



2011-2012 Community Implementation Funding
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PRIORITY AREA 1:
INCREASE ACCESS TO HEALTHY FOOD & BEVERAGE

Collective Roots/Free at Last

Residential rehabilitation home gardens to develop two gardens at Free At Last residential homes, provide residents with training on growing and preparing food and opportunities for horticultural therapy and job training skills. Participants will also have the opportunity to sell their excess produce at the East Palo Alto Community Farmers' Market.

Ravenswood Family Health Center/Collective Roots

Wellness Policy/Teaching Garden to develop a wellness policy and as part of their Wellness Program establish a patient, staff and volunteer teaching garden. The teaching garden will provide access to nutritious foods and teach staff gardening techniques and a way to prepare these foods on their own to encourage a healthy lifestyle.

Puente de La Costa Sur

PescaderoGrown! Tokens Program to expand offering the PescaderoGrown! Token to low-income residents, doubling the value of purchases at La Honda and Pescadero Farmers' Markets and increase program access to low-income shoppers, simplify enrollment process, improve efficiency and increase access to fresh, healthy and local produce.

Generations Community Wellness/Mid-Peninsula Housing

Wellness Policy in Low-Income Housing Development to implement a food and beverage policy at a low-income housing facility, establish a Residential Wellness Committee and expand and support a community garden for residents.

PRIORITY AREA 2:
INCREASE EVERYDAY PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

City of East Palo Alto / Montessori Learning Center

Safer Pedestrian Crossing in School Zone to improve pedestrian and bicycle safety with complete streets on Bay Road adjacent to school zone at the intersection of Bay Road and Gloria Way and will support safe routes to school funding.



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Footsteps, Inc.

Physical Activity and After School Programs to promote healthy physical activity and nutrition environments in afterschool programs throughout San Mateo County by providing train-the-trainer physical activity and healthy food option workshops and encourage Healthy Apple Award self-assessments.

Partnership for a Safe and Healthy Pacifica

Improved Walkability for Teens Making a Change (TMAC) youth will assess safety concerns that limit walkability in the intersection of Palmetto and Manor (as identified in the city's general plan). They will utilize their research findings to create a findings and recommendations report to advocate for change with the city.

**PRIORITY AREA 3:
IMPROVE FOOD & PHYSICAL ACTIVITY IN SCHOOLS**

Creative Montessori Learning Center / Collective Roots

Preschool Garden Project to develop and install a garden, provide staff garden training, provide educational materials and provide support.

HEAL Project / Pilarcitos High School Alt. Ed., Cabrillo Unified School Dist.

Continuation School Garden and Youth Mentorship to establish a school garden with the opportunity for students to participate in training to become mentors to elementary school students and participate in Summer leadership through the Farmer's Market and San Mateo County School Farm activities.

Sequoia Union High School

Drink More Water to reduce the consumption of sugar-sweetened beverages by making free drinking water available to students at lunchtime in the food serving areas at the four comprehensive SUHSD campuses.

San Mateo County Office of Education Community School North/Boys and Girls Club of North San Mateo

Garden for at Risk HS Youth Garden for at-risk high school-aged students at Community School North, SSF Boys & Girls Club. Both programs promote the consumption of fresh fruits, vegetables and whole grains through growing edibles in their respective gardens and cooking activities that feature these foods.