

Summary of Actionable Data from Adult Survey

Social and Economic Determinants of Health and Wellness

- 198 of 479 found that paying for the very basics like food, housing, medical care and heating was sometimes hard (160) or very hard (38)
- 54 of 410 identified a time in the past 12 months when they needed medical care but could not get it
- 37 of 468 worried whether food would run out before we got money to buy more
- 19 of 460 experienced that the food I bought did not last and we did not have money to buy more

Housing

- 402 of 469 have a reliable and stable place to live.
- 62 of 460 have concerns about our housing, such as safety, mold, bugs, mice or structural instability
- 39 of 457 have concerns about safety at home related to our sexual orientation or gender identity.
- 34 of 460 are concerned about eviction from our house or foreclosure of our house

Safety

- People felt most safe (extremely safe or safe) at home, at school, in alcohol or substance abuse services, sobriety services or with family
- People felt least safe (extremely unsafe or unsafe) with police or law enforcement, in jail, in the military, at court or in public bathrooms
- 80 of 443 were ever hit, slapped, pushed, kicked, or physically hurt in any way by an intimate partner
- 11 of 418 were physically attacked or injured in the last year

Discrimination

- 97 of 423 were called names or insulted in the last year
- 79 of 422 felt they received poorer services than other people in restaurants, stores, or other businesses or agencies in the last year
- 39 of 417 felt they were treated unfairly at work or at school in the last year
- 11 of 418 felt they were turned down for a job promotion in the last year

Social connections

- 131 of 471 never attend meetings of the clubs or organizations they belong to in a typical week
- 238 of 477 never attend services at their place of worship in a typical week
- 40 of 440 never get together with friends or relatives (for example, going out together or visiting in each other's homes) in a typical week

- 14 of 427 never talk on the telephone with family, friends, or neighbors in a typical week

Welcoming environment

- People felt most welcome at home, in sobriety services, in alcohol or substance abuse services, at school or when getting behavioral health care
- People felt least welcome with police or law enforcement, in jail, in the military, at court, or in public bathrooms
- When people have needed help and support in their life, they reached out
 - Most often to friends, family members or counselors
 - Least often to members of my racial or ethnic community, school mates or members of my religious or spiritual community

Mental Health

- 176 of 453 felt quite a bit or very much stress
- 186 of 420 identified a time during the past 12 months when you felt that you might need to see a professional because of concerns with your mental health, emotions, nerves, or your use of alcohol or drugs

Health Care

- 25 of 442 felt I would be refused medical service because I am LGBT
- 147 of 438 felt medical personnel will treat me differently because I am LGBT:
- 13 of 420 felt they were denied or given lower quality health care
- 272 of 440 feel there are not enough health professionals adequately trained to care for people who are LGBT
- 233 of 436 felt there are not enough support groups for people who are LGBT:
- 161 of 420 felt there is not enough substance abuse treatment for people who are LGBT:
- 297 of 439 felt my health care provider has the expertise to care for my health care needs:
- 153 of 360 felt my mental health care provider has the expertise to care for my health needs:
- 68 of 308 felt my chronic or convalescent care provider has the expertise to care for my health needs