

CALIFORNIA
HEALTH
IN ALL POLICIES
TASK FORCE 

General Update and Violence Prevention Discussion

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Presentation to the Office of Health Equity Advisory Committee
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Presentation Objectives

1. Provide an update on HiAP Task Force activities
2. As part of an exploratory process, gain OHE AC member feedback and guidance on the development of the Community Safety through Violence Prevention Action Plan



California Health In All Policies (HiAP) Task Force

Purpose:

- Promote health, equity, and sustainability

Structure:

- Governor's Executive Order (2010) and Senate Concurrent Resolution 47 (2012)
- Convenes 22 State agencies, departments, offices
- Reports to the Strategic Growth Council
- Funding from CDPH, The California Endowment and Kaiser Permanente Community Benefit

Process:

- Facilitated by CDPH, in partnership with PHI
- Consensus decision-making
- Focus on co-benefits



HiAP Task Force Highlights, Winter 2015

- 2014-2016 Active Transportation Action Plan
- American Public Health Association (APHA) 2014 Annual Meeting
- Action Reports
 - Housing, Violence Prevention, Greening, Healthy Food
 - Demonstrate accountability and impact



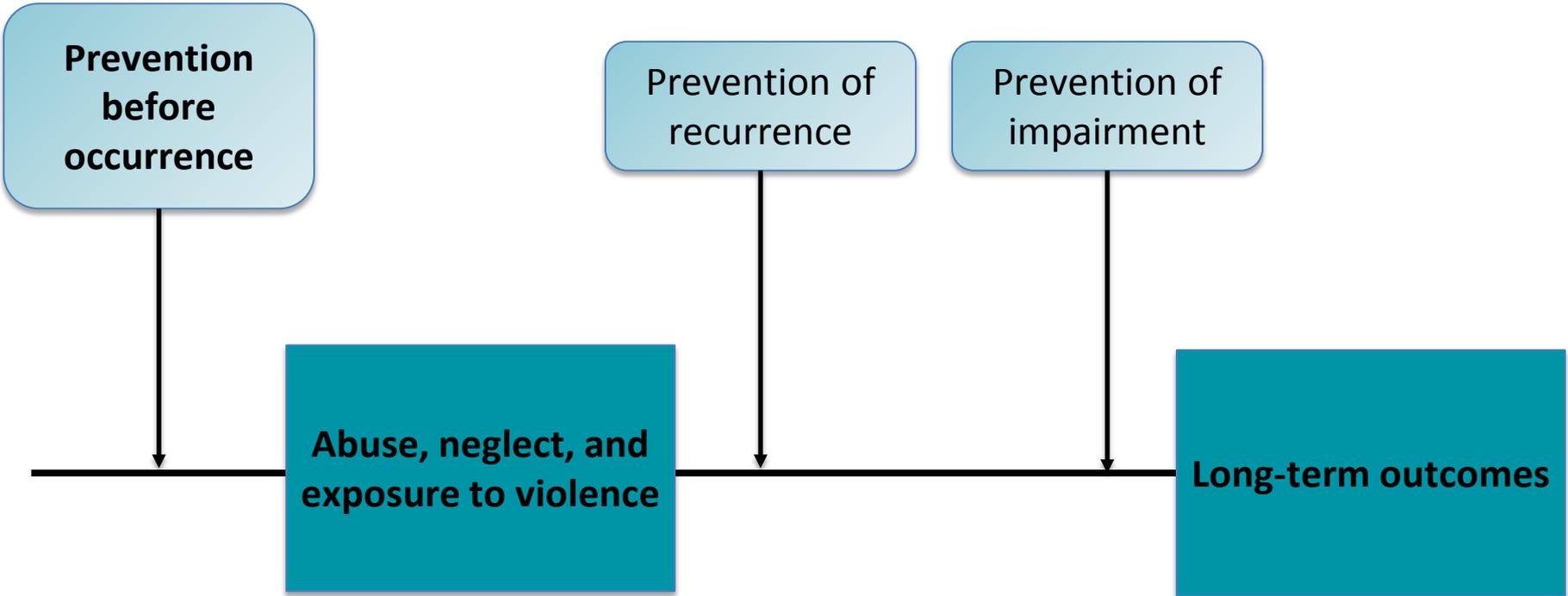
HiAP Task Force: Prioritizing Community Safety and Violence Prevention

- Exposure to violence is a critical determinant of health and mental health
- Violence is a barrier for every Task Force agency
 - Education
 - Housing
 - Transportation
 - Parks
 - Food access
 - Etc.





Stages of Violence Intervention (Working Draft)





HiAP Task Force: The State's Role

*How can State government help?
What should the State do differently?*

*What unique role can the State play, that no-one else can?
How can the State support healthy local decision-making?*

- Coordinate across sectors
- Improve data collection/dissemination
- Support evidence-based practices
- Provide guidance, resources, tools
- Regulations





HiAP Task Force: 2010 Violence Prevention Recommendations

1. Build violence prevention capacity statewide by supporting community-level efforts to engage and convene stakeholders to develop data-informed prevention actions, including through training to promote effective community engagement and joint action
- 2. Disseminate existing guidance on Crime Prevention through Environmental Design**
3. Clearinghouse on violence prevention – provide materials, training and technical assistance
4. Increase resources for a Probation Resource Center





HiAP Task Force: New Violence Prevention Work?

Example Task Force actions

1. Collaborate with agencies to bolster dual enrollment in critical health services (e.g. CalFresh and Medi-Cal) for re-entry populations.
2. Provide recommendations (e.g. restorative justice) for creating positive school climate and reducing bullying and student altercations.



HiAP Task Force: Violence Prevention Stakeholder Engagement

Traditional State Partners for Violence Prevention

- Department of Justice, Department of Education, Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, Board of State and Community Corrections

Non-Traditional State Partners for Violence Prevention

- Department of Transportation, Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, Housing Department, Office of Planning and Research

Additional Stakeholders

- OHE Advisory Committee, Advocacy Organizations, Research Institutions, Community-based Organizations, Local Health Departments



Engaging the OHE Advisory Committee

Small Group Worksheet Exercise

1. What activities are you engaged with that relate to violence prevention?
2. What barriers do you face?
3. What would you like to see State government agencies do?
4. Who else should we engage?



Reflections and Questions

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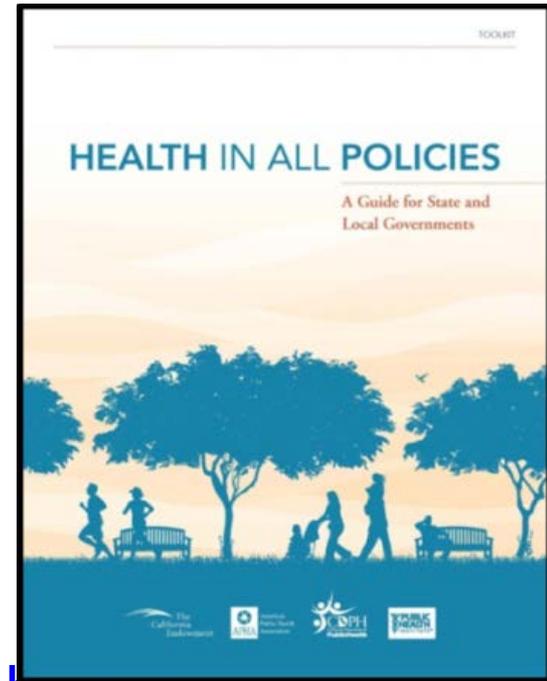
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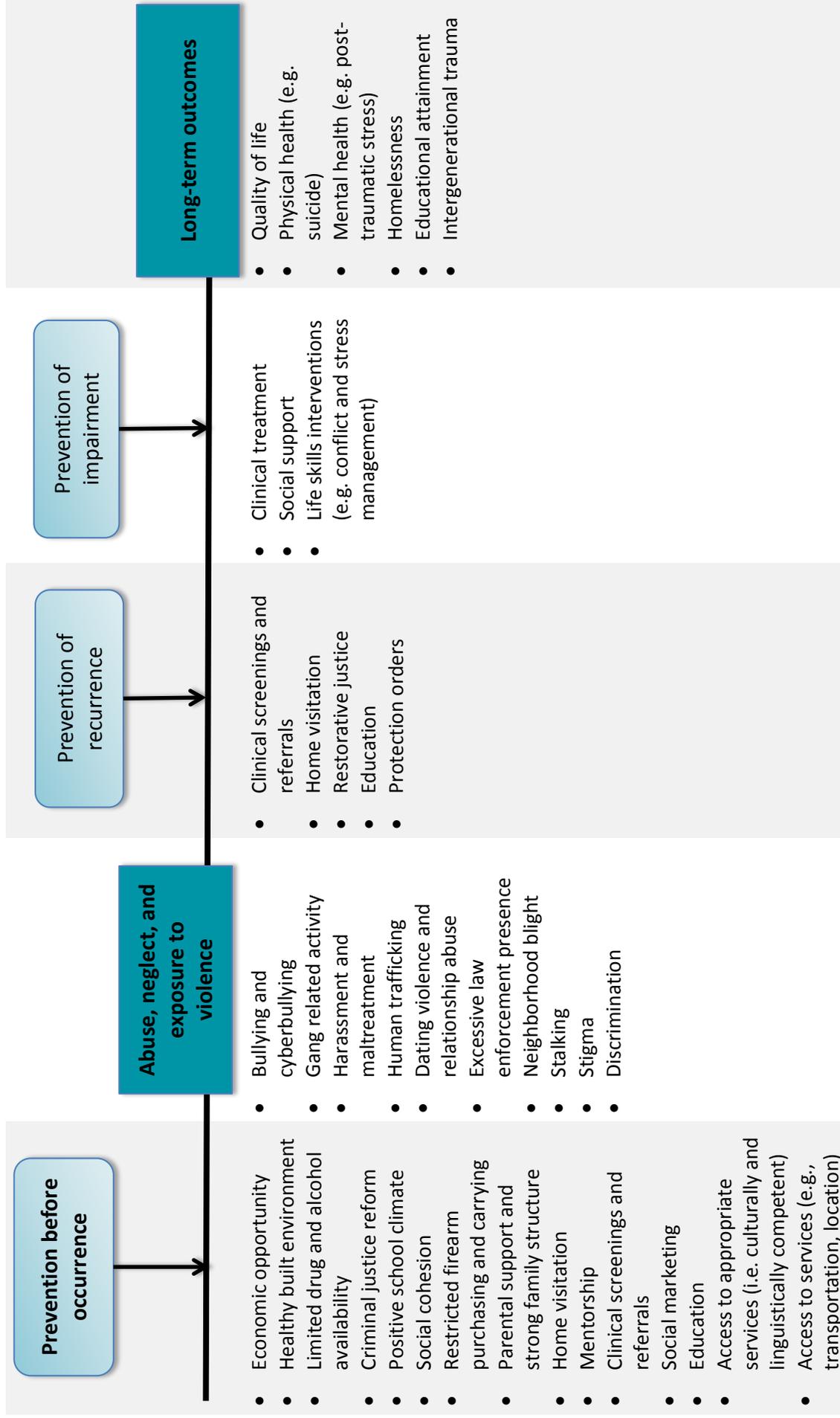
Health in All Policies Guide

<http://www.phi.org/resources/?resource=hiapguide>



Working Draft: Stages of Violence Prevention

Note: This model was created by California Health in All Policies (Public Health Institute) staff to facilitate discussion about opportunities for State government to promote violence prevention strategies. This is not meant as a comprehensive list of all prevention strategies.





The Role of State Agencies: Examples

Prepared for the CDPH Office of Health Equity Advisory Committee

The role of State government agencies is different from that of local governments, the legislature, community groups, non-profit organizations, direct-service providers, and academia. Each of these entities plays a unique role in addressing complex health issues. While most healthy community decisions are made at a local or regional level, State entities play an important role in supporting those efforts. As the California Health in All Policies Task Force considers potential projects and priorities, we ask a number of questions, including:

- How can the Task Force support healthy local decision-making?
- What unique role can *State* entities play, that no-one else can?
- What should the *State* do differently?

In order to help generate ideas, HiAP staff have provided the following examples of some of the kinds of roles that State entities could play in violence prevention:

Coordinate Across Sectors

- Example: Support increased linkages among social services by facilitating dual enrollment in important health benefits (e.g., CalFresh and Covered California).

Improve Data Collection/Dissemination

- Example: Convene workgroups to collaborate on data collection; pool questions onto shared surveys across agencies and make public data available and accessible for stakeholder use.
- Example: Analyze State violence prevention spending and develop recommendations for State agency action that build upon existing momentum and opportunities.

Support Evidence-Based Practices

- Example: Develop funding mechanisms to validate community-defined programs and practices.

Provide Guidance, Resources, and Tools

- Example: Provide training and technical assistance on innovative Safe Routes to School programs that address community safety or school bullying.
- Example: Provide guidance to local communities on ways to incorporate strategies that enhance school climate and reduce bullying into school Local Control and Accountability Plans (LCAPs).

Regulations

- Example: Develop requirements that all State-funded health care facilities establish a workplace violence prevention program to protect the safety of workers and clients.

Other

- Permitting and licensing
- Purchasing: procurement and contracts
- Employer policies
- Etc.



Community Safety through Violence Prevention

Office of Health Equity Advisory Committee

February 3, 2015

Name: _____

Organization: _____

How can we reach you if we have questions? _____

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| <p>1. What activities are you engaged with that relate to violence prevention?</p> | <p>3. What would you like to see State government agencies do to promote safety and reduce violence?</p> |
| <p>2. What barriers do you face in supporting violence prevention in your work?</p> | <p>4. Do you have ideas of people we should talk to? Please *star* those that you are willing to help us make connections to.</p> |