

# San Bernardino County Community Vital Signs Initiative Community Transformation Plan

## Community Forum: Introduction Talking Points

- Thank you for being here today to be a part of making our Countywide Vision a reality.
- It is so great to see so many of you here and I want to thank you for taking time out of your busy day to be here with us.
- The purpose of today's meeting is to give you a chance to share your ideas for improving health in your neighborhood and become part of the transformation process.
- Community Vital Signs is a community-driven initiative, in partnership with the County of San Bernardino, that works towards improving health in our communities.
- Through their work, Community Vital Signs has identified four strategic issues that affect health in our County: education, economy, access to health, and safety.
- By addressing these issues, we can transform our community to be a healthier place to live, work, learn, and play. .
- Community Vital Signs is working on a plan that will help make this transformation a reality.
- The Community Transformation Plan includes drafted short-term goals to address over the next three to five years to make changes in each of the four strategic issues.
- Today, we want your opinions on how the plan is shaping up to make sure that the goals are things that are important to you.
- By bringing folks together, who work and live in our community, we can focus on how to make sure the Community Transformation Plan reflects the issues and opportunities you see in your community.
- The information you share with us today will be used to shape the Community Transformation Plan and make sure it is a plan that can be used throughout our County.
- Today's meeting is going to be very interactive and will give you a lot of different ways to take a look at the goals Community Vital Signs has developed.
- Please tell us what you think!
- We hope your engagement with this effort does not end today. We invite you to sign up to receive updates about this work so we can share the final Community Transformation Plan with you. By staying connected you will join us in bringing the plan into action.
- Together we can assure that people who reside and invest in San Bernardino County can have the opportunity to prosper and achieve well-being.
- TOGETHER we CAN make San Bernardino County a healthier place to live, work, learn, and play.
- At this time, I'd like to invite Harder+Company Community Research to come up and provide an overview of the activities for today.