

## County Health Rankings: Writing Solution-Oriented Op-eds

Writing an op-ed about the *Rankings* is a great way for policy-makers to motivate action around improving the health of communities, but it will be more powerful if policy-makers can point to potential solutions, for example a program or policy that addresses one or more of the *Rankings* health factors (health behaviors, clinical care, social and economic, and physical environment).

The below chart lists the policy recommendations for each health factor measured in the *Rankings*.

