

4 HEALTH

GOAL	PROJECTS/PROGRAMS/POLICIES	PRIORITY	TIMEFRAME	METRICS	COORDINATION	ROLE	RESILIENT HOUSTON
4.1 Healthy and Supported Community	4.1.1 Connect residents to available health resources <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Inventory the healthcare resources available in the neighborhood and ensure that all residents can access the resources they need; Work to make healthcare more accessible through diverse outreach strategies, including providing healthcare and family planning to sex workers		Short (0 - 2 yrs)	1 Annual health and wellness fair	Community: Alief-Westwood NST City: HDD Community Connectors: The Landing, IORA Clinic, Texas Children's Hospital, Hope Health Clinic	Advocate Assist Outreach, Assist	Goal 4: Action 12
	4.1.2 Expand and connect residents to mental health care <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Build on the programs available at area schools and clinics to ensure that all residents are able to access mental health care; Focus particularly on connecting vulnerable populations such as youth, unhoused residents, and sex workers to the services they need		Short (0 - 2 yrs)		Community: Alief-Westwood NST City: HDD Community Connectors: Higher Dimension Church, The Landing, IORA Clinic, Texas Children's Hospital, Hope Health Clinic, Alief ISD	Advocate Assist Advocate, Assist, Implement	Goal 3: Action 10 Goal 4: Action 12
	4.1.3 Host regular health fairs and wellness events <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Address health disparities in the neighborhood, including health insurance enrollment, by advocating for regular health fairs and wellness events; Distribute information about events to the community across multiple platforms and languages		Short (0 - 2 yrs)		Community: Alief-Westwood NST City: HDD Community Connectors: Higher Dimension Church, The Landing, IORA Clinic, Texas Children's Hospital, Hope Health Clinic	Outreach, Advocate Outreach, Implement Outreach, Implement	
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4.2 Clean and Healthy Environment	4.2.1 Ensure safe drinking water <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Develop awareness of water quality challenges in the neighborhood and monitor water quality to guarantee safe drinking water for all residents; Conduct a study on the groundwater and potential cancer cluster in ZIP Code 77099		Short (0 - 2 yrs)	1 Comprehensive water quality testing is complete by 2025	Community: Alief-Westwood NST City: HDD Community Connectors: TCEQ, EPA	Advocate Assist, Implement Assist	Goal 6: Action 20
	4.2.2 Remediate the Sugar Hill landfill site <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Establish a committee that includes representatives from the community, city, county, and federal agencies to develop an actionable plan for the remediation of the Sugar Hill landfill site, including identifying new uses for the site		Long (5+ yrs)		Community: Alief-Westwood NST City: HDD, HCDD Community Connectors: International District, TCEQ, Area Developers	Advocate Advocate, Assist Advocate, Assist	Goal 6: Action 20
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- PLAN Legend:**
- Complete Communities
 - Houston Bike Plan (2017)
 - HPARD Master Plan (2015)
 - AARP
 - Livable Centers Study
 - CoH CIP 2019-2023
 - METRO Next
 - International District Plan
 - Southwest Mgmt District Plan
 - Climate Action Plan