



# **NCVHS Measurement Framework for Community Health & Well-being V3**



**DeKalb County GA Reaction to Measurement  
Framework V2, as told to  
Dave Ross, NCVHS Committee Member**



# Purpose of Framework

- Strengthen multi-sectoral efforts to improve health and well-being at the local level.
- Help HHS, other federal agencies and private-sector partners identify and close gaps in the availability of data at a sub-county level.
- Offer communities a blueprint of the key issue areas -- domains and subdomains -- to stimulate and inform dialogue across sectors on barriers, opportunities, and approaches for improvement.
- Promote public-private collaboration that builds on the successes of numerous metrics efforts already in development and/or in use.



# Framework is designed to:

- Provide a structure for thinking about how to measure community health and well-being across all determinants
- Assist in aligning federal data efforts across secretariats
- Facilitate community-level data-collection, measurement, and decision-making
- Provide a means to use multiple domains to design community interventions and track their progress
- Enable assessments through the lenses of equity and life-course considerations



# What the Framework is not...

- Replacement of other framework efforts.
- Comprehensive or prescribed list of indicators.
- Ranking or comparison of communities.
- Stand on its own – refer to the Roadmap to Community Level Health Measurement for context



# Environmental Scan: Purpose

- To Scan health and non-health sectors to identify existing measurement frameworks, core domains, indicators, and metrics for community health and well-being
- To provide a meta-synthesis to guide development of V2 of the Measurement framework
- To note examples of indicators or metrics that are available at the sub-county-level and the related data sources

# Gib Parrish Presentation

# NCVHS Measurement Framework, V3

<b>Domains</b>	<b>Sub-domains</b>
<b>Health</b>	Health care infrastructure
	Health behaviors
	Health conditions & diseases
	Health outcomes
<b>Environment</b>	Natural environment
	Neighborhood characteristics
<b>Education</b>	Infrastructure & capacity
	Participation & achievement
<b>Economy</b>	Income and wealth
	Employment
<b>Food and Agriculture</b>	Food availability
	Nutrition
<b>Public Safety</b>	Infrastructure
	Perceptions of public safety
	Crime
	Injuries





<b>Domains</b>	<b>Sub-domains</b>
<b>Community Vitality</b>	<b>Social capital</b>
	<b>Governance</b>
	<b>Civic engagement</b>
	<b>Social inclusiveness</b>
<b>Housing</b>	<b>Infrastructure &amp; capacity</b>
	<b>Quality</b>
	<b>Use/affordability</b>
<b>Transportation</b>	<b>Infrastructure &amp; capacity</b>
	<b>Quality</b>
	<b>Use/affordability</b>
<b>Demographics</b>	<b>Total population</b>
	<b>Affordable Care Act variables:</b> <b>Age</b> <b>Sex</b> <b>Race/ethnicity</b> <b>Primary language</b> <b>Disability</b>
	<b>Other demographics</b>



# How this Framework Fits with Others

Developed using the environmental scan as foundational reference.

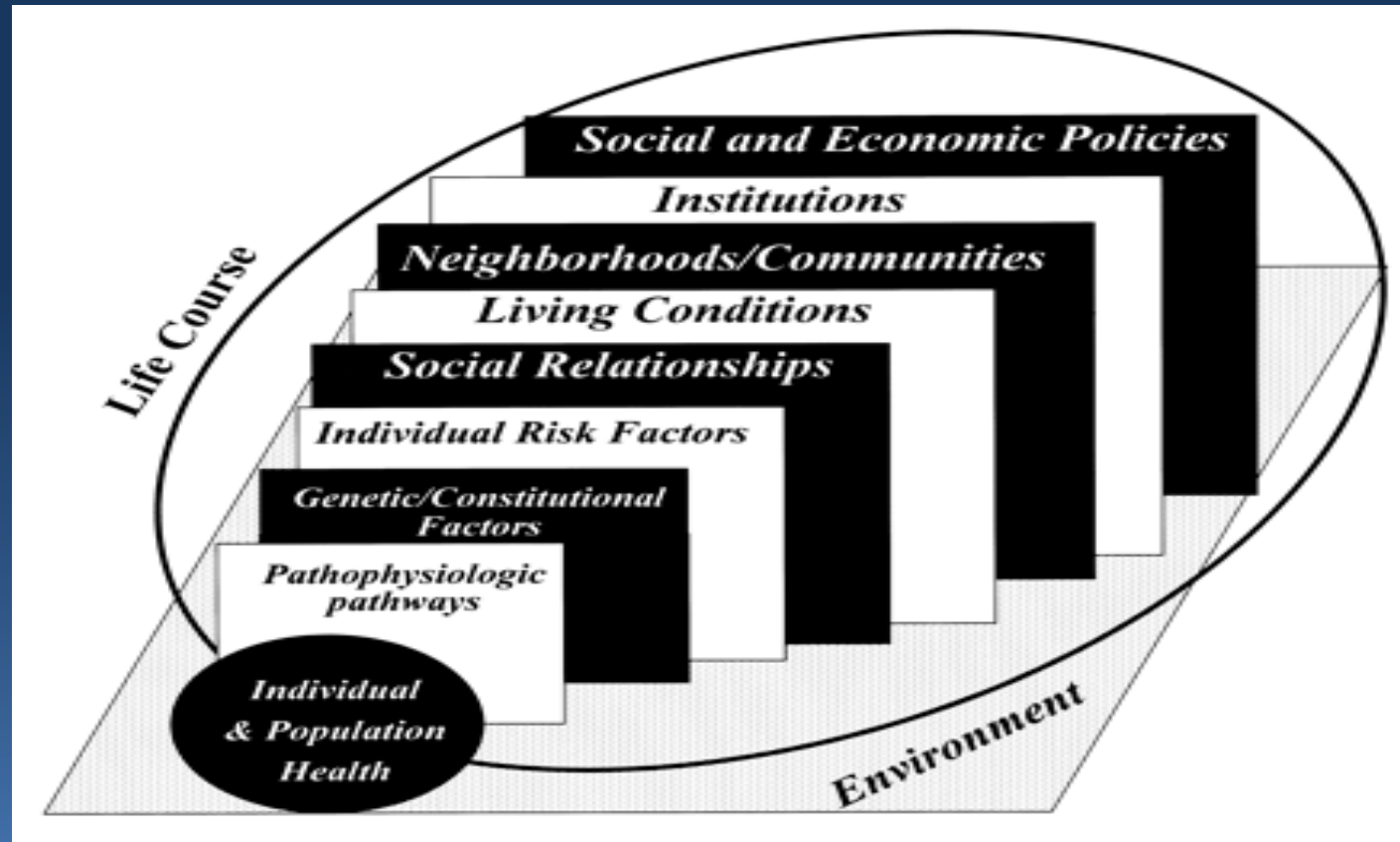
Guiding principles used for development:

- Similarity with frameworks being used by neighborhood indicator projects
- Organized to align with Federal Agencies to promote collaboration
- Domain categories are parallel in scope

Is not considered a replacement for other framework efforts.

Rather, serves as a convening framework to support alignment, federal involvement, and collaboration.

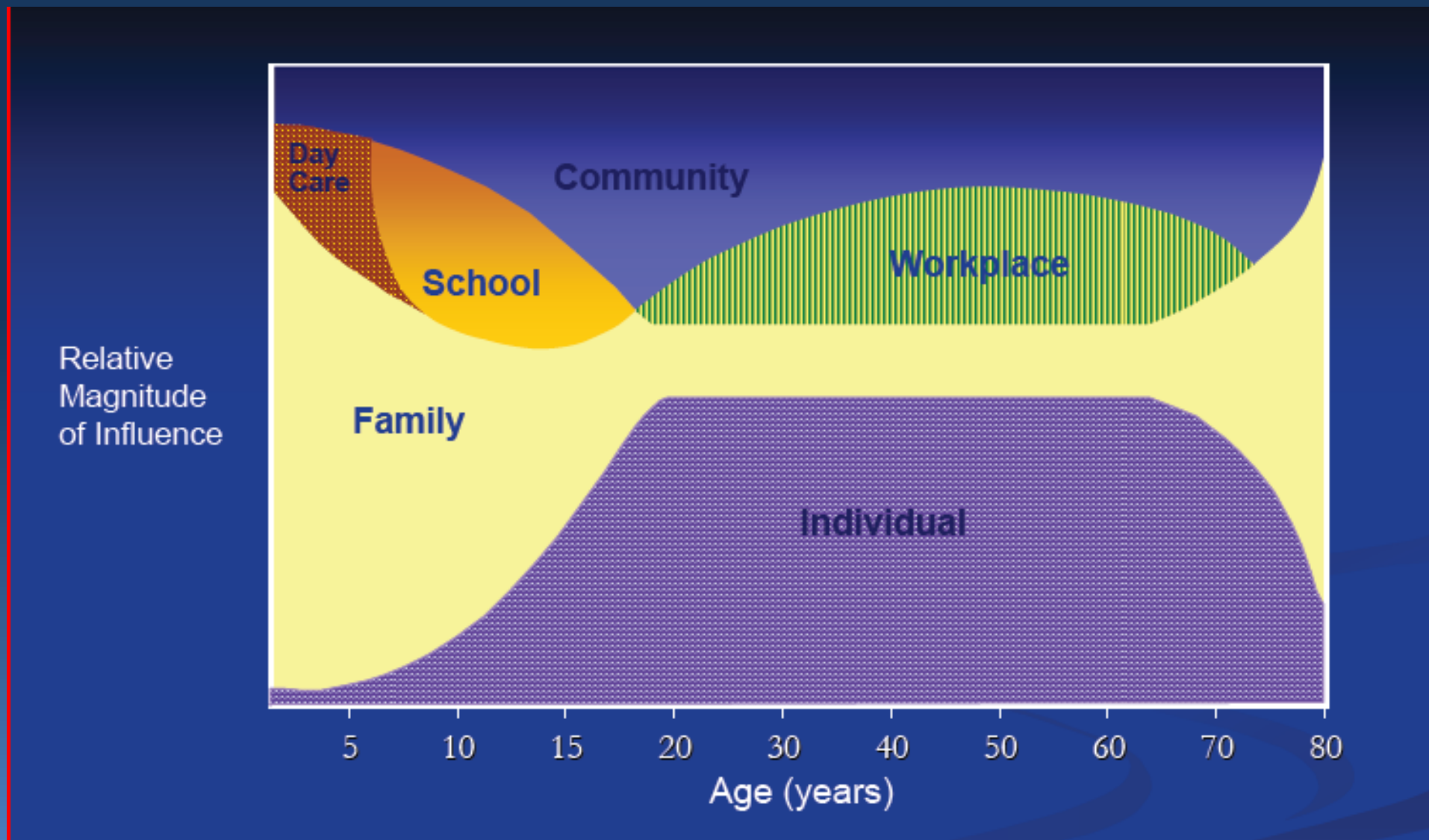
# Multilevel Model by Kaplan, et al. (2000)



**FIGURE 2-1** Multilevel approach to epidemiology, 2000. The approach of Kaplan et al. (2000) attempts to bridge various levels of explanation and intervention, bringing together theory and empirical work that link observations of causal influence and mechanism at multiple levels.

SOURCE: IOM (2000a).

# Influence of Health Status Over the Life Course



Source: Neal Haflon, Adapted from Nordio S. 1978. Needs of Child and Maternal Care. Rational Utilization and Social-Medical Resources. *Rivista Italiana di Pediatria* 4:3-20.



# Who Provided Feedback on the NCVHS Measurement Framework V2

- Non-profits (n=13)
- State/local Government and Health Organizations/Providers (n=7)
- Academic Institutions (n=3)
- Federal Government (n=6)



# Categories of Feedback and Responses to Each

- **Domain/subdomain concerns:**
  - Added subdomains and example indicators for clarification
  - Elucidated intent to call out various federal departments
- **Requests for specific indicators:**
  - Clarified purpose of Framework and definitions of domains/indicators/metrics
- **Comments on the relationships between indicators:**
  - Explained purpose was not to look at cause and effect
- **Questions regarding how framework will be used:**
  - Reworked introduction to make purpose clearer



Framework v1 November 2015	Framework v2 June 2016	Framework v3 September 2016
<p>Outcomes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Life expectancy</li> <li>• Well-being</li> </ul> <p>Health Behaviors</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Obesity and relevant behaviors</li> <li>• Tobacco</li> <li>• Substance abuse (alcohol/drug)</li> </ul> <p>Clinical Care</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Access to care</li> <li>• Quality of care</li> </ul> <p>Physical Environment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Air quality</li> </ul> <p>Social and Economic</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Education</li> <li>• Poverty</li> <li>• Housing</li> <li>• Safety</li> </ul>	<p>Health</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health outcomes</li> <li>• Health conditions &amp; diseases</li> <li>• Health behaviors</li> <li>• Health care &amp; infrastructure</li> </ul> <p>Environment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Natural environment</li> <li>• Neighborhood characteristics</li> </ul> <p>Education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Educational participation &amp; attainment</li> <li>• Educational infrastructure &amp; capacity</li> </ul> <p>Economy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Income and wealth</li> <li>• Employment</li> </ul> <p>Public Safety</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Crime</li> <li>• Infrastructure</li> <li>• Perceptions of public safety</li> <li>• Injuries</li> </ul> <p>Social Cohesion and Civic Vitality</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social cohesion</li> <li>• Civic engagement</li> </ul> <p>Housing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Infrastructure/capacity</li> <li>• Availability/affordability</li> <li>• Quality</li> </ul> <p>Transportation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Infrastructure</li> <li>• Use</li> <li>• Quality</li> </ul> <p>Demographics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Age</li> <li>• Sex</li> <li>• Race/ethnicity</li> <li>• Primary language</li> <li>• Disability</li> </ul>	<p>Health</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health care &amp; infrastructure</li> <li>• Health behaviors</li> <li>• Health conditions &amp; diseases</li> <li>• Health outcomes</li> </ul> <p>Environment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Natural environment</li> <li>• Neighborhood characteristics</li> </ul> <p>Education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Infrastructure &amp; capacity</li> <li>• Participation &amp; achievement</li> </ul> <p>Economy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Income and wealth</li> <li>• Employment</li> </ul> <p>Food and Agriculture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Food availability</li> <li>• Nutrition</li> </ul> <p>Public Safety</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Infrastructure</li> <li>• Perceptions of public safety</li> <li>• Crime</li> <li>• Injuries</li> </ul> <p>Community Vitality</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social capital</li> <li>• Governance</li> <li>• Civic engagement</li> <li>• Social inclusiveness</li> </ul> <p>Housing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Infrastructure &amp; capacity</li> <li>• Quality</li> <li>• Use/affordability</li> </ul> <p>Transportation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Infrastructure &amp; capacity</li> <li>• Quality</li> <li>• Use</li> </ul> <p>Demographics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Total population</li> <li>• ACA demographics</li> <li>• Other demographics</li> </ul>

# Questions to Discuss in Groups

## What brings you here today?

- *Your interests and/or hopes for this meeting?*

## Thoughts on the Framework?

- *What do you see as the greatest potential value for this evolving Framework?*