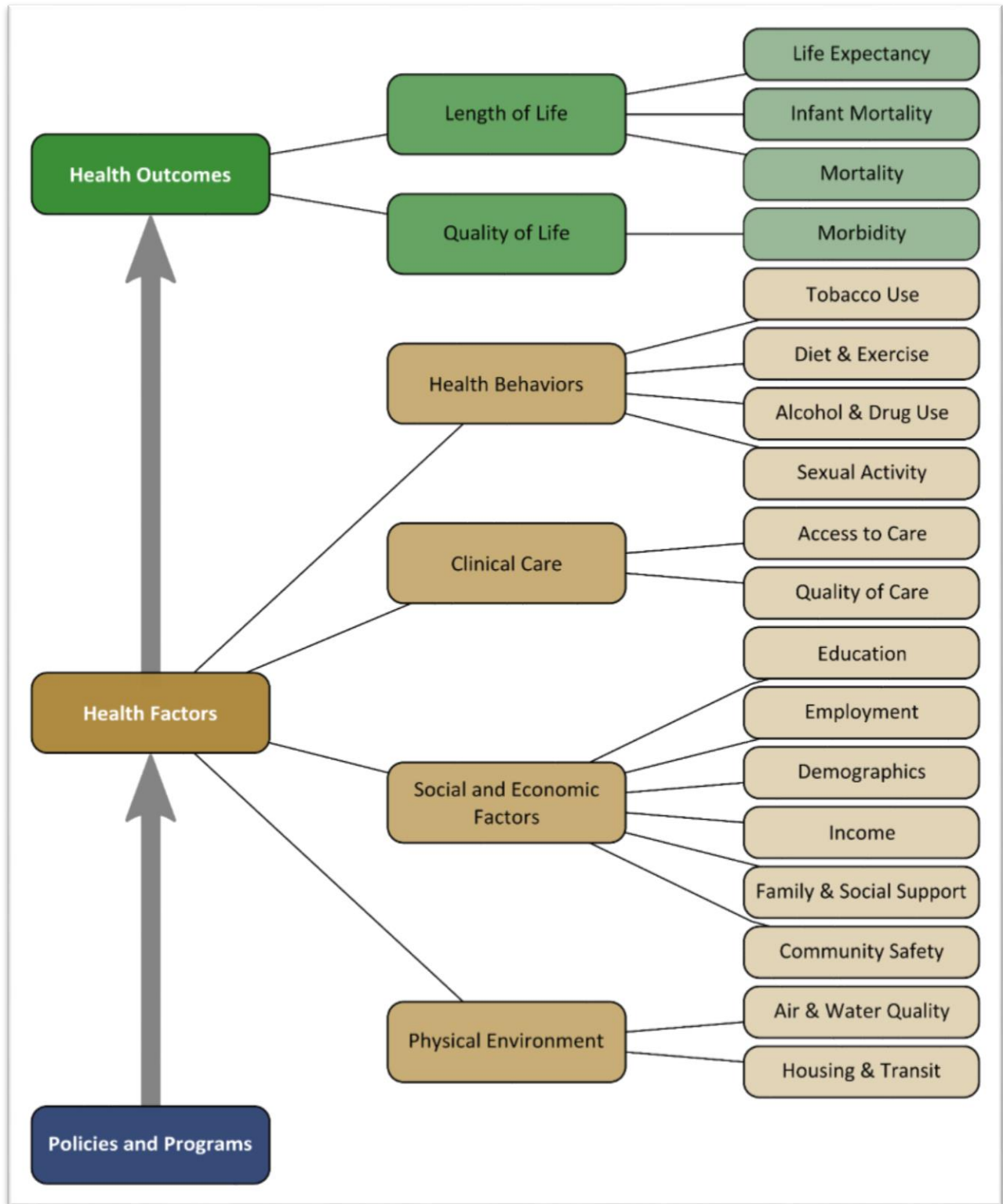
Figure 1: Community Health Assessment Conceptual Model as modified from the County Health Rankings Model, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, and University of Wisconsin, 2015.

This model was used to guide the selection of secondary indicators in this analysis as well as to illustrate how these upstream health factors lead to the downstream health outcomes. It also suggests that poor health outcomes within the county can be improved through policies and programs that address the health factors contributing to them. This conceptual model is a slightly modified version of the County Health Rankings Model used by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. It was primarily altered by adding a "Demographics" category to the "Social and Economic Factors" in recognition of the influence of demographic characteristics on health outcomes.

To generate the list of secondary indicators for the assessment, each conceptual model category was reviewed to identify potential indicators that could be used to fully represent the category. The results were then used to guide secondary data collection.

Process Model

Figure 2 outlines the data collection and analysis stages of this process. The process began by confirming the service area for Yolo County for which the CHNA would be conducted. Primary data collection included both key informant and focus group interviews with community health experts and residents. Initial key informant interviews were used to identify Communities of Concern which are areas or population subgroups within the county experiencing health disparities.

Overall primary and secondary data were integrated to identify significant health needs for the county. Significant health needs were then prioritized based on analysis of the primary data. Finally, information was collected regarding the resources available within the community to meet the identified health needs. An evaluation of the impact of the hospital's prior efforts was obtained from hospital representatives and any written comments on the previous CHNA were gathered and included in the report.

Greater detail on the collection and processing of the secondary and primary data is given in the next two sections. This is followed by a more detailed description of the methodology utilized during the main analytical stages of the process.
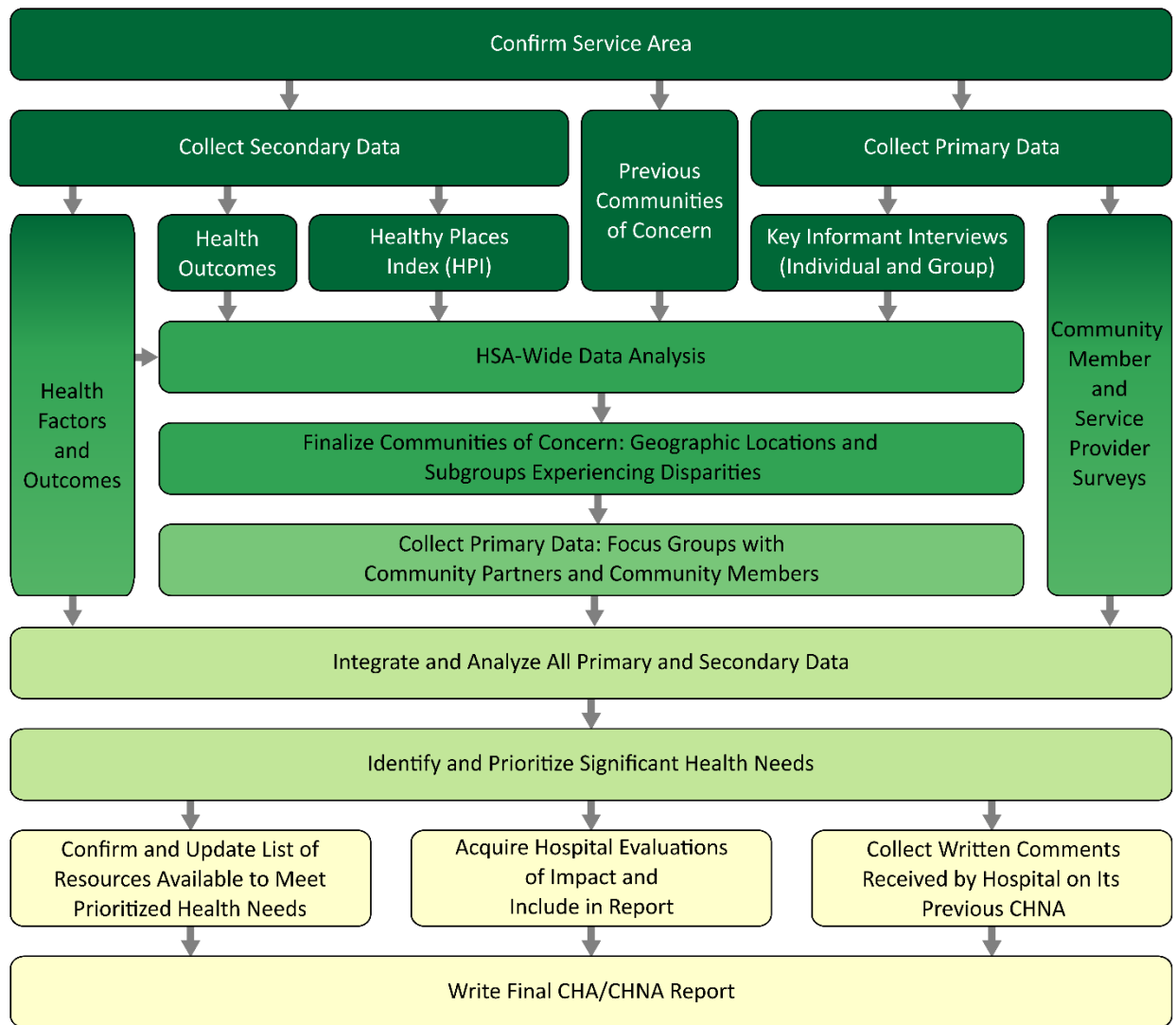
Figure 2: CHNA process model for Yolo Collaborative.

Primary Data Collection and Processing

Key Informant and Focus Group Data Collection

Input from the community in Yolo County was collected through three main mechanisms. First, key Informant interviews were conducted with community health experts and area service providers (i.e., members of social-service nonprofit organizations and related healthcare organizations). These interviews occurred in both one-on-one and in group interview settings. Second, focus groups were conducted with community residents living in identified Communities of Concern or representing communities experiencing health disparities. Third, a countywide survey was administered to community residents.

For key informant interviews and focus groups, all participants were given an informed consent form prior to their participation, which provided information about the project, asked for permission to record the interview, and listed the potential benefits and risks of involvement in the interview. All interview data were collected through note-taking and, in some instances, recording.

Key Informant Results

Primary data collection with key informants included two phases. Phase one began by interviewing area-wide service providers with knowledge of the county, including input from the designated Public Health Department. Data from these area-wide informants, coupled with socio-demographic data, were used to identify additional key informants for the assessment that were included in phase two.

As a part of the interview process, all key informants were asked to identify vulnerable populations. The interviewer asked each participant to verbally describe vulnerable populations existed in the county. As needed for a visual aid, key informants were provided with a map of county to directly point to the geographic locations of these vulnerable communities. Additional key informant interviews were focused on the geographic locations and/or subgroups identified in the earlier phase.

Table 9 contains a listing of community health experts, or key informants that contributed input to the health assessment. The table describes the name of the represented organization, the number of participants and area of expertise, the populations served by the organization, and the date of the interview. Some interview data were obtained via a data sharing agreement with Harder and Co, a consulting firm conducting local Kaiser Permanente CHNAs with service areas in Yolo County.

Table 9: Key Informant List.

Organization	Date	Number of Participants	Area of Expertise	Populations Served
Woodland Memorial Hospital	05/20/2021	2	Acute Care Hospital: Healthcare services	Countywide; special focus on LatinX Spanish Speaking Community
Sutter Davis Hospital	05/24/2021	1	Acute Care Hospital: Healthcare services	Low-income residents of Yolo County; uninsured and underinsured
Woodland Memorial Hospital	05/27/2021	5	Acute Care Hospital: Healthcare services	Residents of Yolo County; Central Woodland community members, low-income, uninsured, and underinsured community members
Sutter Davis Hospital	05/28/2021	1	Acute Care Hospital: Healthcare services	All residents of Yolo County
Yolo County Public Health	06/08/2021	4	Public Health	Countywide; special focus on women, infants, children, and families.
Yolo County Public Health	06/10/2021	5	Public Health	Countywide; community members experiencing health and social inequities
Winters Health	06/30/2021	1	FQHC: Healthcare services	Rural, Hispanic, migrant communities

CommuniCare	07/16/2021	1	FQHC: Healthcare services	Low income, underserved
Yolo Food Bank	07/22/2021	3	Food insecurity	Seniors, low-income families
Fourth and Hope	07/23/2021	1	Food, shelter, social services	Homeless
Woodland Joint Unified School District	07/26/2021	3	Education	School aged children; Hispanic
Rural Innovations in Social Economics (RISE)	07/27/2021	1	Food, clothing, referrals, after school programs	Low income, Hispanic, migrant community
Yolo County Children's Alliance[1]	08/01/2021	1	Child abuse prevention, policy, and advocacy	Children and families of Yolo County

Key Informant Interview Guide

The following questions served as the interview guide for key informant interviews.

2022 CHNA Group/Key Informant Interview Protocol

1. BACKGROUND
   a. Please tell me about your current role and the organization you work for?
      i. Probe for:
         1. Public health (division or unit)
         2. Hospital health system
         3. Local non-profit
         4. Community member
   b. How would you define the community (ies) you or your organization serves?
      ii. Probe for:
         1. Specific geographic areas?
         2. Specific populations served?
         3. Who? Where? Racial/ethnic make-up, physical environment (urban/ rural, large/small)
2. CHARACTERISTICS OF A HEALTHY COMMUNITY
   a. In your view, what does a healthy community look like?
      iii. Probe for:
         1. Social factors
         2. Economic factors
         3. Clinical care
         4. Physical/built environment (food environment, green spaces)
         5. Neighborhood safety
3. HEALTH ISSUES
   a. What would you say are the biggest health needs in the community?

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[1] The Yolo County Children's Alliance Interview was provided to the Yolo CHNA collaborative as part of a data sharing agreement with Harder and Co, the consulting firm conducting local Kaiser Permanente CHNAs with service areas in Yolo County.

          iv.   Probe for:
               1.   How has the presence of COVID impacted these health needs?
      b.   INSERT MAP exercise: Please use the map provided to help our team understand where communities that experience the greatest health disparities live.
          v.   Probe for:
               1.   What specific geographic locations struggle with health issues the most?
               2.   What specific groups of community members experience health issues the most?

2. CHALLENGES/BARRIERS
      a.   Looking through the lens of equity, what are the challenges (barriers or drivers) to being healthy for the community as a whole?
          i.   Do these inequities exist among certain population groups?
          vi.   Probe for:
               1.   Health behaviors (maladaptive, coping)
               2.   Social factors (social connections, family connectedness, relationship with law enforcement)
               3.   Economic factors (income, access to jobs, affordable housing, affordable food)
               4.   Clinical care factors (access to primary care, secondary care, quality of care)
               5.   Physical (built) environment (safe and healthy housing, walkable communities, safe parks)

3. SOLUTIONS
      a.   What solutions are needed to address the health needs and or challenges mentioned?
          vii.   Probe for:
               1.   Policies
               2.   Care coordination
               3.   Access to care
               4.   Environmental change

4. PRIORITY
      a.   Which would you say are currently the most important or urgent health issues or challenges to address (at least 3 to 5) in order to improve the health of the community?

5. RESOURCES
      a.   What resources exist in the community to help people live healthy lives?
          viii.   Probe for:
               1.   Barriers to accessing these resources.
               2.   New resources that were created since 2019
               3.   New partnerships/projects/funding

6. PARTICIPANT DRIVEN SAMPLING:
      a.   What other people, groups or organizations would you recommend we speak to about the health of the community?
          ix.   Name 3 types of service providers that you would suggest we include in this work.
          x.   Name 3 types of community members that you would recommend we speak to in this work.

7. OPEN: Is there anything else you would like to share with our team about the health of the community?

Focus Group Results

Focus group interviews were conducted with community members or service providers living or working in geographic areas of the county identified as locations or populations disproportionately experiencing

poor socioeconomic conditions and poor health outcomes. Recruitment consisted of referrals from designated service providers representing vulnerable populations, as well as direct outreach to special population groups.

Table 10 contains a listing of participants in focus groups that contributed input to the CHNA. The table describes the hosting organization of the focus group, the date it occurred, the total number of participants, and populations represented by focus group members.

Table 10: Focus Group List.

Hosting Organization	Date	Number of Participants	Population Represented
Woodland Area Educators	07/26/2021	3	Woodland; county hub; high school educators; focus on youth and young adults; mental health; impact of COVID on youth and young adults
RISE	09/01/2021	5	Esparto, rural; agricultural workers; Latino/a,/X community members; under or un resourced
CommuniCare	09/03/2021	10	West Sacramento based service providers and residents; under and uninsured; low income

Focus Interview Guide
The following questions served as the interview guides for focus group interviews.
2022 CHNA Focus Group Interview Protocol
1. Let's start by introducing ourselves. Please tell us your name, the town you live in, and one thing that you are proud of about your community.
2. We would like to hear about the community where you live. Tell us in a few words what you think of as "your community". What it is like to live in your community?
3. What do you think a "healthy environment" is?
4. When thinking about your community based on the healthy environment you just described, what are the biggest health needs in your community?
5. Are needs more prevalent in a certain geographic area, or within a certain group of the community?
6. How has the presence of COVID impacted these health needs?
7. What are the challenges or barriers to being healthy in your community?
8. What are some solutions that can help solve the barriers and challenges you talked about?
9. Based on what we have discussed so far, what are currently the most important or urgent top 3 health issues or challenges to address to improve the health of the community?
10. Are these needs that have recently come up or have they been around for a long time?
11. What are resources that exist in the community that help your community live healthy lives and address the health issues and inequity we have discussed?
12. Is there anything else you would like to share with our team about the health of the community?

Key Informant and Focus Group Data Processing
Key informant and focus group data were analyzed using qualitative analytic software. Content analysis included thematic coding to potential health need categories, the identification of special populations experiencing health issues, and the identification of resources. In some instances, data were coded in accordance with the interview question guide. Results were aggregated to inform the determination of prioritized significant health needs.

Service Provider Survey

A web-based survey was administered to service providers who delivered health and social services to community residents of the county). A list of service providers (affiliated with the nonprofit hospitals included in this report) was used as the initial sampling frame and an email recruitment message was sent to these providers detailing the survey's aims and inviting them to participate. A snowball sampling technique was also implemented, encouraging participants to forward the recruitment message to other providers in their networks. The survey was designed using Qualtrics, an online survey platform, and was available for approximately two weeks. Survey respondents were also given the opportunity to be acknowledged by name for their participation in the report and are listed as follows:

> Tracy Fauver, Louise Joyce, Chris Kelsch, Jeneba Lahai, Aide Long, Melissa Marshall, Diane Sommers, Nancy Ullrey, Oscar Velasco, Aileen Wetzel, and Doug Zeck.

After providing socio-demographic information including the county they served and their affiliated organization(s), survey respondents were shown a list of 12 potential health needs and asked to identify which were unmet health needs in their community. In order to reduce any confusion or ambiguity that could introduce bias, participants could scroll over each health need for a definition. Respondents were then asked to select which of the needs they identified as unmet in their community were the priority to address (up to three health needs). Upon selection of these priority unmet health needs, respondents were asked about the characteristics of each as it is expressed in their community. Depending upon the specific health need, respondents were shown a list of between 7-12 characteristics and could select all that apply. Respondents were also offered the opportunity to provide additional information about the health need in their community if it was not provided as a response option. Finally, a set of questions was included about how the COVID-19 pandemic impacted the health needs of the community.

When the survey period was over, incomplete, and duplicate responses were removed from the dataset and the survey responses were double-checked for accuracy. Descriptive statistics and frequencies were run to summarize the health needs. This information was used along with other data sources to both identify and rank significant health needs in the community and to describe how the health needs are expressed.

Yolo Public Health Community Health Status Survey

Countywide Community Health Status Survey Results

A countywide Community Health Status survey was distributed from July 1, 2021, through August 31, 2021. The survey is a component of the collaborative county-wide community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA) development process and was primarily based on the 2018 community health survey, with additional questions added regarding health equity (Questions 36 and 37), as well as new response options to capture the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. The updated survey was reviewed by all partners, as well as diverse community organizations. The target sample size was 1,800 participants. The target sample size was not reached largely due to two factors. First was the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic and wildfire smoke on outreach activities (reduced number, reduced participation in the community, and also shortened times that staff were at events when smoke was extreme), as well as the shortened survey period as compared to previous years (60 days in 2021 as opposed to approximately 90 days in 2018). However, outreach efforts were robust, reaching all cities and demographics through in-person, social media, flyering, events, and partner agency promotion strategies. The total sample for the 2022 CHNA Community Health Status Survey was 1,574.

The survey was administered and analyzed by the Yolo County Health and Human Services Community Health Branch. Partners working on the CHNA helped with dissemination by both direct survey

distribution and collection as well as by connecting with other area partners. The survey was available in hard copy and via an electronic submission link in English, Spanish, and Russian. Survey distribution included health providers (CommuniCare, Winters Healthcare Dignity Health, and Sutter Health), countywide food bank distribution sites, direct text messages to WIC participants, Yolo County service centers, the Yolo County Multicultural Committee, farmers markets, car seat safety clients, community-based organizations, and affordable housing properties. Social media announcements were shared on the Yolo County Health and Human Service page, and ads were placed in local newspapers and on public buses. Participants could choose to be entered to win one of two $100 grocery gift cards. Gift card winners were selected in September 2021. Data entry of the community surveys occurred from August to September 2021. The survey instrument is contained in Appendix A of this report. Figure **Error! eference source not found.** displays the racial/ethnic profile of the survey respondents compared to census counts for the county.[2]
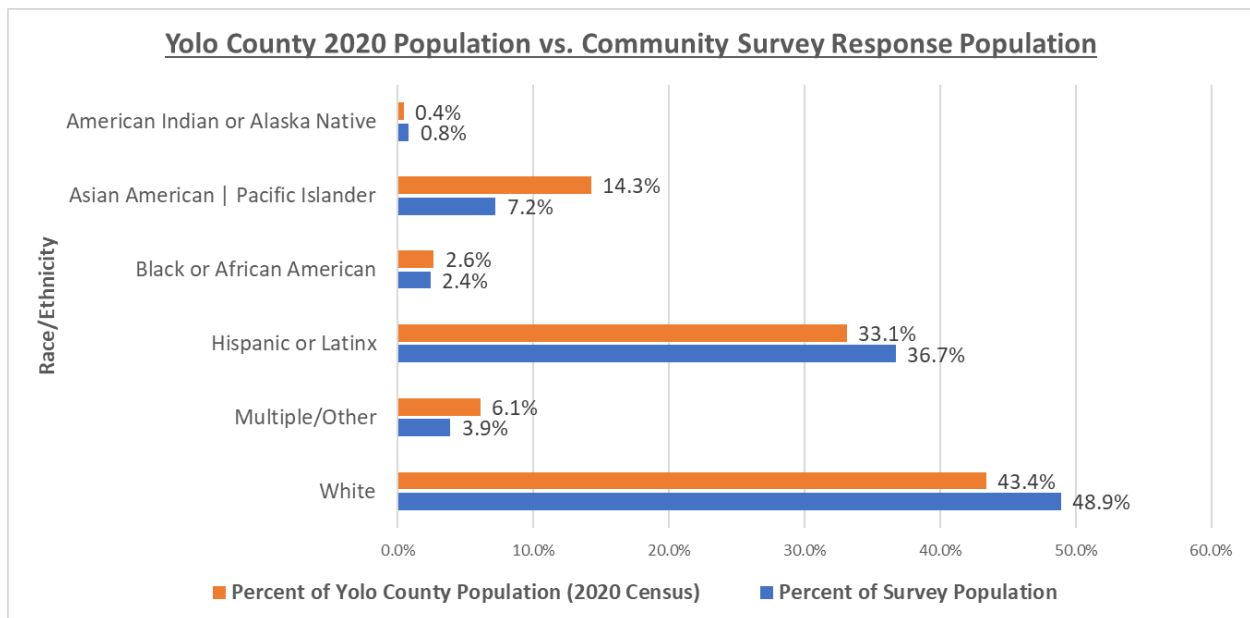
Figure 3: Yolo County 2020 population vs. Community Survey response population.

Secondary Data Collection and Processing

The secondary data used in the analysis can be thought of as falling into four categories. The first three are associated with the various stages outlined in the process model. These include 1) health-outcome indicators, 2) Community Health Vulnerability Index (CHVI) data used to identify areas and population subgroups experiencing disparities, and 3) health-factor and health-outcome indicators used to identify significant health needs. The fourth category of indicators is used to help describe the socioeconomic and demographic characteristics of Yolo County.

Mortality data at the ZIP Code level from the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) was used to represent health outcomes. U.S. Census Bureau data collected at the tract level was used to create the CHVI. Countywide indicators representing the concepts identified in the conceptual model and collected from multiple data sources were used in the identification of significant health needs. In the fourth category, U.S. Census Bureau data were collected at the state, county, and ZIP Code Tabulation Areas (ZCTA) levels and used to describe general socioeconomic and demographic characteristics in the county.

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[2] Race and Ethnicity data for Yolo County are based on 2020 Census data as reported here: https://data.census.gov/cedsci/table?q=Yolo%20County,%20California&tid=DECENNIALPL2020.P2.

This section details the sources and processing steps applied to the CDPH health-outcome data; the U.S. Census Bureau data used to create the CHVI; the countywide indicators used to identify significant health needs; and the sources for the socioeconomic and demographic variables obtained from the U.S. Census Bureau.

Community of Concern Identification Datasets

Two main secondary data sources were used in the identification of Communities of Concern: California Healthy Places Index (HPI),[3] derived from health factor indicators available at the US Census tract level, and mortality data from the California Department of Public Health (CDPH),[4] health outcome indicators available at the ZIP Code level. The CDPH mortality data report the number of deaths that occurred in each ZIP Code from 2015-2019 due to each of the causes listed in Table 11.

Table 11: Mortality indicators used in Community of Concern Identification.

Cause of Death	ICD 10 Codes
Alzheimer's disease	G30
Malignant neoplasms (cancers)	C00-C97
Chronic lower respiratory disease (CLRD)	J40-J47
Diabetes mellitus	E10-E14
Diseases of heart	I00-I09, I11, I13, I20-I51
Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease	I10, I12, I15
Accidents (unintentional injuries)	V01-X59, Y85-Y86
Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	K70, K73-K74
Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome, and nephrosis	N00-N07, N17-N19, N25-N27
Pneumonia and influenza	J09-J18
Cerebrovascular disease (stroke)	I60-I69
Intentional self-harm (suicide)	*U03, X60-X84, Y87.0

While the HPI dataset was used as-is, additional processing was required to prepare the mortality data for analysis. This included two main steps. First, ZIP Codes associated with PO Boxes were merged with the larger ZIP Codes in which they were located. Once this was completed, smoothed mortality rates were calculated for each resulting ZIP Code.

ZIP Code Consolidation

The mortality indicators used here included deaths reported for the ZIP Code at the decedent's place of residence. ZIP Codes are defined by the U.S. Postal Service as a single location (such as a PO Box), or a set of roads along which addresses are located. The roads that comprise such a ZIP Code may not form contiguous areas and do not match the areas used by the U.S. Census Bureau (the main source of population and demographic data in the United States) to report population. Instead of measuring the population along a collection of roads, the Census reports population figures for distinct, largely contiguous areas. To support the analysis of ZIP Code data, the U.S. Census Bureau created ZIP Code Tabulation Areas (ZCTAs). ZCTAs are created by identifying the dominant ZIP Code for addresses in a given census block (the smallest unit of census data available), and then grouping blocks with the same dominant ZIP Code into a corresponding ZCTA. The creation of ZCTAs allows for population figures that make it possible to calculate mortality rates for each ZCTA. However, the difference in the definition

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[3] Public Health Alliance of Southern California. 2021. HPI_MasterFile_2021-04-22.zip. Data file. Retrieved 1 May 2021 from https://healthyplacesindex.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/HPI_MasterFile_2021-04-22.zip.
[4] State of California, Department of Public Health. 2021. California Comprehensive Master Death File (Static), 2015-2019.

between mailing ZIP Codes and ZCTAs has two important implications for analyses of ZIP Code level data.

First, ZCTAs are approximate representations of ZIP Codes rather than exact matches. While this is not ideal, it is nevertheless the nature of the data being analyzed. Second, not all ZIP Codes have corresponding ZCTAs. Some PO Box ZIP Codes or other unique ZIP Codes (such as a ZIP Code assigned to a single facility) may not have enough addressees residing in a given census block to ever result in the creation of a corresponding ZCTA. But residents whose mailing addresses are associated with these ZIP Codes will still show up in reported health-outcome data. This means that rates cannot be calculated for these ZIP Codes individually because there are no matching ZCTA population figures. To incorporate these data into the analysis, the point location (latitude and longitude) of all ZIP Codes in California[5] were compared to ZCTA boundaries.[6] These unique ZIP Codes were then assigned to either the ZCTA in which they fell or, in the case of rural areas that are not completely covered by ZCTAs, the ZCTA closest to them. The CDPH information associated with these PO Boxes or unique ZIP Codes were then added to the ZCTAs to which they were assigned.

Rate Calculation and Smoothing

The next step in the analysis process was to calculate rates for each of these indicators. However, rather than calculating raw rates, empirical Bayes smoothed rates (EBRs) were created for all indicators possible.[7] Smoothed rates are considered preferable to raw rates for two main reasons. First, the small population of many ZCTAs meant that the rates calculated for these areas would be unstable. This problem is sometimes referred to as the small numbers problem. Empirical Bayes smoothing seeks to address this issue by adjusting the calculated rate for areas with small populations so that they more closely resemble the mean rate for the entire study area. The amount of adjustment is greater in areas with smaller populations, and less in areas with larger populations.

Because EBRs were created for all ZCTAs in the state, ZCTAs with small populations that may have unstable high rates had their rates "shrunk" to match the overall indicator rate more closely for ZCTAs in the entire state. This adjustment can be substantial for ZCTAs with very small populations. The difference between raw rates and EBRs in ZCTAs with very large populations, on the other hand, is negligible. In this way, the stable rates in large-population ZIP Codes are preserved, and the unstable rates in smaller-population ZIP Codes are shrunk to match the state norm more closely. While this may not entirely resolve the small numbers problem in all cases, it does make the comparison of the resulting rates more appropriate. Because the rate for each ZCTA is adjusted to some degree by the EBR process, this also has a secondary benefit of better preserving the privacy of patients within the ZCTAs.

EBRs were calculated for each mortality indicator using the total population figure reported for ZCTAs in the 2017 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates table B03002. Data for 2017 were used because this represented the central year of the 2015–2019 range of years for which CDPH data were collected. The population data for 2017 were multiplied by five to match the five years of mortality data used to calculate smoothed rates. The smoothed mortality rates were then multiplied by 100,000 so that the final rates represented deaths per 100,000 people.

[5] Datasheet, L.L.C. 2018. ZIP Code Database Free. Retrieved 16 Jul 2018 from http://www.Zip-Codes.com.

[6] US Census Bureau. 2021. TIGER/Line Shapefile, 2019, 2010 nation, U.S., 2010 Census 5-Digit ZIP Code Tabulation Area (ZCTA5) National. Retrieved 9 Feb 2021 from https://www.census.gov/cgi-bin/geo/shapefiles/index.php.

[7] Anselin, Luc. 2003. Rate Maps and Smoothing. Retrieved 14 Jan 2018 from http://www.dpi.inpe.br/gilberto/tutorials/software/geoda/tutorials/w6_rates_slides.pdf

Significant Health Need Identification Dataset

The second main set of data used in the CHNA includes the health factor and health outcome indicators used to identify significant health needs. The selection of these indicators was guided by the previously identified conceptual model. Table **Error! Reference source not found.** lists these indicators, their ources, the years they were measured, and the health-related characteristics from the conceptual model they are primarily used to represent.

Table 12: Health factor and health outcome indicators used in health need identification.

Conceptual Model Alignment			Indicator	Data Source	Time Period
Health Outcomes	Length of Life	Infant Mortality	Infant Mortality	County Health Rankings	2013 - 2019
		Life Expectancy	Preterm Birth	CDC Wonder	2019
			Child Mortality	County Health Rankings	2016 - 2019
			Life Expectancy	County Health Rankings	2017 - 2019
			Premature Age-Adjusted Mortality	County Health Rankings	2017 - 2019
			Premature Death	County Health Rankings	2017 - 2019
			Stroke Mortality	CDPH California Vital Data (Cal-ViDa)	2015 - 2019
			Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease Mortality	CDPH California Vital Data (Cal-ViDa)	2015 - 2019
			Diabetes Mortality	CDPH California Vital Data (Cal-ViDa)	2015 - 2019
			Heart Disease Mortality	CDPH California Vital Data (Cal-ViDa)	2015 - 2019
			Hypertension Mortality	CDPH California Vital Data (Cal-ViDa)	2015 - 2019
			Cancer Mortality	CDPH California Vital Data (Cal-ViDa)	2015 - 2019
		Mortality	Liver Cancer Mortality	California Cancer Registry	2018
		Life Expectancy	Liver Disease Mortality	CDPH California Vital Data (Cal-ViDa)	2015 - 2019
			Kidney Disease Mortality	CDPH California Vital Data (Cal-ViDa)	2015 - 2019

			Suicide Mortality	CDPH California Vital Data (Cal-ViDa)	2015 - 2019
			Unintentional Injuries Mortality	CDPH California Vital Data (Cal-ViDa)	2015 - 2019
			COVID-19 Mortality	CDPH COVID-19 Time-Series Metrics by County and State	Collected on 2021-11-17
			COVID-19 Case Fatality	CDPH COVID-19 Time-Series Metrics by County and State	Collected on 2021-11-17
			Alzheimer's Disease Mortality	CDPH California Vital Data (Cal-ViDa)	2015 - 2019
			Influenza and Pneumonia Mortality	CDPH California Vital Data (Cal-ViDa)	2015 - 2019
	Quality of Life	Morbidity	Diabetes Prevalence	County Health Rankings	2017
			Hospitalizations for Diabetes Long Term Complications	OSHPD	2019
			Low Birthweight	County Health Rankings	2013 - 2019
			HIV Prevalence	County Health Rankings	2018
			Disability	2019 American Community Survey 5-year estimate variable S1810_C03_001E	2015 - 2019
			Emergency Department (ED) Visits for Dental Diagnosis Adult	OSHPD	2019
			ED Visits For Dental Diagnosis Child	OSHPD	2019
			ED Falls Ages 65+	OSHPD	2019
			Hospitalizations for Falls Ages 65+	OSHPD	2019
			Hospitalizations for Self-Inflicted Injuries Youth	OSHPD	2017 - 2019

			Hospitalizations for Mental Health Young Adults	OSHPD	2016 - 2019
			Hospitalizations for Mental Health or Substance Use	OSHPD	2019
			Poor Mental Health Days	County Health Rankings	2018
			Frequent Mental Distress	County Health Rankings	2018
			Poor Physical Health Days	County Health Rankings	2018
			Frequent Physical Distress	County Health Rankings	2018
			Poor or Fair Health	County Health Rankings	2018
			Colorectal Cancer Prevalence	California Cancer Registry	2013 - 2017
			Cancer Colon Hospitalizations	OSHPD	2018
			Breast Cancer Prevalence	California Cancer Registry	2013 - 2017
			Lung Cancer Prevalence	California Cancer Registry	2013 - 2017
			Prostate Cancer Prevalence	California Cancer Registry	2013 - 2017
			COVID-19 Cumulative Incidence	CDPH COVID-19 Time-Series Metrics by County and State	Collected on 2021-11-17
			Asthma ED Rates	Tracking California	2018
			Asthma ED Rates for Children	Tracking California	2018
Health Factors	Health Behavior	Alcohol and Drug Use	Excessive Drinking	County Health Rankings	2018
			Drug Induced Death	CDPH 2021 County Health Status Profiles	2017 - 2019
		Diet and Exercise	Adult Obesity	County Health Rankings	2017
			Breastfeeding	CDPH	2019
			Physical Inactivity	County Health Rankings	2017

			Limited Access to Healthy Foods	County Health Rankings	2015
			Food Environment Index	County Health Rankings	2015 & 2018
			Access to Exercise Opportunities	County Health Rankings	2010 & 2019
		Sexual Activity	Chlamydia Incidence	County Health Rankings	2018
			Teen Birth Rate	County Health Rankings	2013 - 2019
		Tobacco Use	Adult Smoking	County Health Rankings	2018
	Clinical Care	Access to Care	Primary Care Shortage Area	U.S. Heath Resources and Services Administration	2021
			Dental Care Shortage Area	U.S. Heath Resources and Services Administration	2021
			Mental Health Care Shortage Area	U.S. Heath Resources and Services Administration	2021
			Medically Underserved Area	U.S. Heath Resources and Services Administration	2021
			Mammography Screening	County Health Rankings	2018
			Dentists	County Health Rankings	2019
			Mental Health Providers	County Health Rankings	2020
			Psychiatry Providers	County Health Rankings	2020
			Specialty Care Providers	County Health Rankings	2020
			Primary Care Providers	County Health Rankings	2018; 2020
			Prenatal Care	CDC Wonder	2019
		Quality Care	Preventable Hospitalization	California Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development Prevention Quality Indicators for California	2019

			COVID-19 Cumulative Full Vaccination Rate	CDPH COVID-19 Vaccine Progress Dashboard Data	Collected on 2021-11-17
Socio-Economic and Demographic Factors	Community Safety	Homicide Rate	County Health Rankings	2013 - 2019
		Firearm Fatalities Rate	County Health Rankings	2015 - 2019
		Violent Crime Rate	County Health Rankings	2014 & 2016
		Juvenile Arrest Rate	Criminal Justice Data: Arrests, OpenJustice, California Department of Justice	2015 - 2019
		Motor Vehicle Crash Death	County Health Rankings	2013 - 2019
	Education	Some College	County Health Rankings	2015 - 2019
		High School Completion	County Health Rankings	2015 - 2019
		Disconnected Youth	County Health Rankings	2015 - 2019
		English Language Learners	California Department of Education	2019 - 2020
		Third Grade Reading Level	County Health Rankings	2018
		Third Grade Math Level	County Health Rankings	2018
	Employment	Unemployment	County Health Rankings	2019
	Family and Social Support	Children in Single-Parent Households	County Health Rankings	2015 - 2019
		Social Associations	County Health Rankings	2018
		Residential Segregation (Non-White/White)	County Health Rankings	2015 - 2019
	Income	Children Eligible for Free Lunch	County Health Rankings	2018 - 2019
		Children in Poverty	County Health Rankings	2019
		Median Household Income	County Health Rankings	2019

		Uninsured Population under 64	County Health Rankings	2018
		Income Inequality	County Health Rankings	2015 - 2019
Physical Environment	Housing and Transit	Severe Housing Problems	County Health Rankings	2013 - 2017
		Severe Housing Cost Burden	County Health Rankings	2015 - 2019
		Homeownership	County Health Rankings	2015 - 2019
		Homelessness Rate	US Dept. of Housing and Urban Development 2020 Annual Homeless Assessment Report	2020
		Households with no Vehicle Available	2019 American Community Survey 5-year estimate variable DP04_0058PE	2015 - 2019
		Long Commute - Driving Alone	County Health Rankings	2015 - 2019
		Access to Public Transit	OpenMobilityData, Transitland, TransitWiki.org, Santa Ynez Valley Transit; US Census Bureau	2021; 2020
	Air and Water Quality	Pollution Burden Percent	California Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment	2018
		Air Pollution - Particulate Matter	County Health Rankings	2016
		Drinking Water Violations	County Health Rankings	2019

The following sections give further details about the sources of these data and any processing applied to prepare them for use in the analysis.

County Health Rankings Data

All indicators listed with County Health Rankings (CHR) as their source were obtained from the 2021 County Health Rankings[8] dataset. This was the most common source of data, with 52 associated indicators included in the analysis. Indicators were collected at both the county and state levels. County-

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[8] University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute. 2021. County Health Rankings State Report 2021. Retrieved 6 May 2021 from https://www.countyhealthrankings.org/app/oregon/2021/downloads and https://www.countyhealthrankings.org/app/california/2021/downloads.

level indicators were used to represent the health factors and health outcomes in the county. State-level indicators served as benchmarks for comparison purposes. All variables included in the CHR dataset were obtained from other data providers. The original data providers for each CHR variable are given in Table 13.

Table 13: Sources and time periods for indicators obtained from County Health Rankings.

CHR Indicator	Time Period	Data Source
Infant Mortality	2013 - 2019	National Center for Health Statistics - Mortality Files
Child Mortality	2016 - 2019	National Center for Health Statistics - Mortality Files
Life Expectancy	2017 - 2019	National Center for Health Statistics - Mortality Files
Premature Age-Adjusted Mortality	2017 - 2019	National Center for Health Statistics - Mortality Files
Premature Death	2017 - 2019	National Center for Health Statistics - Mortality Files
Diabetes Prevalence	2017	United States Diabetes Surveillance System
Low Birthweight	2013 - 2019	National Center for Health Statistics - Natality files
HIV Prevalence	2018	National Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STD, and TB Prevention
Poor Mental Health Days	2018	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System
Frequent Mental Distress	2018	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System
Poor Physical Health Days	2018	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System
Frequent Physical Distress	2018	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System
Poor or Fair Health	2018	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System
Excessive Drinking	2018	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System
Adult Obesity	2017	United States Diabetes Surveillance System
Physical Inactivity	2017	United States Diabetes Surveillance System
Limited Access to Healthy Foods	2015	USDA Food Environment Atlas
Food Environment Index	2015 & 2018	USDA Food Environment Atlas, Map the Meal Gap from Feeding America
Access to Exercise Opportunities	2010 & 2019	Business Analyst, Delorme map data, ESRI, & US Census Tigerline Files
Chlamydia Incidence	2018	National Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STD, and TB Prevention
Teen Birth Rate	2013 - 2019	National Center for Health Statistics - Natality files
Adult Smoking	2018	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System
Mammography Screening	2018	Mapping Medicare Disparities Tool
Dentists	2019	Area Health Resource File/National Provider Identification file
Mental Health Providers	2020	CMS, National Provider Identification
Psychiatry Providers	2020	Area Health Resource File
Specialty Care Providers	2020	Area Health Resource File

Primary Care Providers	2018; 2020	Area Health Resource File/American Medical Association; CMS, National Provider Identification
Homicide Rate	2013 - 2019	National Center for Health Statistics - Mortality Files
Firearm Fatalities Rate	2015 - 2019	National Center for Health Statistics - Mortality Files
Violent Crime Rate	2014 & 2016	Uniform Crime Reporting - FBI
Motor Vehicle Crash Death	2013 - 2019	National Center for Health Statistics - Mortality Files
Some College	2015 - 2019	American Community Survey, 5-year estimates
High School Completion	2015 - 2019	American Community Survey, 5-year estimates
Disconnected Youth	2015 - 2019	American Community Survey, 5-year estimates
Third Grade Reading Level	2018	Stanford Education Data Archive
Third Grade Math Level	2018	Stanford Education Data Archive
Unemployment	2019	Bureau of Labor Statistics
Children in Single-Parent Households	2015 - 2019	American Community Survey, 5-year estimates
Social Associations	2018	County Business Patterns
Residential Segregation (Non-White/White)	2015 - 2019	American Community Survey, 5-year estimates
Children Eligible for Free Lunch	2018 - 2019	National Center for Education Statistics
Children in Poverty	2019	Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates
Median Household Income	2019	Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates
Uninsured Population under 64	2018	Small Area Health Insurance Estimates
Income Inequality	2015 - 2019	American Community Survey, 5-year estimates
Severe Housing Problems	2013 - 2017	Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy (CHAS) data
Severe Housing Cost Burden	2015 - 2019	American Community Survey, 5-year estimates
Homeownership	2015 - 2019	American Community Survey, 5-year estimates
Long Commute - Driving Alone	2015 - 2019	American Community Survey, 5-year estimates
Air Pollution - Particulate Matter	2016	Environmental Public Health Tracking Network
Drinking Water Violations	2019	Safe Drinking Water Information System

The provider rates for the primary care physicians and other primary care provider indicators obtained from CHR were summed to create the final primary care provider indicator used in this analysis.

California Department of Public Health

By-Cause Mortality Data

By-cause mortality data were obtained at the county and state level from the CDPH Cal-ViDa[9] online data query system for the years 2015-2019. Empirically Bayes smoothed rates (EBRs) were calculated for each mortality indicator using the total county population figure reported in the 2017 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates table B03002. Data for 2017 were used because this represented the central year of the 2015–2019 range of years for which CDPH data were collected. The population data for 2017 were multiplied by five to match the five years of mortality data used to calculate smoothed rates. The smoothed mortality rates were then multiplied by 100,000 so that the final rates represented deaths per 100,000 people.

CDPH masks the actual number of deaths that occur in a county for a given year and cause if there are between 1 and 10 total deaths recorded. Because of this, the following process was used to estimate the total number of deaths for counties whose actual values were masked. First, mortality rates for each cause and year were calculated for the state. The differences between the by-cause mortality for the state and the total by-cause mortality reported across all counties in the state for each cause and year were also calculated.

Next, the state by-cause mortality rate was applied for each cause and year to estimate mortality at the county level if the reported value was masked. This was done by multiplying the cause/year appropriate state-level mortality rate by the 2017 populations of counties with masked values. Resulting estimates that were less than 1 or greater than 10 were set to 1 and 10 respectively to match the known CDPH masking criteria.

The total number of deaths estimated for counties that had masked values for each year/cause was then compared to the difference between the reported total county and state deaths for the corresponding year/cause. If the number of estimated county deaths exceeded this difference, county estimates were further adjusted. This was done by iteratively ranking county estimates for a given year/cause, then from highest to lowest, reducing the estimates by 1 until they reached a minimum of 1 death. This continued until the estimated deaths for counties with masked values equaled the difference between the state and total reported county values.

COVID-19 Data

Data on the cumulative number of cases and deaths[10] and completed vaccinations[11] for COVID-19 were used to calculate mortality, case-fatality, incidence, and vaccination rates. County mortality, incidence, and vaccination rates were calculated by dividing each of the respective values by the total population variable from the 2019 American Community Survey 5-year estimates table B01001, and then multiplying the resulting value by 100,000 to create rates per 100,000. Case-fatality rates were calculated by dividing COVID-19 mortality by the total number of cases, then multiplying by 100, representing the percentage of cases that ended in death.

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[9] State of California, Department of Public Health. 2021. California Vital Data (Cal-ViDa), Death Query. Retrieved 1 Jun 2021 from https://cal-vida.cdph.ca.gov/.

[10] State of California, Department of Public Health. 2021. Statewide COVID-19 Cases Deaths Tests. Retrieved 20 December 2021 from https://data.chhs.ca.gov/dataset/f333528b-4d38-4814-bebb-12db1f10f535/resource/046cdd2b-31e5-4d34-9ed3-b48cdbc4be7a/download/covid19cases_test.csv.

[11] State of California, Department of Public Health. 2021. COVID-19 Vaccine Progress Dashboard Data . Retrieved 20 December 2021 from https://data.chhs.ca.gov/dataset/e283ee5a-cf18-4f20-a92c-ee94a2866ccd/resource/130d7ba2-b6eb-438d-a412-741bde207e1c/download/covid19vaccinesbycounty.csv.

Drug-Induced Deaths Data

Drug-induced death rates were obtained from Table 19 of the 2021 County Health Status Profiles[12] and report age-adjusted deaths per 100,000.

U.S. Heath Resources and Services Administration

Indicators related to the availability of healthcare providers were obtained from the Health Resources and Services Administration[13] (HRSA). These included Dental, Mental Health, and Primary Care Health Professional Shortage Areas and Medically Underserved Areas/Populations. They also included the number of specialty care providers and psychiatrists per 100,000 residents, derived from the county-level Area Health Resource Files.

Health Professional Shortage Areas

The health professional shortage area and medically underserved area data were not provided at the county level. Rather, they show all areas in the state that were designated as shortage areas. These areas could include a portion of a county or an entire county, or they could span multiple counties. To develop measures at the county level to match the other health-factor and health-outcome indicators used in health need identification, these shortage areas were compared to the boundaries of each county in the state. Counties that were partially or entirely covered by a shortage area were noted.

Psychiatry and Specialty Care Providers

HRSA's Area Health Resource Files provide information on physicians and allied healthcare providers for U.S. counties. This information was used to determine the rate of specialty care providers and the rate of psychiatrists for each county and for the state. For the purposes of this analysis, a specialty care provider was defined as a physician who was not defined by HRSA as a primary care provider. This was found by subtracting the total number of primary care physicians (both MDs and DOs, primary care, patient care, and non-federal, excluding hospital residents and those 75 years of age or older) from the total number of physicians (both MDs and DOs, patient care, non-federal) in 2018. This number was then divided by the 2018 total population given in the 2018 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates table B03002, and then multiplied by 100,000 to give the total number of specialty care physicians per 100,000 residents.

The total of specialty care physicians in each county was summed to find the total specialty care physicians in the state, and state rates were calculated following the same approach as used for county rates. This same process was also used to calculate the number of psychiatrists per 100,000 for each county and the state using the number of total patient care, non-federal psychiatrists from the Area Health Resource Files. It should be noted that psychiatrists are included in the list of specialty care physicians, so that indicator represents a subset of specialty care providers rather than a separate group.

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[12] State of California, Department of Public Health, Vital Records Data and Statistics. 2021. County Health Status Profiles 2021: CHSP 2021 Tables 1-29. Spreadsheet. Retrieved on 21 Jul 2021 from https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CHSI/CDPH%20Document%20Library/CHSP_2021_Tables_1-29_04.16.2021.xlsx.

[13] US Health Resources & Services Administration. 2021. Area Health Resources Files and Shortage Areas. Retrieved on 3 Feb 2021 from https://data.hrsa.gov/data/download.

California Cancer Registry

Data obtained from the California Cancer Registry[14] include age-adjusted incidence rates for colon and rectum, female breast, lung and bronchus, and prostate cancer sites for counties and the state. Reported rates were based on data from 2013-2017, and report cases per 100,000. For low-population counties, rates were calculated for a group of counties rather than for individual counties. That group rate was used in this report to represent incidence rates for each individual county in the group.

Tracking California

Data on emergency department visits rates for all ages as well as children ages 5 to 17 were obtained from Tracking California.[15] These data report age-adjusted rates per 10,000. They were multiplied by 100 in this analysis to convert them to rates per 100,000 to make them more comparable to the standard used for other rate indicators.

U.S. Census Bureau

Data from the U.S. Census Bureau was used for two additional indicators: the percentage of households with no vehicles available (table DPO4, variable 0058PE), and the percentage of the civilian non-institutionalized population with some disability (table S1810, variable C03_001E). Values for both of these variables were obtained from the 2019 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates dataset.

California Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment

Data used to calculate the pollution burden percent indicator were obtained from the CalEnviroscreen 3.0[16] dataset produced by the California Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment. This indicator reports the percentage of the population within a given county, or within the state as a whole, that live in a US Census tract with a CalEnviroscreen 3.0 Pollution Burden score in the 50th percentile or higher. Data on total population came from Table B03002 from the 2019 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates dataset.

California Department of Health Care Access and Information

Data on preventable hospitalizations were obtained from the California Department of Health Care Access and Information (formerly Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development) Prevention Quality Indicators.[17] These data are reported as risk-adjusted rates per 100,000.

California Department of Justice

Data reporting the total number of juvenile felony arrests was obtained from the California Department of Justice.[18] This indicator reports the rate of felony arrests per 1,000 juveniles under the age of 18. It was calculated by dividing the total number of juvenile felony arrests for each county or state from 2015 - 2019 by the total population under 18 as reported in Table B01001 in the 2017 American Community

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[14] California Cancer Registry. 2021. Age-Adjusted Invasive Cancer Incidence Rates in California. Retrieved on 22 Jan 2021 from https://www.cancer-rates.info/ca/.

[15] Tracking California, Public Health Institute. 2021. Asthma Related Emergency Department & Hospitalization data. Retrieved on 24 Jun 2021 from www.trackingcalifornia.org/asthma/query.

[16] California Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment. 2018. CalEnviroScreen 3.0. Retrieved on 22 Jan 2021 from https://oehha.ca.gov/calenviroscreen/maps-data.

[17] Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development. 2021. Prevention Quality Indicators (PQI) for California. Data files for Statewide and County. Retrieved on 12 Mar 2021 from https://oshpd.ca.gov/data-and-reports/healthcare-quality/ahrq-quality-indicators/.

[18] California Department of Justice, OpenJustice. 2021. Criminal Justice Data: Arrests. Retrieved on 17 Jun 2021 from https://data-openjustice.doj.ca.gov/sites/default/files/dataset/2020-07/OnlineArrestData1980-2019.csv.

Survey 5-year Estimates program. Population data from 2017 were used as this was the central year of the period over which juvenile felony arrest data were obtained. Population figures from 2017 were multiplied by 5 to match the years of arrest data used. Empirical Bayes smoothed rates were calculated to increase the reliability of rates calculated for small counties. Finally, juvenile felony arrest rates were also calculated for Black, White, and Hispanic populations following the same manner, but using input population data from 2017 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates Tables B01001H, B01001B, and B01001I respectively.

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

Data from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's 2020 Annual Homeless Assessment Report[19] were used to calculate homelessness rates for the counties and states. These data report point-in-time (PIT) homelessness estimates for individual Continuum of Care (CoC) organizations across the state. Each CoC works within a defined geographic area, which could be a group of counties, an individual county, or a portion of a county.

To calculate county rates, CoC were first related to county boundaries. Rates for CoC that covered single counties were calculated by dividing the CoC PIT estimate by the county population. If a given county was covered by multiple CoC, their PIT was totaled and then divided by the total county population to calculate the rate. When a single CoC covered multiple counties, the CoC PIT was divided by the total of all included county populations, and the resulting rate was applied to each individual county. Population data came from the total population value reported in Table B03002 from the 2019 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates dataset. Derived rates were multiplied by 100,000 to report rates per 100,000.

Proximity to Transit Stops

The proximity to transit stops indicator reports the percent of county and state population that lives in a US Census block located within 1/4 mile of a fixed transit stop. Two sets of information were needed in order to calculate this indicator: total population at the Census block level, and the location of transit stops. Likely due to delays in data releases stemming from the COVID-19 pandemic, the most recent census block population data available at the time of the analysis was from the 2010 Decennial Census,[20] so this was the data used to represent the distribution of population for this indicator.

Transit stop data were identified first by using tools in the TidyTransit[21] library for the R statistical programming language.[22] This was used to identify transit providers with stops located within 100 miles of the state's boundaries. A search for transit stops for these agencies, as well as all other transit agencies

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[19] US Department of Housing and Urban Development. 2021. 2020 Annual Homeless Assessment Report: 2007 - 2020 Point-in-Time Estimates by CoC. Retrieved on 14 Jul 2021 from https://www.huduser.gov/portal/sites/default/files/xls/2007-2020-PIT-Estimates-by-CoC.xlsx.

[20] US Census Bureau. 2011. Census Blocks with Population and Housing Counts. Retrieved on 7 Jun 2021 from https://www2.census.gov/geo/tiger/TIGER2010BLKPOPHU/.

[21] Flavio Poletti, Daniel Herszenhut, Mark Padgham, Tom Buckley, and Danton Noriega-Goodwin. 2021. tidytransit: Read, Validate, Analyze, and Map Files in the General Transit Feed Specification. R package version 1.0.0. https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=tidytransit.

[22] R Core Team (2021). R: A language and environment for statistical computing. R Foundation for Statistical Computing, Vienna, Austria. URL https://www.R-project.org/.

in the state, was conducted by reviewing three main online sources: OpenMobilityData,[23] Transitland,[24] Transitwiki.org,[25] and Santa Ynez Valley Transit.[26] Each of these websites list public transit data that were made public by transit agencies. Transit data from all providers that could be identified were downloaded, and fixed transit stop locations were extracted from them.

The sf[27] library in R was then used to calculate 1/4-mile (402.336 meter) buffers around each of these transit stops, and then to identify which Census blocks fell within these areas. The total population of all tracts within the stops' buffer was then divided by the total population of each county or state to generate the final indicator value.

Detailed Analytical Methodology

The collected and processed primary and secondary data were integrated in three main analytical stages. First, secondary health outcome and health factor data were combined with area-wide key informant interviews to help identify Communities of Concern. These Communities of Concern potentially included geographic regions as well as specific sub-populations bearing disproportionate health burdens. This information was used to focus the remaining interview and focus group collection efforts on those areas and subpopulations. Next, the resulting data, along with the results from the Service Provider Survey, were combined with secondary health need identification data to identify significant health needs within the county service area. Finally, primary data were used to prioritize those identified significant health needs. The specific details for these analytical steps are given in the following three sections.

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[23] OpenMobilityData. 2021. California, USA. Retrieved all feeds listed on 31 May to 1 June 2021 from https://openmobilitydata.org/l/67-california-usa.

[24] Transitland. 2021. Transitland Operators. Retrieved all operators with California locations on 31 May to 1 June 2021 from https://www.transit.land/operators.

[25] Transitwiki.org. 2021. List of publicly accessible transportation data feeds: dynamic and others. Retrieved on 31 May to 1 June 2021 from https://www.transitwiki.org/TransitWiki/index.php/Publicly-accessible_public_transportation_data#List_of_publicly-accessible_public_transportation_data_feeds:_dynamic_data_and_others.

[26] Santa Ynez Valley Transit. GTFS Files. Retrieved on 1 Jun 2021 from http://www.cityofsolvang.com/DocumentCenter/View/2756/syvt_gtfs_011921.

[27] Pebesma, E., 2018. Simple Features for R: Standardized Support for Spatial Vector Data. The R Journal 10 (1), 439-446, https://doi.org/10.32614/RJ-2018-009.

Community of Concern Identification
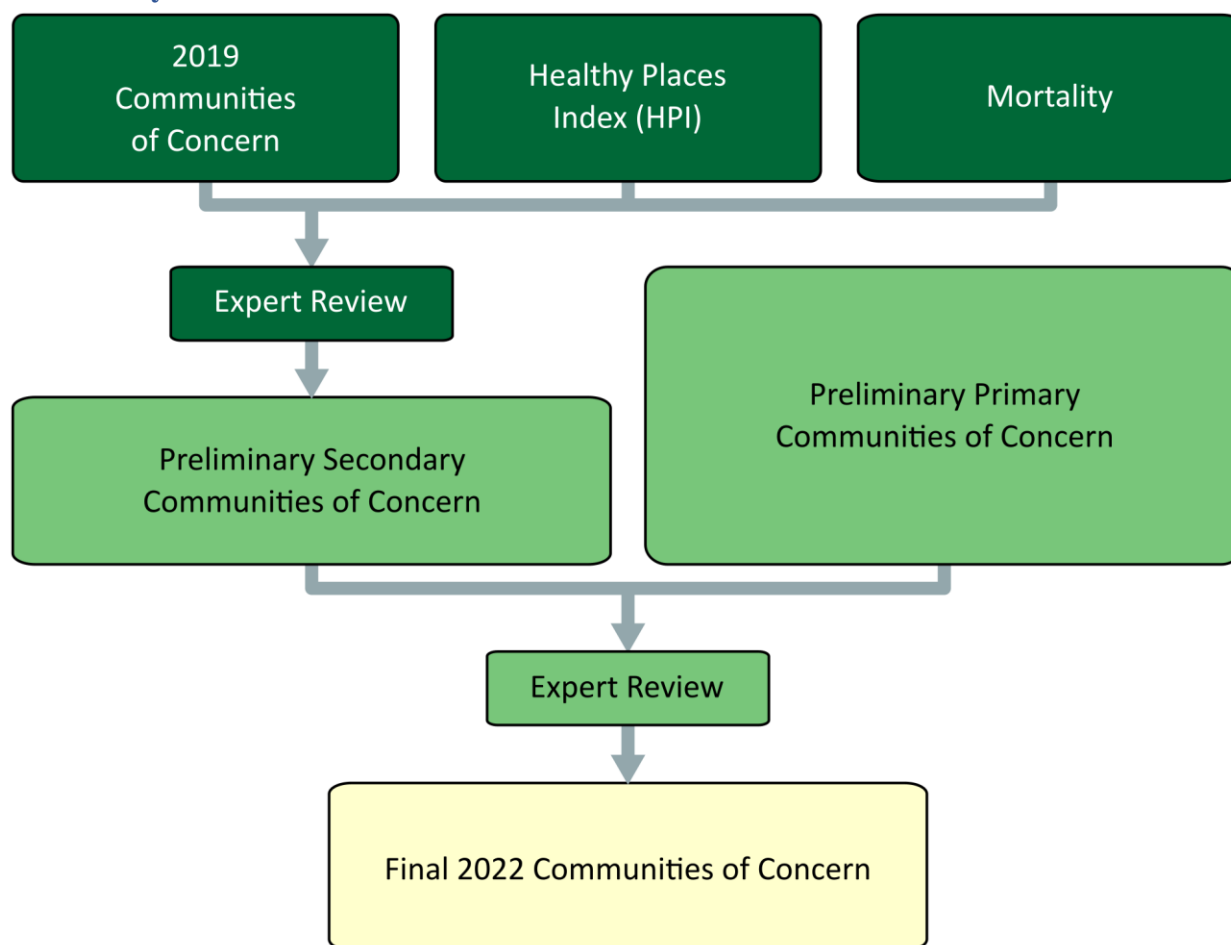
Figure 4: Community of Concern identification process.

As illustrated in Figure 4, 2022 Communities of Concern were identified through a process drawing upon both primary and secondary data. Three main secondary data sources were used in this analysis: Communities of Concern identified in the 2019 CHNA; the census tract-level California Healthy Places Index (HPI); and the CDPH ZCTA-level mortality data.

An evaluation procedure was developed for each of these datasets and applied to each ZCTA within the county. The following secondary data selection criteria were used to identify preliminary Communities of Concern.

2019 Community of Concern
A ZCTA was included if it was included in the 2019 CHNA Community of Concern list for the county. This was done to allow greater continuity between CHNA rounds.

Healthy Places Index (HPI)
A ZCTA was included if it intersected a census tract whose HPI value fell within the lowest 20% of those in the county. These census tracts represent areas with consistently high concentrations of demographic subgroups identified in the research literature as being more likely to experience health-related disadvantages.

CDPH Mortality Data

The review of ZCTAs based on mortality data utilized the ZCTA-level CDPH health outcome indicators described previously. These indicators were heart disease, cancer, stroke, CLD, Alzheimer's disease, unintentional injuries, diabetes, influenza and pneumonia, chronic liver disease, hypertension, suicide, and kidney disease mortality rates per 100,000 people. The number of times each ZCTA's rates, for these indicators fell within the top 20% in the county, was counted. Those ZCTAs whose counted values exceeded the 80th percentile for all of the ZCTAs in the county met the Community of Concern mortality selection criteria.

Integration of Secondary Criteria

Any ZCTA that met any of the three selection criteria (2019 Community of Concern, HPI, and Mortality) was reviewed for inclusion as a 2022 Community of Concern, with greater weight given to those ZCTAs meeting two or more of the selection criteria. An additional round of expert review was applied to determine if any other ZCTAs not thus far indicated should be included based on some other unanticipated secondary data consideration. This resulting list became the final Preliminary Secondary Communities of Concern.

Preliminary Primary Communities of Concern

Preliminary primary Communities of Concern were identified by reviewing the geographic locations or population subgroups that were consistently identified by the area-wide primary data sources.

Integration of Preliminary Primary and Secondary Communities of Concern

Any ZCTA that was identified in either the Preliminary Primary or Secondary Community of Concern list was considered for inclusion as a 2022 Community of Concern. An additional round of expert review was then conducted to determine if, based on any primary or secondary data consideration, final adjustments should be made to this list. The resulting set of ZCTAs was then used as the final 2022 Communities of Concern.

Significant Health Need Identification

The general methods through which significant health needs (SHNs) were identified are shown in Figure 5 and described here in greater detail. The first step in this process was to identify a set of potential health needs (PHNs) from which significant health needs could be selected. This was done by reviewing the health needs identified during prior assessments among various hospitals throughout Central and Northern California and then supplementing this list based on a preliminary analysis of the primary qualitative data collected for the current CHNA. This resulted the list of PHNs shown in Table 14.
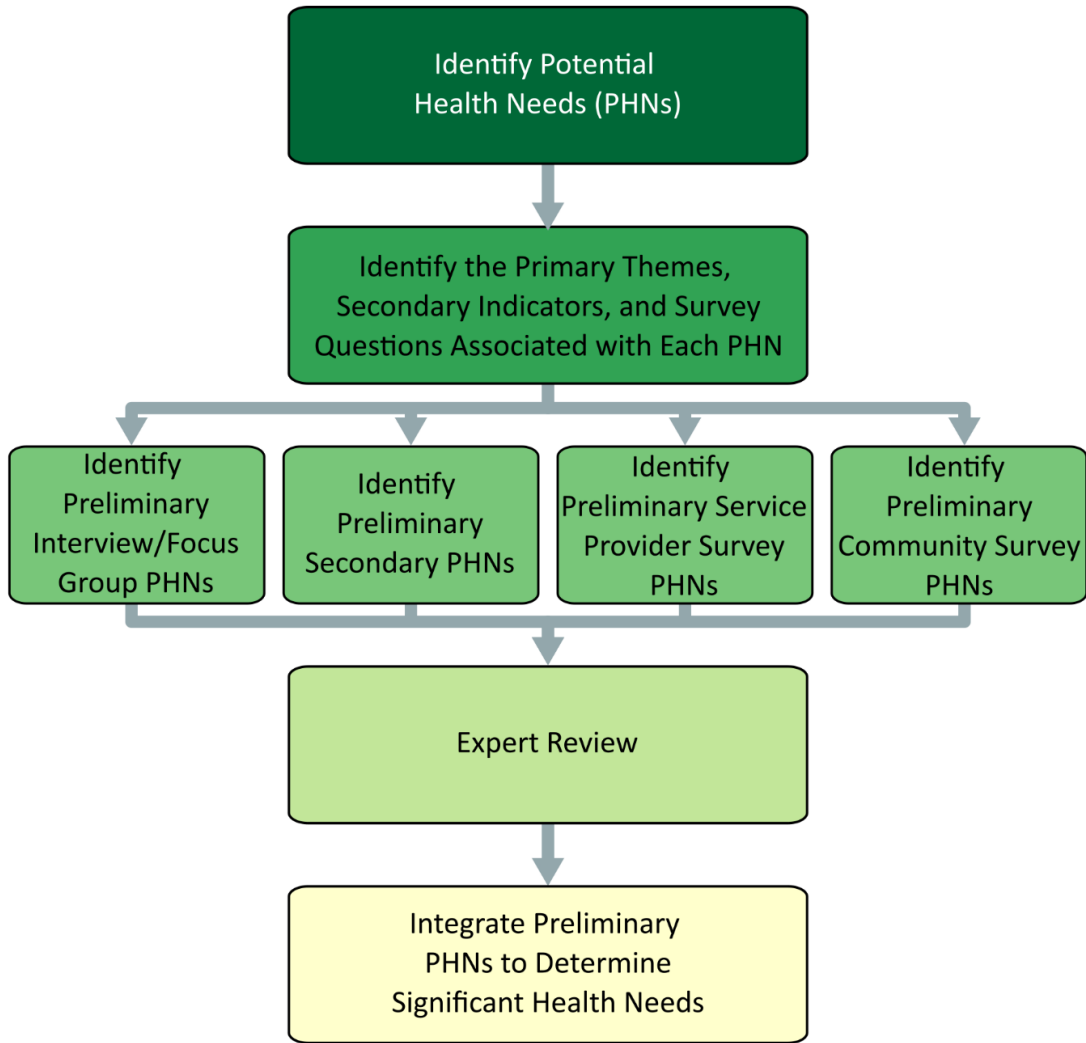
Figure 5: Significant health need identification process.

Table 14: 2022 Potential Health Needs.

Potential Health Needs (PHNs)	
PHN1	Access to Mental/Behavioral Health and Substance Use Services
PHN2	Access to Quality Primary Care Health Services
PHN3	Active Living and Healthy Eating
PHN4	Safe and Violence-Free Environment
PHN5	Access to Dental Care and Preventive Services
PHN6	Healthy Physical Environment
PHN7	Access to Basic Needs Such as Housing, Jobs, and Food
PHN8	Access to Functional Needs
PHN9	Access to Specialty and Extended Care
PHN10	Injury and Disease Prevention and Management
PHN11	Increased Community Connections
PHN12	System Navigation

The next step in the process was to identify primary themes and secondary indicators associated with each of these health needs as shown in Tables 15 through 26. Primary theme associations were used to guide coding of the primary data sources to specific PHNs.

Access to Mental/Behavioral Health and Substance Use Services

Table 15: Primary themes and secondary indicators associated with PHN1.

Primary Themes	Secondary Indicators
There aren't enough mental health providers or treatment centers in the area (e.g., psychiatric beds, therapists, support groups). The cost for mental/behavioral health treatment is too high. Treatment options in the area for those with Medi-Cal are limited. Awareness of mental health issues among community members is low. Additional services specifically for youth are needed (e.g., child psychologists, counselors, and therapists in the schools). The stigma around seeking mental health treatment keeps people out of care. Additional services for those who are homeless and dealing with mental/behavioral health issues are needed. The area lacks the infrastructure to support acute mental health crises. Mental/behavioral health services are available in the area, but people do not know about them. It's difficult for people to navigate for mental/behavioral healthcare. Substance use is a problem in the area (e.g., use of opiates and methamphetamine, prescription misuse). There are too few substance-use treatment services in the area (e.g., detox centers, rehabilitation centers). Substance use treatment options for those with Medi-Cal are limited. There aren't enough services here for those who are homeless and dealing with substance-use issues. The use of nicotine delivery products such as e-cigarettes and tobacco are a problem in the community. Substance use is an issue among youth in particular. There are substance use treatment services available here, but people do not know about them.	Preterm Birth Life Expectancy Premature Age-Adjusted Mortality Premature Death Liver Cancer Mortality Liver Disease Mortality Suicide Mortality Hospitalizations for Self-Inflicted Injuries Youth Hospitalizations for Mental Health Young Adults Hospitalizations for Mental Health or Substance Use Poor Mental Health Days Frequent Mental Distress Poor Physical Health Days Frequent Physical Distress Poor or Fair Health Excessive Drinking Drug Induced Death Adult Smoking Primary Care Shortage Area Mental Health Care Shortage Area Medically Underserved Area Mental Health Providers Psychiatry Providers Firearm Fatalities Rate Juvenile Arrest Rate Disconnected Youth Social Associations Residential Segregation (Non-White/White) Income Inequality Severe Housing Cost Burden Homelessness Rate

Access to Quality Primary Care Health Services

Table 16: Primary themes and secondary indicators associated with PHN2.

Primary Themes	Secondary Indicators
Insurance is unaffordable.	Infant Mortality

Wait times for appointments are excessively long.	Preterm Birth
Out-of-pocket costs are too high.	Child Mortality
There aren't enough primary care service providers in the area.	Life Expectancy
	Premature Age-Adjusted Mortality
Patients have difficulty obtaining appointments outside of regular business hours.	Premature Death
	Stroke Mortality
	Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease Mortality
Too few providers in the area accept Medi-Cal.	Diabetes Mortality
	Heart Disease Mortality
It is difficult to recruit and retain primary care providers in the region.	Hypertension Mortality
	Cancer Mortality
	Liver Cancer Mortality
Specific services are unavailable here (e.g., 24-hour pharmacies, urgent care, telemedicine).	Liver Disease Mortality
	Kidney Disease Mortality
	COVID-19 Mortality
The quality of care is low (e.g., appointments are rushed, providers lack cultural competence).	COVID-19 Case Fatality
	Alzheimer's Disease Mortality
	Influenza and Pneumonia Mortality
Patients seeking primary care overwhelm local emergency departments.	Diabetes Prevalence
	Hospitalizations for Diabetes Long Term Complications
Primary care services are available, but are	Low Birthweight
	Poor Mental Health Days
	Frequent Mental Distress
	Poor Physical Health Days
	Frequent Physical Distress
	Poor or Fair Health
	Colorectal Cancer Prevalence
	Cancer Colon Hospitalizations
	Breast Cancer Prevalence
	Lung Cancer Prevalence
	Prostate Cancer Prevalence
	Asthma (Emergency Department) ED Rates
	Asthma ED Rates for Children
	Primary Care Shortage Area
	Medically Underserved Area
	Mammography Screening
	Primary Care Providers
	Prenatal Care
	Preventable Hospitalization
	COVID-19 Cumulative Full Vaccination Rate
	Residential Segregation (Non-White/White)
	Uninsured Population under 64
	Income Inequality
	Homelessness Rate

Active Living and Healthy Eating

Table 17: Primary themes and secondary indicators associated with PHN3.

Primary Themes	Secondary Indicators
There are food deserts in the area where fresh, unprocessed foods are not available. Fresh, unprocessed foods are unaffordable. Food insecurity is an issue here. Students need healthier food options in schools. The built environment doesn't support physical activity (e.g., neighborhoods aren't walkable, roads aren't bike-friendly, or parks are inaccessible). The community needs nutrition education programs. Homelessness in parks or other public spaces deters residents from their use. Recreational opportunities in the area are unaffordable (e.g., gym memberships, recreational activity programming. There aren't enough recreational opportunities in the area (e.g., organized activities, youth sports leagues). The food available in local homeless shelters and food banks is not nutritious. Grocery store options are limited in the area.	Life Expectancy Premature Age-Adjusted Mortality Premature Death Stroke Mortality Diabetes Mortality Heart Disease Mortality Hypertension Mortality Cancer Mortality Liver Cancer Mortality Kidney Disease Mortality Diabetes Prevalence Hospitalizations for Diabetes Long Term Complications Poor Mental Health Days Frequent Mental Distress Poor Physical Health Days Frequent Physical Distress Poor or Fair Health Colorectal Cancer Prevalence Cancer Colon Hospitalizations Breast Cancer Prevalence Prostate Cancer Prevalence Asthma Emergency Department (ED) Rates Asthma ED Rates for Children Adult Obesity Breastfeeding Physical Inactivity Limited Access to Healthy Foods Food Environment Index Access to Exercise Opportunities Residential Segregation (Non-White/White) Income Inequality Severe Housing Cost Burden Homelessness Rate Long Commute - Driving Alone Access to Public Transit

Safe and Violence-Free Environment

Table 18: Primary themes and secondary indicators associated with PHN4.

Primary Themes	Secondary Indicators
People feel unsafe because of crime. There are not enough resources to address domestic violence and sexual assault. Isolated or poorly lit streets make pedestrian travel unsafe.	Life Expectancy Premature Death Hypertension Mortality Hospitalizations for Self-Inflicted Injuries Youth Hospitalizations for Mental Health Young Adults

Public parks seem unsafe because of illegal activity taking place.	Hospitalizations for Mental Health or Substance Use
Youth need more safe places to go after school.	Poor Mental Health Days
	Frequent Mental Distress
	Frequent Physical Distress
Specific groups in this community are targeted because of characteristics like race/ethnicity or age.	Poor or Fair Health
	Physical Inactivity
	Access to Exercise Opportunities
There isn't adequate police protection.	Homicide Rate
Gang activity is an issue in the area.	Firearm Fatalities Rate
Human trafficking is an issue in the area.	Violent Crime Rate
The current political environment makes some concerned for their safety.	Juvenile Arrest Rate
	Motor Vehicle Crash Death
	Disconnected Youth
	Social Associations
	Income Inequality
	Severe Housing Problems
	Severe Housing Cost Burden
	Homelessness Rate

Access to Dental Care and Preventive Services

Table 19: Primary themes and secondary indicators associated with PHN5.

Primary Themes	Secondary Indicators
There aren't enough providers in the area who accept Denti-Cal.	Emergency Department (ED) Visits for Dental Diagnosis Adult
The lack of access to dental care here leads to overuse of emergency departments.	ED Visits For Dental Diagnosis Child
	Frequent Mental Distress
Quality dental services for kids are lacking.	Poor Physical Health Days
It's hard to get an appointment for dental care.	Frequent Physical Distress
	Poor or Fair Health
People in the area have to travel to receive dental care.	Dental Care Shortage Area
	Dentists
Dental care here is unaffordable, even if you have insurance.	Residential Segregation (Non-White/White)
	Income Inequality
	Homelessness Rate

Healthy Physical Environment

Table 20: Primary themes and secondary indicators associated with PHN6.

Primary Themes	Secondary Indicators
The air quality contributes to high rates of asthma.	Infant Mortality
	Life Expectancy
Poor water quality is a concern in the area.	Premature Age-Adjusted Mortality
Agricultural activity harms the air quality.	Premature Death
Low-income housing is substandard.	Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease Mortality
Residents' use of tobacco and e-cigarettes harms the air quality.	Hypertension Mortality
	Cancer Mortality
Industrial activity in the area harms the air quality.	Frequent Mental Distress
	Frequent Physical Distress
	Poor or Fair Health

	Colorectal Cancer Prevalence
Heavy traffic in the area harms the air quality. Wildfires in the region harm the air quality.	Colorectal Cancer Prevalence Breast Cancer Prevalence Lung Cancer Prevalence Prostate Cancer Prevalence Asthma Emergency Department (ED) Rates Asthma ED Rates for Children Adult Smoking Income Inequality Severe Housing Cost Burden Homelessness Rate Long Commute - Driving Alone Pollution Burden Percent Air Pollution - Particulate Matter Drinking Water Violations

Access to Basic Needs Such as Housing, Jobs, and Food

Table 21: Primary themes and secondary indicators associated with PHN7.

Primary Themes	Secondary Indicators
Lack of affordable housing is a significant issue in the area. The area needs additional low-income housing options. Poverty in the county is high. Many people in the area do not make a living wage. Employment opportunities in the area are limited. Services for homeless residents in the area are insufficient. Services are inaccessible for Spanish-speaking and immigrant residents. Many residents struggle with food insecurity. It is difficult to find affordable childcare. Educational attainment in the area is low.	Infant Mortality Child Mortality Life Expectancy Premature Age-Adjusted Mortality Premature Death Hypertension Mortality COVID-19 Mortality COVID-19 Case Fatality Diabetes Prevalence Low Birthweight Emergency Department (ED) Visits for Dental Diagnosis Adult ED Visits For Dental Diagnosis Child ED Falls Ages 65+ Hospitalizations for Falls Ages 65+ Poor Mental Health Days Frequent Mental Distress Poor Physical Health Days Frequent Physical Distress Poor or Fair Health COVID-19 Cumulative Incidence Asthma ED Rates Asthma ED Rates for Children Drug Induced Death Adult Obesity Limited Access to Healthy Foods Food Environment Index Medically Underserved Area COVID-19 Cumulative Full Vaccination Rate Some College High School Completion

	Disconnected Youth
	English Language Learners
	Third Grade Reading Level
	Third Grade Math Level
	Unemployment
	Children in Single-Parent Households
	Social Associations
	Residential Segregation (Non-White/White)
	Children Eligible for Free Lunch
	Children in Poverty
	Median Household Income
	Uninsured Population under 64
	Income Inequality
	Severe Housing Problems
	Severe Housing Cost Burden
	Homeownership
	Homelessness Rate
	Households with no Vehicle Available
	Long Commute - Driving Alone

Access to Functional Needs

Table 22: Primary themes and secondary indicators associated with PHN8.

Primary Themes	Secondary Indicators
Many residents do not have reliable personal transportation. Medical transport in the area is limited. Roads and sidewalks in the area are not well maintained. The distance between service providers is inconvenient for those using public transportation. Using public transportation to reach providers can take a very long time. The cost of public transportation is too high. Public transportation service routes are limited. Public transportation schedules are limited. The geography of the area makes it difficult for those without reliable transportation to get around. Public transportation is more difficult for some to residents to use (e.g., non-English speakers, seniors, parents with young children). There aren't enough taxi and ride-share options (e.g., Uber, Lyft).	Disability Emergency Department (ED) Falls Ages 65+ Hospitalizations for Falls Ages 65+ Frequent Mental Distress Frequent Physical Distress Poor or Fair Health Adult Obesity COVID-19 Cumulative Full Vaccination Rate Income Inequality Homelessness Rate Households with no Vehicle Available Long Commute - Driving Alone Access to Public Transit

Access to Specialty and Extended Care

Table 23: Primary themes and secondary indicators associated with PHN9.

Primary Themes	Secondary Indicators
Wait times for specialist appointments are excessively long. It is difficult to recruit and retain specialists in the area. Not all specialty care is covered by insurance. Out-of-pocket costs for specialty and extended care are too high. People have to travel to reach specialists. Too few specialty and extended care providers accept Medi-Cal. The area needs more extended care options for the aging population (e.g., skilled nursing homes, in-home care). There isn't enough OB/GYN care available. Additional hospice and palliative care options are needed. The area lacks a kind of specialist or extended care option not listed here.	Infant Mortality Preterm Birth Life Expectancy Premature Age-Adjusted Mortality Premature Death Stroke Mortality Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease Mortality Diabetes Mortality Heart Disease Mortality Hypertension Mortality Cancer Mortality Liver Cancer Mortality Liver Disease Mortality Kidney Disease Mortality COVID-19 Mortality COVID-19 Case Fatality Alzheimer's Disease Mortality Diabetes Prevalence Hospitalizations for Diabetes Long Term Complications Poor Mental Health Days Frequent Mental Distress Poor Physical Health Days Frequent Physical Distress Poor or Fair Health Cancer Colon Hospitalizations Lung Cancer Prevalence Asthma Emergency Department (ED) Rates Asthma ED Rates for Children Drug Induced Death Psychiatry Providers Specialty Care Providers Preventable Hospitalization Residential Segregation (Non-White/White) Income Inequality Homelessness Rate

Injury and Disease Prevention and Management

Table 24: Primary themes and secondary indicators associated with PHN10.

Primary Themes	Secondary Indicators
There isn't really a focus on prevention around here. Preventive health services for women are needed (e.g., breast and cervical cancer screening).	Infant Mortality Child Mortality Stroke Mortality Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease Mortality Diabetes Mortality

There should be a greater focus on chronic disease prevention (e.g., diabetes, heart disease).	Heart Disease Mortality
	Hypertension Mortality
	Liver Cancer Mortality
Vaccination rates are lower than they need to be.	Liver Disease Mortality
	Kidney Disease Mortality
Health education in the schools needs to be improved.	Suicide Mortality
	Unintentional Injuries Mortality
Additional HIV and sexually transmitted infection (STI) prevention efforts are needed.	COVID-19 Mortality
	COVID-19 Case Fatality
The community needs nutrition education opportunities.	Alzheimer's Disease Mortality
	Diabetes Prevalence
Schools should offer better sexual health education.	Hospitalizations for Diabetes Long Term Complications
	Low Birthweight
Prevention efforts need to be focused on specific populations in the community (e.g., youth, Spanish-speaking residents, the elderly, LGBTQ individuals, immigrants).	HIV Prevalence
	Emergency Department (ED) Visits for Dental Diagnosis Adult
	ED Visits For Dental Diagnosis Child
	ED Falls Ages 65+
Patients need to be better connected to service providers (e.g., case management, patient navigation, or centralized service provision).	Hospitalizations for Falls Ages 65+
	Hospitalizations for Self-Inflicted Injuries Youth
	Hospitalizations for Mental Health Young Adults
	Hospitalizations for Mental Health or Substance Use
	Poor Mental Health Days
	Frequent Mental Distress
	Frequent Physical Distress
	Poor or Fair Health
	Cancer Colon Hospitalizations
	COVID-19 Cumulative Incidence
	Asthma ED Rates
	Asthma ED Rates for Children
	Excessive Drinking
	Drug Induced Death
	Adult Obesity
	Breastfeeding
	Physical Inactivity
	Chlamydia Incidence
	Teen Birth Rate
	Adult Smoking
	Prenatal Care
	COVID-19 Cumulative Full Vaccination Rate
	Firearm Fatalities Rate
	Juvenile Arrest Rate
	Motor Vehicle Crash Death
	Disconnected Youth
	Third Grade Reading Level
	Third Grade Math Level
	Income Inequality
	Homelessness Rate

Increased Community Connections

Table 25: Primary themes and secondary indicators associated with PHN11.

Primary Themes	Secondary Indicators
Health and social service providers operate in silos; we need cross-sector connection. Building community connections doesn't seem like a focus in the area. Relations between law enforcement and the community need to be improved. The community needs to invest more in the local public schools. There isn't enough funding for social services in the county. People in the community face discrimination from local service providers. City and county leaders need to work together.	Infant Mortality Child Mortality Life Expectancy Premature Age-Adjusted Mortality Premature Death Stroke Mortality Diabetes Mortality Heart Disease Mortality Hypertension Mortality Suicide Mortality Unintentional Injuries Mortality Diabetes Prevalence Low Birthweight Hospitalizations for Self-Inflicted Injuries Youth Hospitalizations for Mental Health Young Adults Hospitalizations for Mental Health or Substance Use Poor Mental Health Days Frequent Mental Distress Poor Physical Health Days Frequent Physical Distress Poor or Fair Health Excessive Drinking Drug Induced Death Physical Inactivity Access to Exercise Opportunities Teen Birth Rate Primary Care Shortage Area Mental Health Care Shortage Area Medically Underserved Area Mental Health Providers Psychiatry Providers Specialty Care Providers Primary Care Providers Preventable Hospitalization COVID-19 Cumulative Full Vaccination Rate Homicide Rate Firearm Fatalities Rate Violent Crime Rate Juvenile Arrest Rate Some College High School Completion Disconnected Youth Unemployment Children in Single-Parent Households Social Associations Residential Segregation (Non-White/White)

	Income Inequality
	Homelessness Rate
	Households with no Vehicle Available
	Long Commute - Driving Alone
	Access to Public Transit

System Navigation

Table 26: Primary themes and secondary indicators associated with PHN12.

Primary Themes	Secondary Indicators
People may not be aware of the services they are eligible for. It is difficult for people to navigate multiple, different healthcare systems. The area needs more navigators to help to get people connected to services. People have trouble understanding their insurance benefits. Automated phone systems can be difficult for those who are unfamiliar with the healthcare system. Dealing with medical and insurance paperwork can be overwhelming. Medical terminology is confusing. Some people just don't know where to start in order to access care or benefits.	Preterm Birth Liver Cancer Mortality Hospitalizations for Diabetes Long Term Complications Cancer Colon Hospitalizations Prenatal Care

Next, values for the secondary health factor and health outcome indicators identified were compared to state benchmarks to determine if a secondary indicator performed poorly within the county. Some indicators were considered problematic if they exceeded the benchmark, others were considered problematic if they were below the benchmark, and the presence of certain other indicators within the county, such as health professional shortage areas, indicated issues. Table 27 lists each secondary indicator and describes the comparison made to the benchmark to determine if it was problematic. Table 28 lists each question from the Yolo County community health survey used in health need identification and describes the comparison made to the relevant benchmark to determine if it was problematic.

Table 27: Benchmark comparisons to show indicator performance.

Indicator	Benchmark Comparison Indicating Poor Performance
Infant Mortality	Higher
Preterm Birth	Higher
Child Mortality	Higher
Life Expectancy	Lower
Premature Age-Adjusted Mortality	Higher
Premature Death	Higher
Stroke Mortality	Higher
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease Mortality	Higher
Diabetes Mortality	Higher
Heart Disease Mortality	Higher

Hypertension Mortality	Higher
Cancer Mortality	Higher
Liver Cancer Mortality	Higher
Liver Disease Mortality	Higher
Kidney Disease Mortality	Higher
Suicide Mortality	Higher
Unintentional Injuries Mortality	Higher
COVID-19 Mortality	Higher
COVID-19 Case Fatality	Higher
Alzheimer's Disease Mortality	Higher
Influenza and Pneumonia Mortality	Higher
Diabetes Prevalence	Higher
Hospitalizations for Diabetes Long Term Complications	Higher
Low Birthweight	Higher
HIV Prevalence	Higher
Disability	Higher
Emergency Department (ED) Visits for Dental Diagnosis Adult	Higher
ED Visits For Dental Diagnosis Child	Higher
ED Falls Ages 65+	Higher
Hospitalizations for Falls Ages 65+	Higher
Hospitalizations for Self-Inflicted Injuries Youth	Higher
Hospitalizations for Mental Health Young Adults	Higher
Hospitalizations for Mental Health or Substance Use	Higher
Poor Mental Health Days	Higher
Frequent Mental Distress	Higher
Poor Physical Health Days	Higher
Frequent Physical Distress	Higher
Poor or Fair Health	Higher
Colorectal Cancer Prevalence	Higher
Cancer Colon Hospitalizations	Higher
Breast Cancer Prevalence	Higher
Lung Cancer Prevalence	Higher
Prostate Cancer Prevalence	Higher
COVID-19 Cumulative Incidence	Higher
Asthma ED Rates	Higher
Asthma ED Rates for Children	Higher
Excessive Drinking	Higher
Drug Induced Death	Higher
Adult Obesity	Higher
Breastfeeding	Lower
Physical Inactivity	Higher
Limited Access to Healthy Foods	Higher
Food Environment Index	Lower
Access to Exercise Opportunities	Lower

Chlamydia Incidence	Higher
Teen Birth Rate	Higher
Adult Smoking	Higher
Primary Care Shortage Area	Present
Dental Care Shortage Area	Present
Mental Health Care Shortage Area	Present
Medically Underserved Area	Present
Mammography Screening	Lower
Dentists	Lower
Mental Health Providers	Lower
Psychiatry Providers	Lower
Specialty Care Providers	Lower
Primary Care Providers	Lower
Prenatal Care	Lower
Preventable Hospitalization	Higher
COVID-19 Cumulative Full Vaccination Rate	Lower
Homicide Rate	Higher
Firearm Fatalities Rate	Higher
Violent Crime Rate	Higher
Juvenile Arrest Rate	Higher
Motor Vehicle Crash Death	Higher
Some College	Lower
High School Completion	Lower
Disconnected Youth	Higher
English Language Learners	Lower
Third Grade Reading Level	Lower
Third Grade Math Level	Lower
Unemployment	Higher
Children in Single-Parent Households	Higher
Social Associations	Lower
Residential Segregation (Non-White/White)	Higher
Children Eligible for Free Lunch	Higher
Children in Poverty	Higher
Median Household Income	Lower
Uninsured Population under 64	Higher
Income Inequality	Higher
Severe Housing Problems	Higher
Severe Housing Cost Burden	Higher
Homeownership	Lower
Homelessness Rate	Higher
Households with no Vehicle Available	Higher
Long Commute - Driving Alone	Higher
Access to Public Transit	Lower
Pollution Burden Percent	Higher
Air Pollution - Particulate Matter	Higher
Drinking Water Violations	Present

Table 28: Benchmark comparisons for Yolo Community Health Status Survey.

Question	Benchmark Comparison Indicating Poor Performance
Do you have a condition that limits one or more physical activities? Same – question 8	Higher
Have you ever been told you have asthma/lung disease/COPD/emphysema? Same – question 10	Higher
Have you ever been told you have autoimmune disease (Lupus, Type 1 diabetes)? Same – question 10	Higher
Have you ever been told you have cancer? Same – question 10	Higher
Have you ever been told you have diabetes? Same – question 10	Higher
Have you ever been told you have heart disease Same – question 10	Higher
Have you ever been told you have hypertension? Same – question 10	Higher
Have you ever been told you have mental illness? Same – question 10	Higher
Have you ever been told you have a drug or alcohol problem? Same – question 10	Higher
Have you ever been told you have a physical disability? Same – question 10	Higher
Have you ever been told that you have obesity/overweight? Same – question 10	Higher
Needed behavioral health care in past 12 months – Question 11 (Was there ever a time during the past 12 months when you felt that you might need to see a professional because of problems with your mental health, emotions, nerves, or use of alcohol or drugs?)	Higher
Needed behavioral health care but didn't get it because of cost omitted	Higher
Needed behavioral health care but didn't get it because of lack of comfort talking about it omitted	Higher
Needed behavioral health care but didn't get it because of stigma omitted	Higher
Needed behavioral health care but didn't get it because of lack of insurance coverage omitted	Higher
Needed behavioral health care but didn't get it because appt availability omitted	Higher
Needed behavioral health care but didn't get it because didn't know where to go omitted	Higher
Do you have health insurance? (Response: No) Question 45	Higher
Takes more than 30 minutes to get to doctor? Question 15 (How long does it normally take you to get to your regular doctor's office from your home?)	Higher

Unsatisfied or very unsatisfied with getting an appointment quickly Question 18 (Were you satisfied with how quickly you were able to get an appointment?)	Higher
Didn't receive medical screenings because it took too long Question 21	Higher
Didn't receive medical screenings because of language issues Question 21	Higher
Didn't receive medical screenings because of transportation Question 21	Higher
Didn't receive medical screenings because of clinic hours Question 21	Higher
Didn't receive medical screenings because of doctor availability Question 21	Higher
Didn't receive medical screenings because of lack of health insurance Question 21	Higher
Didn't receive medical screenings because of inadequate insurance Question 21	Higher
Didn't receive medical screenings because of lack of trust with providers Question 21	Higher
Went to ER because I couldn't get urgent care appointment Question 23	Higher
Went to ER for prescription refill Question 23	Higher
Went to ER because more convenient Question 23	Higher
Went to ER because lack usual source of care Question 23	Higher
Do you have dental insurance? (Response: Yes) Question 48	Lower
Been to dentist in last 12 months (Response: Yes) Question 49	Lower

Once poorly performing quantitative indicators were identified, they were used to determine preliminary secondary significant health needs. This was done by calculating the percentage of all secondary indicators associated with a given potential health need (PHN) that were identified as performing poorly within the county. While all PHNs represented actual health needs within the county to a greater or lesser extent, a PHN was considered a preliminary secondary health need if the percentage of poorly performing indicators exceeded one of a number of established thresholds: any poorly performing associated secondary indicators; or at least 10%, 20%, 30%, 40%, 50%, 60%, 70%, or 80% of the associated indicators were found to perform poorly. A similar set of standards was used to identify the preliminary interview and focus-group health needs: any of the survey respondents mentioned a theme associated with a PHN, or if at least 10%, 20%, 30%, 40%, 50%, 60%, 70%, or 80% of the respondents mentioned an associated theme. Finally, similar thresholds (any mention, 10%, 20%, 30%, 40%, 50%, 60%, 70%, or 80%) were also applied to the percent of survey respondents selecting a particular health need as one of the top health needs in the county.

These sets of criteria (any mention, 10%, 20%, 30%, 40%, 50%, 60%, 70%, or 80%) were used because it was not feasible to anticipate which specific standard would be most meaningful within the context of the county. Having multiple objective decision criteria allows the process to be more easily described while still allowing for enough flexibility to respond to evolving conditions in the county. To this end, a final

round of expert reviews was used to compare the set selection criteria to find the level at which the criteria converged towards a final set of SHNs.

For this report, a PHN was selected as a significant health need (SHN) if one of the following conditions applied:
1. 40% of the associated quantitative indicators were identified as performing poorly,
2. 40% of Service Provider Survey respondents indicated it was a health need,
3. 50% or more of the key informant and focus group primary sources indicated it was a health need, or
4. 50% of the assigned Community Health Status Survey data assigned to the PHN performed poorly.

Health Need Prioritization

The final step in the analysis was to prioritize the identified significant health needs (SHNs). To reflect the voice of the community, significant health need prioritization was based solely on primary data. Key informants and focus group participants were asked to identify the three most significant health needs in their communities. These responses were associated with one or more of the potential health needs. This, along with the responses across the rest of the interviews and focus groups, was used to derive two measures for each significant health need. First, the total percentage of all primary data sources that mentioned themes associated with a significant health need at any point was calculated. This number was taken to represent how broadly a given significant health need was recognized within the community. Next, the percentage of times a theme associated with a significant health was mentioned as one of the top three health needs in the community was calculated. Since primary data sources were asked to prioritize health needs in this question, this number was taken to represent the intensity of the need. Finally, the number of times each health need was selected as one of the top health needs by survey respondents was also included.

These three measures were then rescaled so that the SHN with the maximum value for each measure equaled one, the minimum equaled zero, and all other SHNs had values appropriately proportional to the maximum and minimum values. The rescaled values were then summed to create a combined SHN prioritization index. SHNs were ranked in descending order based on this index value so that the SHN with the highest value was identified as the highest-priority health need, the SHN with the second highest value was identified as the second highest-priority health need, and so on.

Detailed List of Resources to Address Health Needs

Table 29: Resources available to meet health needs.

Organization Information			Significant Health Needs											Other Health Needs
Name	ZIP Code	Website	Access to Basic Needs Such as Housing, Jobs, and Food	Access to Mental/Behavioral Health and Substance-Use Services	Injury and Disease Prevention and Management	Active Living and Healthy Eating	Access to Quality Primary Care Health Services	System Navigation	Access to Specialty and Extended Care	Increased Community Connections	Safe and Violence-Free Environment	Access to Functional Needs	Access to Dental Care and Preventive Services	Healthy Physical Environment
211	County-wide	www.211yolocounty.com	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
ACES – Yolo County office of Education	95776	www.ycoe.org/districts				x				x				
Agency on Again – Area 4	95815	agencyonaging4.org	x	x	x		x		x	x	x			
All Leaders Must Serve	95776	www.allleadersmustserve.org	x							x				
Alternatives Pregnancy Center	95825	alternativespc.org		x			x							
Alzheimer's Association	95815	www.alz.org/norcal		x	x				x	x				
American Cancer Society	95815	www.cancer.org			x		x			x		x		
American Red Cross	95815	www.redcross.org	x				x			x				
Another Choice Another Chance	95823	acacsac.org		x						x				
Apex Care	95825	apexcare.com	x	x			x		x			x		
Big Brothers Big Sisters	95825	bbbs-sac.org		x						x	x			
Breathe California of Sacramento-Emigrant Trails	95814	sacbreathe.org			x		x			x				x
Bryte and Broderick Community Action Network	95605	www.bryteandbroderick.org	x			x	x			x		x		
Cache Creek Conservancy	95695	cachecreekconservancy.org	x			x				x				x

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California Accountable Communities for Health Initiative (CACHI)	95605	cachi.org	x		x		x							
Capay Valley	95627	www.capayvalleyvision.net	x			x					x	x		
Children's Home Society of California – Woodland	95695	www.chs-ca.org	x					x		x				
Citizens Who Care	95695	www.citizenswhocare.us						x	x	x	x			
CommuniCare Health Centers	95605, 95616, 95627, 95695	communicarehc.org		x	x	x	x	x		x			x	
Community Housing Opportunity Corp	95695	www.chochousing.org	x							x				
Davis Community Meals	95616	daviscommunitymeals.org	x							x				
Davis Community Transit	95616	www.cityofdavis.org										x		
Davis Senior Center	95616	www.cityofdavis.org/city-hall/parks-and-community-services/senior-services	x			x	x	x	x	x	x			
Del Oro Caregiver Resource Center	95610	www.deloro.org		x	x		x		x					
Dignity Health Woodland Davis	Yolo County	www.dignityhealth.org/sacramento/medical-group/woodland-davis					x							
Dixon Migrant Farm Labor Camp	95620	ych.ca.gov	x											

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Elica Health Centers	95691, 95816, 95818, 95825, 95838	www.elicahealth.org		x			x	x					x	
Empower Yolo	95695	empoweryolo.org	x	x				x		x	x			
Empower Yolo- Knights Landing Family Resource Center	95645	empoweryolo.org/resource-centers/	x	x	x		x	x		x	x			
Eskaton	95608	www.eskaton.org	x	x		x	x		x		x			
Explorit Science Center	95618	www.explorit.org	x							x				
First 5 Yolo	95618	www.first5yolo.org	x	x		x	x			x				
First In Relief for Evacuees	95695	firstinrelief.com	x							x				
Fourth and Hope	95776	fourthandhope.org	x								x			
Gender Health Center	95817	thegenderhealthcenter.org	x	x			x	x			x			
Girl Scouts Heart of Central California	95695	www.girlscoutshcc.org	x			x				x				
Golden Days Adult Day Health	95691	(916) 371-6011					x		x		x			
Goodwill-Sacramento Valley & Northern Nevada	95776	www.goodwillsacto.org	x											
Habitat for Humanity Greater Sacramento	95695	habitatgreatersac.org/								x				

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Head Start – Yolo County Office of Education	95605, 95616, 95627, 95695	www.ycoe.org/pf4/cms2/view_page?d=x&group_id=1531973257093&vdid=igq2w4c1x83d26q	x	x		x					x			
Health Education Council	95691	healthedcouncil.org				x					x			
Holy Cross Church	95605	www.scd.org/parish/holy-cross-parish-west-sacramento	x							x				
Knights Landing One Health Center	95645	knightslandingclinic.org					x	x						
Legal Services of Northern California – Health Rights	95814	lsnc.net/office/lsnc-health-program	x											
Lilliput Children's Services	95695	www.lilliput.org	x											
Madison Migrant Center (Child Development Centers)	95834	cdicdc.org				x					x			
Meals on Wheels Yolo County	95776	www.mowyolo.com	x							x				
Mercy Housing	95838	www.mercyhousing.org	x											
Mercy Housing- West Beamer Place Housing	95695	www.mercyhousing.org/california/west-beamer/	x											
My Sister's House	95818	www.my-sisters-house.org	x	x		x					x			
NAMI Yolo	95695	namiyolo.org		x				x		x				
Northern California Children's Therapy Center	95695	www.ctchelpkids.org					x	x	x					

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Outa Sight Group	95695	www.outasightgroup.com	x			x				x				
Pregnancy Support Group	95695	pregnancysupportgroup.org	x	x				x		x				
PRIDE Industries	95747	www.prideindustries.com	x											
Progress House	95695	progresshouseinc.org	x	x										
Resilient Yolo (Aces Connection)	95776	www.pacesconnection.com/g/yolo-county-ca-aces	x	x				x		x				
RISE Inc.	95695	www.riseinc.org/	x	x		x	x	x		x	x			
Sacramento LGBT Community Center	95811	saccenter.org	x	x			x	x		x				
Safety Center Inc.	95695	safetycenter.org			x					x	x			
Saint John's Retirement Village	95695	sjrv.org	x	x		x	x		x	x				
Saint Luke's Episcopal Church	95695	stlukeswoodland.org	x							x				
Saint Vincent de Paul Sacramento Council	95816	www.svdp-sacramento.org	x					x		x				
Salvation Army	95695	www.salvationarmyusa.org	x											
Senior Link of Yolo County	95695	lsnc.net/seniorlink	x	x		x	x		x					
Shingle Springs Tribal TANF Program	95825	www.shinglespringsrancheria.com/tanf	x					x						
Shores of Hope	95605	www.shoresofhope.org	x	x		x					x	x		
Short Term Emergency Aide Committee (STEAC)	95616	steac.org	x							x				

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Shriner's Hospital for Children – Northern California	95817	www.shrinerschildrens.org/locations/northern-california			x		x	x	x					
Slavic Assistance Center	95825	www.slaviccenter.us	x											
Soroptimist International of Woodland	95776	www.soroptimistofwoodland.org	x							x				
St. Luke's- Woodland Ecumenical and Multi-Faith Ministries	95695	stlukeswoodland.org/collaborate/serve-the-community/woodland-ecumenical-and-multi-faith-ministries/	x							x				
Stanford Sierra Youth and Families / Stanford Youth Solutions	95826	www.ssyaf.org/	x	x							x			
Suicide Prevention and Crisis Services of Yolo County	95617	www.suicidepreventionyolocounty.org		x						x	x			
Summer House Inc.	95616	summerhouseinc.org	x	x		x	x				x	x	x	
Sutter Davis Hospital	95616	www.sutterhealth.org/davis		x	x	x	x	x						
The Californian Assisted Living and Dementia Care	95695	thecalifornian.net	x	x		x	x		x		x			
The Keaton's Childhood Cancer Alliance	95661	childcancer.org			x									
The Mental Health America of California	95814	www.mhac.org		x										
Tuleyome	95695	www.tuleyome.org				x				x				x
Turning Point Community Programs	95670	www.tpcp.org	x	x										

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United Cerebral Palsy (UCP) of Sacramento & Northern Calif.	95841	ucpsacto.org	x			x			x		x	x		
University of California, Davis	95616	www.ucdavis.edu	x											
VA Northern California Health Care System	95655	www.va.gov/northern-california-health-care/	x	x			x	x						
Volunteers of America – Northern California & Northern Nevada	95821	www.voa-ncnn.org	x	x										
Walter's House – Fourth and Hope	95695	fourthandhope.org	x	x						x				
WarmLine Family Resource Center	95818	www.warmlinefrc.org	x	x			x							
West Sacramento Community Center	95691	www.cityofwestsacramento.org/residents				x				x				
Wind Youth Services	95817	www.windyouth.org	x	x							x			
Winter's Healthcare Foundation	95694	www.wintershealth.org		x	x	x	x	x					x	
Woodland Community Care Car	95776	www.communitycarecar.org										x		
Woodland Community College Foundation	95776	wcc.yccd.edu/foundation/	x											
Woodland Community College STAY Well Center	95776	wcc.yccd.edu/student/wellness-center		x			x							
Woodland Community Senior Center	95776	cityofwoodland.org/351/Seniors	x			x	x		x	x				

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Woodland Joint Unified School District	95695	www.wjusd.org	x											
Woodland Memorial Hospital	95695	www.dignityhealth.org/sacramento/locations/woodland-memorial-hospital		x	x		x	x		x				
Woodland United Way	95695	www.yourlocalunitedway.org/woodland-office	x	x			x							
YMCA of Superior California	95695	www.ymcasuperiorcal.org				x				x	x			
Yolo Adult Day Health Center – Woodland Healthcare	95695	www.dignityhealth.org/sacramento/services/yolo-adult-day-health-services	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x			
Yolo Bus	95776	yolobus.com										x		
Yolo Center for Families	95695	yolofamilies.org, localwiki.org/davis/Yolo_Center_for_Families	x				x			x	x			
Yolo Community Care Continuum	95695	www.y3c.org	x	x							x			
Yolo County CASA	95695	www.yolocasa.org		x							x			
Yolo County Children's Alliance	95616	www.yolokids.org	x				x	x		x	x			
Yolo County Health and Human Services Agency	95695	www.yolocounty.org/health-human-services	x	x	x	x	x	x			x			x
Yolo County Housing	95695	www.ych.ca.gov	x											
Yolo County WIC	95695	www.yolocounty.org/government/general-government-departments/health-human-services/children-youth/women-infants-children-wic			x	x	x	x						
Yolo Crisis Nursery	95618	yolocrisisnursery.org/programs/	x	x				x			x			

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Yolo Employment Services	95695	www.yoloes.org	x											
Yolo Food Bank	95776	yolofoodbank.org	x			x								
Yolo Healthy Aging Alliance	95616	www.yolohealthyaging.org	x	x	x	x	x		x	x				
Yolo Hospice	95618	yolohospice.org	x				x	x	x	x	x			

Limits and Information Gaps

Study limitations for this CHNA included obtaining secondary quantitative data specific to population subgroups and ensuring community representation through primary data collection. Most quantitative data used in this assessment were not available by race/ethnicity. The timeliness of the data also presented a challenge, as some of the data were collected in different years; however, this is clearly noted in the report to allow for proper comparison.

It was challenging to gain access to participants best representing the populations needed for this assessment's primary data collection (i.e., key information interviews, focus groups, and Service Provider survey). The COVID-19 pandemic made it more difficult to recruit community members to participate in focus groups. In addition, the effect of the COVID-19 pandemic on the health status of the community is profound, and hard to measure in totality. The Yolo collaborative partners believe that the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic may have greatly influenced the selection of health needs by community members and service providers during primary data collection efforts, and efforts were made to ask questions using an open-ended approach and through multiple data sources for triangulation of results. In addition, a separate COVID-19 section was included in the report in order to examine the specific responses related to the pandemic's effects on the health of the community.

Finally, though this CHNA was conducted with an equity focus, data that point to differences among population subgroups that are more prevention-focused are not as available as those data that detail the resulting health disparities. Having a clearer picture of early-in-life opportunity differences, as experienced by various populations, that result in later-in-life disparities can help direct community health improvement efforts for maximum impact. Though an effort was made to verify all resources (assets) through a web search, ultimately some resources that exist in the county may not be listed.

Appendix A: Yolo County Community Health Status Survey (Community Survey)

Yolo County Health Status Survey

The purpose of this survey is to better understand your opinions about your health and the health of the Yolo County Community. The results will help Yolo County Health and Human Services Agency Community Health Branch, area hospitals (Woodland Memorial Hospital, Sutter Davis) and local community clinics (CommuniCare) support important community health initiatives and projects to improve the health of Yolo County residents. We sincerely appreciate your time as we know it is valuable. The survey should only take about 20 minutes.

In order to take the survey, we ask that you meet the following:

✦ You live in Yolo County
✦ You understand that taking this survey is voluntary
✦ You agree to only take the survey once

Completed surveys must be submitted by August 25

If you would like to be entered to win a $100 grocery gift card, please enter your name and e-mail address or phone number on the last page. Winners will be notified by email or phone in early August 2021.

1. **What city in Yolo County do you live?**

   ☐ Clarksburg ☐ Davis ☐ Dunnigan ☐ Esparto ☐ Guinda

   ☐ Knights Landing ☐ Madison ☐ West Sacramento ☐ Winters

   ☐ Woodland ☐ Yolo ☐ Other: _____

2. **What is your age?**

   ☐ Under 18 ☐ 19-24 ☐ 25-34 ☐ 35-44 ☐ 45-54

   ☐ 55-64 ☐ 65-74 ☐ 75-84 ☐ 85 or older

3. **How long have you lived in Yolo County?**

   ☐ Less than 1 year
   ☐ 1-5 years
   ☐ 6-10 years
   ☐ 11-20 years
   ☐ Over 20 years

4. **Are you Hispanic or LatinX, or of Spanish origin? (Select all that apply)**

   ☐ No, not of Hispanic, Latino/a, or Spanish origin
   ☐ Yes, Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano/a

☐ Yes, Salvadoran

☐ Yes, Cuban

☐ Yes, Guatemalan

☐ Yes, Puerto Rican

☐ Prefer not to say

☐ Yes, Additional Hispanic, Latino/a, or Spanish origin: _____

5. **What is your race? (Select all that apply)**

☐ American Indian or Alaska Native

☐ Asian Indian

☐ Black or African American

☐ Cambodian

☐ Chinese

☐ Filipino

☐Guamaninan or Chamorro

☐ Hispanic, Latino/a, LatinX, or a Spanish origin

☐ Hmong

☐ Japanese

☐ Korean

☐ Laotian

☐ Native Hawaiian

☐ Samoan

☐ Vietnamese

☐ White

☐Prefer not to say

☐ Additional: _____

6. **Which describes your current employment status? (Check all that apply)**

☐ Employed full-time

☐ Employed part-time

☐ Unemployed

☐ Unemployed or partially employed due to COVID

☐ Retired

☐ Full-time student

☐ Part-time student

☐ Disabled

☐ Declined to state

7. **In general, would you say your overall health is:**

☐ Excellent   ☐ Very Good   ☐ Good   ☐ Fair   ☐ Poor

8. **Do you have a condition that substantially limits one or more physical activities?**
   If no, please skip to question 10

☐ Yes ☐ No

9. **If you answered yes to question 8, which activities are affected? (Select all that apply)**

☐ Dressing, bathing, or getting around inside your home

☐ Going outside the home alone to shop or visit the doctor

☐ Walking, climbing stairs, reaching, lifting, or carrying
☐ Working at a job or business
☐ Other: _____

10. **Have you ever been told by a doctor that you have? (Select all that apply)**
☐ Asthma/lung disease/COPD/emphysema
☐ Autoimmune disease (Rheumatoid Arthritis, Lupus, etc.)
☐ Cancer
☐ Diabetes
☐ Drug or alcohol problem
☐ Heart disease
☐ Hypertension (high blood pressure)
☐ Mental illness
☐ Obesity
☐ Physical disability
☐ Other: _____

11. **Was there ever a time during the past 12 months when you felt that you might need to see a professional because of problems with your mental health, emotions, nerves, or use of alcohol or drugs? If no, please skip to question 13**
☐ Yes ☐ No

12. **If you answered yes to question 11, have you seen a doctor or mental health professional (counselor, psychiatrist, or social worker) for problems with your mental health, emotions, nerves, or your use of alcohol or drugs?**
☐ Yes ☐ No

13. **Did you have a doctor's visit in the past 12 months (virtually or in-person)?**
☐ Yes: Once   ☐ Yes: 2-5 times   ☐ Yes: 6 or more times
☐ Yes, but I do not know how many times   ☐ No

14. **Would you have liked to (or felt you needed to) see a doctor more often than this?**
☐ Yes ☐ No

15. **How long does it normally take you to get to your regular doctor's office from your home?**
☐ Less than 5 minutes ☐ 5-10 minutes   ☐ 10-20 minutes   ☐ 20-30 minutes
☐ 30-45 minutes ☐ 45-60 minutes   ☐ More than an hour

16. **How do you typically get to your medical or dental appointments? (Select all that apply)**
☐ App-based ride (Lyft/Uber/etc.)
☐ Borrow car from friend/family
☐ Bus or other transit
☐ My car
☐ Shared on-demand transit (Via, etc.)
☐ Virtually (Zoom, or other online platform)
☐ Walk and/or Bicycle
☐ Other: _____

17. **When you last contacted a medical clinic for an appointment, how quickly could you be seen by a doctor?**
☐ Days   ☐ Weeks   ☐ I don't know

18. **Were you satisfied with how quickly you were able to get an appointment?**
    ☐ Very Satisfied ☐ Satisfied ☐ Neutral ☐ Unsatisfied ☐ Very Unsatisfied

19. **How important is it to you to have regular healthcare services and medical screenings?**
    ☐ Extremely Important ☐ Very Important ☐ Somewhat Important ☐ Not Important

20. **Have you received healthcare services or medical screenings in the past 12 months? (Routine check-up, blood pressure screening, mammogram, etc.) <u>If yes, please skip to question 22</u>**
    ☐ Yes ☐ No

21. **<u>If you answered no to question 20</u>, please select all that apply.**
    ☐ I did/do not have any health insurance
    ☐ I did/do have health insurance, but it does not cover all of my costs
    ☐ I did not need healthcare services or medical screenings because I was not sick
    ☐ I did not have transportation to the medical clinic
    ☐ I do not trust the healthcare providers
    ☐ I had concerns about exposure to COVID-19 at my healthcare provider location
    ☐ I have to wait too long to see a doctor
    ☐ I was/am too busy
    ☐ I was unable to find adequate childcare due to COVID-19
    ☐ The doctor does not speak the same language as I do
    ☐ The medical clinic is not open all of the time, so it is difficult to get an appointment
    ☐ There are not enough doctors in my area, so it is difficult to get an appointment
    ☐ Not sure / Do Not Know
    ☐ Other: _____

22. **Did you visit the emergency room in the past 12 months? <u>If no, please skip to question 24</u>**
    ☐ Yes ☐ No

23. **<u>If you answered yes to question 22</u>, why did you visit the emergency room? (Select all that apply)**
    ☐ Became ill or injured before 8 a.m. or after 5 p.m. on a weekday
    ☐ Became ill or injured during the weekend
    ☐ Could not get an urgent care appointment with my doctor
    ☐ Do not have a regular doctor or dentist, this is my usual source of care
    ☐ Had a life-threatening illness or injury
    ☐ Needed to refill a prescription
    ☐ Thought it seemed more convenient than waiting for an appointment
    ☐ Other: _____

24. **Did you become sick or injured on the job in the past 12 months? <u>If No or Not Applicable, please skip to question 26</u>**
    ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not applicable (not working)

25. **<u>If you answered yes to question 24,</u> did you seek medical care for your job-related illness or injury?**
    ☐ Yes ☐ No   If No, why not? _____

26. **What do you think are the three biggest health issues that most affect our community? (Choose three)**
    ☐ Alcoholism

☐ Cancer
☐ Child abuse and neglect
☐ COVID-19
☐ Dental problems
☐ Diabetes
☐ Health problems associated with aging
☐ Heart disease
☐ Homicide
☐ Infectious diseases (e.g., hepatitis, tuberculosis, etc.)
☐ Mental health issues
☐ Motor vehicle/bicycle accidents
☐ Obesity
☐ Poor birth outcomes
☐ Respiratory illnesses/lung disease/asthma
☐ Sexual abuse
☐ Sexually transmitted diseases
☐ Stroke
☐ Substance abuse
☐ Teenage pregnancy
☐ Other (please specify): _____

27. What do you think are the three individual behaviors that are responsible for health issues in our community? (Choose three)
☐ Alcohol abuse
☐ Crime/violence
☐ Distracted driving
☐ Domestic or intimate partner violence
☐ Driving while drunk/on drugs
☐ Drug abuse
☐ Lack of exercise
☐ Life stress/lack of coping skills
☐ Not getting "shots" (vaccines) to prevent disease
☐ Suicide
☐ Teenage sex
☐ Unsafe sex
☐ Using weapons/guns
☐ Other (please specify): _____

28. What do you think are the three social and economic conditions that are most responsible for health issues in our community? (Choose three)
☐Homelessness
☐High cost of living (rent, utilities, food, etc.)
☐ Lack of education/no high school education
☐ Lack of affordable child-care options

□ Language barriers
□ Limited support for mental health services
□ No health insurance
□ Not enough food (food insecurity)
□ Pandemic shutdowns
□ Poverty
□ Racism and discrimination
□ Social Isolation
□ Unemployment/underemployment
□ Other (please specify): _____

29. What do you think are the three environmental issues that are most responsible for health issues in our community? (Choose three)
□ Air pollution and/or wildfire smoke
□ Contaminated drinking water
□ Flooding/drainage problems
□ Heat/hot days
□ Lack of access to healthy foods
□ Lack of access to places for physical activity
□ Lace of public transportation
□ Lack of safe walkways and bikeways
□ Pesticide use
□ Poor housing condition
□ Poor neighborhood design
□ Second-hand smoke
□ Traffic
□ Trash on streets and sidewalks
□ None
□ Other (please specify): _____

30. What do you think are the three most important factors of a "healthy community"? (Choose three)
□ Access to childcare
□ Access to dental care
□ Access to healthcare
□ Access to healthy food
□ Affordable housing
□ Air quality
□ Community involvement
□ Elderly care
□ Good schools
□ Green/open spaces
□ Job opportunities
□ Low crime/safe neighborhoods

☐ Parks and recreation facilities
☐ Safe place to raise kids
☐ Support agencies (faith-based organizations, support groups, social worker outreach) ☐ Time for family
☐ Tolerance for diversity
☐Well-informed community about health issues
☐ None
☐ Other (please specify): _____

31. What are the top three strengths in your community that support physical & mental wellbeing of residents? (Choose three)

☐ Access to fresh, local foods (such as farmers' markets, CSA box, urban farm stand)
☐ Friendly neighbors
☐ Good paying jobs
☐ Local job opportunities
☐ Local non-profit organizations
☐ My child's (children's) school
☐ Our local park or trail
☐ Religious institution
☐ Supportive selected leaders
☐ None
☐ Other (please specify): _____

32. Who are your top three trusted leaders in the Yolo County Community? (Choose three)

☐ Child-care providers
☐ Coaches
☐ Community advocates
☐ Healthcare professionals
☐ Law enforcement officers
☐ Non-profit agency leaders
☐ Political leaders
☐ Religious leaders
☐ School administrators (Principals, Vice-Principals, Superintendents)
☐ School boards
☐ Teachers
☐ None
☐ Other (please specify): _____

33. What are your top three trusted institutions in the Yolo County Community? (Choose three)

☐ City government
☐ County government
☐ Food bank

☐ Healthcare centers/hospitals
☐ K-12 schools
☐ Large businesses
☐ Law enforcement agencies
☐ Local community organizations
☐ Non-profit organizations
☐ Neighborhood associations
☐ Religious institutions (church, mosque, temple, or other places of worship)
☐ Small local businesses
☐ State government
☐ University/community college
☐ None
☐ Other (Please specify): _____

34. What have been the top three negative impacts of the COVID-19 Pandemic on the overall health and wellbeing of the Yolo County Community? (Choose three)
☐ Businesses closing
☐ Illness related to contracting COVID-19
☐ Increased substance abuse (alcohol or other drugs)
☐ Increased domestic violence or child abuse
☐ Job loss or reduction in work hours
☐ Lack of childcare for working parents
☐ Mental health issues
☐ Mistrust of government health officials
☐ Mistrust of healthcare system
☐ Schools closing
☐ Social isolation
☐ None
☐ Other (please specify): _____

35. Have you ever felt that you were treated differently by a doctor, mental health care worker, dentist, or other healthcare provider in Yolo County due to?

▪ The color of your skin	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ Not sure	
▪ Your gender	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ Not sure	
▪ Your sexual orientation	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ Not sure	
▪ Your race	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ Not sure	
▪ Your national origin	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ Not sure	
▪ Your physical and mental ability	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ Not sure	

- Your ability to speak English   ☐ Yes ☐   ☐ Not No   sure

36. Have you ever felt that you were treated differently by a local government agency (City or County) or program due to?

- The color of your skin   ☐ Yes ☐   ☐ Not No   sure

- Your gender   ☐ Yes ☐   ☐ Not No   sure

- Your sexual orientation   ☐ Yes ☐   ☐ Not No   sure

- Your race   ☐ Yes ☐   ☐ Not No   sure

- Your national origin   ☐ Yes ☐   ☐ Not No   sure

- Your physical and mental ability   ☐ Yes ☐   ☐ Not No   sure

- Your ability to speak English   ☐ Yes ☐   ☐ Not No   sure

37. In the past 12 months have you worried that you would run out of food before you got money to buy more?

☐ Yes, sometimes   ☐ Yes, often, or always   ☐ No   ☐ I'm not sure

38. Is there anything else you would like to share about your personal health or the health status of the Yolo County Community?

☐

39. What language(s) do you primarily speak at home?

☐ English   ☐ Spanish ☐ Russian ☐ Mandarin ☐ Cantonese ☐ Farsi
☐ Pashto   ☐ Urdu   ☐ Decline to Answer
☐ Other (please specify): _____

40. How many people live in your home including yourself? _____

41. What is your annual household income before taxes?

☐ Less than $10,000   ☐ $10,000 to $14,999   ☐ $15,000 to $24,999
☐ $25,000 to $34,999   ☐ $35,000 to $49,999   ☐ $50,000 to $74,999
☐ $75,000 to $99,999   ☐ $100,000 to $149,999   ☐ $150,000 to $249,999
☐ 250,000 or greater   ☐ Decline to state

42. What is your current gender identity?

☐ Female   ☐ Male   ☐ Genderqueer

☐ Transgender Female/Transwoman/MTF   ☐ Transgender Male/Transman/FTM
☐ Decline to Answer   ☐ Prefer to self-describe as: _____

43. What is your sexual orientation?
☐ Bisexual   ☐ Gay   ☐ Lesbian ☐ Queer
☐ Questioning   ☐ Straight (Heterosexual) ☐ Decline to answer
☐ Prefer to self-describe as: _____

44. Do you have health insurance? If yes, what type of insurance do you have?
☐ Yes: Medi-Cal
☐ Yes: Medi-Care
☐ Yes: Military or VA
☐ Yes: Other government
☐ Yes: Private – employer or someone else's employer
☐ Yes: Private – Covered California
☐ Yes: Private – Individual Plan
☐ I do not know
☐ No, I do not have insurance

45. If you answered "I do not have insurance" to Question 44, what are your barriers to getting health insurance? (Select all that apply)
☐ Employer does not provide insurance
☐ I do not know how to get health insurance
☐ Health insurance is too expensive for me or my
family ☐ Other (please specify):

46. Are you eligible for Medi-Cal or Medicare?
☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ I don't know

47. Do you have dental insurance? ☐ Yes, through Medi-Cal
☐ Yes, through private insurance
☐ Yes, through another source
☐ No
☐ I do not know

48. Have you been to the dentist in the past 12 months?
☐ Yes ☐ No

49. Do you have reliable internet at home?
☐ Yes ☐ No

THANK YOU FOR COMPLETING THE YOLO COUNTY HEALTH STATUS
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Please return the survey to the staff member or individual who provided you the survey, or please place the survey in a designated survey collection envelope if one is available. If you completed the survey at home and would like to drop it off, please use one of the Yolo County Library locations listed below. You can visit www.yolocountylibrary.org for more information about library hours and location.

Clarksburg Branch Library	*52915 Netherlands Ave, Clarksburg CA 95612*	*Tuesday 10 am – 1 pm & 2 - 5:30 pm* *Thursday 10 am – 1 pm & 2 - 5:30 pm*
Mary L Stephens - Davis Branch Library	*315 E 14th St, Davis CA 95616*	*Monday 2 - 8 pm* *Tuesday 10 am - 8 pm* *Wednesday 10 am – 6 pm* *Thursday 10 am – 6pm* *Friday 12 – 5:30 pm* *Saturday 2 – 5:30 pm*
Esparto Regional Library	*17065 Yolo Avenue, Esparto CA 95627*	*Monday 2 – 7 pm* *Tuesday 12 - 7 pm* *Wednesday 10 am – 2 pm* *Friday 10 am – 2 pm* *Saturday 10 am – 5:30 pm*
Knight's Landing Branch Library	*42351 Third Street, Knight's Landing, CA 95645*	*Tuesday 11 am – 1 pm & 2 – 7 pm* *Wednesday 10 am – 12 pm & 1 – 6 pm* *Friday 10 am – 12 pm & 1 – 5:30 pm*
Arthur F. Turner Community Library	*1212 Merkley Ave, West Sacramento CA 95691*	*Monday 1:30 - 5:30 pm* *Wednesday 10 am - 2 pm* *Thursday 12 – 7 pm* *Saturday 2 - 5:30 PM*
Winters Community Library	*708 Railroad Ave, Winters CA 95694*	*Monday 10 am - 4 pm* *Tuesday 12 pm – 7 pm* *Wednesday 10 am – 4 pm* *Thursday 3:30 – 7 pm* *Saturday 1 - 5pm*
Yolo Branch Library	*37750 Sacramento Street, Yolo CA 95697*	*Tuesday 1:30 pm – 5:30 pm* *Wednesday 3 – 7 pm* *Thursday 10 am – 12 pm & 1:30 – 5:30 pm* *Saturday 1:30 – 5:30 pm*

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