



BETTER HEALTH THROUGH BETTER UNDERSTANDING:

CANCER DISPARITIES IN SAN DIEGO

April 26th, 2023

AGENDA

- **Welcome**
- **Overview of Health Disparities**
 - Elena Martinez, PHD, UC San Diego Moores Cancer Center
- **Gastric Cancer: Examining Incidence, Survival, and Molecular Disparities**
 - Winta Mehtsun, MD, MPH, UC San Diego School of Medicine
- **Understanding Cancer Etiology Among Hispanic/Latino Heritage Groups: The Hispanic Community Health Study/Study of Latinos (HCHS/SOL)**
 - Humberto Parada, PHD, San Diego State School of Public Health
- **Question & Answer Session**
- **Closing Remarks**

Better Health Through Better Understanding: CANCER DISPARITIES IN SAN DIEGO

ONLINE WEBINAR



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Join us for a special event highlighting **National Minority and Multicultural Health Month** with an emphasis on cancer disparities and research in the San Diego community.



**Wednesday,
April 26th, 2023
12 - 1 PM PST**

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This webinar is free and open to all those interested. See you there!



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MEETING REMINDERS



AUDIO

Please make sure your line is muted throughout the duration of the summit.

ZOOM CHAT

Use the chat to introduce yourself & ask questions throughout the roundtable!

MEETING RECORDING

Slides, recording and resources will be shared with all attendees



OVERVIEW OF HEALTH DISPARITIES IN SAN DIEGO

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Overview of Health Disparities in San Diego

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Social Determinants of Health (SDOH)

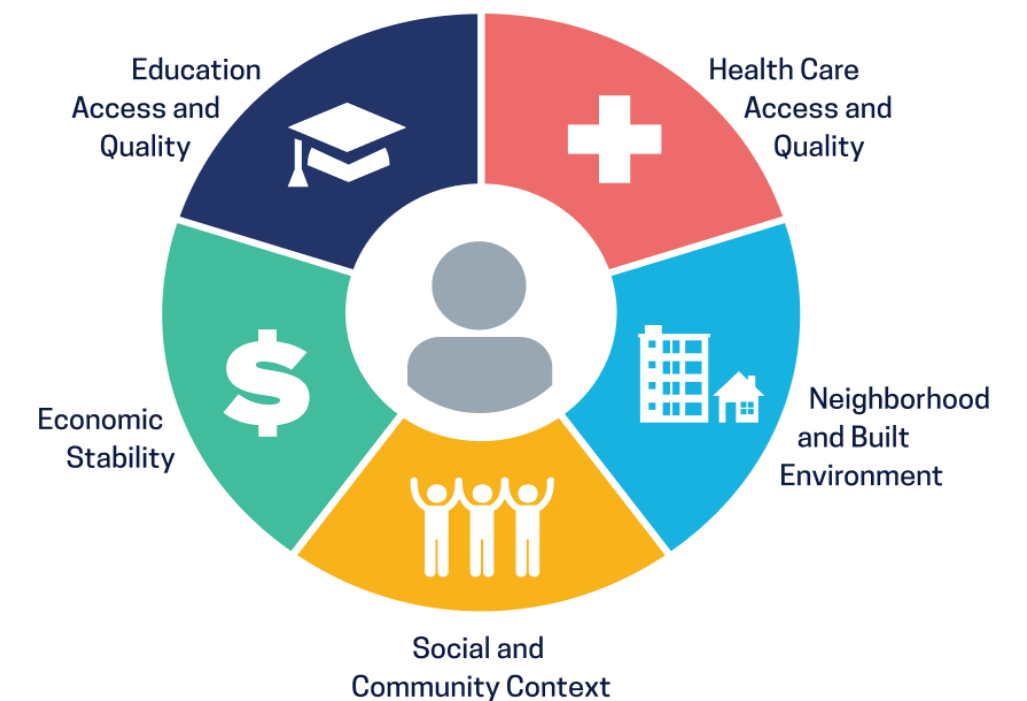
- Conditions in the environments where people are born, live, learn, work, play, worship, and age that affect a wide range of health, functioning, and quality-of-life outcomes and risks (*Healthy People 2030*).
- Contribute to health disparities and inequities.
- Have a major impact on people's health, well-being, and quality of life.



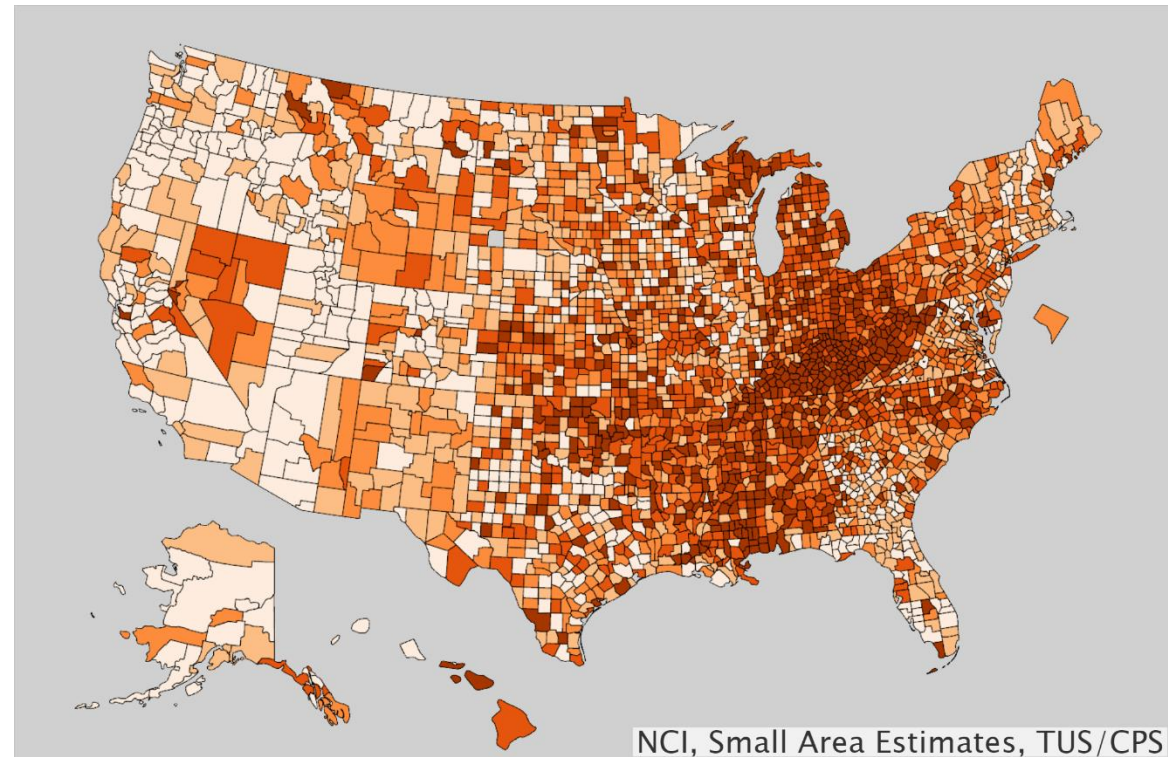
• Social Determinants of Health

- Safe housing and local food markets
- Educational, economic, and job opportunities
- Health care services
- Transportation options
- Public safety
- Social support
- Social norms and attitudes (e.g., discrimination, racism, and distrust of government)
- Exposure to crime, violence, and social disorder (e.g., lack of cooperation in a community)
- Socioeconomic conditions (e.g., concentrated poverty and the stressful conditions that accompany it)
- Access to mass media and emerging technologies (e.g., cell phones, the Internet, and social media)

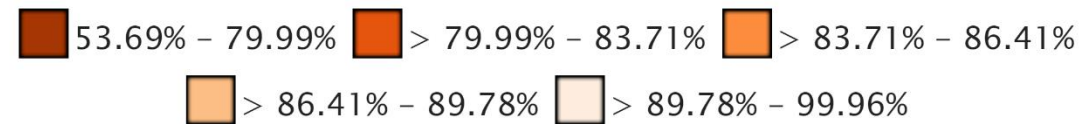
Social Determinants of Health



Zip Code Better Predictor of Health than Genetic Code

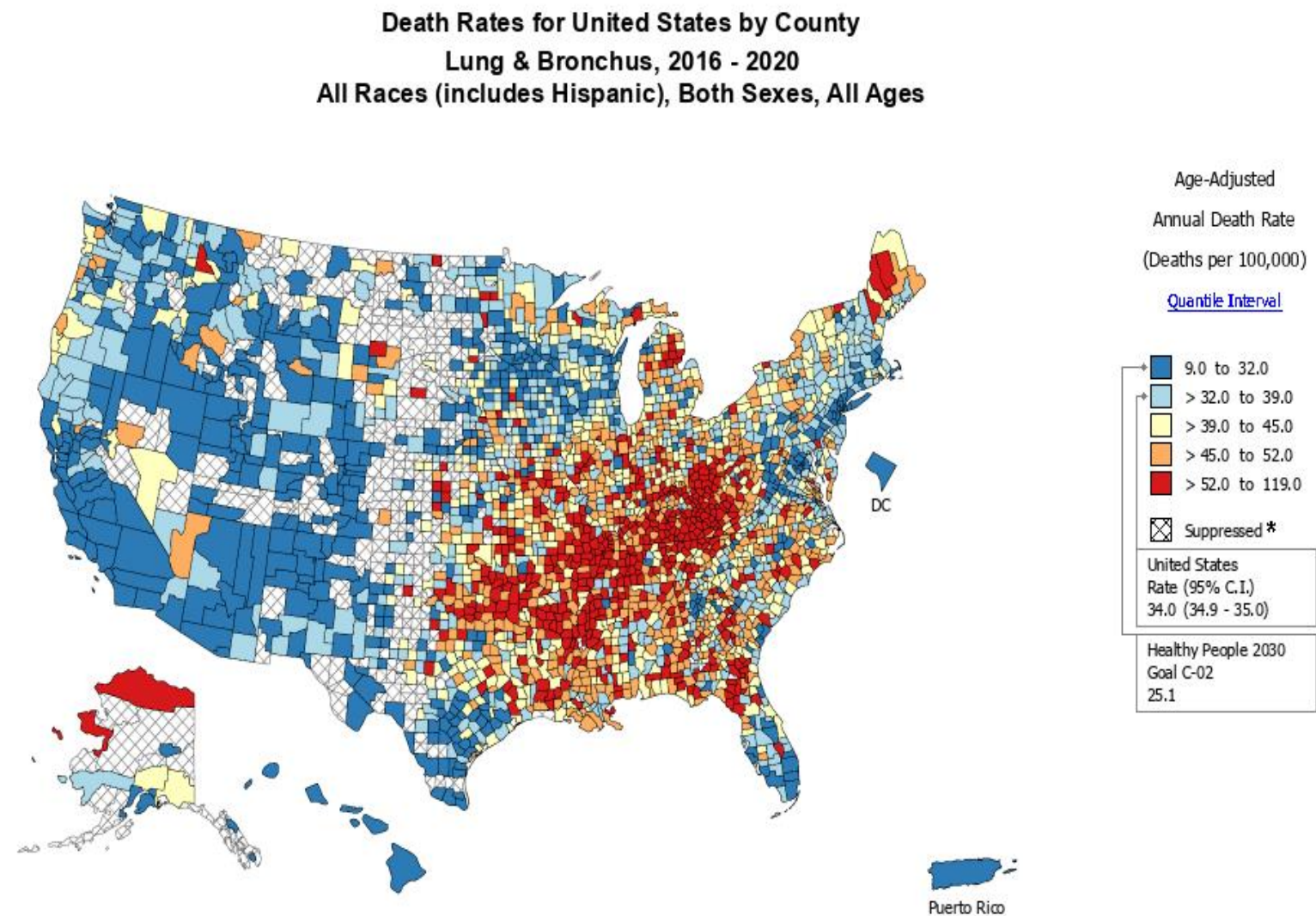


Smoke-Free Home (Age 18+)
Estimated Percent
US by County, 2014-2015



Generated by <https://sae.cancer.gov/tus-cps/estimates> on 4/23/2023 at 8:20 am

Small Area Estimates for Tobacco Use and Policies. National Cancer Institute, DCCPS, Statistical Research & Applications Branch, released May 2016 (sae.cancer.gov). Underlying data provided by the Tobacco Use Supplement to the Current Population Survey (<http://cancercontrol.cancer.gov/brp/tcrb/tus-cps/>).



Notes:
 Note: Alaska, DC, Hawaii and Puerto Rico are not drawn to scale.
[State Cancer Registries](#) may provide more current or more local data.
 Data presented on the State Cancer Profiles Web Site may differ from statistics reported by the State Cancer Registries ([for more information](#)).
 Source: Death data provided by the [National Vital Statistics System](#) public use data file. Death rates calculated by the National Cancer Institute using [SEER*Stat](#). Death rates (deaths per 100,000 population per year) are age-adjusted to the [2000 US standard population](#) (19 age groups: <1, 1-4, 5-9, ... , 80-84, 85+). The Healthy People 2030 goals are based on rates adjusted using different methods but the differences should be minimal. Population counts for denominators are based on the [Census US Population Data](#) File as modified by NCI.
 * Data have been [suppressed](#) to ensure confidentiality and stability of rate estimates. Data is currently being suppressed if there are fewer than 16 counts for the time period.
 Healthy People 2030 Goal C-02 : Reduce the lung cancer death rate to 25.1.
[Healthy People 2030](#) Objectives provided by the [Centers for Disease Control and Prevention](#).
 Data for the United States does not include data from Puerto Rico



“Your ZNA is as important as your DNA”
 Robert Winn, MD

Moore's Cancer Center Catchment Area

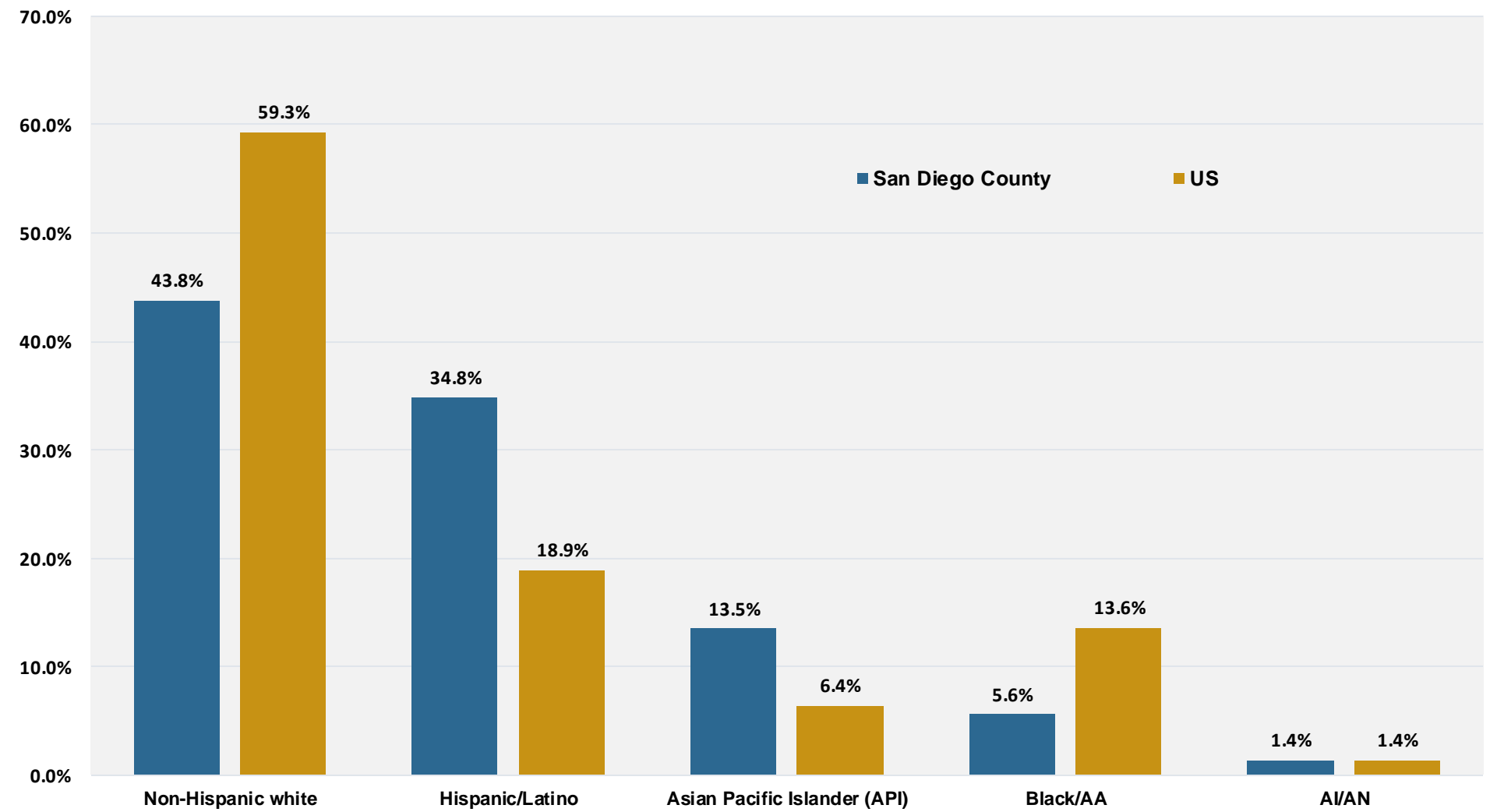


SAN DIEGO COUNTY

- 3.3 Million Residents
- 5th Most Populous in US
- 4206 Square Miles



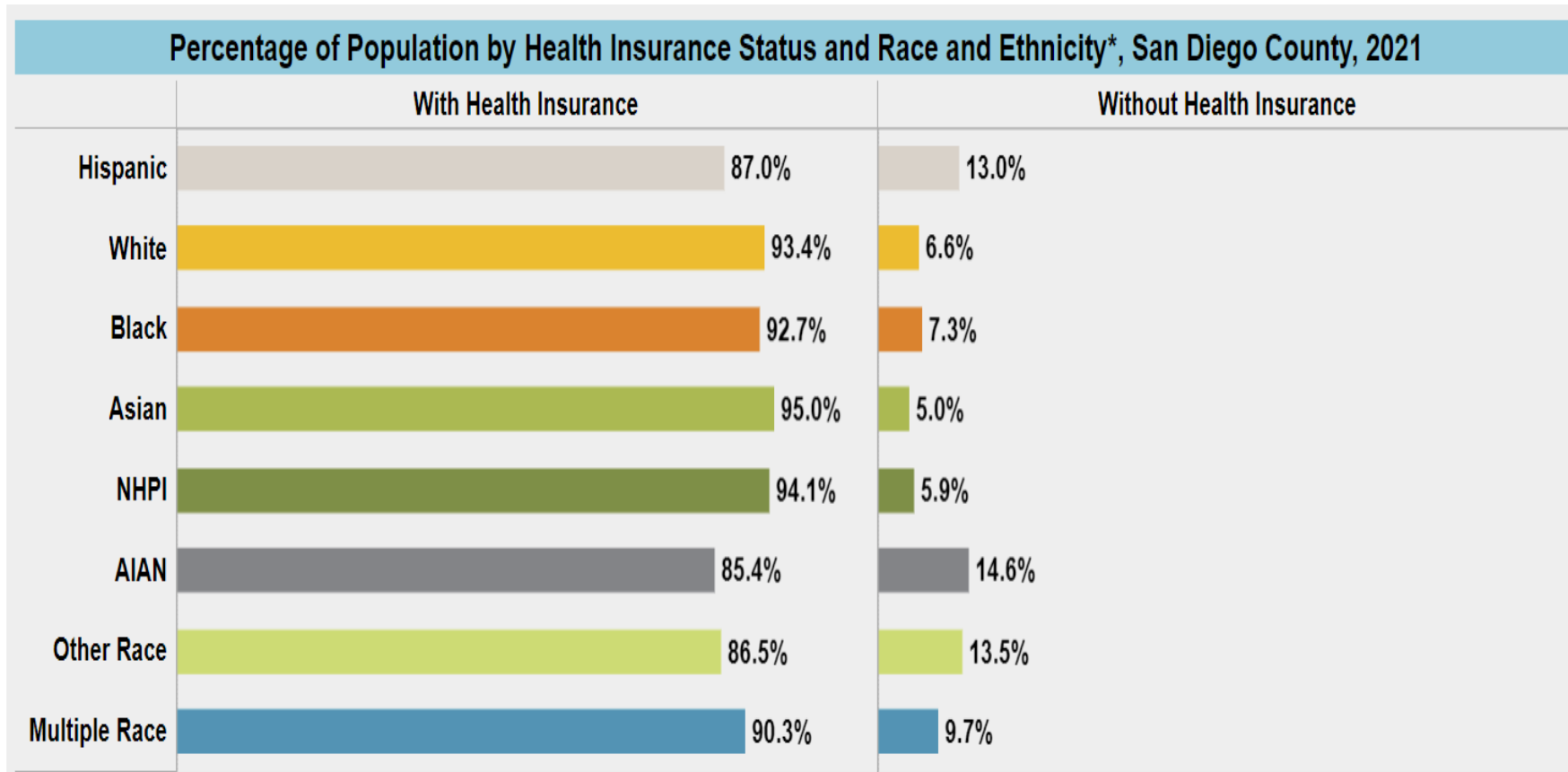
SAN DIEGO COUNTY DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS MAJORITY-MINORITY BORDER REGION



Source: 2021 US Census

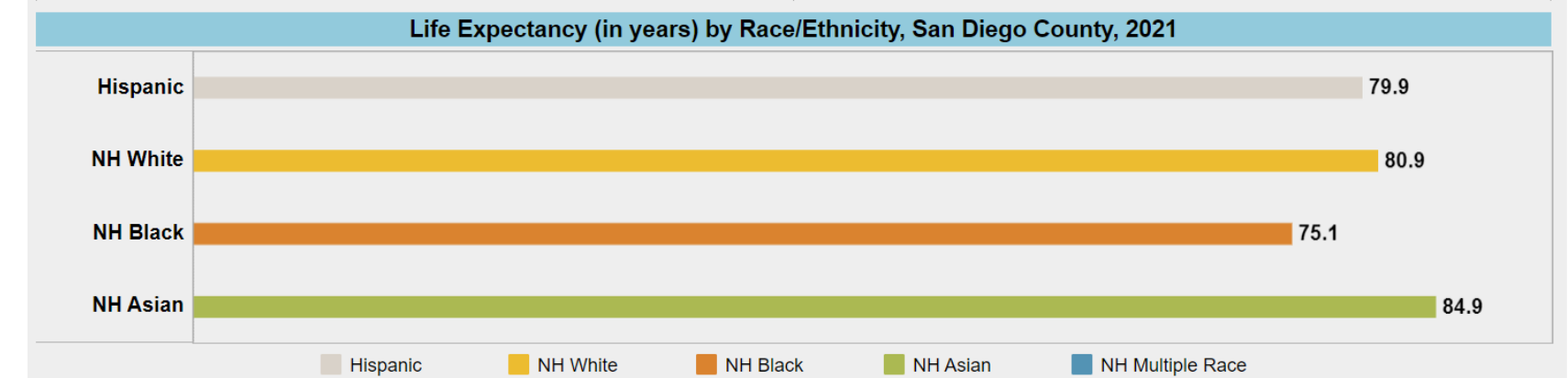
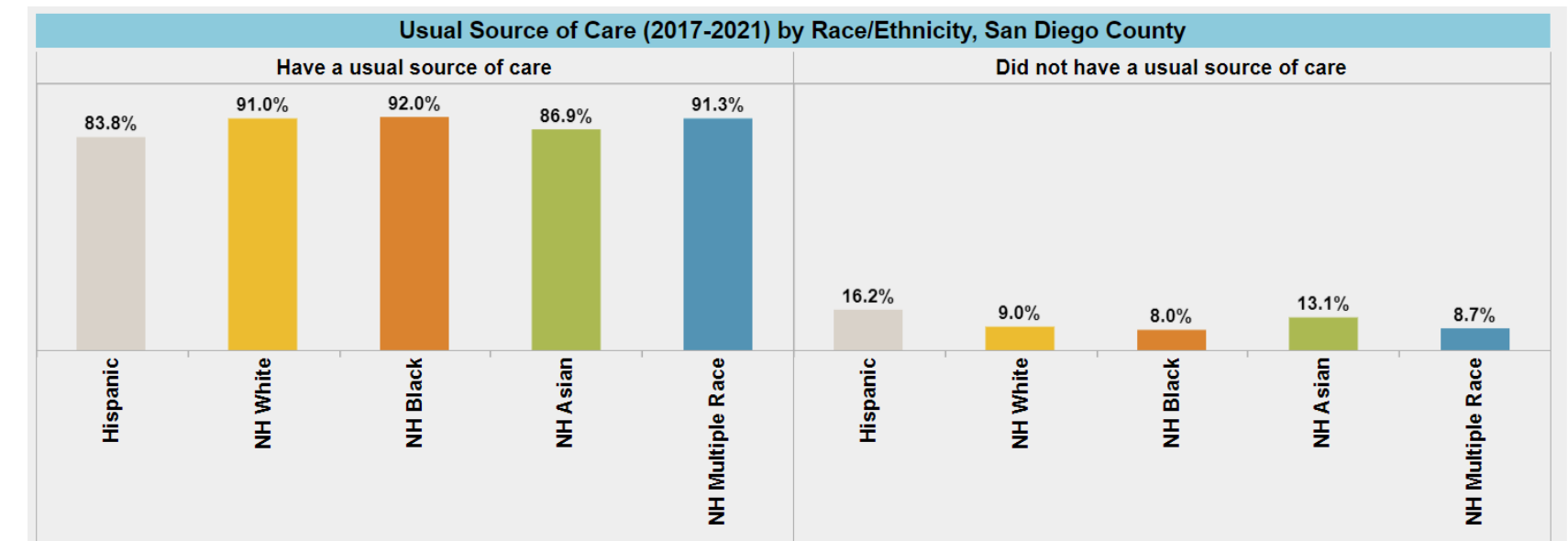
Social Determinants of Health in San Diego County

Health Insurance and Usual Source of Care



■ Hispanic
 ■ White
 ■ Black
 ■ Asian
 ■ NHPI
 ■ AIAN
 ■ Other Race
 ■ Multiple Race

NHPI: Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, **AIAN:** American Indian/Alaska Native.
 *Data by race and ethnicity includes possible overlap between racial and ethnic groups, as Hispanic includes population of Hispanic/Latino origin of all races and each racial group includes population of all ethnicities.
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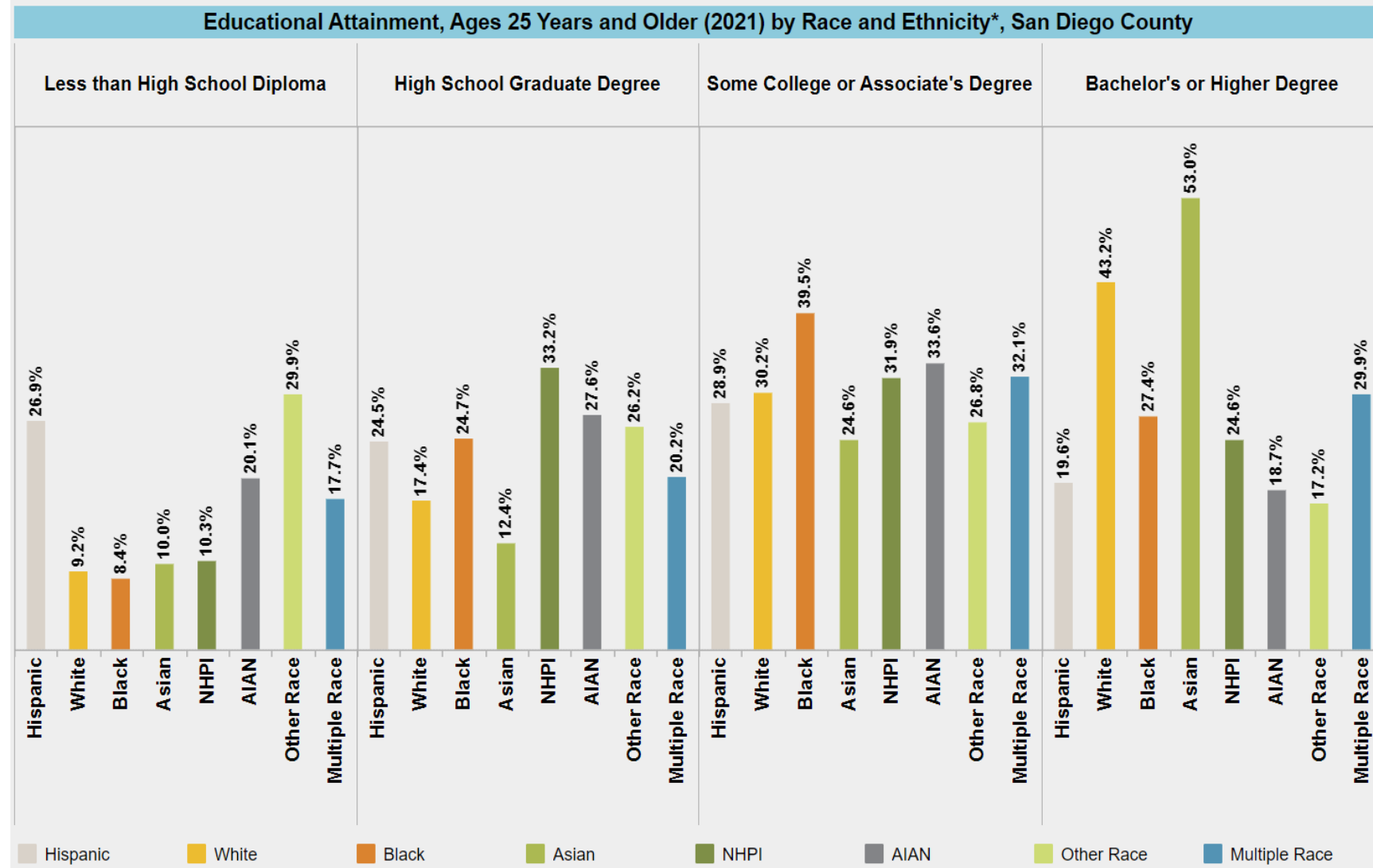


Note: **NH** indicates Non-Hispanic.
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 Sources: UCLA Center for Health Policy Research, Los Angeles, CA. AskCHIS 2017-2021. Available at <http://ask.chis.ucla.edu>.
 Life Expectancy: California Department of Public Health, Center for Health Statistics, Office of Health Information and Research, Vital Records Business Intelligence System (VRBIS). SANDAG Population Estimates, 2021 (vintage: 09/2022). *Population estimates were derived using the 2010 Census and data should be considered preliminary.
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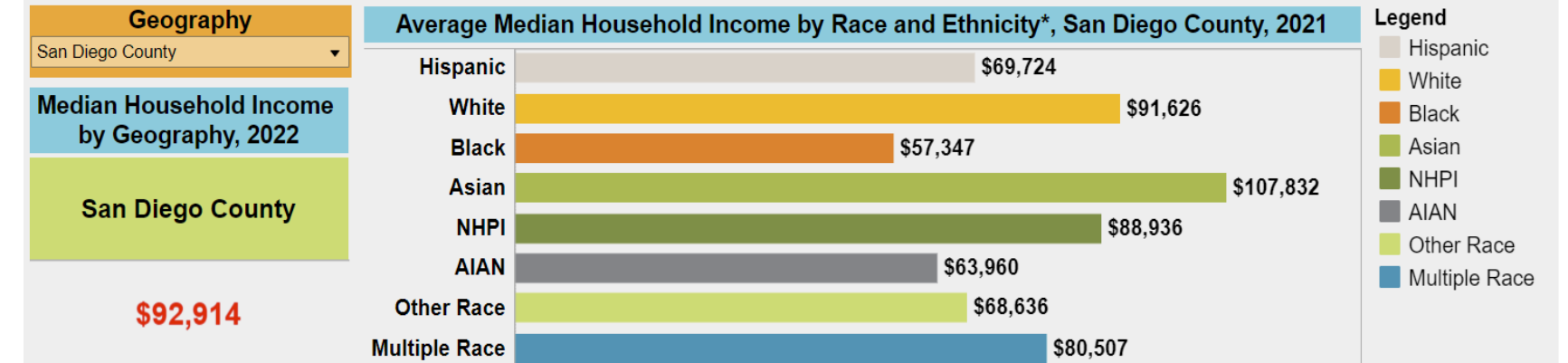
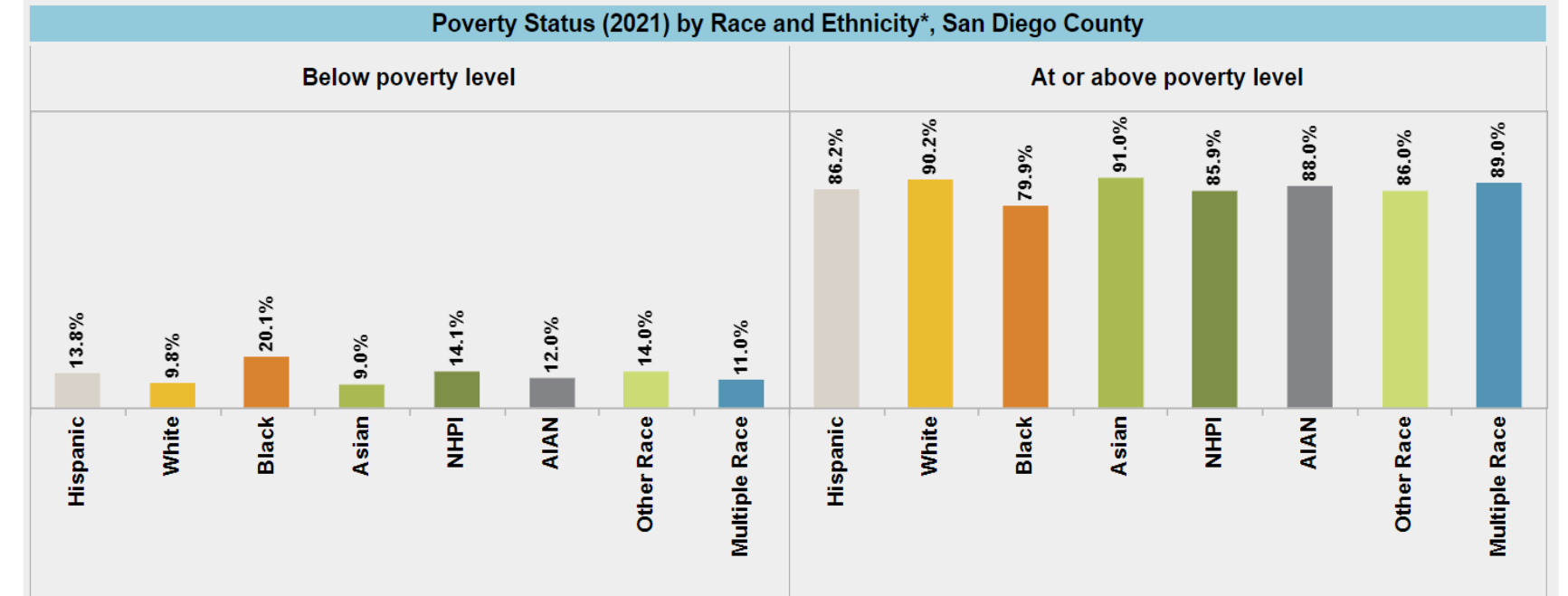


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Education and Poverty



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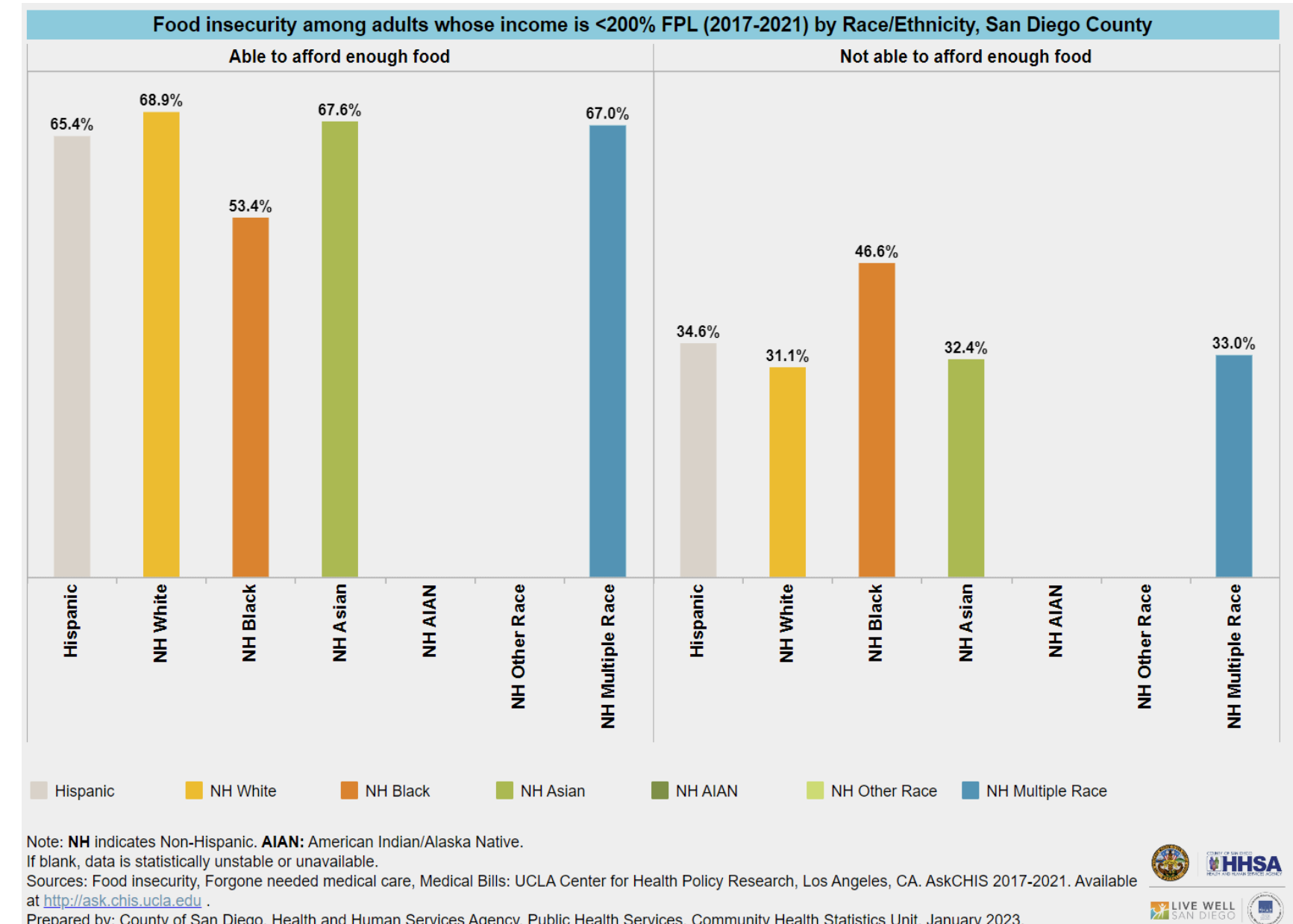
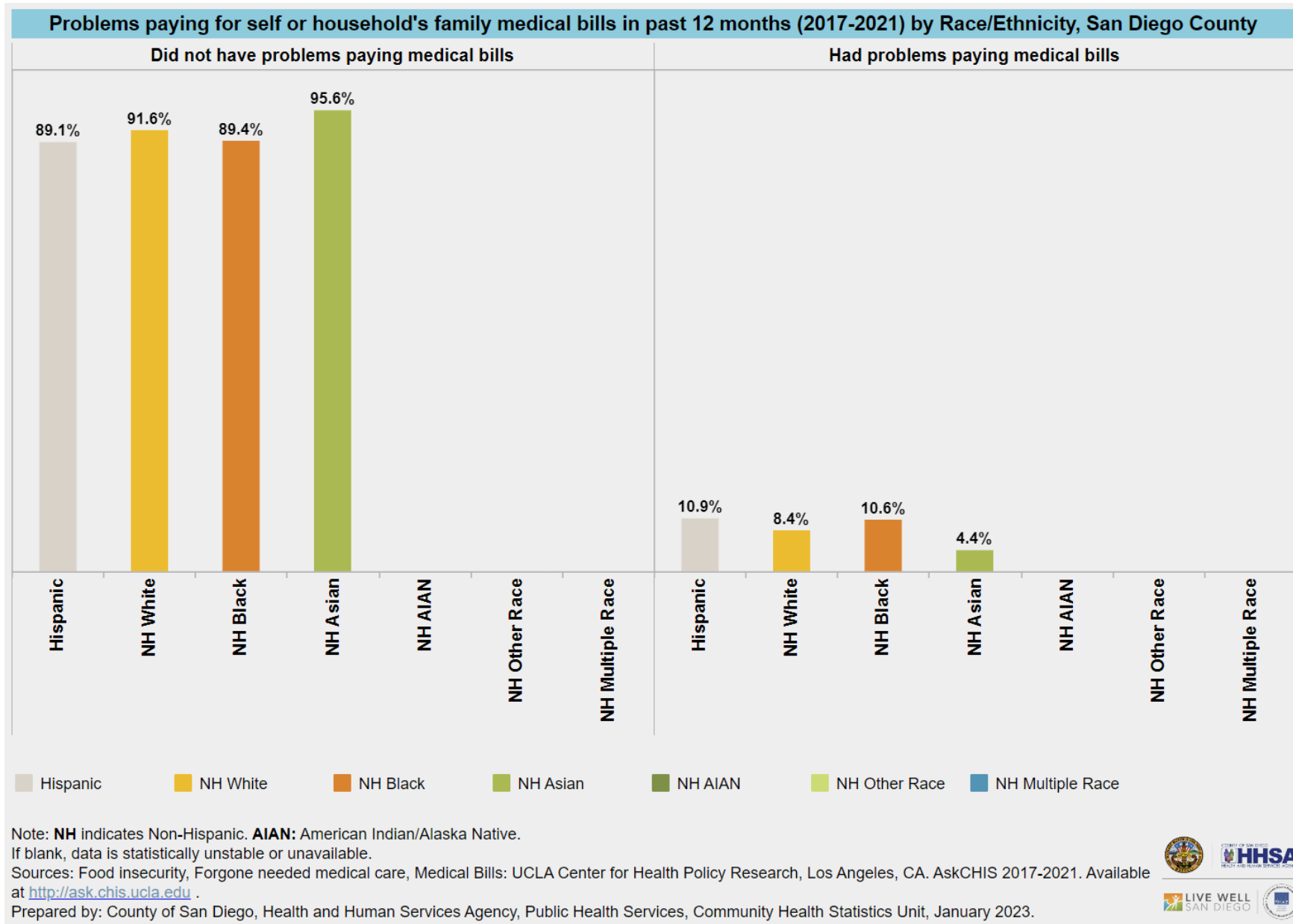


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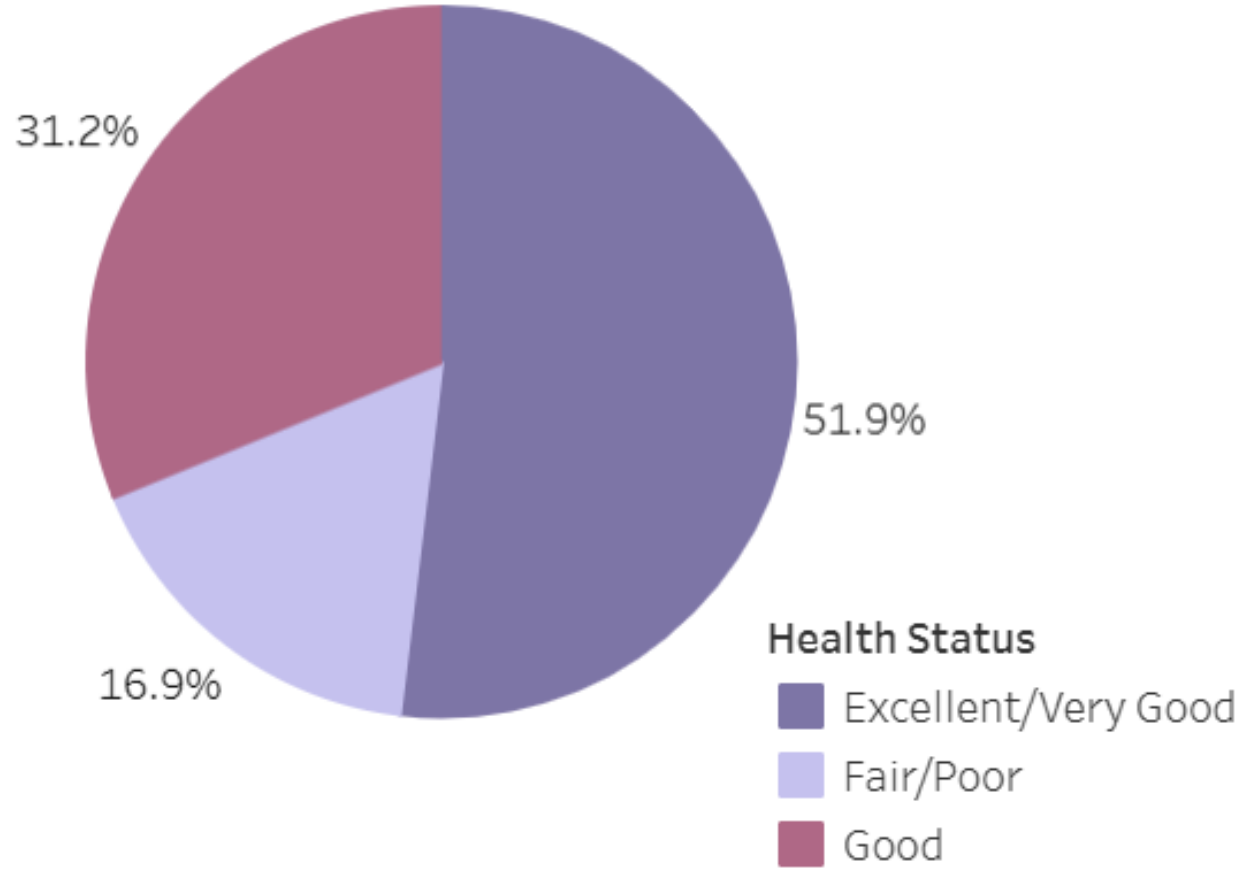
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Problems Paying Medical Bills and Food Insecurity

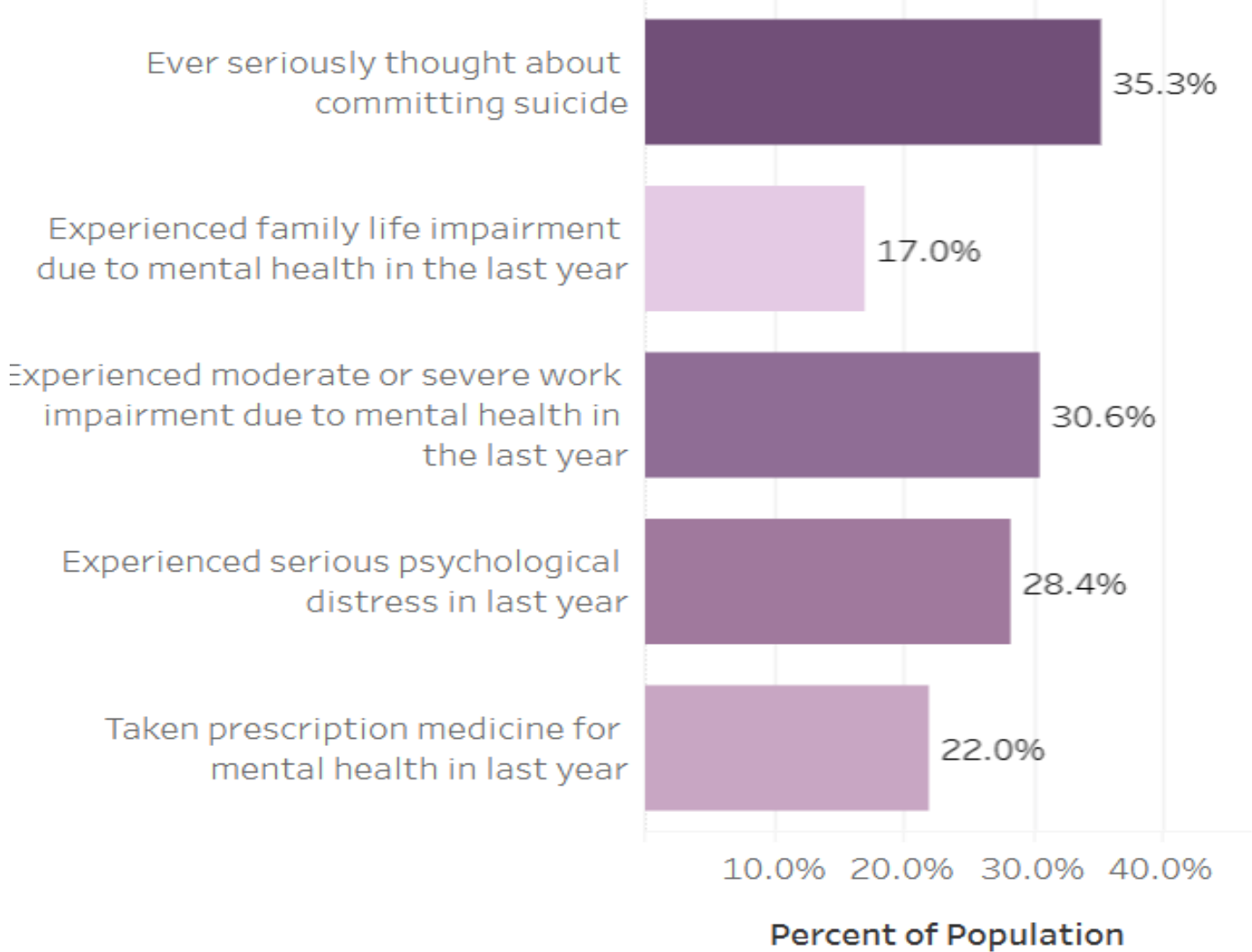


Health and Wellbeing among LGBTQ Population in San Diego County

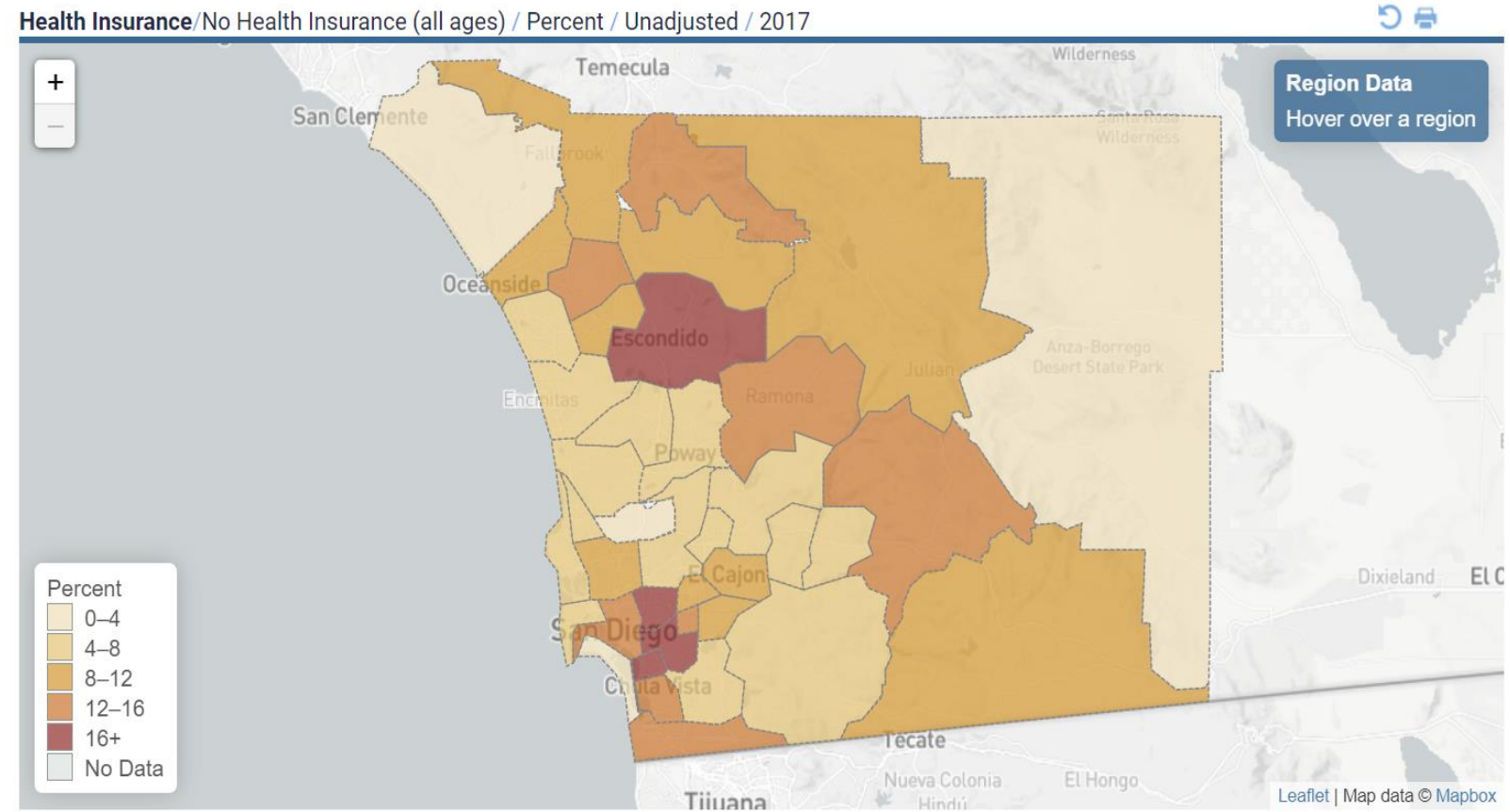
Overall Health Status Among the Adult LGBTQ Population in San Diego County



Mental Health Outcomes Among the Adult LGBTQ Population in San Diego County



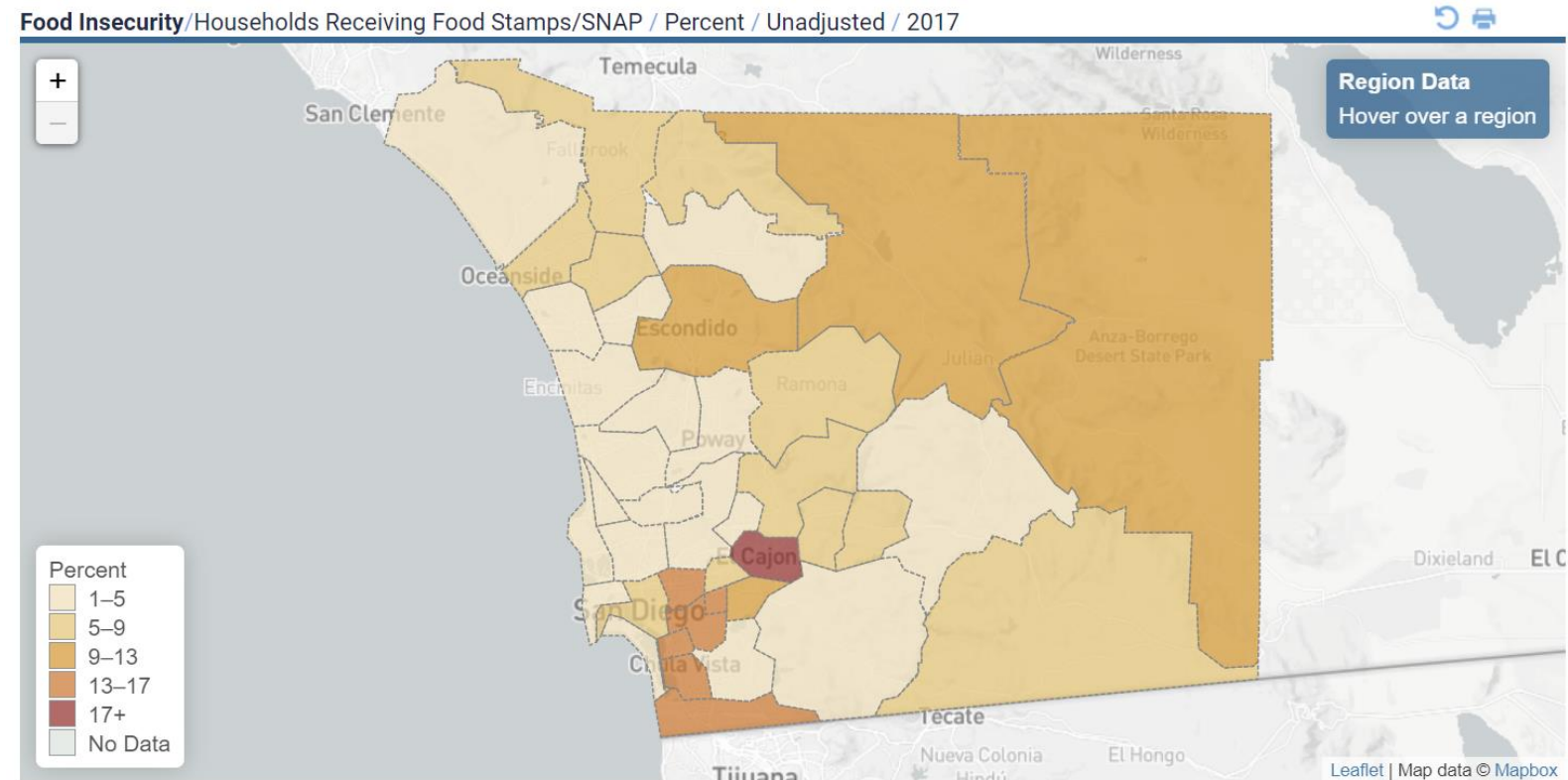
Percent with no health insurance



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<http://moores.healthdat.org/>

Percent of households receiving food stamps



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Additional Resources for Cancer Statistics

San Diego Community Snapshots

moorecancercenter.ucsd.edu/outreach

LATINOS IN SAN DIEGO COMMUNITY SNAPSHOT
COMMUNITY OUTREACH & ENGAGEMENT
MOORE'S CANCER CENTER AT UC SAN DIEGO HEALTH

ASIAN & PACIFIC ISLANDERS IN SAN DIEGO COMMUNITY SNAPSHOT
COMMUNITY OUTREACH & ENGAGEMENT
MOORE'S CANCER CENTER AT UC SAN DIEGO HEALTH

AFRICAN AMERICAN/BLACK SAN DIEGANS COMMUNITY SNAPSHOT
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POPULATION
In 2019, San Diego County had a total population of 3.3 million, with Hispanic/Latino making 34.1% of the county's total population [1]. This makes H/Ls the second largest race/ethnicity group in San Diego County. The South Region has the largest H/L presence at 61.3% (Chula Vista, National City, Imperial Beach) [1]. Followed by Vista, Escondido, and Lemon Grove.

INCOME
Per capita income among Hispanic/Latino individuals is \$24,363, which is lower than the county average of \$30,100 [2].

HEALTH INSURANCE
In 2019, 16.7% of Hispanic/Latino were uninsured [2].

POVERTY AND UNEMPLOYMENT
12.9% Hispanic/Latino in San Diego County are in poverty, compared to the overall H/L poverty rate of 17.2% in the US [3]. The unemployment rate of H/Ls in San Diego County is 6.8%, which is higher than the H/L unemployment rate of 5.1% in the US [3].

EDUCATION
In 2019, 72.5% of Hispanic/Latino in San Diego County had at least a high school degree or higher and 19.4% hold a Bachelor's degree [3].

POPULATION
In 2019, San Diego County had a total population of 3.3 million. Among the non-Hispanic Black population, 4.7% (136,084) were Black. The central region of San Diego County had the largest African American/Black presence with 11.1% - cities include Lemon Grove, La Mesa, San Diego, and El Cajon [1].

INCOME
Per capita income among African American individuals was \$29,614 [2]. Between 2015 and 2019, the median household income for African American individuals living in San Diego County was \$55,842 [1]. This was lower than the median income of \$78,980 for all households in San Diego County [2].

HEALTH INSURANCE
In 2019, 95.6% of Asians and 94.5% of Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islanders in San Diego County had health insurance, higher than the county's 92% average insured rate [2]. In the United States, 4.2% of Asians were without health insurance coverage, compared to 4.4% uninsured in San Diego County [4].

OCCUPATION
According to the U.S. Bureau of Labor and Statistics in 2021, more Asians worked in management, professional, and related occupations (58.1%), compared to whites (42.8%), Blacks (33.9%), or Hispanic/Latino (24.5%) [2].

EDUCATION
92% of Blacks ages 25 and older in San Diego County have at least a high school degree or higher and 26% hold a Bachelor's degree [4]. In the US, 77% have graduated from high school or higher and almost a quarter (23%) have a bachelor's degree or more [2].

FOREIGN-BORN PERSONS FROM AFRICA
Foreign-born persons from the continent of Africa have contributed most significantly to the growth in the foreign-born population in the City of San Diego. Over the past five years, the foreign-born population from the continent of Africa has grown by 3.9% and the City of San Diego from Latin America and Asia grew by 3.9% and 6.9%, respectively. Some of the fastest growing foreign-born populations come from Kenya, Sudan, and Nigeria. The foreign-born Black/African-American population accounts for 15.1% of the entire non-Hispanic Black/African-American population [5].

2021 Community Profiles by HHS Region

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Community Health Statistics Unit

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2021 Community Profiles by Municipality

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2021 Community Profiles by HHS Region

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Take Home Messages

- Health disparities come in many forms and affect different populations in different ways.
 - Although progress has been made in decreasing the burden of cancer in the U.S., the burden is unequal--disparities and inequities continue to exist.
 - Social Determinants of Health contribute to health disparities and inequities.
 - We all have a part in assessing and addressing health disparities in our communities and beyond.
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¡Muchas Gracias!



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GASTRIC CANCER: Examining Incidence, Survival, and Molecular Disparities

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Gastric Cancer : Examining Incidence, Survival, and Molecular Disparities

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Outline

- Gastric Cancer Basics
- Gastric Cancer Incidence Disparities Across Race and Ethnicity
- Gastric Cancer Survival Disparities Across Race and Ethnicity
- Gastric Cancer Mortality and Social Determinants of Health
- Future Direction – Molecular Subtypes

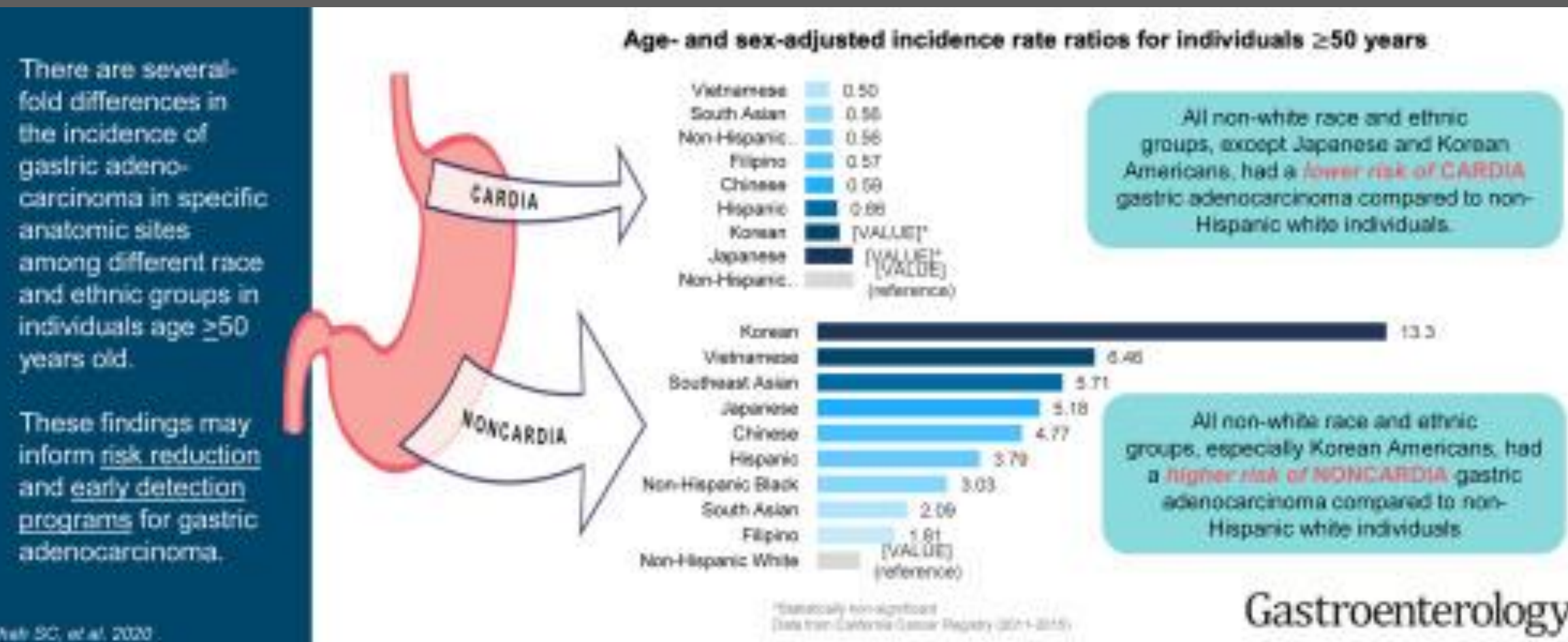
Gastric Cancer is a Leading Cause of Mortality

- 3rd most common cause of cancer-related deaths
 - 5 yr survival ~ 20%
- 4th most common cause of cancer
- anatomic location correlates with prognosis
- incidence varies globally

Population-Based Analysis of Differences in Gastric Cancer Incidence Among Races and Ethnicities in Individuals Age 50 Years and Older



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Evaluation of treatment and outcomes for Hispanic patients with gastric cancer at Commission on Cancer-accredited centers in the United States

Beiqun Zhao MD, Lawrence P. Leichman MD, Santiago Horgan MD, Michael Bouvet MD, Kaitlyn J. Kelly MD ✉

TABLE 3 Surgery-related comparisons for stage 0 to III patients

| | Hispanics | Non-Hispanics | P value |
|--------------------------------|--------------|----------------|----------------------------------|
| Gastrectomy performed | 2716 (63.5%) | 24 607 (56.9%) | < 0.001 ^a OR: 1.32 |
| Partial gastrectomy | 1807 (67.7%) | 16 399 (67.4%) | 0.777 ^a |
| Total gastrectomy | 862 (32.3%) | 7927 (18.3%) | |
| Gastrectomy upfront | 1747 (71.8%) | 13 713 (61.1%) | < 0.001 ^a OR: 1.62 |
| Staging laparoscopy | 239 (5.6%) | 2100 (4.9%) | 0.037 ^a OR: 1.16 |
| Minimally invasive gastrectomy | 397 (25.6%) | 3831 (29.1%) | 0.004 ^a OR: 0.84 |
| Greater than 15 LNs examined | 1457 (57.3%) | 11 750 (51.7%) | < 0.001 ^a OR: 1.25 |
| R0 Resection | 2262 (91.2%) | 21 245 (92.8%) | 0.004 ^a OR: 0.80 |
| 30-d Unplanned readmission | 168 (6.3%) | 1558 (6.5%) | 0.706 ^a |
| 30-d Mortality | 62 (2.7%) | 780 (3.7%) | 0.015 ^a OR: 0.72 |
| 90-d Mortality | 128 (5.6%) | 1609 (7.6%) | < 0.001 ^a OR: 0.71 |

TABLE 4 Adjunctive therapy

| | Hispanics | Non-Hispanics | P value |
|------------------------------------|--------------|----------------|----------------------------------|
| Neoadjuvant therapy (stage 0-I) | 157 (16%) | 1246 (11.6%) | < 0.001 ^a OR: 1.45 |
| Neoadjuvant therapy (stage II-III) | 560 (31.7%) | 7792 (38.7%) | < 0.001 ^a OR: 0.74 |
| Multimodal therapy (stage 0-I) | 438 (24.8%) | 3174 (17.7%) | < 0.001 ^a OR: 1.53 |
| Multimodal therapy (stage II-III) | 1171 (48.9%) | 11 381 (46.1%) | 0.010 ^a OR: 1.12 |

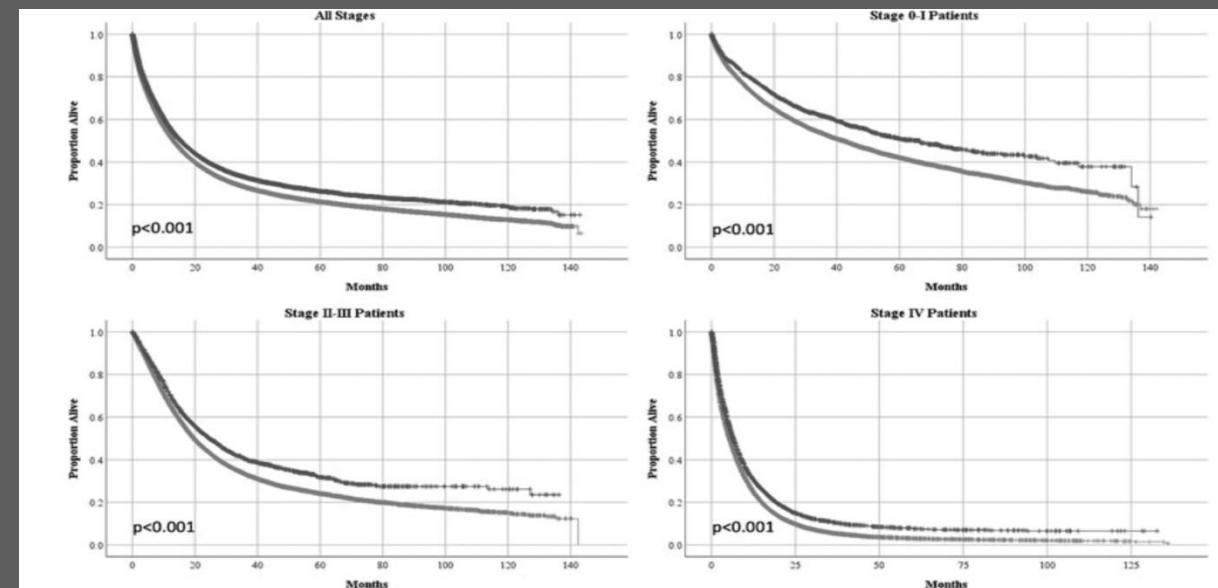


FIGURE 1 Overall survival of Hispanic and non-Hispanic gastric cancer patients by clinical stage (Black = Hispanic patients, Gray = non-Hispanic patients)

> [Cancer Causes Control](#). 2019 Jul;30(7):687-696. doi: 10.1007/s10552-019-01184-0.

Epub 2019 May 17.

Racial/ethnic differences in survival among gastric cancer patients in california

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| Subgroup | NHB vs. NHW | Hispanic vs. NHW | API vs. NHW |
|----------|-------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| | HR (95% CI) | HR (95% CI) | HR (95% CI) |
| Overall | 1.06 (0.98, 1.15) | 0.94 (0.90, 0.99) * | 0.83 (0.79, 0.88) ** |

| | Latinos (n = 3879) | NLW (n = 4612) |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| Sex | | |
| Men | 2166 (56%) | 3048 (66%) |
| Women | 1713 (44%) | 1564 (34%) |
| Age | | |
| Early onset (≤ 50 years) | 880 (23%) | 363 (8%) |
| Late onset (> 50 years) | 2999 (77%) | 4249 (92%) |
| Socioeconomic status | | |
| Lowest | 1285 (37%) | 435 (14%) |
| Medium/high | 2145 (63%) | 2736 (86%) |
| Histology | | |
| Intestinal | 1929 (62%) | 2739 (77%) |
| Diffuse | 1187 (38%) | 828 (23%) |
| Stage | | |
| Localized | 887 (23%) | 1282 (38%) |
| Regional/remote | 2580 (77%) | 2895 (62%) |

County Rurality and Socioeconomic Deprivation Is Associated With Reduced Survival From Gastric Cancer in the United States



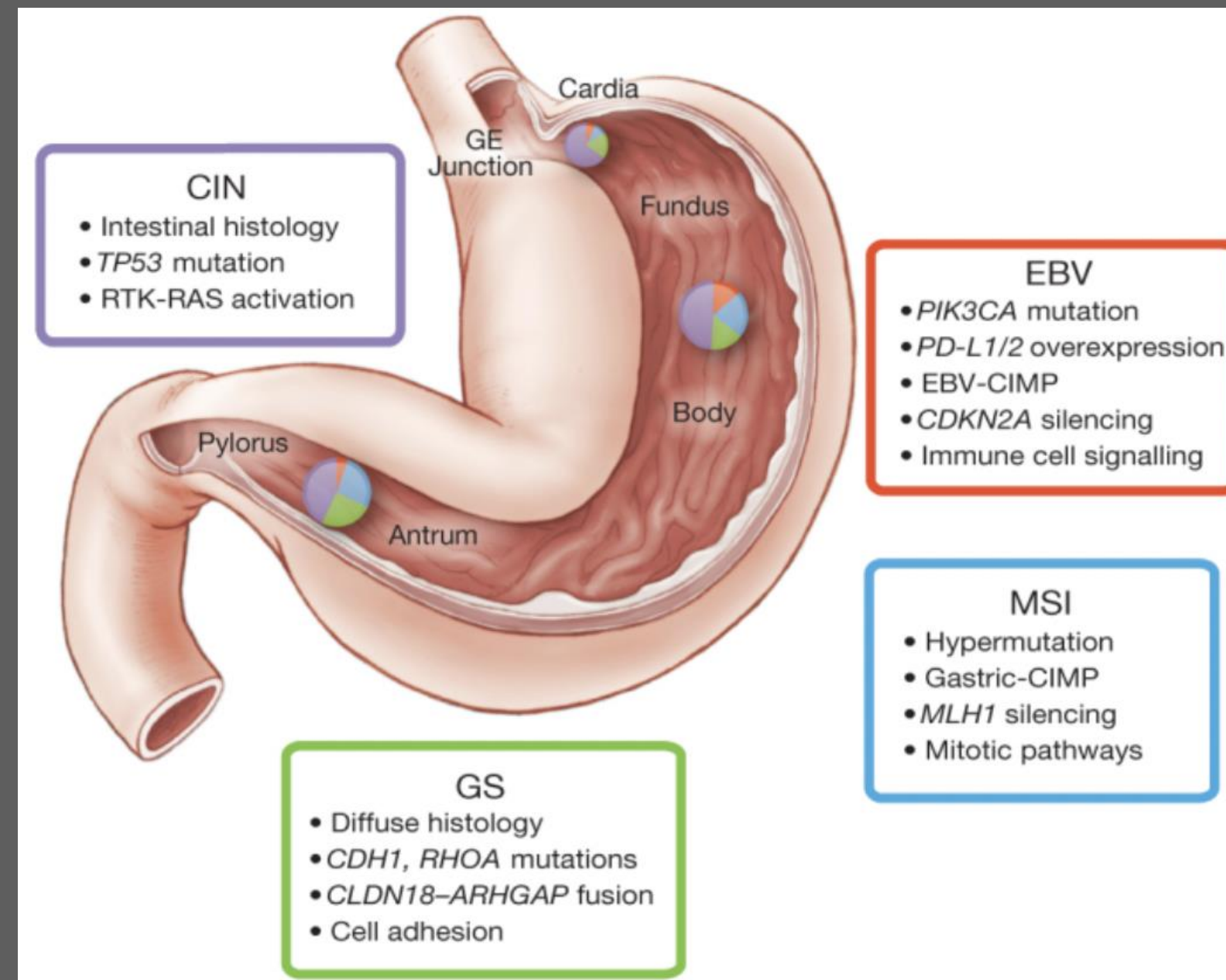
Robert J. Huang,^{1,*} Shailja C. Shah,^{2,*} M. Constanza Camargo,³ Latha Palaniappan,⁴ and Joo Ha Hwang¹

Table 1. Association Between County-level Factors and Gastric Cancer-specific Survival

| County-level Factor | All Stages (N = 107,562) | | Localized Stage (n = 27,078) | | Advanced Stage (n = 80,484) | |
|--|--------------------------|-------|------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|
| | HR (95% CI) | P | HR (95% CI) | P | HR (95% CI) | P |
| Rurality | | | | | | |
| Rural (vs urban) | 1.06 (1.03–1.10) | <.001 | 1.27 (1.16–1.39) | <.001 | 1.03 (0.99–1.06) | .2 |
| Educational attainment (% of population aged ≥ 25 years with at least a high-school degree) | | | | | | |
| Lowest tertile (<80.0%) | 1.00 | Ref. | 1.00 | Ref. | 1.00 | Ref. |
| Middle (80.0%–88.2%) | 0.99 (0.97–1.02) | .6 | 1.11 (1.05–1.20) | .001 | 0.97 (0.95–1.01) | .2 |
| Highest (>88.2%) | 0.91 (0.89–0.93) | <.001 | 0.91 (0.85–0.98) | .01 | 0.92 (0.90–0.94) | <.001 |
| P for trend | | <.001 | | .006 | | <.001 |
| Poverty (% of households below the federal poverty limit) | | | | | | |
| Lowest tertile (<10.3%) | 1.00 | Ref. | 1.00 | Ref. | 1.00 | Ref. |
| Middle (10.3%–16.5%) | 1.06 (1.04–1.08) | <.001 | 1.07 (1.00–1.13) | .04 | 1.06 (1.04–1.08) | <.001 |
| Highest (>16.5%) | 1.15 (1.11–1.18) | <.001 | 1.30 (1.20–1.42) | <.001 | 1.09 (1.05–1.12) | <.001 |
| P for trend | | <.001 | | <.001 | | <.001 |

Comprehensive molecular characterization of gastric adenocarcinoma

The Cancer Genome Atlas Research Network



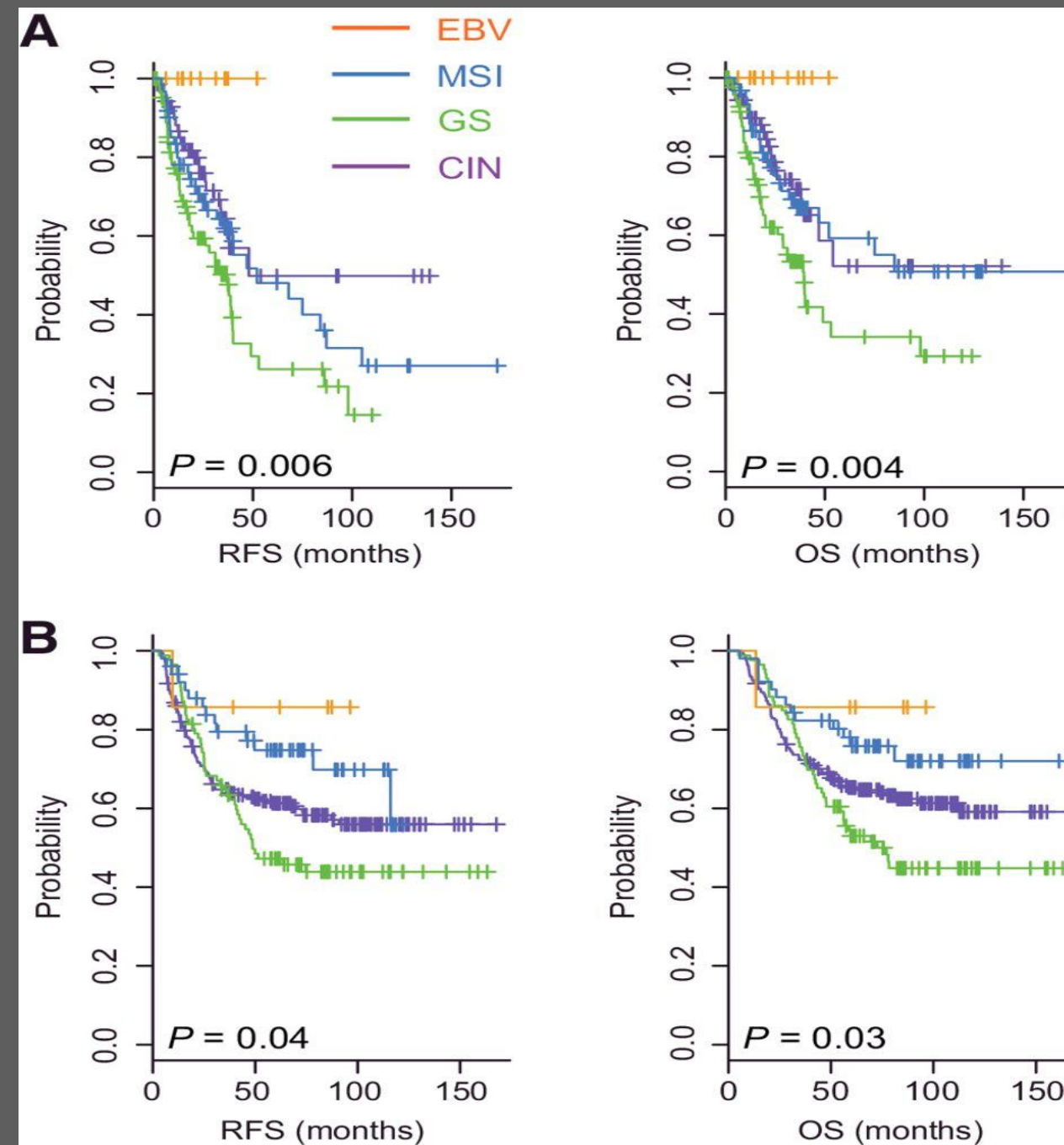
Clinical Significance of Four Molecular Subtypes of Gastric Cancer Identified by The Cancer Genome Atlas Project

Bo Hwa Sohn; Jun-Eul Hwang; Hee-Jin Jang; Hyun-Sung Lee; Sang Cheul Oh; Jae-Jun Shim; Keun-Wook Lee; Eui Hyun Kim; Sun Young Yim; Sang Ho Lee; Jae-Ho Cheong; Woojin Jeong; Jae Yong Cho; Joohee Kim; Jungsoo Chae; Jeeyun Lee; Won Ki Kang; Sung Kim; Sung Hoon Noh; Jaffer A. Ajani; Ju-Seog Lee 



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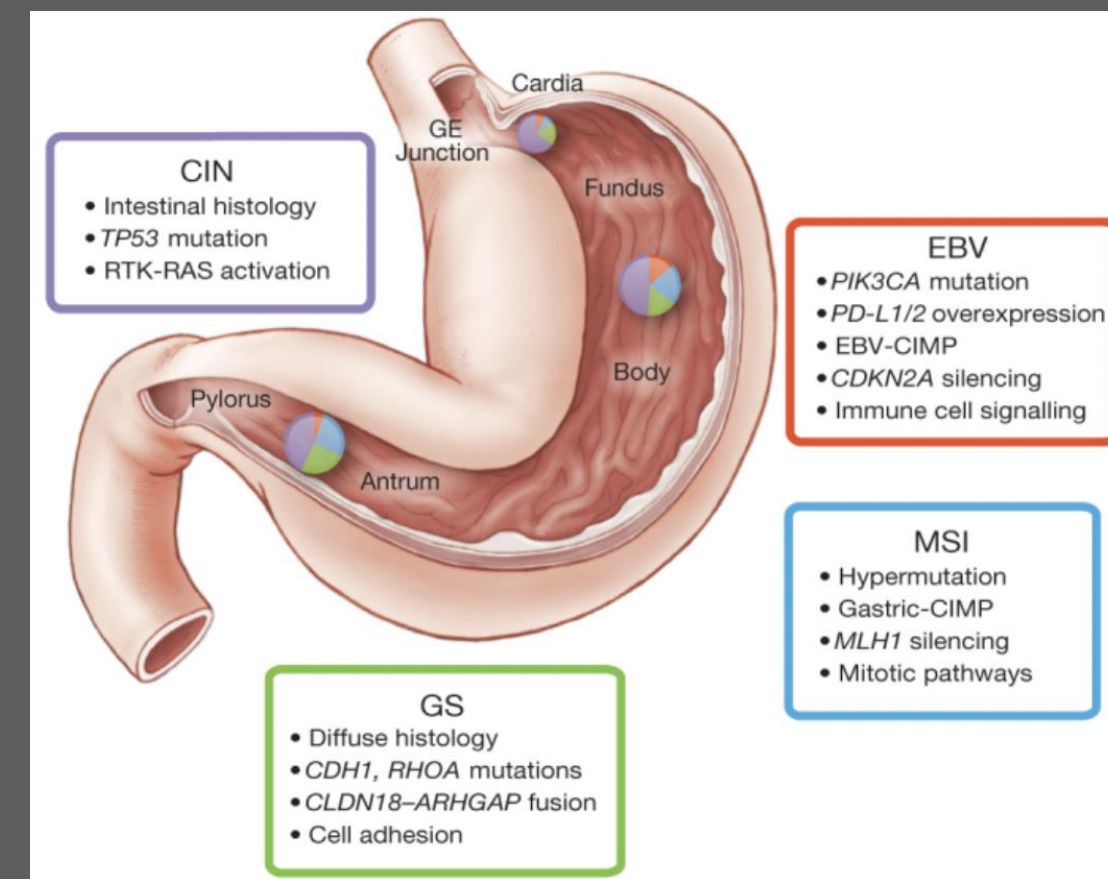
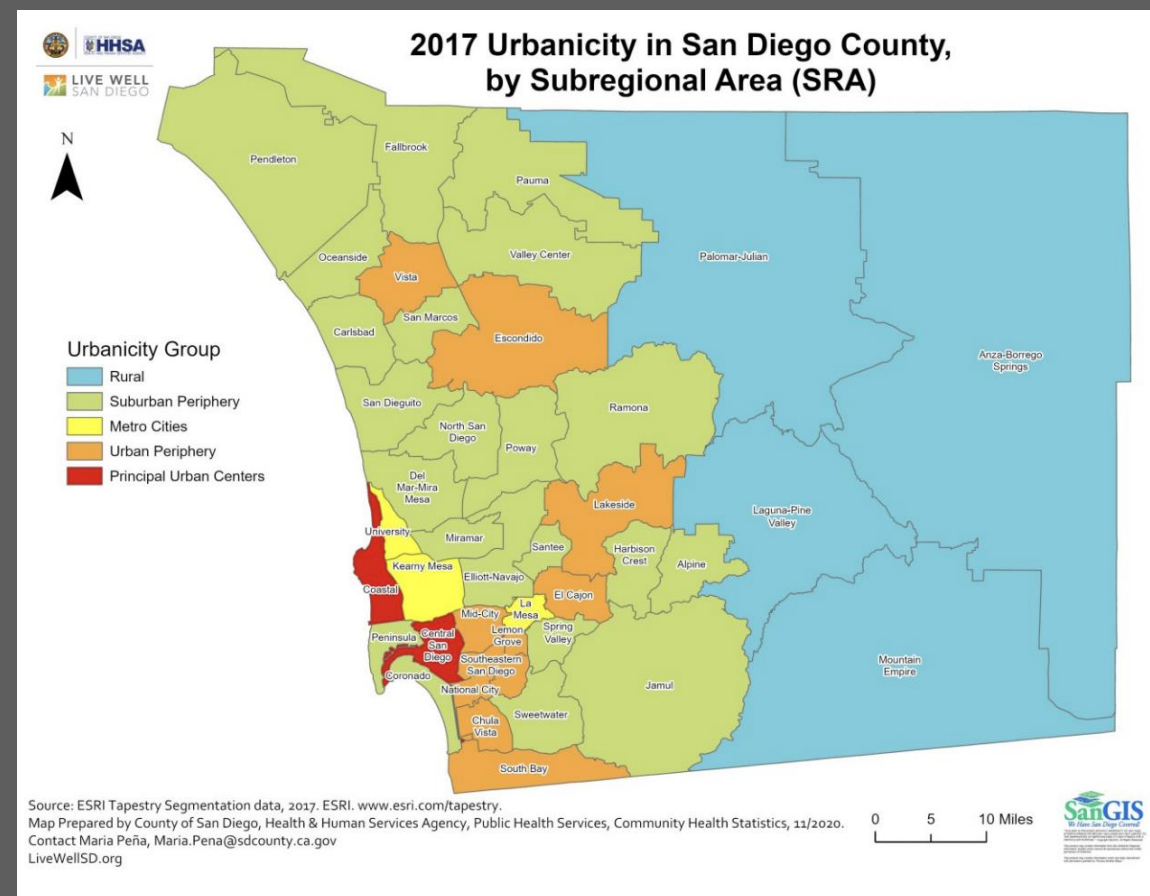


Future Direction: UC Wide Consortium led by Dr. Carvajal-Carmona

- Objective: To better understand the role genes play in cancer tumorigenesis among racial/ethnic minority gastric cancer patients.
- minority patient-derived organoids
- elucidate therapeutic sensitivity and resistance mechanisms in minority patients

Future Direction: Intersectionality of Molecular and Social Determinants in San Diego Gastric Cancer Patients

- Objective: To better understand the intersectionality of molecular and social determinants in local gastric cancer treatment access and survival.



Thank You

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Samir Gupta
Jim Murphy
Luis Carvajal-Carmona



UNDERSTANDING CANCER ETIOLOGY AMONG HISPANIC/LATINO HERITAGE GROUPS: THE HISPANIC COMMUNITY HEALTH STUDY/STUDY OF LATINOS (HCHS/SOL)

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Understanding Cancer Risk among Hispanic/Latino Heritage Groups:

The Hispanic Community Health Study (HCHS) /

Study of Latinos (SOL)
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U.S. Hispanics/Latinos

Population of 62 million, 19% of the US population in 2020

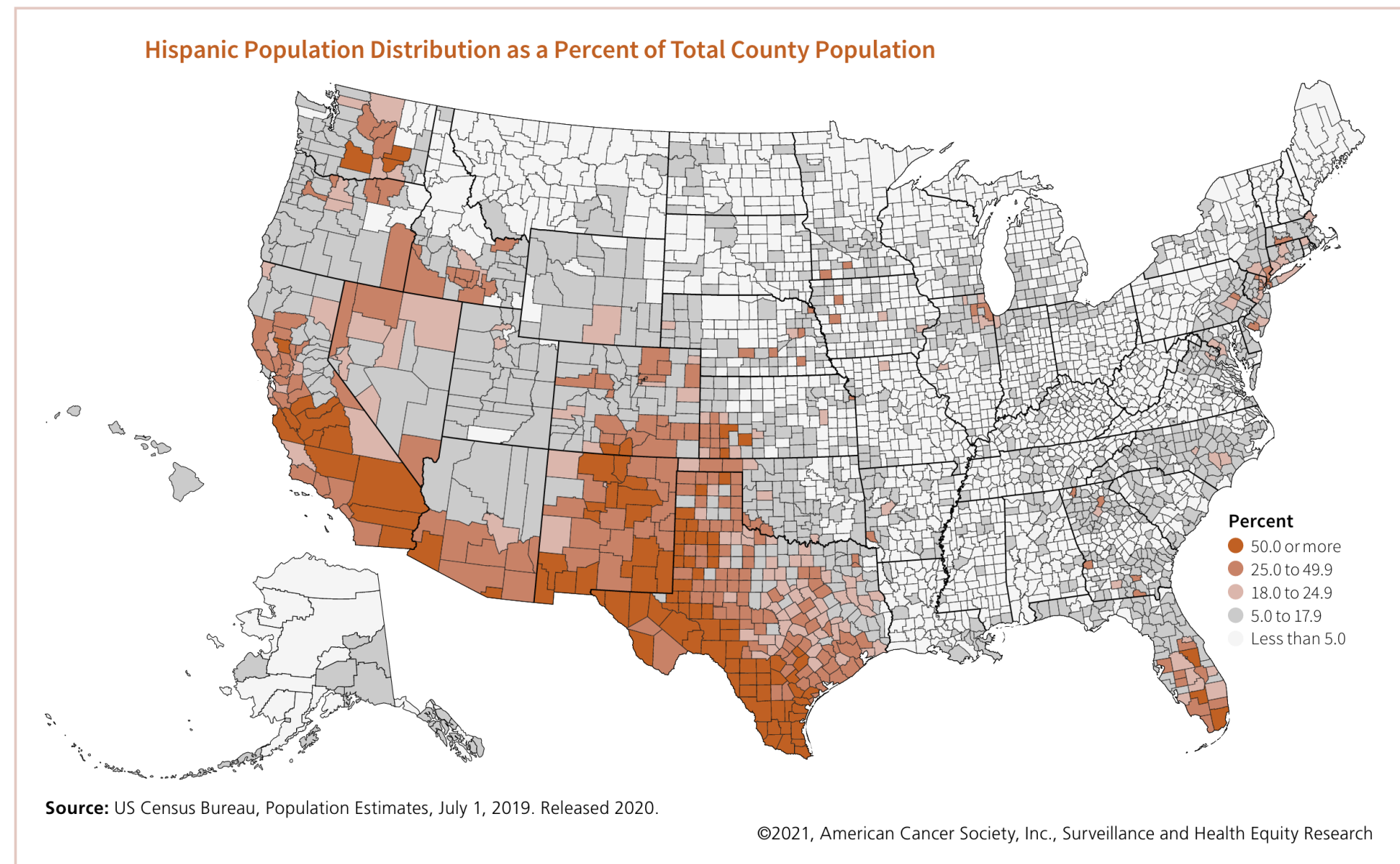
Mexican, 61.9%

Puerto Rican, 9.7%

Cuban, 4.0%

Salvadoran, 3.9%

Dominican, 3.5%



U.S. Hispanics/Latinos: Mexicans

Median Age: 27 y

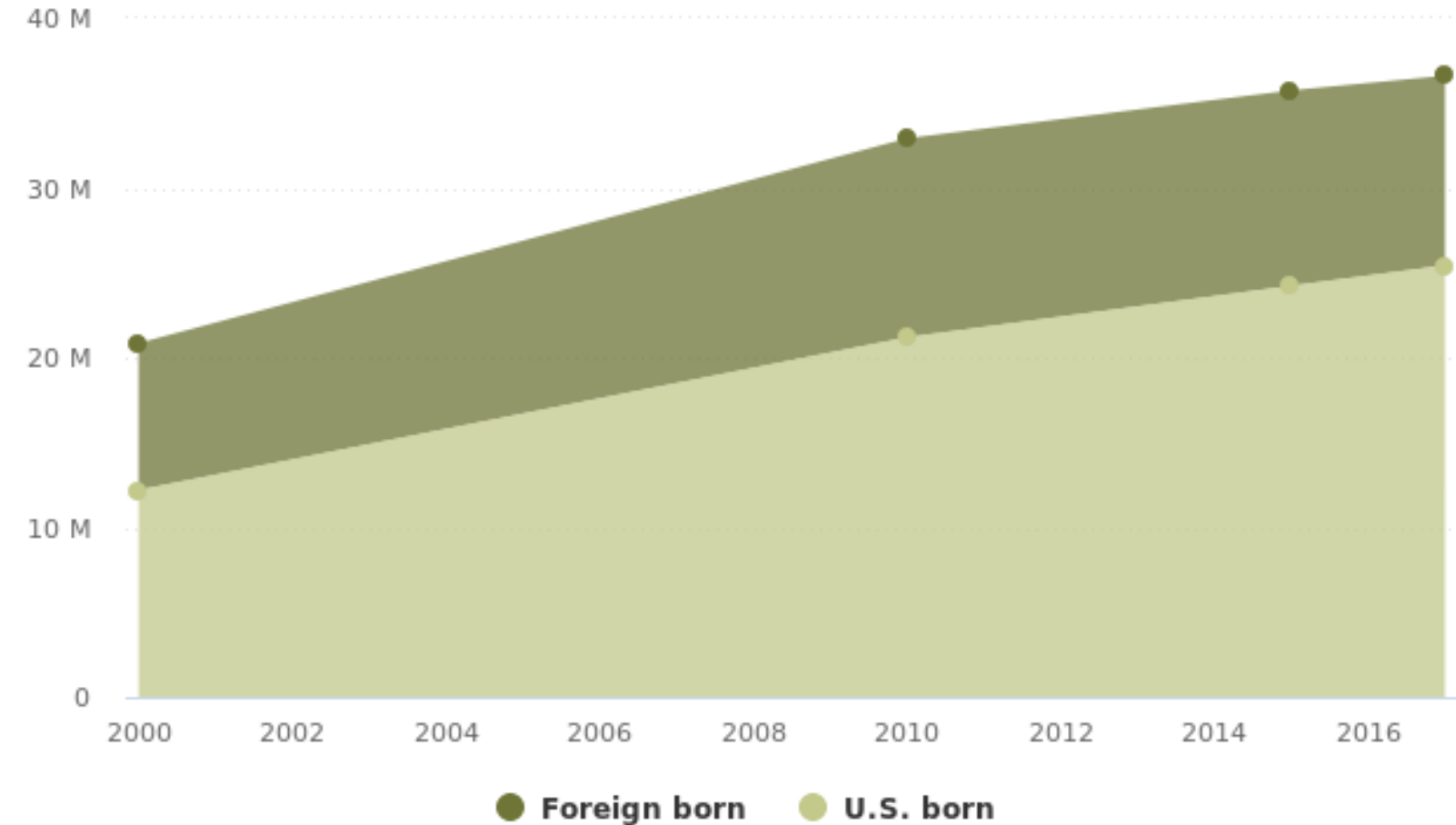
Education Attainment:
12% 25 y or older obtained at least a bachelor's degree

Median annual personal earnings: \$25,000

Poverty Status
20% live in poverty

Top States of Residence
California (35%)
Texas (26%)
Arizona (5%)

Mexican-origin population in the U.S., 2000-2017



Note: Latino origin is based on self-described ancestry, lineage, heritage, nationality group or country of birth.
Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of 2000 census (5% IPUMS) and 2010, 2015 and 2017 American Community Surveys (1% IPUMS).

U.S. Hispanics/Latinos: Puerto Ricans

Median Age: 30 y

Education Attainment:

19% 25 y or older obtained at least a bachelor's degree

Median annual personal earnings: \$28,600

Poverty Status

23% live in poverty

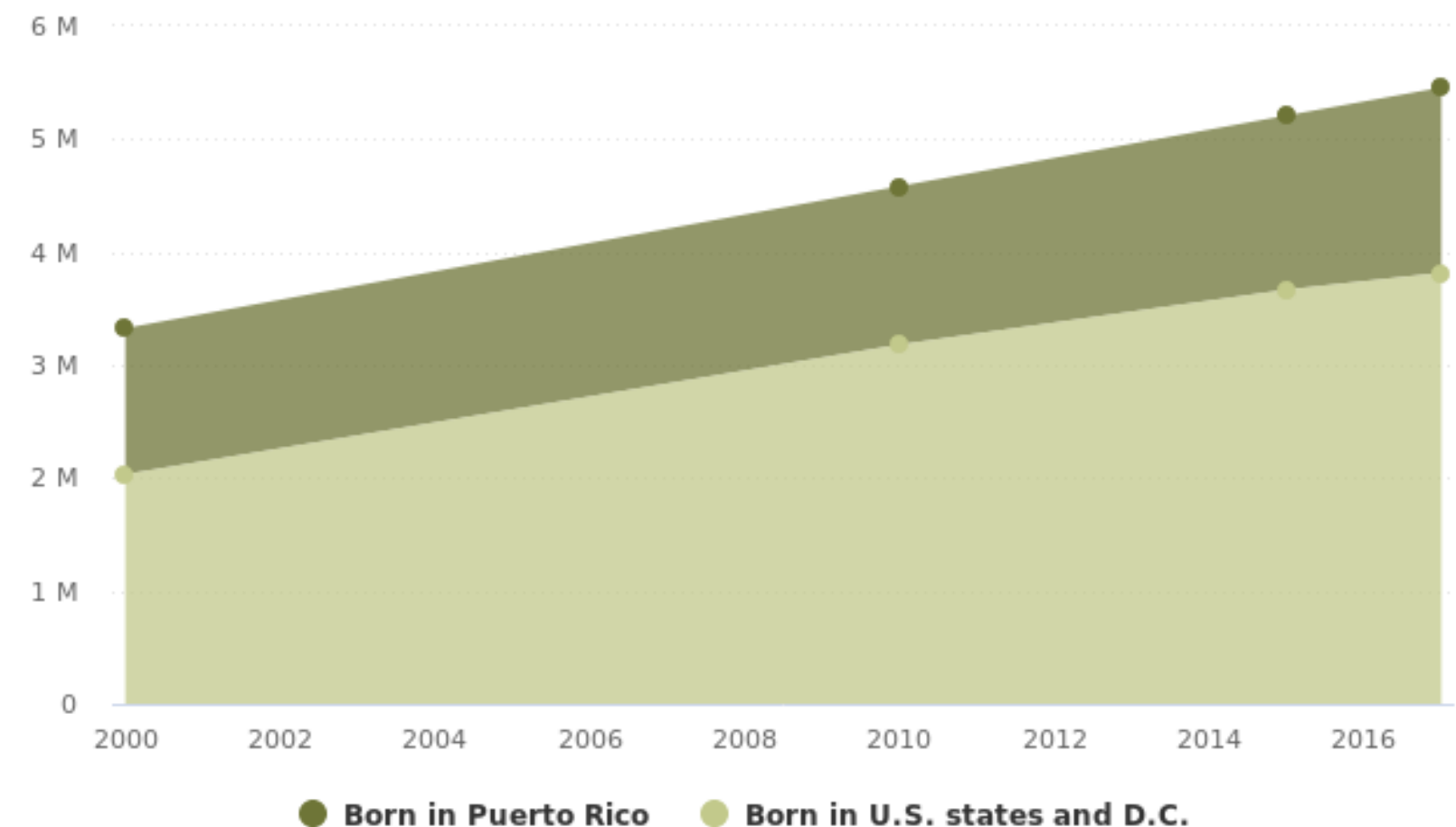
Top States of Residence

Florida (20%)

New York (20%)

New Jersey (8%)

Puerto Rican-origin population in U.S. states and D.C., 2000-2017



Note: Puerto Rican-origin population living in the 50 U.S. states and the District of Columbia. Latino origin is based on self-described ancestry, lineage, heritage, nationality group or country of birth.

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U.S. Hispanics/Latinos: Cubans

Median Age: 40 y

Education Attainment:

27% 25 y or older obtained at least a bachelor's degree

Median annual personal earnings: \$28,000

Poverty Status

16% live in poverty

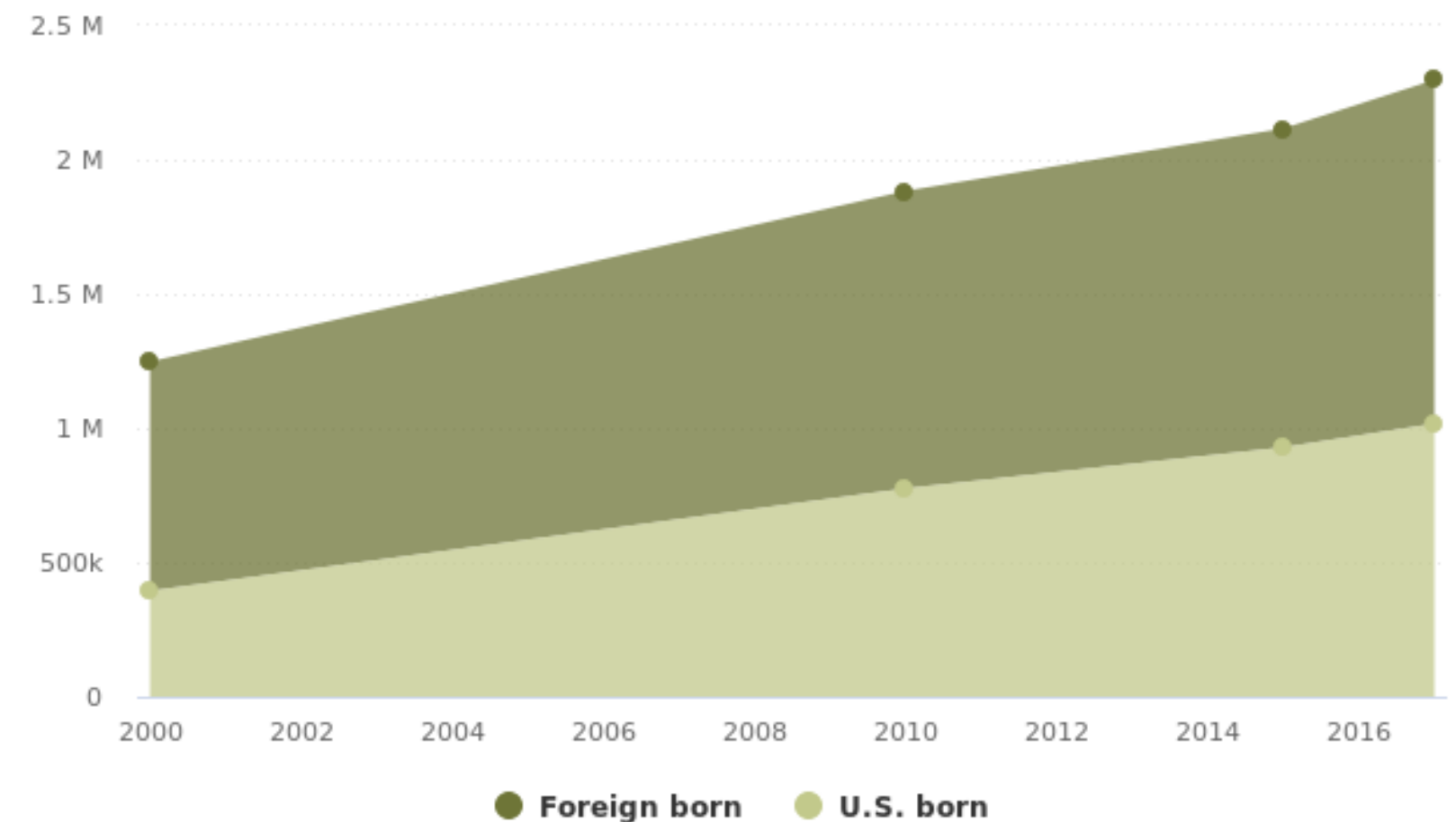
Top States of Residence

Florida (66%)

California (5%)

New Jersey (4%)

Cuban-origin population in the U.S., 2000-2017



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Chapter 2 Disaggregated Hispanic Groups and Cancer: Importance, Methodology, and Current Knowledge

Paulo S. Pinheiro, Karen E. Callahan, and Erin N. Kobetz.
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Cancer is the leading cause of death among Latinos/Hispanics, the largest racial/ethnic minority group in the United States. Their cancer burden has nearly doubled in 15 years, with 129,000 new cancer cases nationwide in 2014. As this relatively young Hispanic population ages, this burden will inevitably increase; thus, accurate characterization of the Hispanic cancer experience is critical. In this chapter, we summarize the current knowledge on cancer in Hispanics, with a focus on the imperative of disaggregating by specific Hispanic group (Mexicans, Puerto Ricans, Cubans, Central Americans, South Americans, and Dominicans) and nativity. We also describe for the first time some major methodological challenges in determining accurate cancer indicators for specific Hispanic groups and suggest approaches to overcome these hurdles. Our research shows that cancer patterns by specific Hispanic group can be quite distinct according to country of origin, particularly among the first-generation immigrants. For the second-generation Latinos and beyond, patterns for obesity-related cancers, non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, and particularly liver

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HCHS / SOL Study Design



A multi-center, community-based, prospective cohort study

Adults of Hispanic/Latino origin between the ages of 18-74 were enrolled across four field centers in:

Bronx, NY; Chicago, IL; Miami, FL; San Diego, CA

Stratified two-stage area probability sampling with stratification and oversampling incorporated at each stage

Assessments:

- ❖ Visit 1 in 2008-2011: *n*=16,415
- ❖ Visit 2 in 2014-2017: *n*=11,623 [73% retention rate, among eligible pts.]
- ❖ Visit 3 in 2021-2023: *n*=##,### [*Recently completed*]

State Cancer Registries



California Cancer Registry



New York State Cancer Registry

Florida Cancer Data System



Illinois State Cancer Registry



Matching Criteria

SSN*

First Name

Middle Name

Last Name*

Sex

Birth date

Telephone*

Zip code

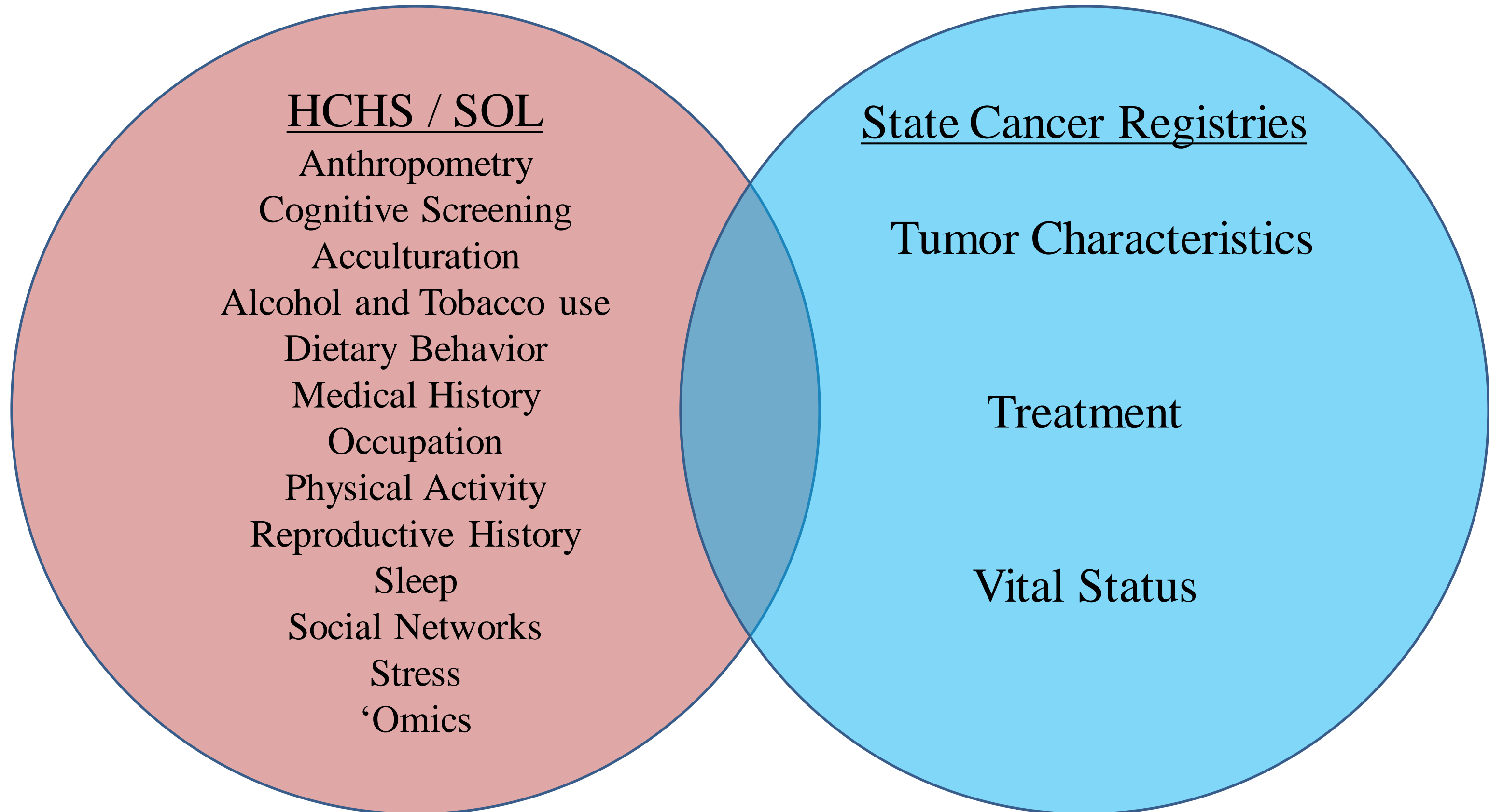
Street Address*

Data Provided by State Cancer Registries

- Patient Demographics: name, age, gender, race, ethnicity, birthplace
- Tumor Characteristics: biological, clinical, and genomic aspects of malignancy
- Treatment: types and dates of treatments
- Outcomes: vital status, cause of death, survival time

*Data on incident cancers diagnosed from
HCHS/SOL baseline (2008) through December 31, 2020*

The HCHS / SOL + State Cancer Registry Linkage

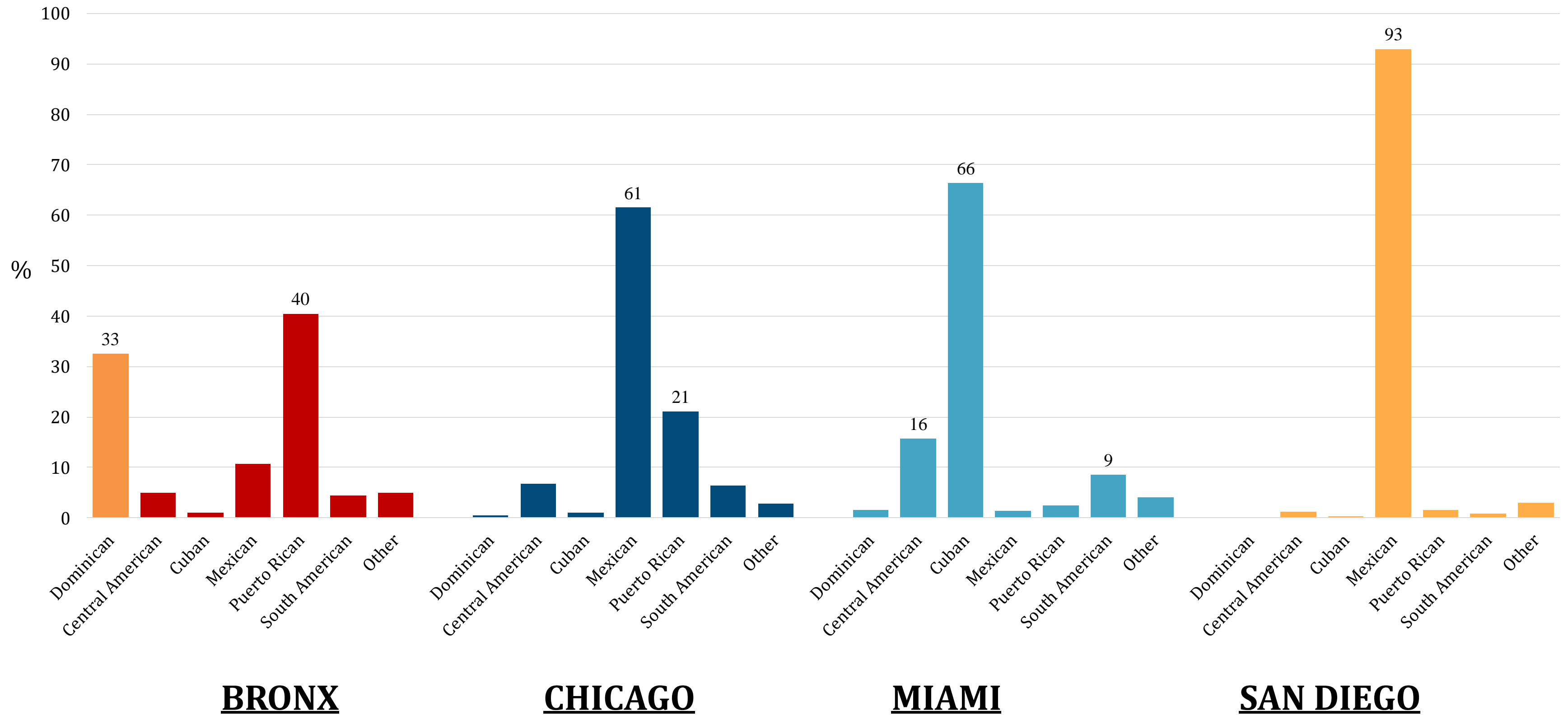


National Death Index Linkage

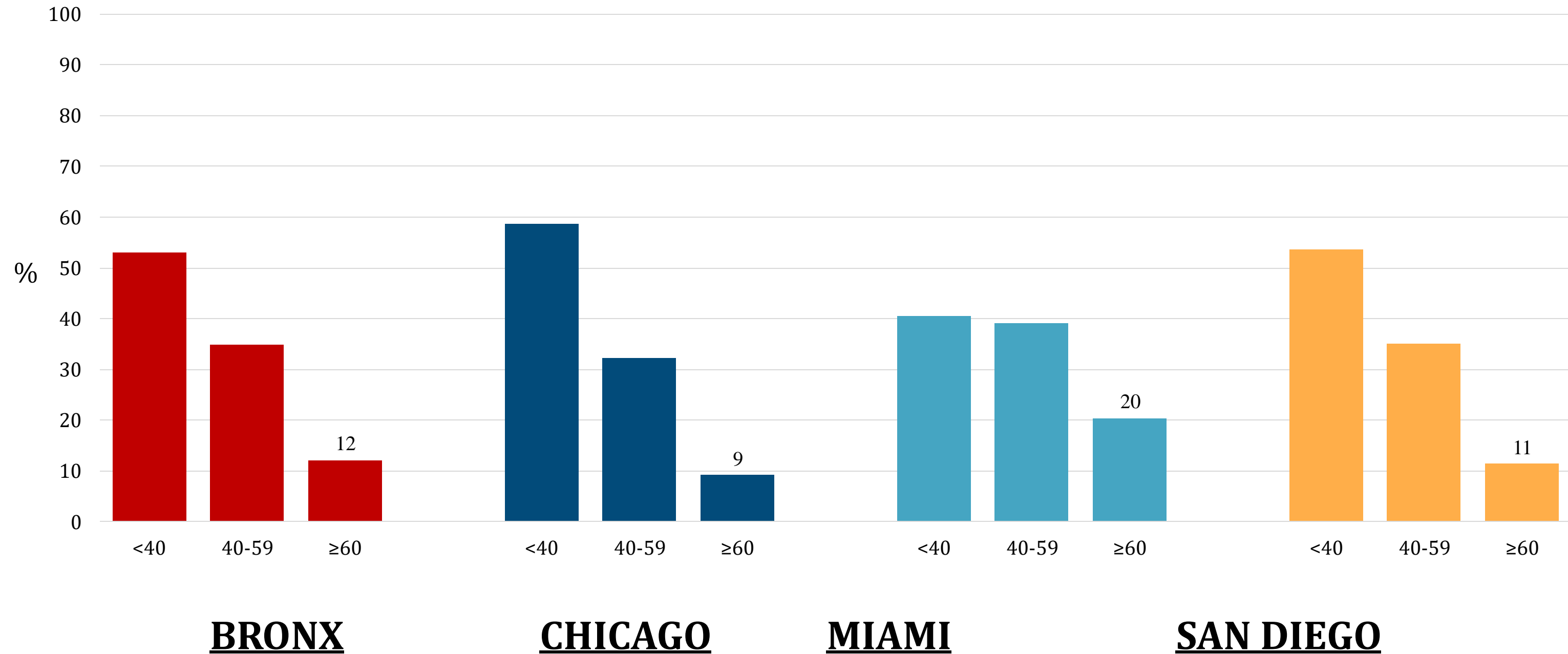


- As the most complete source of death information in the United States, the NDI currently holds all death records from 1979-latest for all 50 states, DC, New York City, Puerto Rico, and U.S. Virgin Islands
- The NDI assists investigators in determining whether persons in their studies have died and, if so, provides:
- Data available: States in which deaths occurred, Dates of death, Corresponding death certificate numbers, Cause(s) of death

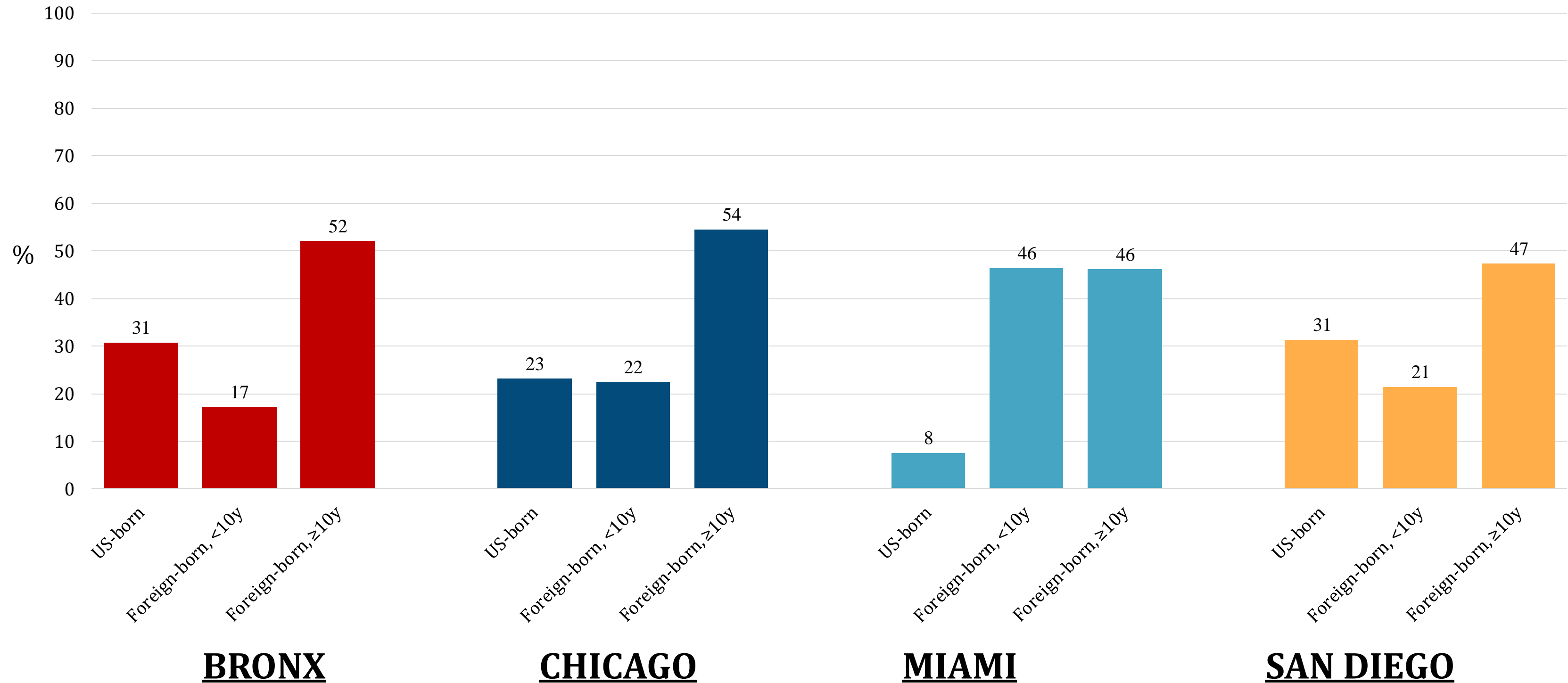
Population Characteristics: Hispanic Heritage



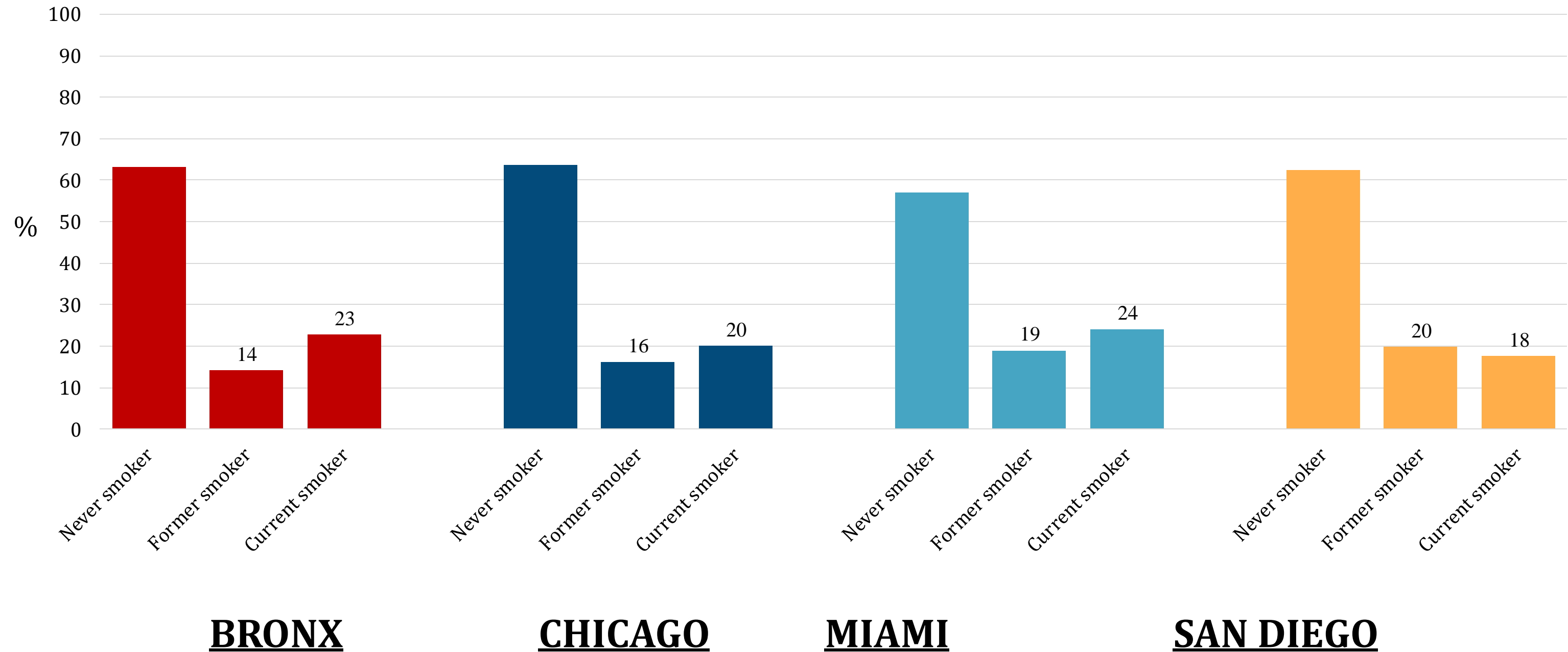
Population Characteristics: Age



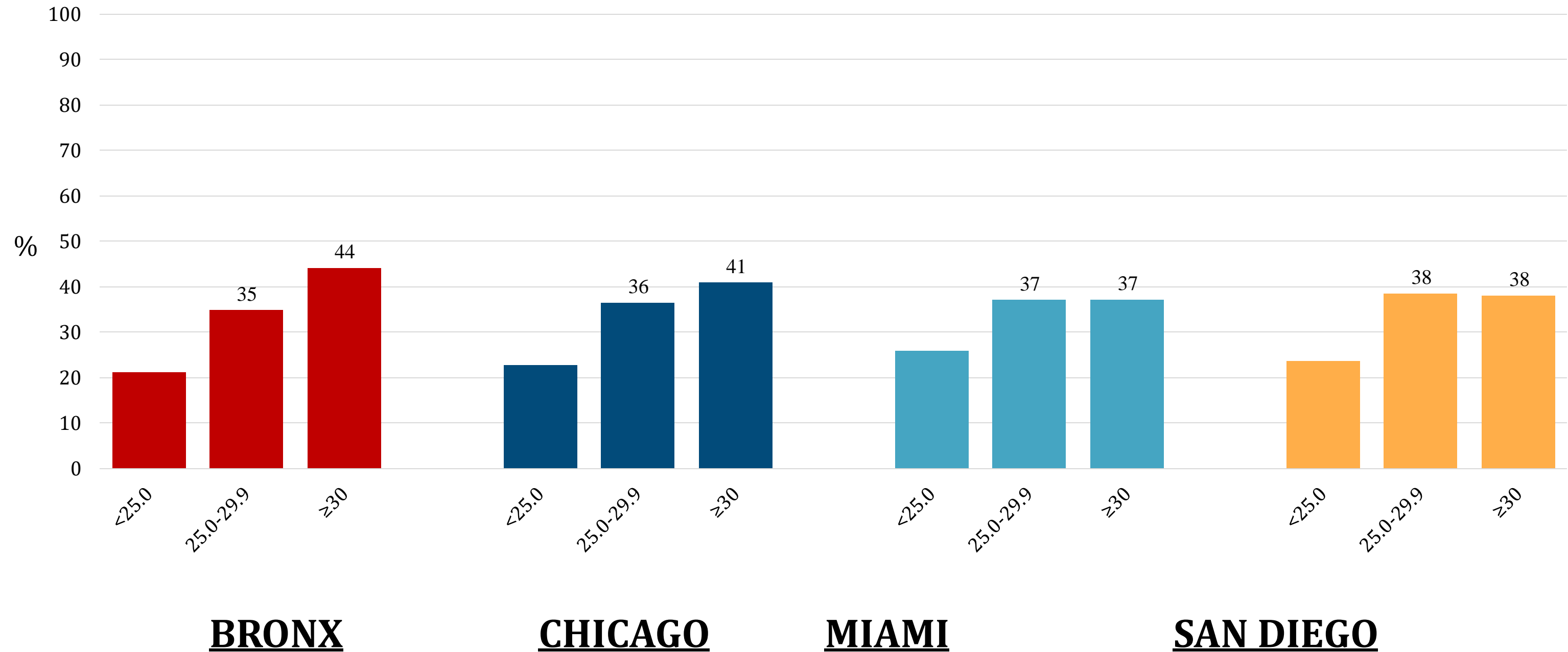
Population Characteristics: Nativity and Years in the US



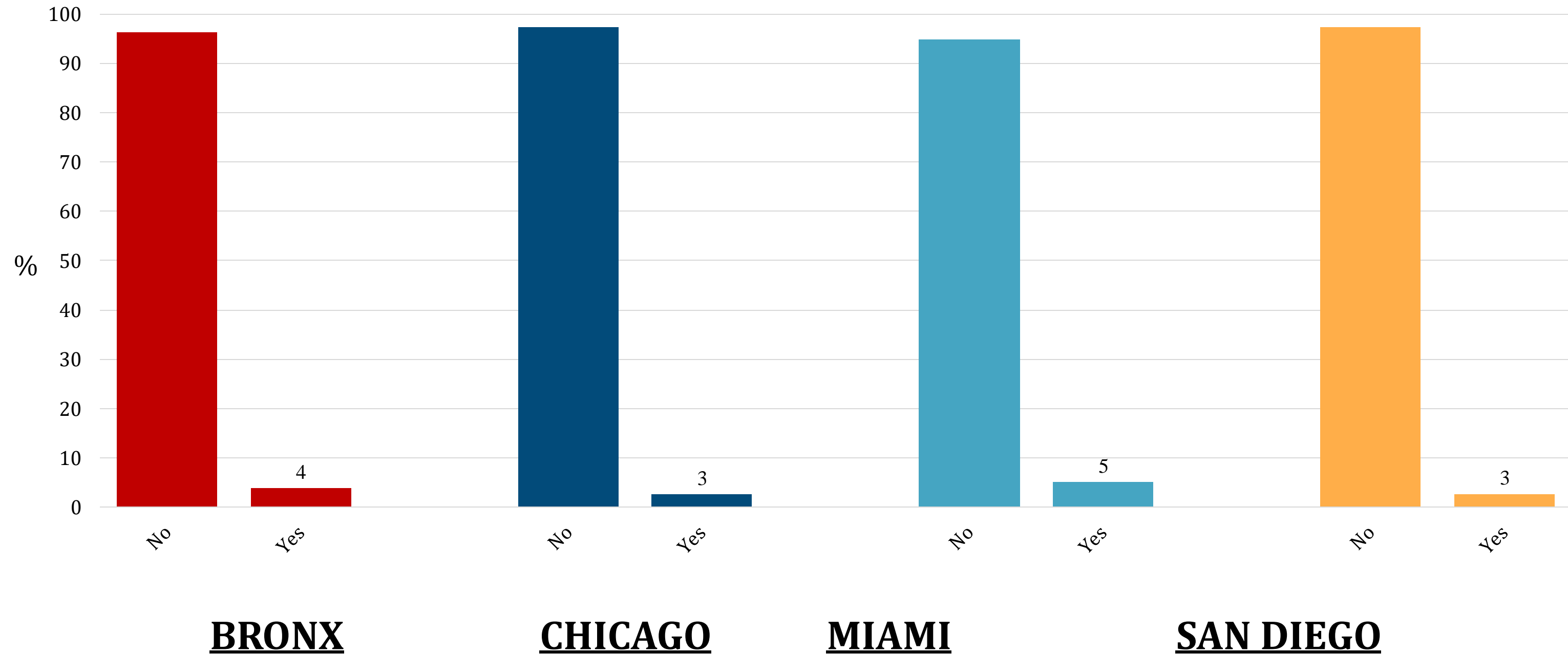
Population Characteristics: Cigarette Smoking



Population Characteristics: Body Mass Index



Population Characteristics: Cancer History



Future Directions

- Examine known risk factors in association with cancer risk among Hispanic/Latino heritage groups.
- Propose new ancillary studies focused on cancer risk, capitalizing on existing HCHS/SOL data
- Continue to expand cancer outcome ascertainment in HCHS/SOL

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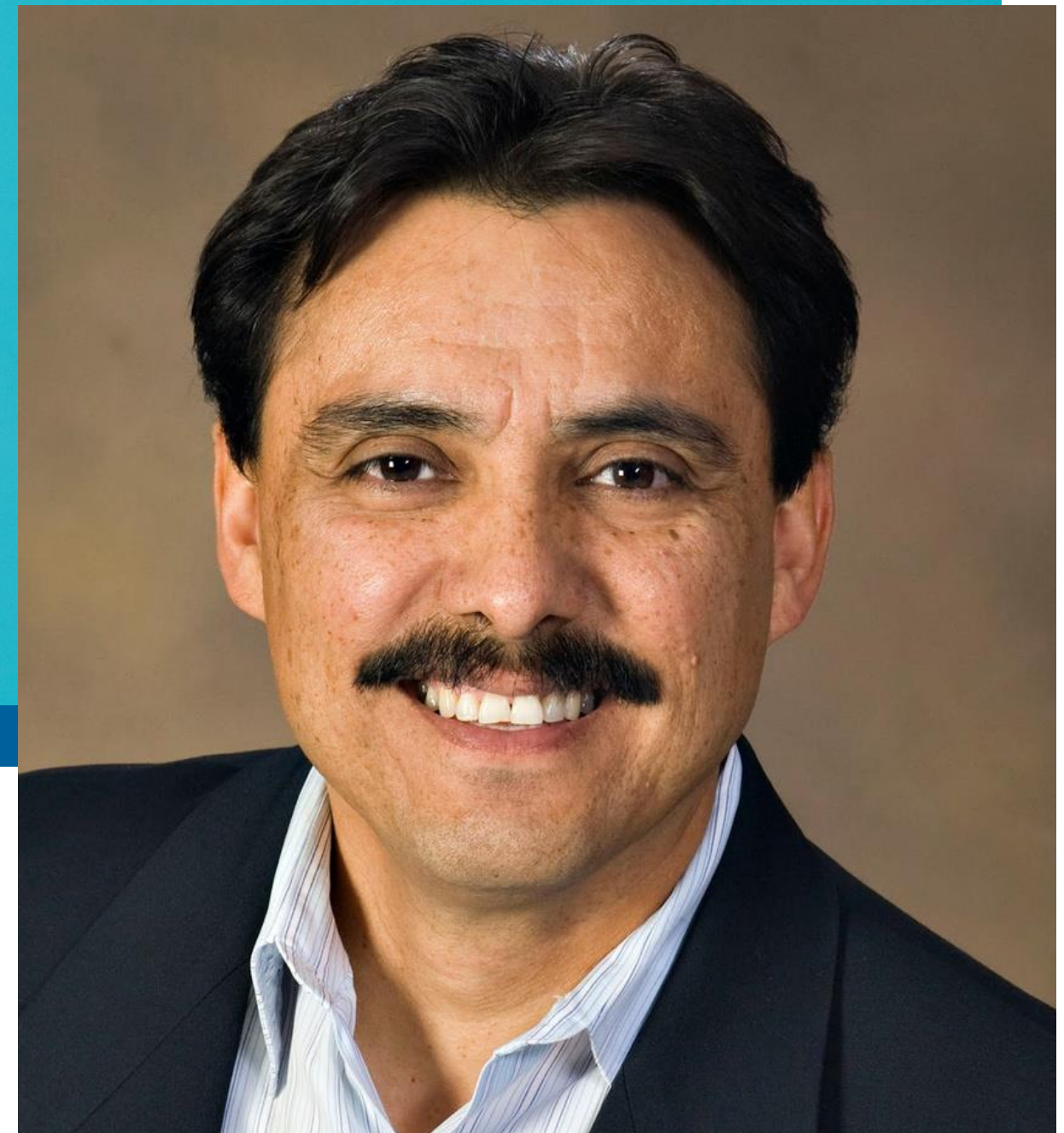
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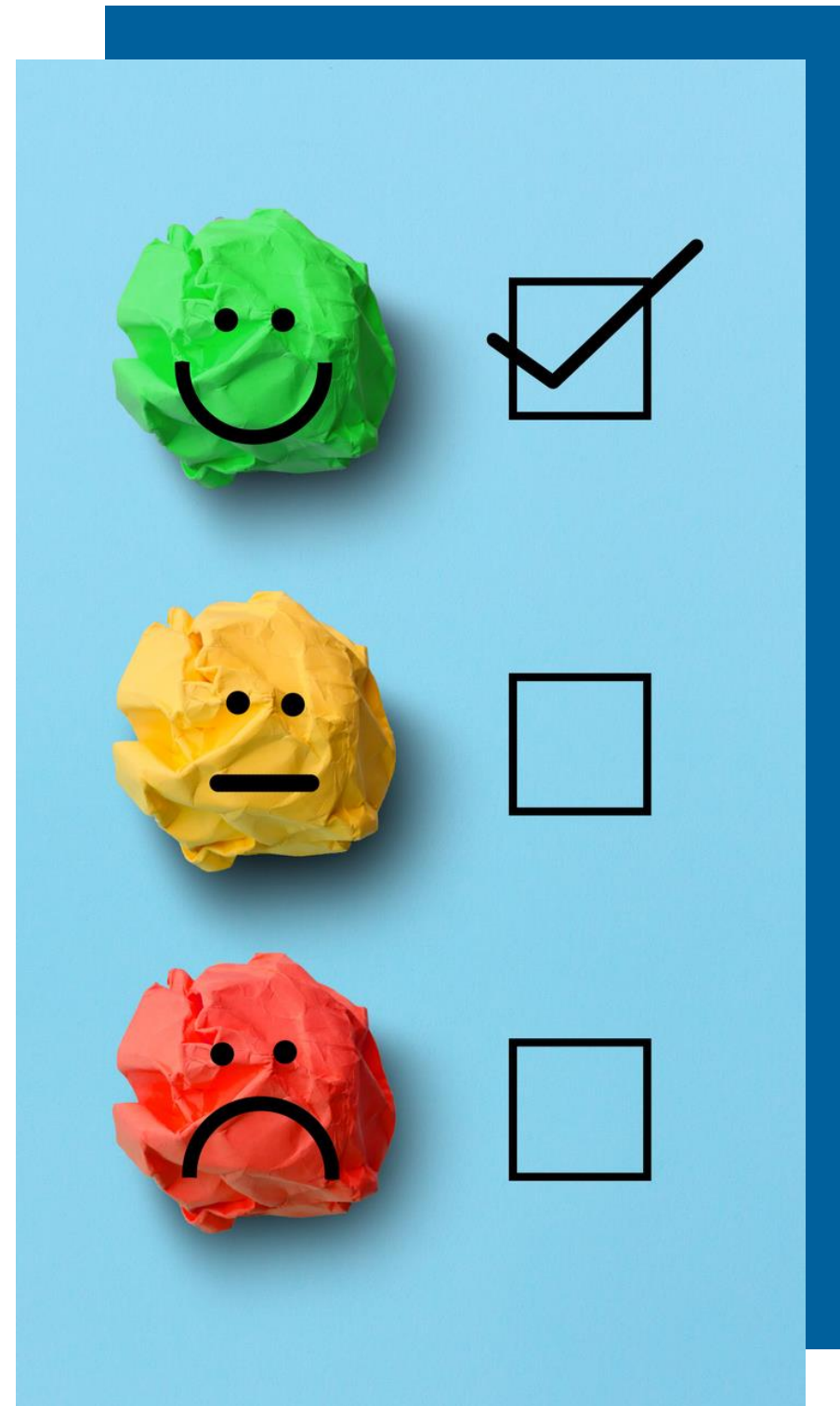


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