## San Bernardino County Plan for Targeted Equity Investments

**County Name:** San Bernardino  

### Describe the disproportionately impacted population(s), whether HPI 4th quartile (be specific about populations that reside in these census tracts); or if small county define populations and geographic areas. Note estimated percentage of total cases.

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### Identify any technical assistance topics or resources that would support local efforts.

- **Testing:**
  - Expand on existing 21 community testing sites plus those available at hospitals, third-party health centers, and pharmacies through a contract with CHAISR testing, resulting in an increase of 12,000 test per month up to 61 sites located.
  - Projected level of funding invested in equity activity $1,200,000 ELC Strategy 5 Community Health Association Inland Southern Region

### Describe plans for how communities are being engaged, ongoing or one-time.

- **Contact Tracing:**
  - Expand contact tracing into infection prevention.
  - Data Expand number of licenses with statistical analysis software programs.

### Isolation Support

- **Worker Protections:**
  - The San Bernardino County Readiness and Reopening Plan includes industry-specific safety guidance in place for small businesses to participate as a partner and demonstrate their commitment to compliance with county safety guidelines.

- **Other Protections:**
  - The Economic Development Department ensures that companies that are impacted by COVID-19 with support services such as rent assistance, mortgage, and loan deferrals to reduce burdens on employers.

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**Contact Tracing:**

- **December 2020**
- **January 2021**
**Isolation Support**

Isolation Support DAAS provides robust services to older Californians and individuals with disabilities and underlying health conditions to ensure their health, safety, and overall wellbeing. These services include:

- A 24-hour toll-free telephone line for the Age Wise Program, which is staffed by mental health clinicians offering counseling and crisis intervention services
- Telephonic check-ins conducted by social workers and mental health clinicians
- Information and referrals to resources through the Senior Information and Assistance Program
- Case management services and nurse assessments for homebound individuals
- In-Home Health Services (IHSS) to help seniors and disabled children safely within their homes

**Eligibility**

- Age 65 or older, or 60 – 64 and at high-risk as defined by the CDC
- COVID-19 positive
- Exposed to COVID-19
- Those with underlying conditions such as heart disease, lung disease and diabetes

**Funding**

- $67,039,015 for multiple programs, including Elderly Nutrition Program, Great Plates Delivered, Multipurpose Senior Services, Senior Assistance and Information, Age Wise and In-Home Supportive Services

**Housing Security and Homelessness**

Isolation Support Development is leading the effort to fund a nine-month pilot project with the goal of improving COVID-19 negative senior-serving programs and services to support our homeless senior populations. Project Roomkey currently assists approximately 800 individuals and families members per month, residing in over 400 hotel rooms. The project also provides sanitation, cleaning, and hygiene items, and transportation for clients to and from medical appointments. All COVID-19 positive residents are isolated at a hotel separate and in accordance with public health and healthcare protocol procedures. Project Roomkey is a collaborative effort among public and private sector partners.

**Funding**

- Approximately $400,000 per month (i.e. room rate, security, meal rate, sanitation costs, PPE, laundry, house-keeping)

**Assessment**

- High-risk homeless persons includes those who are 65 years of age and older, persons of any age with underlying health condition (i.e. heart disease, lung disease, immunocompromised, diabetes, kidney and liver disease), pregnant women

**Funding**

- $21,000,000
- $8,056,600
- $9,474,380

**Total Clean Care Grants**

- $45,520,980
- $4,518,751

**Percentage of ELC Strategy 5 Funds Invested for Impacted Populations**

- 40%

**Total ELC Strategy 5 Funds**

- $11,296,877

**Total ELC Funds**

- $4,518,751

**Contact**

- California Department of Aging, FEMA, 2011 Realignment, and other federal, state and county funds.