Bullitt County

Purpose:

- Today: organized discussion of the community → health
- Future: prioritize goals, move toward action → improved health

Group Norms:

- Participate
- Everyone has valuable input
- Community= Bullitt County
- Keep thinking/sharing

History/Events:

- Bourbon
- Bernheim Forest
- Salt River flood
- Train derailment
- Massive industry growth
- Rampant racism
- No diversity
- Political scandals
- Knob Creek
- Prominent subdivision named after "Gone with the Wind" plantation- problematic

Changes:

- Know all your neighbors
- Schools
- Growth in distribution centers (Amazon, GFS)
- Embrace and encourage diversity
- Need to do a better job of embracing history and learning from it
- Population influx
- Increase in racial diversity; are we ready to support this?
- Increase in population, need for growth in schools
- Access to city water

- Hurting to feed family, overpopulation and inability to hunt

Invite List

- Bullitt County Superintendent
- Transportation
- Mayor/Judge Executive
- Drug court
- Peace Hospital
- Housing
- 7 Counties
- Community members
- Community Action
- David Strange
- EMT
- Adult day care
- Childcare
- Corrections/re-entry
- DCBS
- Probation
- Faith-based
- Metro United Way
- Julie Miller-Blumine
- Willie Byrd- Options Unlimited
- Ashley Hutchins- Amazon
- Troy Beam- Tourism
- Mark Worums- Bernheim
- Angie Arbaugh- Salt River Mental Heath
- Nichole Schank- Community Action Agency
- Tiffany Reyonalds
- Bullitt County Schools

Model Community for Healthy Living:

- Workforce
- Homeless care
- Public and school transportation
- Private doctors
- Food delivery
- Decrease fast food, increase healthy food
- Transitional living
- Decrease food insecurity
- Parks/activities
- Mental health services
- Generational poverty
- Drug rehab and prevention
- Resource desert
- Increase in higher education
- Positivity
- Sidewalks/built community
- Safe
- Proactive health
- Access to broadband/internet services
- OB/GYN
- Decrease screen time
- Healthy food baskets
- Suicide prevention
- Increase high school graduation rate
- Childcare
- Utilities
- City water in majority of county
- Support for LGBTQ

Social Determinants of Health:

- Varies by area of the county
- Education system advances
- People wanting to come home
- Industry growth

COVID-Learn:

- Less in person meetings
- Resilient/people can change
- Strong provider network
- Valuable relationships
- Respectful
- Competing organizations worked together
- Needs of the community remain
- Partners stepped in- basic needs, other needed resources
- New service delivery methods
- Community appreciation
- Need to focus on other parts of the county
- Misinformation
- Providing meals and funding to do so
- Community came together

Data:

- Overdose death- low- coroner
- Prenatal care
- Smoking- could be higher?
- Vaping- age of onset- 5th grade
- KIP survey
- Drug violations

Strengths:

- School system
- Faith-based organizations

- Library

- People who care/dedicated resources

- Engaged leaders

- Diversity- background, skills, education

- Young families

- Health department

- Civic organizations

- Hospital

- Employment

- Community based organizations

- Senior populations

Barriers:

- Transportation

- Infrastructure/utilities

- Time for healthy activities

- Education- health

- Funding/cost

- Time for implementation

- Priorities around core issues

- Sustainability

- Fear-stigma

- Poverty

- Message delivery

- Rapid growth

- Trust

- Access/providers

Health Issues:

- Mental health

- Substance use

- Access to care

- Infrastructure- housing, transportation, sidewalk
- Health-related programs- evidence-informed

We want these issues to change:

- Homeless resources
- Obesity
    - Physical activity
    - Food choices
    - Community-wide access to resources to live a healthier lifestyle
- Robust trained workforce
- Access to transportation
    - Sidewalks
    - Better county-wide infrastructure (roads, sidewalks, local businesses)
- Communication
- Using evidence-based resources/programs to drive policies and community programs/education/efforts
- Housing
- Access to healthcare
    - Increase in OB/GYN services
    - Cancer services/shortage of providers
- Drugs/alcohol
    - Multi-faceted drug abuse treatment
    - Overdoses
- Mental health
    - Integrated mental health from a young age
    - Access to mental health services
    - Suicides
- Vaping/Smoking