

CALIFORNIA
HEALTH
IN ALL POLICIES
TASK FORCE 

Health in All Policies and Active Transportation

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California Health In All Policies Task Force



Health in All Policies Defined

Health in All Policies is...

a collaborative approach to improving the health of all people by incorporating health considerations into decision-making across sectors and policy areas.



California Health In All Policies Task Force

Purpose:

- Promote health, equity, and sustainability

Structure:

- Governor's Executive Order (2010) and Senate Concurrent Resolution 47 (2012)
- Convenes 22 State agencies, departments, offices
- Reports to the **Strategic Growth Council**
- Funding from CDPH, The California Endowment and Kaiser Permanente Community Benefit

Process:

- Facilitated by CDPH, in partnership with PHI
- Consensus decision-making
- Focus on co-benefits



HiAP Task Force: Active Transportation

2014-2016 Action Plan

- Intensive process
- Multi-agency commitments
- Work plan
- Objectives and specific actions
- Theory of Change



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Values

- Advancing state priorities
 - Reducing greenhouse gas emissions, infill development
 - Public Health
 - Equity
- Cross-agency alignment and coordination

Themes

- Mode shift
- Safety and equity
- Systems change
- Collaboration
- Voluntary



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Action Plan Highlights

- Health and equity in long-range planning documents
- Guidance, tools, and other materials
- Active transportation in school environments
- Walking/biking for state employees
- Develop metrics and statewide goal for mode shift



Implementation Partners



HiAP Task Force & Strategic Growth Council members: Business Consumer Services & Housing, Transportation, Caltrans, Education, Public Health, Natural Resources, General Services, Government Operations, Housing & Community Development, Planning & Research, Traffic Safety

Additional governmental organizations: Motor Vehicles, Highway Patrol

Non-governmental partners: Safe Routes to School National Partnership, TransForm, California Walks, Safe Transportation Research & Education Center, UC Berkeley Center for Cities and Schools



Reflections, Questions, and Discussion

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Health in All Policies Task Force:
http://sgc.ca.gov/s_hiap.php

Health in All Policies Guide
<http://www.phi.org/resources/?resource=hiapguide>

