

# Health and Housing

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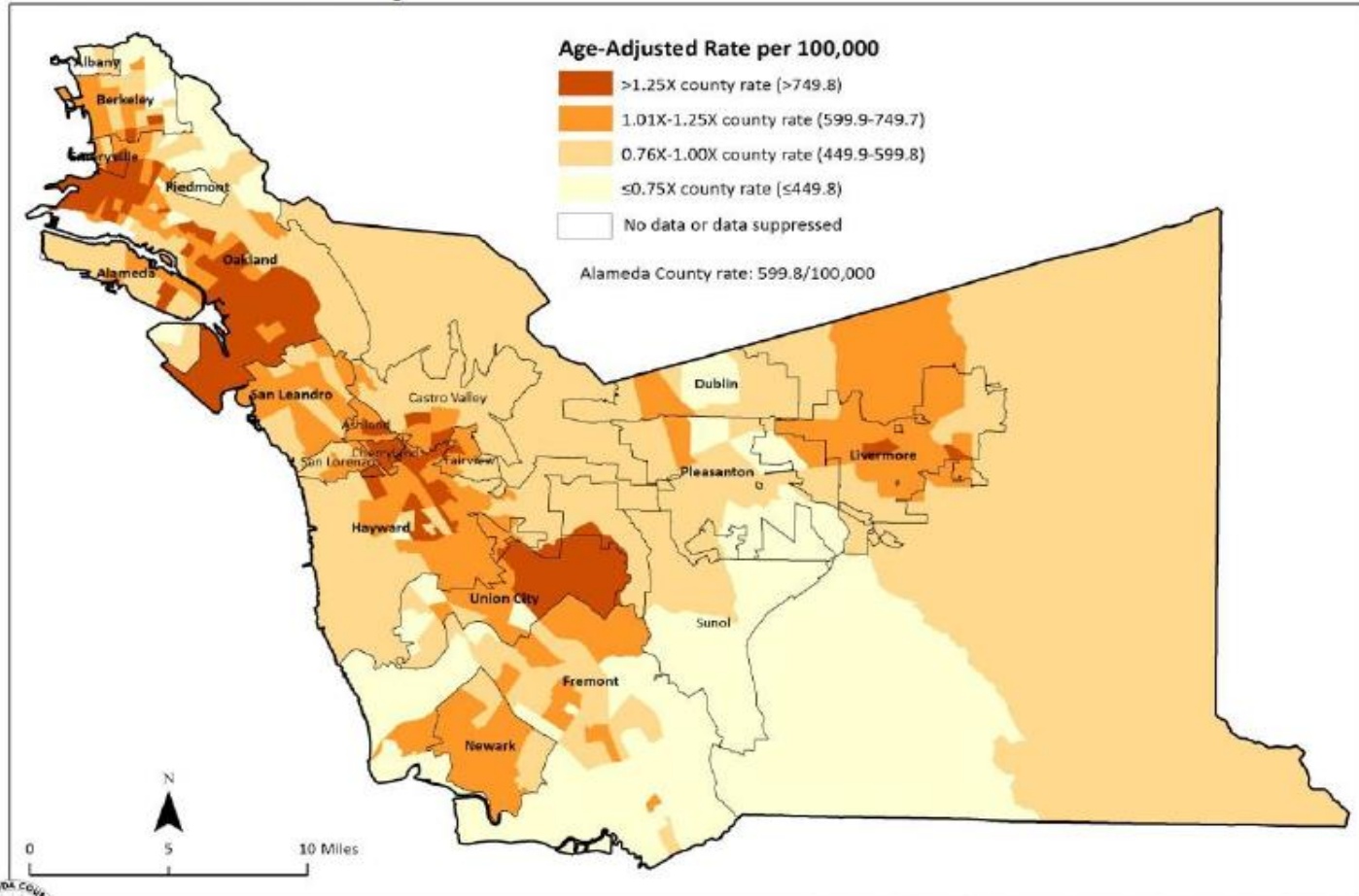
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# Concentrations of Health Inequities

## All-Cause Mortality

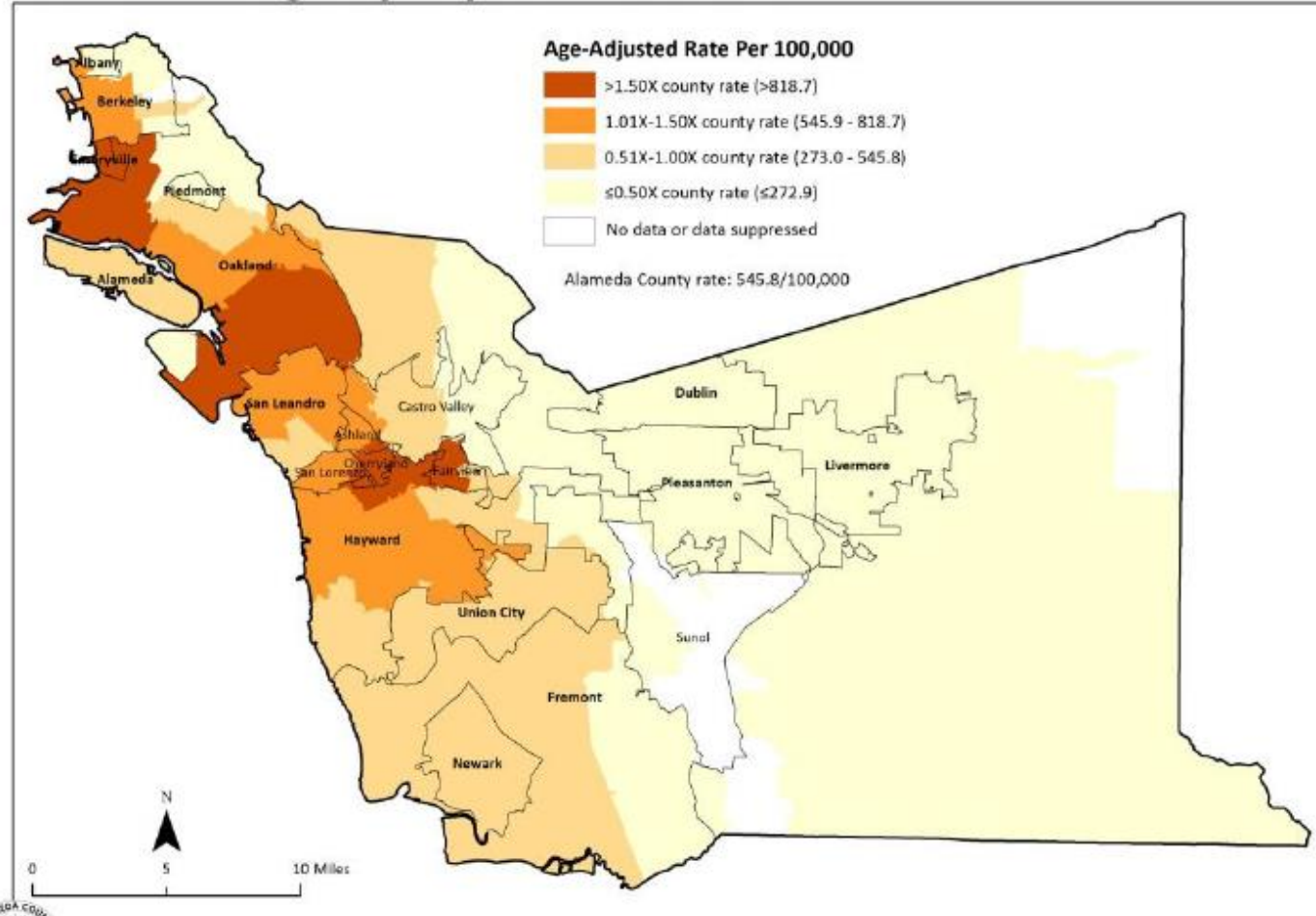


Source: CAPE, with data from Alameda County vital statistics files, 2012-2014.



# Asthma Emergency Room Visits

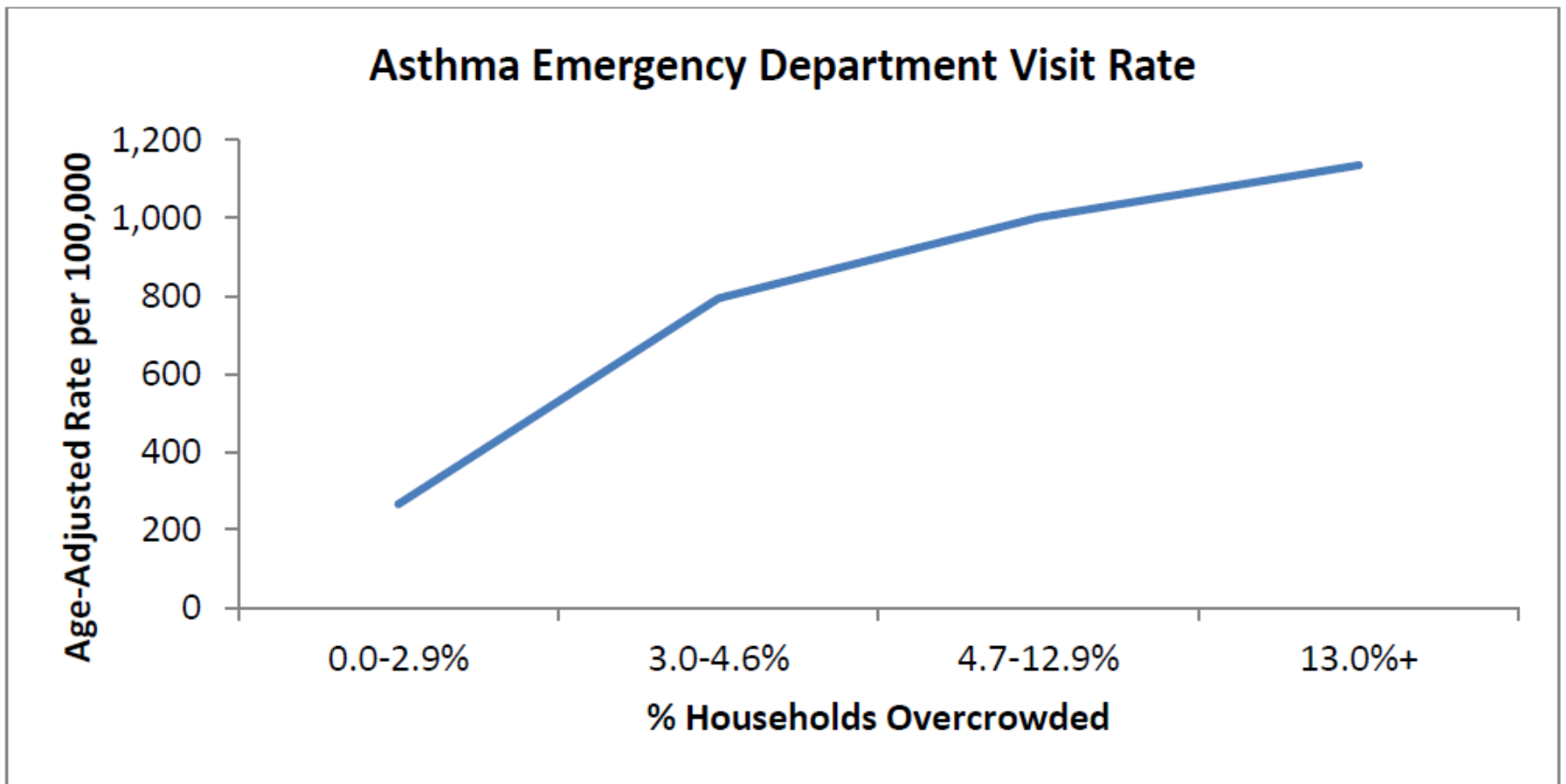
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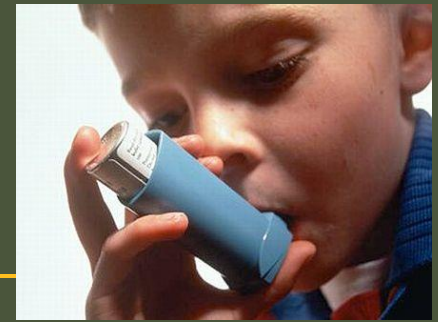
# Housing affordability impacts health



\*CAPE, with data from the California Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development, 2012-2014, and American Community Survey 2014 5-Year Files

# A Case Study

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- ❑ Young child with extreme asthma admitted to Emergency Room several times in past year
- ❑ Heavy mold found in bathroom due to pressurized water leak, improper construction of tub enclosure, and lack of ventilation
- ❑ Bathroom repaired. Child has had no asthma attacks since soon after the repair

# Code Complaints and Asthma Cases by City Council Districts

District	Representative	CH- INSP	CO- INSP	Health and Occupied Blight Inspections	% of total inspections	Asthma Start Cases	% of total Asthma Start Cases
1	Dan Kalb	24	2,234	2,258	11%	38	6.20%
2	Abel Guillen	30	2,444	2,474	13%	56	9.14%
3	Lynette Gibson McElhaney	45	2,534	2,579	13%	86	14.03%
4	Annie Campbell Washington	21	2,762	2,783	14%	51	8.32%
5	Noel Gallo	31	2,947	2,978	15%	99	16.15%
6	Desley Brooks	35	3,222	3,257	17%	144	23.49%
7	Larry Reid	31	3,319	3,350	17%	139	22.68%
<b>Total</b>		<b>217</b>	<b>19,462</b>	<b>19,679</b>		<b>613</b>	

# Public Health Housing Survey

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Public Health (ACPHD) staff (n =188) and Behavioral Health Care Services (BHCS) staff & contractors (n =167)

What housing issues are your clients or residents you work with facing? (check all that apply)	BHCS (n = 72)	ACPHD (n = 93)
Raised rents and/or unaffordable housing	93.06%	88.17%
Can't find housing (e.g. discrimination, landlords not accepting vouchers, no available units)	91.67%	81.72%
Eviction (at risk of being evicted or already evicted)	86.11%	72.04%
Dilapidated conditions (e.g. mold, vectors, lack of heat, repairs not done)	75.00%	58.06%
Displacement (e.g. people moving from their neighborhoods due to housing issues and/or rising housing costs)	69.44%	68.82%
Other	45.83%	27.96%



Policy  
Makers



Childcare



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Care



Housing



Jobs



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Food

## Our Vision: Health Equity

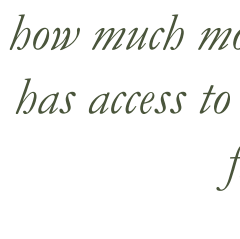
*Everyone in Alameda County,  
no matter who you are, where you live,  
how much money you make, or the color of your skin,  
has access to the same opportunities to lead a healthy,  
fulfilling, and productive life.*



Clean Air



Education



Economic  
Justice



Parks and  
Activities



Safe  
Neighbor-  
hoods



Residents



Transportation

