

**2022-2027  
KC-CHIP**

**May 19th, 2021**



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# Outline

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- CHIP Purpose and Background
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# Why We Work

**Highest Life  
Expectancy Zip  
Code**

**64113**

**93% White**

**LifeX = 86.3 years**

**Lowest Life  
Expectancy Zip  
Code**

**64128**

**86% Black**

**LifeX = 68.1 years**

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That's a 18.2 year difference.

**Opportunities for life in KCMO are not equal.**

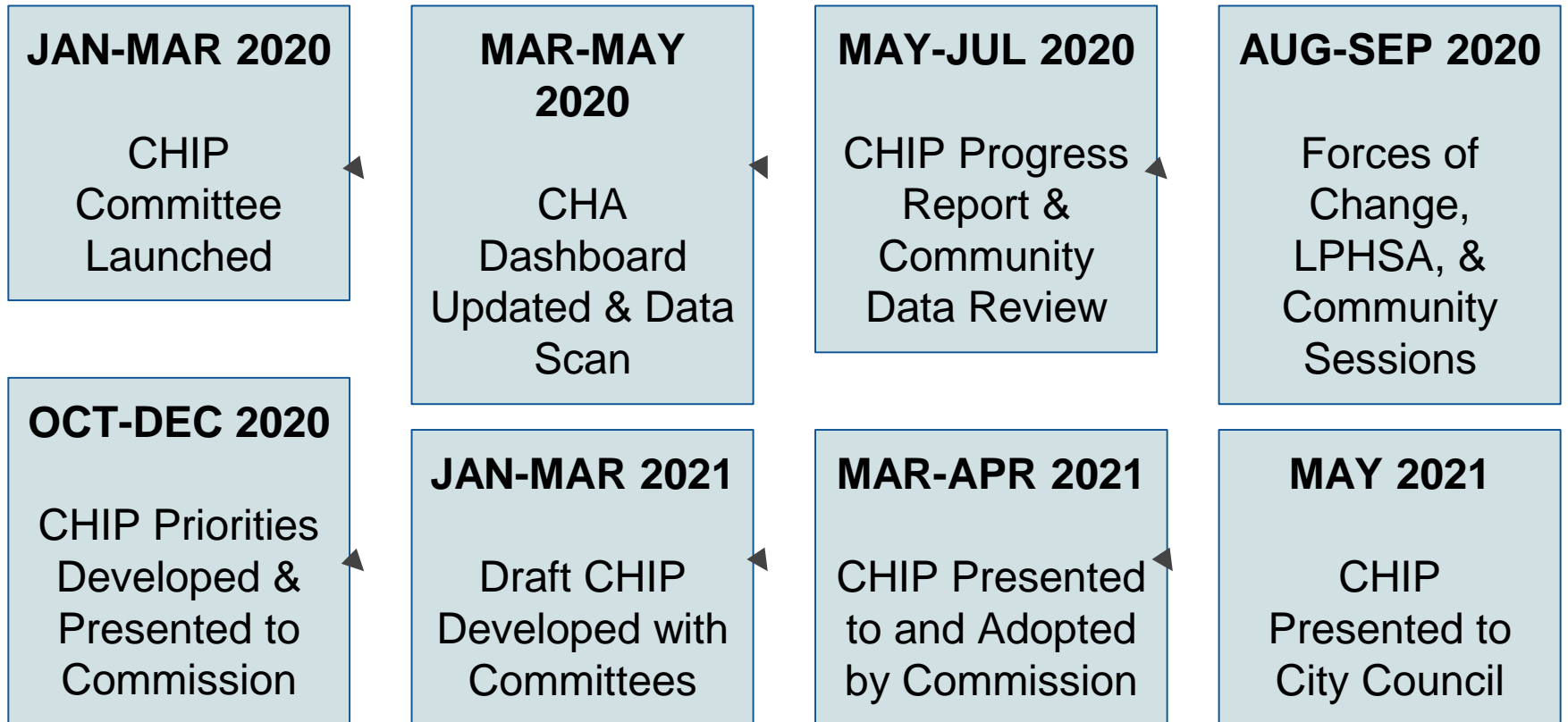


## CHIP Purpose and Background

***All people, regardless of race, income, education, place, or other social determinants should have the opportunity to live healthy lives.***



# CHIP Purpose and Background





# The New 2022- 2027 KC-CHIP

Public Health Infrastructure

Safe and Affordable Housing

Trauma-informed and Funded Education

Implementation of Medicaid Expansion

Violence Prevention

COVID-19: Improving Equity in Resources,  
Testing, and Vaccinations

Racism



Health  
Inequities

*“By focusing on the institutions, instead of placing the burden of health on community members, our goal is to make structural and institutional changes that promote anti-racism and result in improved health and well-being for the whole community.”*

*- 2022-2027 KC-CHIP*



# Overview of CHIP Priority Areas and Goals

<b>Public Health Prevention Infrastructure</b>	<b>Safe and Affordable Housing</b>	<b>Trauma-informed and Funded Education</b>	<b>Medicaid Expansion</b>	<b>Violence Prevention</b>	<b>COVID-19</b>
<p>KC should invest in building a robust system of public health infrastructure that has the necessary funding for the local health department and safety net clinics, focusing on prevention and strategically protecting and promoting the health of all community members, especially in our lowest life expectancy zip codes.</p>	<p>All people in Kansas City should have fair and affordable access to safe, healthy, and dignified housing.</p>	<p>All students in KCMO, beginning as young as possible, should receive equitable education, trauma-informed support, and constructive interactions from teachers and school staff that prepares them for success in life by having access to opportunities inside and outside of the classroom.</p>	<p>All individuals should have access to quality, affordable healthcare, Medicaid expansion should be implemented across all service providers in ways that ensure those who need it most have equitable and abundant access, with no barriers, to Medicaid resources to keep themselves and their families safe and healthy.</p>	<p>KC leadership's priority should be a violence-free community that ensures necessary funding and support for coordinated, evidence-based approaches, community-level initiatives, and systems-level changes that directly address and eliminate discrimination and bias while advancing equitable policies and practices to provide safe and healthy communities for all.</p>	<p>Equitable resources, testing, and vaccinations for the prevention, treatment, and alleviation of long-term impacts of COVID-19 should be intentionally and fairly distributed to protect and promote the health and well-being of those most affected.</p>

# Overview of CHIP Priority Areas and Goals

Public Health Prevention Infrastructure	Safe and Affordable Housing	Trauma-informed and Funded Education	Medicaid Expansion	Violence Prevention	COVID-19
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Public health capacity of KCMO residents</li> <li>● Local public health funding (health levy)</li> <li>● Federal funding for public health in KCMO</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Municipal Health in All Policies</li> <li>● Truly Safe, Affordable Rental Housing</li> <li>● Investment in Zoning Policies, More Diverse, Mixed-income Communities in High Opportunity Areas</li> <li>● Real-time Affordable Housing Stock</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Funding for schools in disinvested areas with lower property values</li> <li>● Trauma-informed and anti-racist education</li> <li>● KCMO student graduation rates and hiring/retention of BIPOC teachers and staff</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Remove Enrollment Barriers for Newly Expanded Medicaid Population</li> <li>● Expanded Service Provider Capacity with Equitable Access to Care</li> <li>● Oppose work waiver programs that have a disproportionate impact on most marginalized</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Just and rehabilitative experiences between citizens, police</li> <li>● Restorative, transformative justice</li> <li>● Overturn inequities in collection of self directed, interpersonal, and collective violence data</li> <li>● Reduce community violence (CPTED)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Ensure equity in testing, vaccine distribution, resources</li> <li>● Provide culturally responsive, language appropriate resources for Kansas City residents on COVID-19 and its long-term impacts</li> </ul>

# Implementation of the KC-CHIP

- Assess **current and identify additional partners** and institutions needed to implement the CHIP
- Increase the **community representativeness** of the CHIP Committee
- Establish the ongoing **purpose and activities of the CHIP Committee**, meeting at least once quarterly during CHIP implementation or more frequently during future CHIP development.
- Ensure the policies/practices outlined in the CHIP are being moved into existence and work through the **Health Commission** and its **Committees to hold City leadership, Kansas City institutions, and decision-makers accountable.**
- **Garner funding** through Health Commission partners **to hire an independent project management contractor** to provide support for effective, consistent, and ongoing **CHIP implementation** with the Health Commission, its Committees, institutional partners, and the community

# Recommendation

- Health Commission recommends City Council to quickly review and approve the resolution to adopt the 2022-2027 KC-CHIP

# Questions and Discussion