

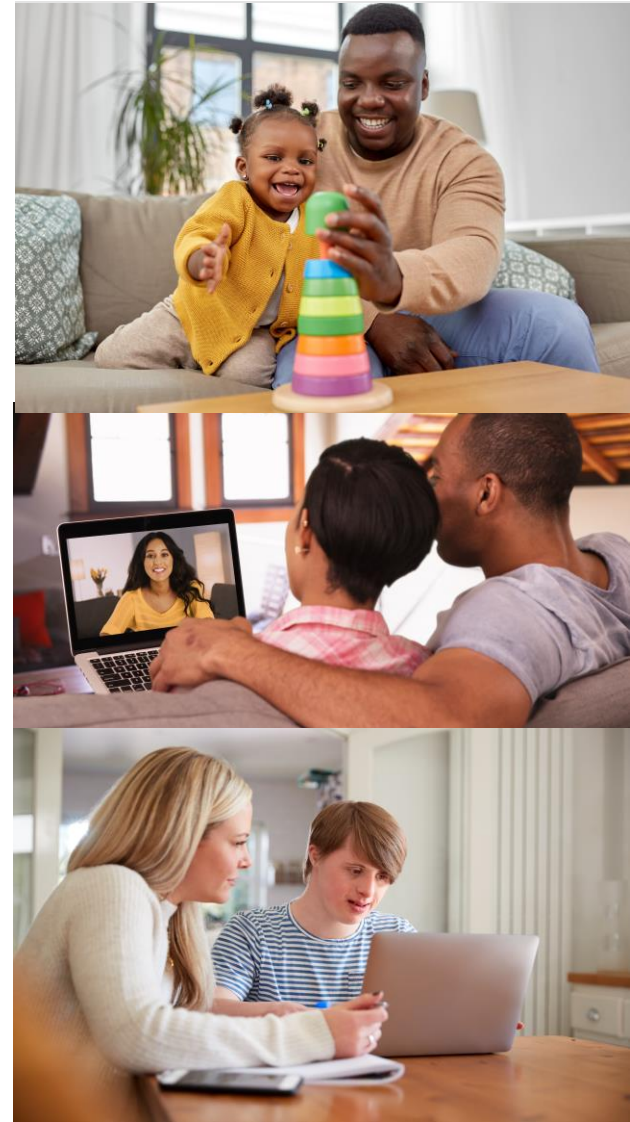
DHHS Strategic Plan 2020-25

Creating Healthy Communities

Introduction to ADRC Board
December 7, 2021



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MISSION

VISION

VALUES

Department of Health & Human Services

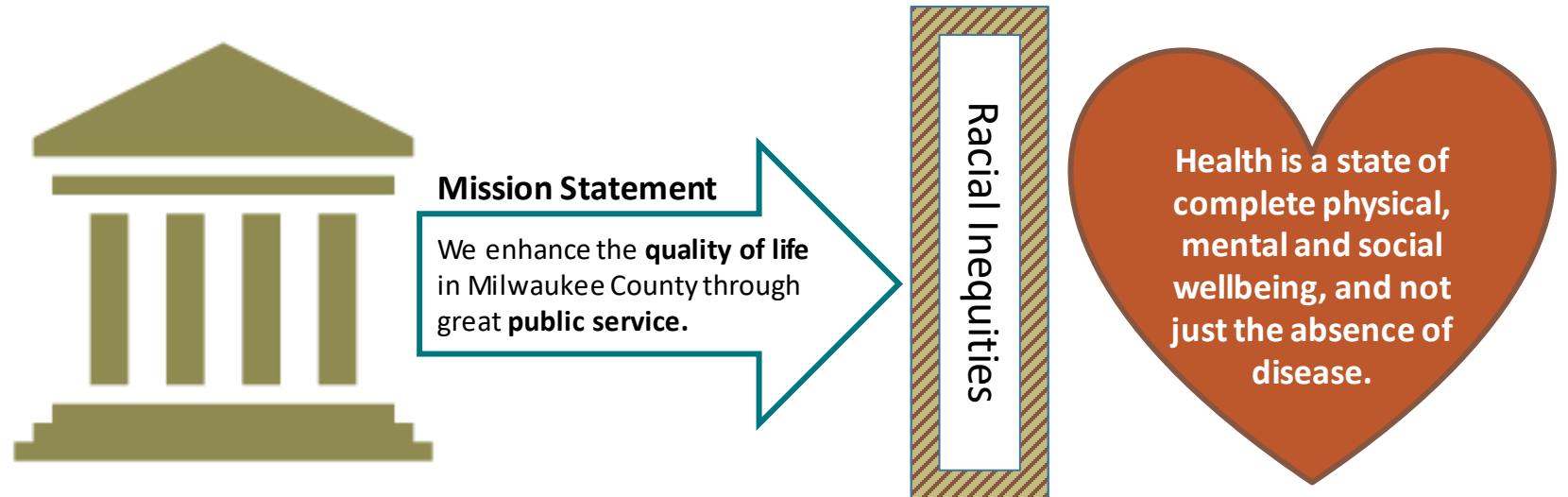
Consists of Behavioral Health, Disabilities Services, Housing, Youth & Family Services divisions, and, since 2020, Aging and Veterans' Services



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COUNTY VISION

Vision: By achieving **racial equity**, Milwaukee is the **healthiest county** in Wisconsin.



ALIGNMENT OF COUNTY & DHHS STRATEGIES

COUNTY (2020)

Create Intentional Inclusion

Reflect the full diversity of the County at every level of County government

Create and nurture an inclusive culture across the County

Bridge the Gap

Determine what, where and how we deliver services based on the resolution of health disparities

Break down silos across County government to maximize access to and quality of services offered

Apply a racial equity lens to all decisions

Invest in Equity

Invest “upstream” to address root causes of health disparities

Enhance the County’s fiscal health and sustainability

Dismantle barriers to diverse and inclusive communities

DHHS (2020)



**Strategy #1: No Wrong Door
/ Integrated Services & Care**



**Strategy #2: Population
Health/System Change**

WHAT IS THE STATE OF COUNTY HEALTH?



Milwaukee is rated 70th of 72 counties in Wisconsin



Milwaukee County experiences higher rates of adult diabetes, adult obesity, and poor mental and physical health days than the surrounding WOW counties



A white person in Milwaukee County will, on average, live 14 years longer than a black person



The infant mortality rate (deaths per 1,000 births) is 4.9 death for white people compared to 13.1 deaths for black people



Latinx residents were 2x as likely to contract COVID; Black, Latinx, AIAN residents 1.5x+ more likely to have been hospitalized with COVID



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INPUTS INTO STRATEGY

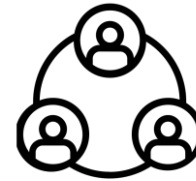
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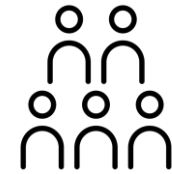
County vision



DHHS
leaders



Inputs from
community



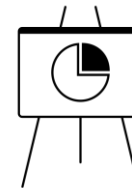
Staff, inputs
from
partners



Inputs from
participants



County
health data



Department
data



National
models

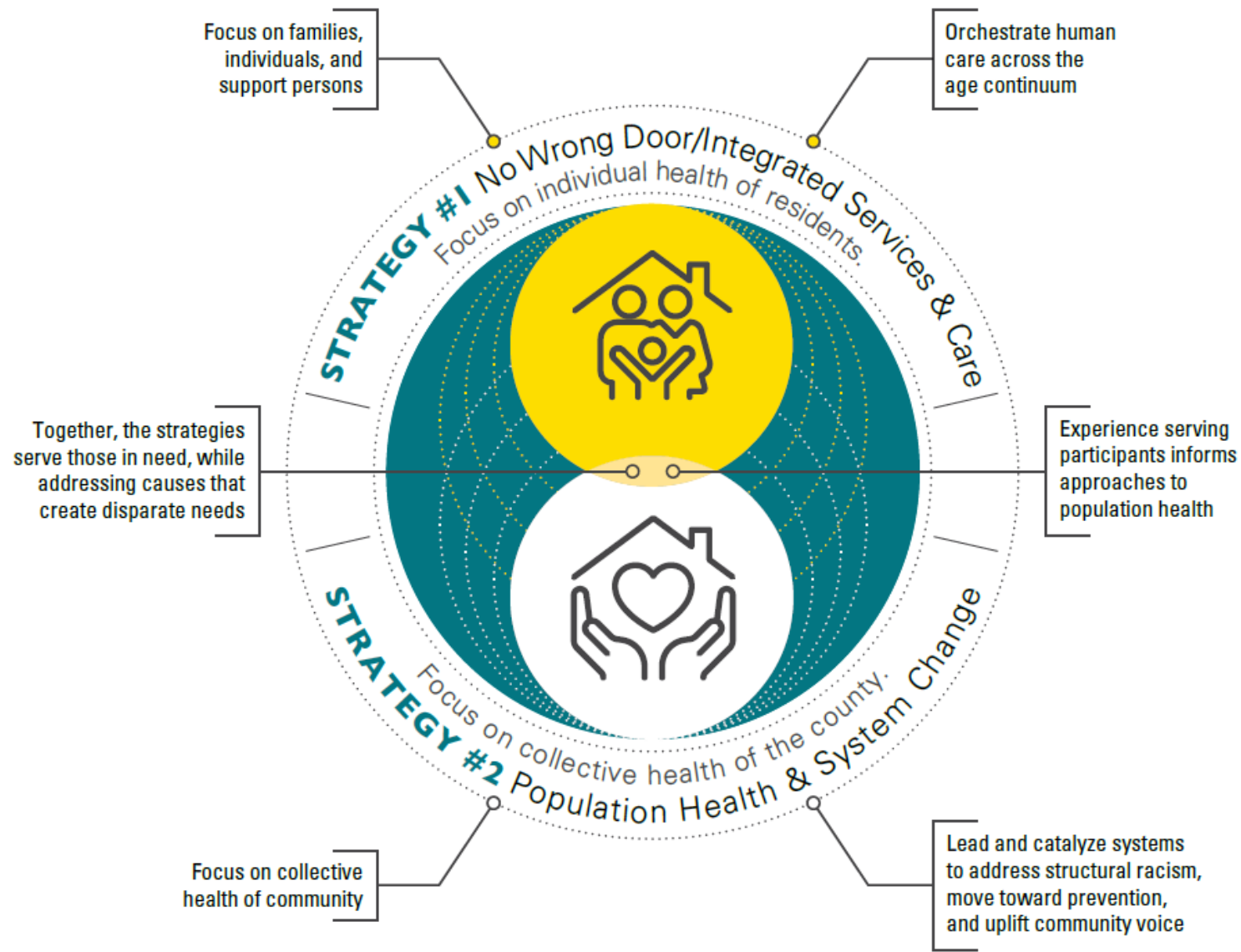


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DHHS' SUPPORTING THEMES



DHHS' STRATEGIES



NEXT STEPS

- Learn more about the DHHS 2020-2025 Strategic Plan:



Links to the DHHS Strategic Plan:

- [Brief video introduction](#)
- [Strategic plan document](#)

- Next steps:
 - Sharing the plan with staff, stakeholders and partners – inviting feedback and discussion about partnership
 - Building plans for operationalizing this plan in 2022 and beyond
 - Developing KPI dashboard to describe our progress toward DHHS's 2025 future state

Questions?



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