ABOUT COUNTY HEALTH RANKINGS & ROADMAPS

County Health Rankings & Roadmaps (CHR&R), a program of the University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute, draws attention to why there are differences in health within and across communities. The program highlights policies and practices that can help everyone be as healthy as possible. CHR&R aims to grow a shared understanding of health, equity and the power of communities to improve health for all. This work is rooted in a long-term vision where all people and places have what they need to thrive.



PROVIDING HEALTH-RELATED DATA

A wide range of factors influence how long and how well we live, including: opportunities for education, income and wealth, safe housing and the right to shape policies and practices that impact our lives and futures.

CHR&R releases new data and publishes reports to influence understanding and action about what shapes health. The program provides a snapshot of the health of nearly every county in the nation. CHR&R seeks and advocates for a new understanding of data and evidence, and develops methods that can challenge assumptions, explore possibilities and build collective power. Through these resources, the program calls for leaders and community members to dig into local data to better understand health in communities and implement strategies so everyone can thrive.

MOVING DATA TO ACTION

CHR&R creates resources and tools that support community-led efforts to accurately diagnose core problems, understand and account for historical context and implement evidence-informed solutions. Resources and tools include:

- What Works for Health: Database of evidence-informed policies, programs and systems changes to advance health and equity.
- Narratives for Health: In collaboration with Human Impact Partners, CHR&R offers trainings, support and evaluation to transform narratives toward more inclusive ideas and worldviews that support health and racial justice.
- Webinars: Live and archived presentations showcasing promising approaches and real-world examples on a range of topics. Post-webinar discussions offer attendees a space to continue the conversation.
- Podcasts: In Solidarity: Connecting Power, Place and Health, features interviews with some of the brightest minds and biggest thinkers on timely, relevant health and equity topics.
- Blog: Updates on events, changes and announcements.

We can work together, grounded in shared values, to implement policies and programs that equitably distribute resources so that all people and places thrive. Learn more at **countyhealthrankings.org**.



