

# Community Based Participatory Research (CBPR) Model

## Health and Social Equity Questions



### Context

(Social-Structural) How well does your Council assess:

- Data to identify root causes of racial and health inequity in your county?

(Political/Policies) How well does your Council:

- assess and respond to local leader perspectives and other safety measures?
- assess and respond to local leader perspectives related to other health priorities?

(Health Issues) How well does your Council:

- assess health priority areas and populations at risk

(Capacity/Readiness) How well does your Council:

- assess which partners need to be brought together to address community health issues?

(History of Collaboration) How well does your Council assess and address histories of trust and mistrust:

- within your council
- with diverse communities
- with external partners

### Partnerships

(Relationships) How well does your Council:

- respect community voice
- listen for mutual learning
- manage conflict
- share power
- use participatory decision-making
- have effective communication practices internally and externally
- incorporate principles of “Equity” in all actions
- work to make communication transparent

(Structural) How well does your Council:

- bring together diverse representation (race/ethnicity; age; LGBTQ; ability, geography)?
- have formal organizational systems/processes?
- have capacity to leverage resources?
- bring in resources for mutual benefit of partner organizations?

### Actions

(Cultural/Community Knowledge) How well does your Council:

- ground actions in the history, language and knowledge of the community
- collaborate with other partners to promote cultural knowledge and community-centered programs

(Co-Learning) How well does your Council:

- integrate evidence-based approaches to achieve equity
- work with DOH and external institutional partners to improve planning, actions, and outcomes to achieve equity
- engage in ongoing evaluation and reflection as quality improvement processes to achieve equity
- value community and technical expertise

(Community Involvement) How well does your Council:

- engage in action that reflects community priorities
- collaborate with community members in creating events & programs
- use local data and community knowledge to inform actions & policy goals
- involve community and populations impacted in the collection and interpretation of data and to set priorities.

### Outcomes

(Policy/Environmental Changes) Do your desired outcomes include:

- equity-based policy changes
- improved conditions and benefits for at risk populations

(Sustained Partnership) Do your desired outcomes include:

- power-sharing protocols and resources in place to facilitate sustained multi-organizational involvement

(Cultural Reinforcement) Do your desired outcomes include:

- revitalization of cultural and community knowledge

Health Council Capacity Do your desired outcomes include:

- Improvement in capacity domains

Community Rebuilding Do your desired outcomes include:

- Improved vaccine equity
- Equity in all