



OCCUPATIONAL & ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

To: Eastern Neighborhoods Community Health Impact Assessment
Community Council Member

From: ENCHIA Team
San Francisco Department of Public Health

Re: New Member Orientation Package

We are excited to welcome you to our Eastern Neighborhoods Community Health Impact Assessment (ENCHIA) Community Council.

Enclosed in this package, you will find information about the ENCHIA, research regarding the impact of our "built environment" and health, and about how urban planners and public health professionals are increasingly working together to improve communities across the country.

Included specifically are:

- Project description from our website homepage;
- ENCHIA Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ);
- ENCHIA Project Scope;
- ENCHIA Community Council Invitation Letter;
- ENCHIA Community Council Members;
- ENCHIA Technical Advisory Committee Members;
- ENCHIA Process Flowchart;
- ENCHIA Project Area Map;
- ENCHIA Ground Rules;
- Health Impact Assessment Precedents and Milestones;
- Fact Sheet: "Public Health in Land Use Planning & Community Design";
- Fact Sheet: "Working with Elected Officials to Promote Healthy Land Use Planning and Community Design";
- American Planning Association Memo/Article: "Planning and Public Health Reunited: New Opportunities for Collaboration";
- U.K. National Health Service Report – *A Short Guide to Health Impact Assessment*;
- Public Health Reports article – *Urban Sprawl and Health*; and,
- American Journal of Public Health article - *Housing and Health: Time Again for Public Health Action*.

We hope you find these materials engaging, and we look forward to working with you further in this exciting and innovative process. Please feel free to contact the ENCHIA team at 415.252.3931 should you have any questions.