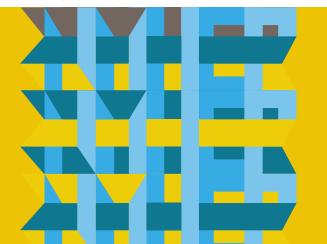


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Introduction to Health Impact Assessment Webinar



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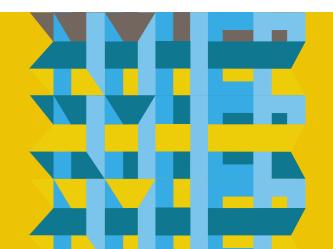
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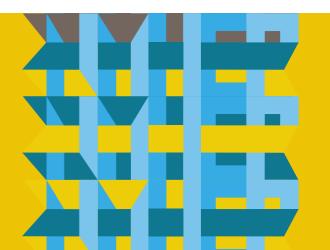
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Meet the HEP team



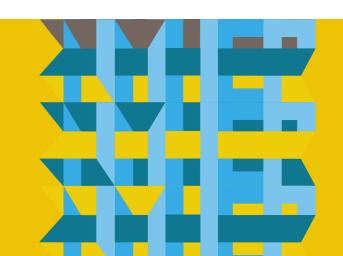
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Meet the HIA Technical Assistance Providers



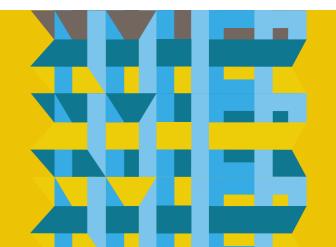




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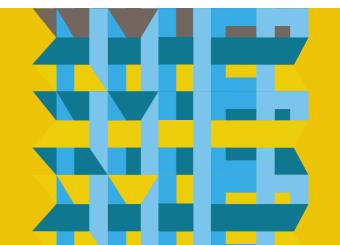
Richard



Thank you to Elsa our guest speaker and to Human Impact Partners for their ongoing guidance and training materials!



Elsa with the McKinley Workers Justice Coalition

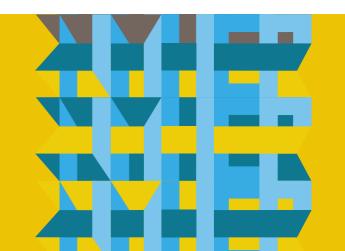


Welcome Participants

NEW MEXICO

Poll Question:

On a scale of 0-5, how familiar are you with HIA?



Introduction to HIA Agenda

Slide 9 – About HEP

Slide 14 – Introduction to Health Impact Assessment

Slide 21 – Community / Stakeholder Engagement

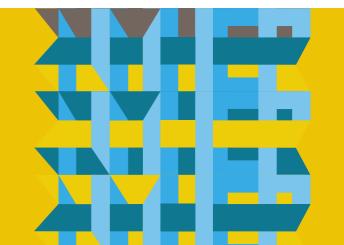
Slide 25 – Sample HIA Project

Slide 27 – Screening

Slide 33 – Work plan

Slide 35 – Wrap Up





About Us

New Mexico Health Equity Partnership, an initiative at the Santa Fe Community Foundation founded in 2012







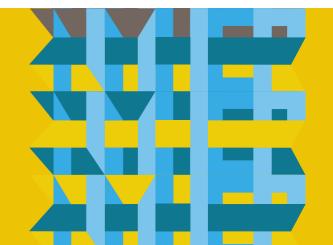


Shared Value: Every NM should have the opportunity to lead a healthy life and have a say in decisions that impact their communities and lives.

Purpose: Train groups on how to make a more compelling case to decision makers on issues they care about that affect their health.

Tool: We provide financial resources, training and coaching to support communities to complete Health Impact Assessments.

Approach: We support community leaders to be their own champions and ensure residents have a real voice and seat at the table.



What HIA has made possible

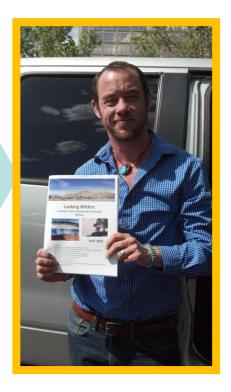


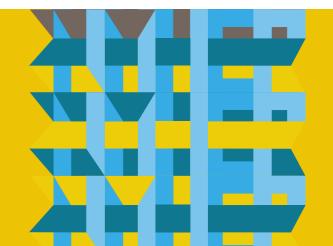
Strengthened leadership and skills

New alliances and relationships among diverse groups

Community recommendations being adopted by decision makers

Common vocabulary for action and learning

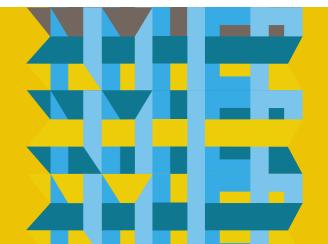




Participants who participated in HIA trainings appreciated...

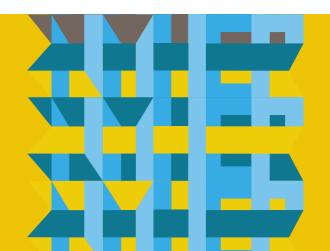


- the information about health, how to organize around health issues
- learning about New Mexico HIAs that have been completed
- the push to think outside the box and the introduction of new concepts in HIAs
 - learning the process and seeing examples.
 - Hearing other people's ideas and work---& results!!
 - the interactions, sharing of plans, and guidance of the facilitator



HIA Funding Announcement

- Support for two new HIAs in 2017, including up to \$35,000 in funding for each HIA, a webinar series, in-person training, and ongoing coaching provided by HEP technical assistance providers and HEP staff.
- HEP is prioritizing applicants working in **rural, tribal, refugee, and immigrant communities** whose HIA will positively impact the health of vulnerable children.
- Applications (cover page, screening worksheet, work plan, and financials) will be accepted until **March 31, 2017**.

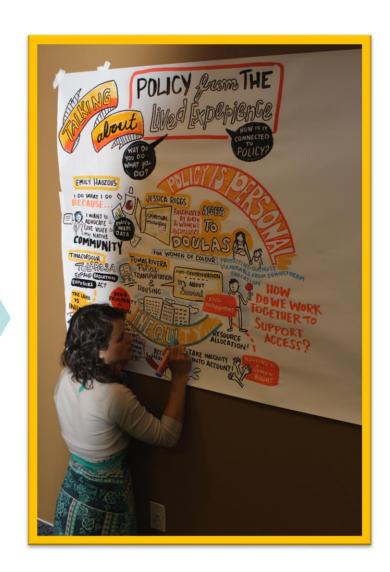


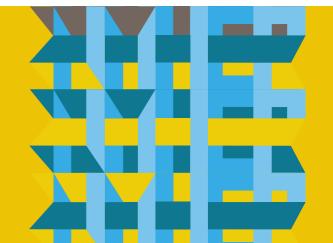
Webinar Purpose





Gain a better
understanding of HIA
and how to complete the
first step (screening)



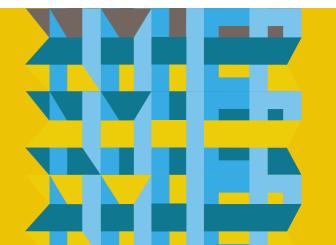


Introduction to HIA What is health?

Health is a state of complete physical, mental and social well-being and not merely the absence of disease or infirmity

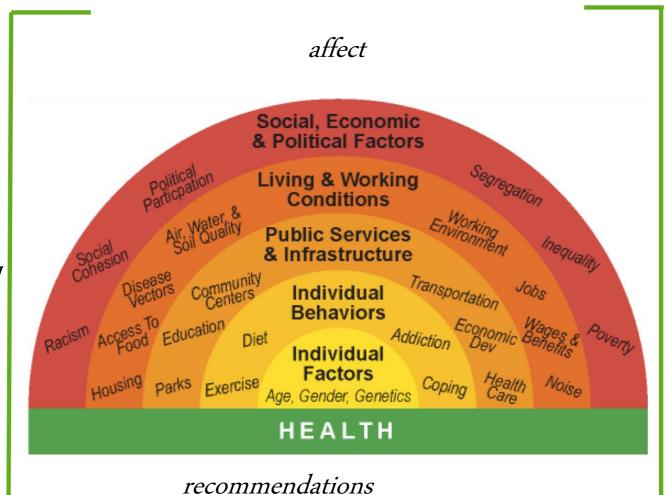
World Health Organization

Many indigenous cultures extend the concept of health to include physical, mental, emotion, and spiritual dimensions, and define healthy living as being in harmony with the spirit world, with their community and with the land.



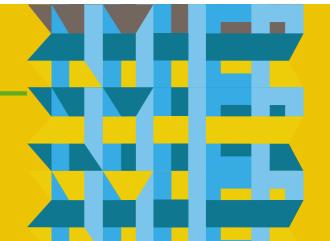
HIA Addresses Determinants of Health

How does the proposed plan or policy



lead to

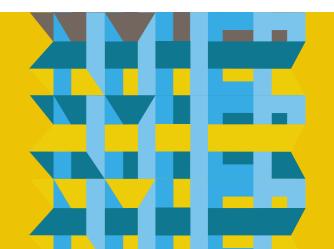
health outcomes



HIA Definition

Health Impact Assessment is a systematic process that:

- Uses a variety of data sources and analytic methods
- Considers input from community stakeholders
- Determines the potential effects of a <u>proposed</u> policy or plan on the health of a population
- Determines the distribution of those effects within the population
- Provides recommendations on monitoring and managing those
 effects
 National Research Council of the National Academies, 2011



Through HIA report and communications HIA Purpose

Judge health effects of a proposed policy or plan

Highlight health inequities

Raise awareness among decision makers and the public

Make health impacts more explicit

Provide recommendations

Through the HIA process

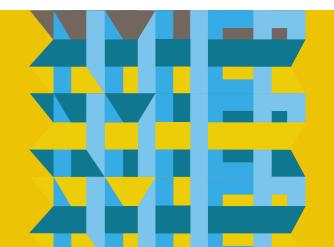
Recognize lived experience

Engage & build community power and leadership

Build relationships, alliances and collaborations

Improve the evidence

Improve transparency in decision making



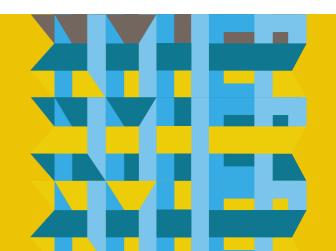
When is HIA carried out?



HIA is used to assess a defined policy or plan.

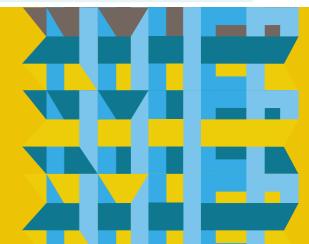
The purpose of HIA is to inform decision-makers.

An HIA is most often carried out <u>prospectively</u> - before the decision is made or the policy is implemented.



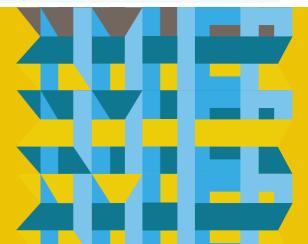
Principles and Values of HIA

HIA Principle	An HIA should
Democracy	Involve and engage the public, and inform and influence decision-makers
Equity	Engage community members most directly impacted by the issues in leadership roles throughout the HIA process; consider distribution of health impacts; and pay attention to vulnerable groups and recommend ways to improve proposed decisions for affected groups
Sustainable Development	Judge short- and long-term impacts of a proposal
Ethical Use of Evidence	Use evidence to judge impacts and inform recommendations, not set to support or refute a proposal; be rigorous and transparent
Comprehensive Approach to Health	Be guided by the wider determinants of health



HIA Steps

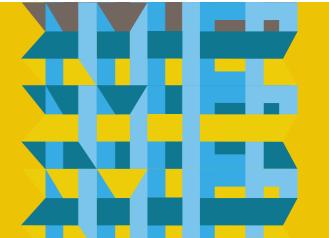
HIA Step	Description —
Screening	Determines the need and value of an HIA and begin designing a work plan
Scoping	Determines goals, which 2-3 health impacts to evaluate, and methods for analysis
Assessment	Provides: 1) a profile of existing health conditions 2) evaluation of potential health impacts
Recommendations	Provide strategies to manage adverse health impacts and maximize benefits to health
Reporting	Includes: 1) development of the HIA report 2) communication of findings & recommendations
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Community Stakeholder Engagement

A diverse group of community stakeholders, including representatives from impacted communities, should be involved throughout the HIA process

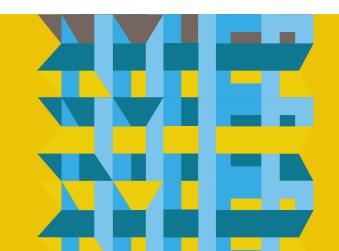




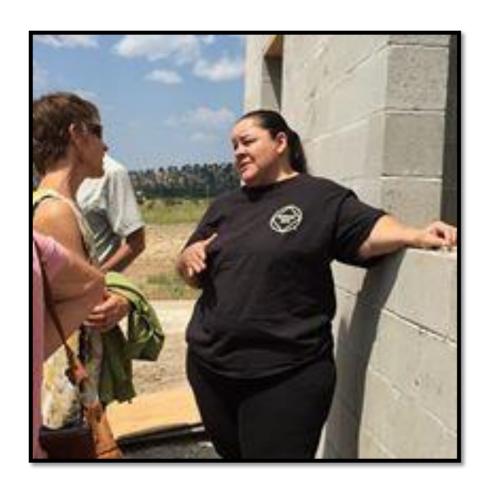
Community Stakeholder Engagement



Groups involved in conducting HIA should be assigned roles that best match their skills and capacity

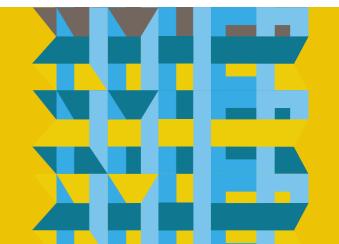


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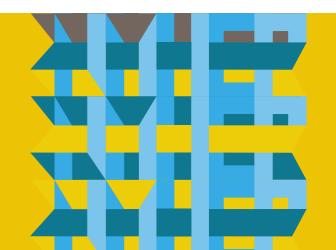


Resources should be allocated to ensure that community members meaningfully participate in the process



Community Engagement and Empowerment



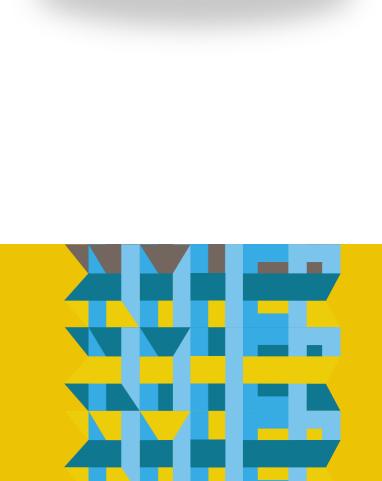


The Health Impacts of Wage Theft on Latino Immigrant and Native American Workers in Gallup

Proposed Policy Topic and Community Concerns

• Health Determinants (economic security, discrimination, and workplace health and safety)

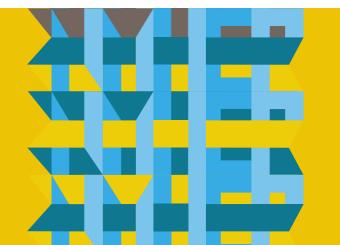
- Community Stakeholder Engagement
- New Partnerships Developed
- Information Gathering
- Dissemination and Communications





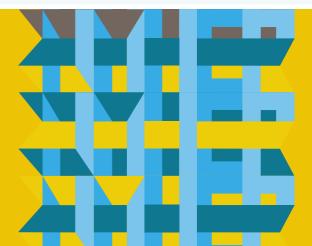
Questions?



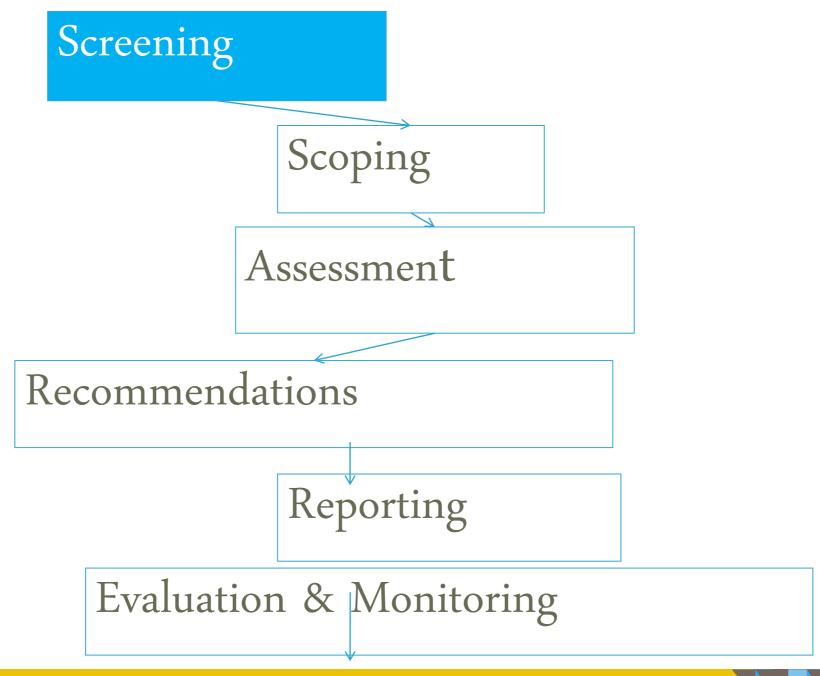


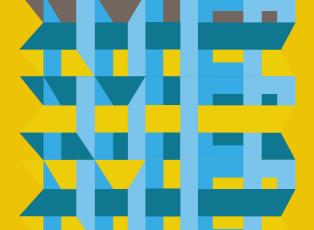
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The HIA Process



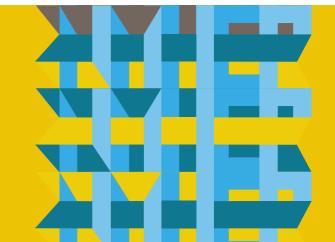


Step 1: Screening

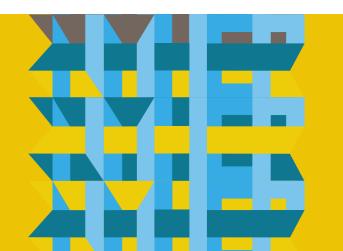
Objective

To decide whether a HIA is feasible, timely, and would add value to the decision-making process.





What potential HIA policy topics do you have?



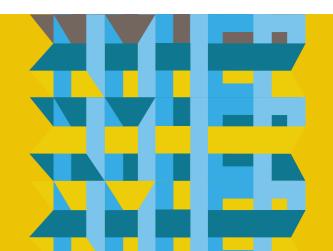


Screening Worksheet

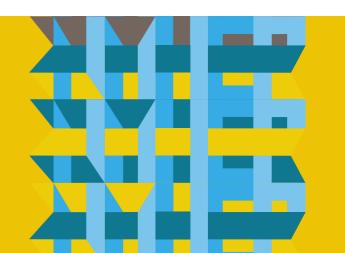
Screening is the first step of Health Impact Assessment. Screening involves determining whether a Health Impact Assessment is feasible, timely, and would add value to the decision-making process.

Questions	Responses and Supporting Facts
Proposed Policy and Decision	
 What is the proposed policy or plan the HIA would inform proposed? Who are the decision makers determining the proposed policy or plan? When will the proposed decision be made? How open are the decision makers to input and recommendations from community stakeholders? 	
Health Determinants (social, economic and environmental factors that impact	
health)	
 How would the health of rural, tribal, refugee and immigrant communities be impacted by the proposed policy or plan? Which 2-3 key health determinants would the decision affect? How are these 2-3 health determinants of health linked to childhood (0.8) health outcomes? Are the potential health impacts already being considered as part of the decision-making process? 	
Gathering Information	
 What evidence and research exists to analyze the health impacts of the decision? What types of additional data will need to be collected? 	
 What might be the most effective methods for collecting data? 	
Have community concerns about the health impacts of the decision been voiced or documented? What momentum is there behind this issue? Which communities and organizations have helped to fuel that momentum? How will the HIA leverage the momentum? How will community stakeholders share the findings with stakeholders and decision makers? What methods will be most effective?	
Key Partnerships	
 Who are the key partners that will conduct and develop the HIA? How will community members most impacted by the issue hold leadership roles throughout the process? What community organizing and policy/advocacy groups will be engaged and how? What role might health councils, health organizations, or academic institutions play in the process? 	

Credit: This HIA screening form was initially developed by Human Impact Partners and adapted by the New Mexico Health Equity Partnership.



Who are the possible community stakeholder groups and partners you imagine might be involved in each phase of the HIA?



Work plan

WHAT

WHO / NAMES OF ORGS AND INDIVIDUALS

Coordination / Project Management

Community Engagement

Research

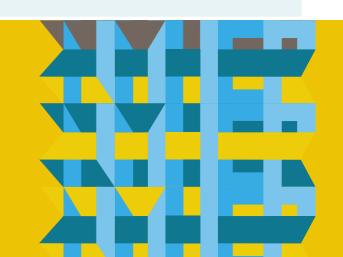
Writing

Media and Communications

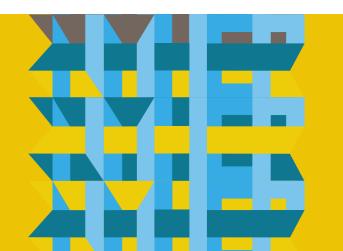
Other stakeholder engagement

Oversight/leadership

- Steering Committee
- Community advisory committee



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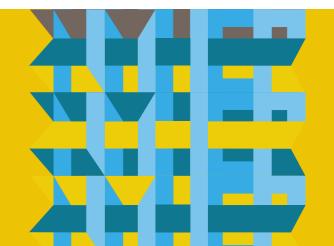


Wrap Up

What happens next?

Please remember to contact Jessi at jjensen@nmhep.org to discuss your HIA ideas in more depth.

Submit your HIA application by **March 31, 2017**. The webinar slides, recording and application (cover page, screening worksheet, work plan, and financials) can be accessed at http://nmhep.org/resources/hia-resources/



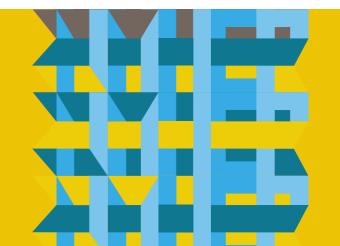
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