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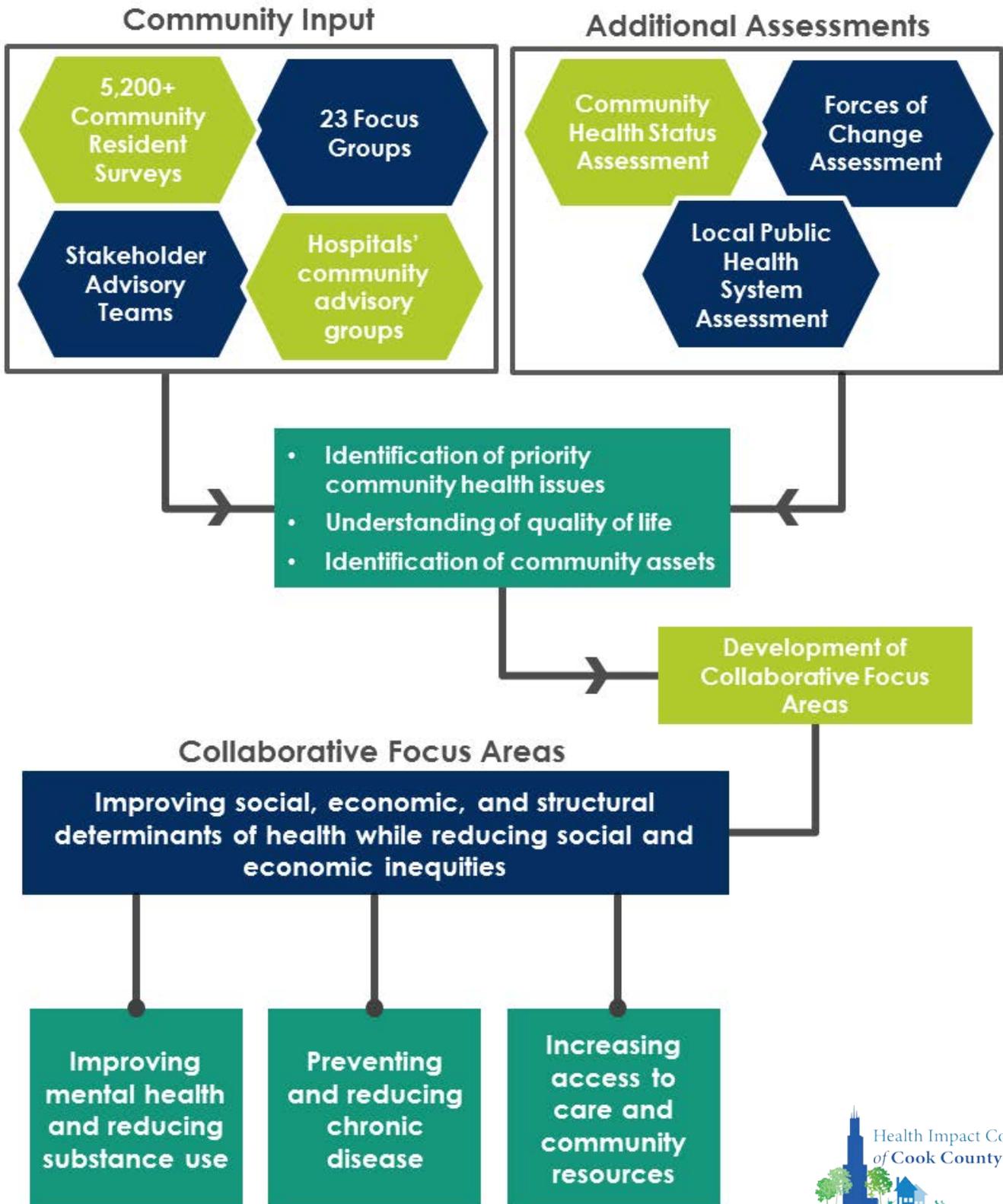
Overview of Community Resident Survey Findings

2015-2016

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Purpose

The purpose of collecting community input data was to identify themes that interest and engage the community, demonstrate perceptions about quality of life, and identify community assets. The community input data was used in conjunction with Community Health Status Assessment data, a Forces of Change Assessment, and a Local Public Health System Assessment to inform the development of the collaborative focus areas.



How Many People Participated?

5,200+ Surveys Collected

1,200 Collected from residents in Northern Chicago and Suburban Cook County

1,200 Collected from residents in Western Chicago and Suburban Cook County

2,300 Collected from residents in Southern Chicago and Suburban Cook County

41%

of respondents had lived in their communities for more than 15 years

What were the Demographic Characteristics of Participants?

White



African American/black



Asian/Pacific Islander



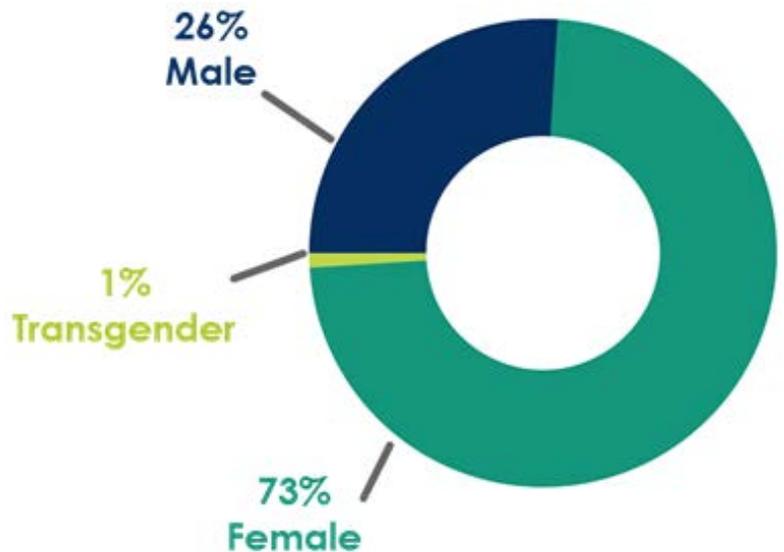
Native American/American Indian



Hispanic/Latino



Arab American/Middle Eastern



68%

of respondents were between ages 25 and 64

90% Heterosexual/Straight

3% Gay or Lesbian

3% Bisexual

3% Other

How Did Respondents Rate Their Overall Health?



67%

rated their overall health as "excellent" or "good"

27%

rated their overall health as "fair"

6%

rated their overall health as "poor" or "very poor"

29%
of respondents reported that they had put off medical care for themselves or a family member due to cost

30%
of respondents reported that they had not sought needed mental health treatment due to cost/lack of insurance or a lack of knowledge about where to get services

"Excellent" or "Good"



76%

rated their mental or emotional health as "excellent" or "good"

"Fair"



19%

rated their mental or emotional health as "fair"

"Poor" or "Very Poor"



5%

rated their mental or emotional health as "poor" or "very poor"

How Did Respondents Rate Their Communities?

As a healthy place to live?



As a place to raise children?

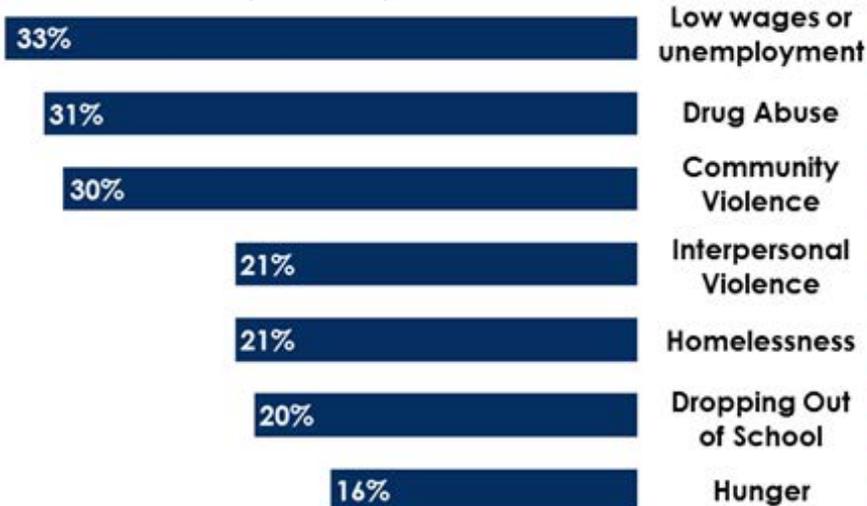


As a place to grow old?

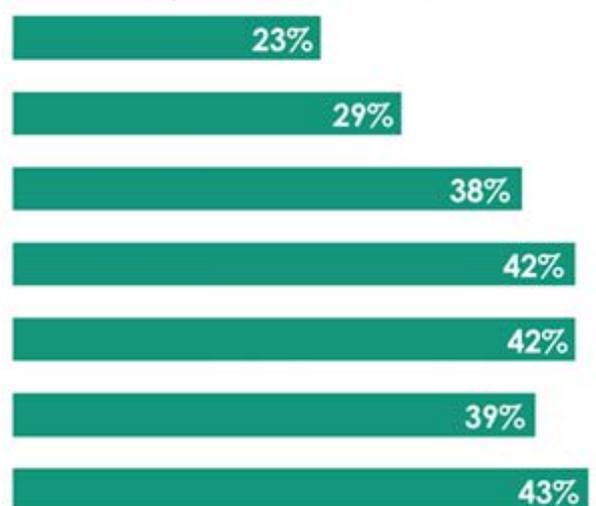


How common were the following issues in the communities of survey respondents?

"Extremely or "Very" common



"Not Very" or "Not at All" common



How Did Respondents Rate Their Communities?

44%

of survey respondents reported issues, such as outside air leaks, peeling paint, and mold, in their current homes that could impact health

40%

of respondents have had to worry about running out of food before they had money to buy more in the past 12 months

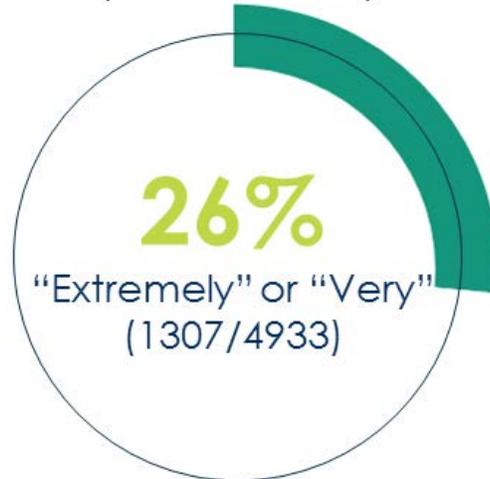
53%

of survey respondents reported that they have been treated unfairly in a public place in the last 12 months

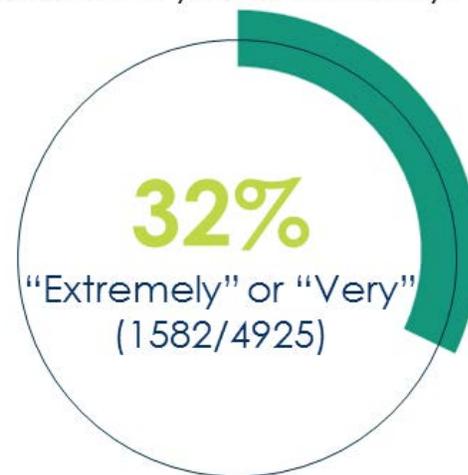
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of survey respondents rated the schools in their communities (k-12) as "Somewhat", "Not Very", or "Not at All" good

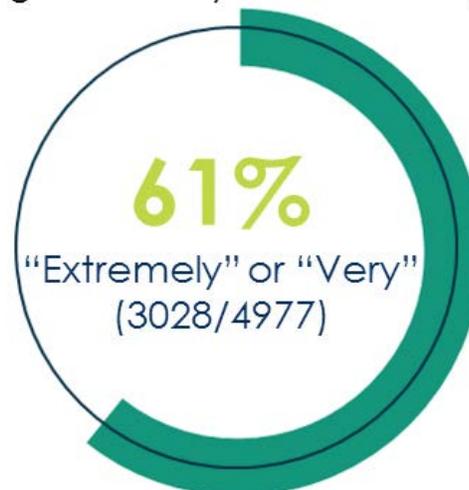
How affordable is housing in your community?



How adequate is job training and education in your community?



How available are healthy foods, including fresh fruits and vegetables, in your community?





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