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INTRO. Before we get started, please review the following information about this study.

- The County Health Policy Implementation Assessment (CHPIA) Survey is funded by the National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). RTI International is the data collection contractor conducting the assessment for CDC. RTI is an independent, nonprofit research institute headquartered in Research Triangle Park, NC.
- We are working with local county health departments in Washington and North Carolina. You were identified as someone who can answer questions about your health department.
- Your participation in this assessment is voluntary.
- Answering questions about a single county health department takes about 20 minutes. If you are reporting on more than county, we estimate that each additional county will take about 8 minutes to complete.
- If you have any questions about this assessment, please contact Chris Stringer at RTI International. His phone number is 919-541-7218 and his email is stringer@rti.org.

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COUNT. The questions below are about the health department where you work. Our records indicate that you work for the A County Health Department. Please think about the A County Health Department when answering questions in this assessment.

Please answer each question to the best of your ability. We expect that one local health department employee, such as a department head or chronic disease director, should be able to answer questions on behalf of the department. If you find that you are not the best employee to provide a response, please email stringer@rti.org and include the contact information of a suitable replacement.

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Q1. What is your job title at the local health department/district?

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Q2. Which one of the following best describes your local health department's (LHD) organizational structure?

- My LHD is a free-standing public health agency.
- My LHD is part of a health and human services agency.
- Neither of these statements describes my LHD.

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Q3. To whom does the LHD report? Please choose one.

- Elected County Board of Health
- Appointed County Board of Health
- County Commission
- County Elected or Appointed Executive
- County Merit System Official in another Agency
- Health and Human Services Agency Head
- State Health Agency
- Joint reporting both locally and to the state health agency
- Other

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Q3A. What other group does the LHD report to?

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Please answer these questions about A County.

Q4. Overall, how much of an impact does your health department/district have on the process for making policies related to chronic disease prevention and health promotion for the residents who live in your county/district? (Select one)

- Large impact
- Moderate impact
- Small impact
- Very small impact
- No impact
- Don't know

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Please answer these questions about A County.

Q5. In the past 12 months, how often did your health department/district partner with the following *agencies or departments* for the purpose of advancing policies related to chronic disease prevention and health promotion?

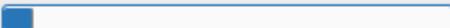
	Always	Often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	Don't know
Zoning	<input type="radio"/>					
Comprehensive land use planning	<input type="radio"/>					
Transportation	<input type="radio"/>					
Public works	<input type="radio"/>					
Restaurant/hospitality inspection	<input type="radio"/>					
Public safety/policing	<input type="radio"/>					
Education	<input type="radio"/>					
Parks and recreation	<input type="radio"/>					

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Please answer these questions about A County.

Q6. In the past 12 months, how often did your health department/district partner with the following *entities or organizations* for the purpose of advancing policies related to chronic disease prevention and health promotion?

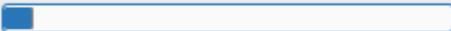
	Always	Often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	Don't know
State health department	<input type="radio"/>					
Municipalities <i>within</i> the county/district	<input type="radio"/>					
Municipalities in <i>other</i> counties/districts	<input type="radio"/>					
Nonprofit organizations (Red Cross, American Heart Association, PTAs)	<input type="radio"/>					
Public and private schools (K-12)	<input type="radio"/>					
Colleges and universities	<input type="radio"/>					
Hospitals, health systems, or other clinical providers	<input type="radio"/>					
Pharmacies	<input type="radio"/>					
Large employers in county/district	<input type="radio"/>					
Fitness or wellness centers	<input type="radio"/>					
Places of worship	<input type="radio"/>					

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Please answer these questions about A County.

Q7. Are there organizations that your health department/district has not been able to form a partnership with for the purpose of advancing policies related to chronic disease prevention and health promotion but would like to work with?

- Yes
- No

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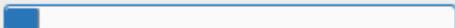
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Please answer these questions about A County.

Q8. In the past 12 months, how often did your health department/district face the following barriers to partnering with other agencies?

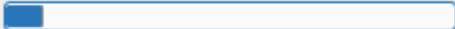
	Always	Often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	N/A (Never tried partnering)
Bureaucratic organization barrier	<input type="radio"/>					
Workload or time constraint	<input type="radio"/>					
Other agencies or organizations not interested	<input type="radio"/>					
Budget constraints	<input type="radio"/>					
Not aware of other agencies to work with	<input type="radio"/>					

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Please answer these questions about A County.

Q9. In the past 12 months, how often did your health department/district use the following communication channels to increase awareness of policies related to chronic disease prevention and health promotion?

	Always	Often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	Don't know
Public service announcements	<input type="radio"/>					
Facebook	<input type="radio"/>					
Twitter	<input type="radio"/>					
YouTube	<input type="radio"/>					
Email contact lists	<input type="radio"/>					
Mobile apps	<input type="radio"/>					

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Tobacco Policy

Please answer these questions about A County.

Q10. Using the categories below, please indicate the status of tobacco policy in your county/district.

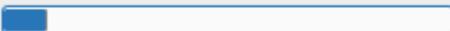
	This has not been identified as a policy priority in this county/district	This has been identified as a policy priority and an agenda is being developed	A policy is being formulated for adoption	A policy has been adopted and is being implemented	A policy is in place in some municipalities but not within the county/district as a whole	A policy is implemented and is being enforced and evaluated	Don't know
Smoke-free indoor air policies	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies on tobacco use in public or subsidized housing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Smoke-free outdoor air policies	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reducing minor access to tobacco products	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Limiting locations where tobacco is sold or point of sale restrictions	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Raising the cost of tobacco products by increasing taxes, restricting use of promotional coupons or setting minimum price floors	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Regulating emerging tobacco products such as hookah or e-cigarettes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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Please answer these questions about A County.

Q11. If a new policy initiative related to tobacco use were to be proposed, how much of a role would your county health department/district have in the policy development process?

- 1 - No Role
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 - Major Role
- Don't know

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Please answer these questions about A County.

Q12. If a new policy initiative related to medical and/or recreational marijuana use were to be proposed, how much of a role would your county health department/district have in the policy development process?

- 1 - No Role
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 - Major Role
- Don't know

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Nutrition standards or other policies related to foods served in child care settings

Nutritional or menu labeling in restaurants or similar venues

Policies or incentive programs that encourage farmers markets, farm stands, and/or produce carts

Policies that allow all breastfeeding employees in the local government time and space to pump breast milk

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Nutrition Policy

Please answer these questions about A County

Q13. Using the categories below, please indicate the status of nutrition policy in your county/district.

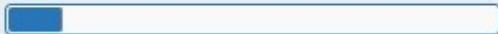
	This has not been identified as a policy priority in this county/district	This has been identified as a policy priority and an agenda is being developed	A policy is being formulated for adoption	A policy has been adopted and is being implemented	A policy is in place in some municipalities but not within the county/district as a whole	A policy is implemented and is being enforced and evaluated	Don't know
Policies related to sodium-reduction/control	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies or incentive programs that encourage the addition of new supermarkets, groceries or similar stores to the county/district	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies or incentive programs that improve the availability of healthy foods and beverages in existing food and beverages in existing food retail stores	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Nutrition standards or other policies related to foods served or sold in government facilities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Nutrition standards or other policies related to foods served or sold in schools	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Nutrition standards or other policies related to foods served in child care settings	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Nutritional or menu labeling in restaurants or similar venues	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies or incentive programs that encourage farmers markets, farm stands, and/or produce carts	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies that allow all breastfeeding employees in the local government time and space to pump breast milk	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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Please answer these questions about A County.

Q14. If a new policy initiative related to nutrition were to be proposed, how much of a role would your county health department/district have in the policy development process?

- 1 - No Role
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 - Major Role
- Don't know

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Physical Activity Policy

Please answer these questions about A County.

Q15. Using the categories below, please indicate the status of physical activity policy in your county/district.

	This has not been identified as a policy priority in this county/district	This has been identified as a policy priority and an agenda is being developed	A policy is being formulated for adoption	A policy has been adopted and is being implemented	A policy is in place in some municipalities but not within the county/district as a whole	A policy is implemented and is being enforced and evaluated	Don't know
Policies that encourage pedestrian friendly streets and communities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies that support accessible park and playground development near residential areas	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies related to public transportation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies for physical education, recess or other opportunities for children to be physically active in schools	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies that encourage physical activity in child care centers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Shared-use agreements with schools that allows the public to use school recreational							

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Shared-use agreements with schools that allows the public to use school recreational facilities (for example, gymnasiums, athletic fields, or playgrounds) during non-school hours

Safe route to school policies to encourage walking and bicycling to school

Policies promoting sun safety and skin cancer prevention in schools (e.g., carrying and using sunscreen, hat wearing in outdoor settings)



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Physical Activity Policy

Please answer these questions about A County

Q15. Using the categories below, please indicate the status of physical activity policy in your county/district.

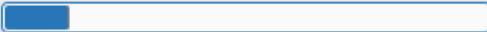
	This has not been identified as a policy priority in this county/district	This has been identified as a policy priority and an agenda is being developed	A policy is being formulated for adoption	A policy has been adopted and is being implemented	A policy is in place in some municipalities but not within the county/district as a whole	A policy is implemented and is being enforced and evaluated	Don't know
Policies that encourage pedestrian friendly streets and communities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies that support accessible park and playground development near residential areas	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies related to public transportation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies for physical education, recess or other opportunities for children to be physically active in schools	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies that encourage physical activity in child care centers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Shared-use agreements with schools that allows the public to use school recreational facilities (for example, gymnasiums, athletic fields, or playgrounds) during non-school hours	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Safe route to school policies to encourage walking and bicycling to school	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies promoting sun safety and skin cancer prevention in schools (e.g., carrying and using sunscreen, hat wearing in outdoor settings)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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Please answer these questions about A County.

Q16. Is there a designated public health representative from your health department/district on the ...

	Yes	No	No such commission/committee	Don't Know
Planning and/or zoning commission?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Pedestrian, bicycle, or alternative transportation advisory committee?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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Please answer these questions about A County.

Q17. If a new policy initiative related to physical activity were to be proposed, how much of a role would your county health department/district have in the policy development process?

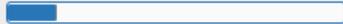
- 1 - No Role
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 - Major Role
- Don't know

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Clinical-Community Linkages Policy

Please answer these questions about A County.

Q18. Using the categories below, please indicate the status of policy related to clinical-community linkages in your county/district.

	This has not been identified as a policy priority in this county/district	This has been identified as a policy priority and an agenda is being developed	A policy is being formulated for adoption	A policy has been adopted and is being implemented	A policy is in place in some municipalities but not within the county/district as a whole	A policy is implemented and is being enforced and evaluated	Don't know
Policies promoting clinical and community linkages with pharmacies to control chronic diseases	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies promoting prevention and self-management of chronic disease	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies promoting immunizations (e.g., vaccines)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies related to screening for chronic disease (e.g., blood pressure, blood glucose)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies promoting clinical linkages with community health workers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Policies related to emergency medical services (e.g., EMS training, public access defibrillation)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



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Please answer these questions about A County.

Q19. If a new policy initiative related to chronic disease management were to be proposed, how much of a role would your county health department/district have in advancing policy?

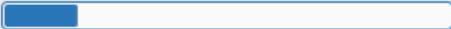
- 1 - No Role
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 - Major Role
- Don't know

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Policies for Reducing Excessive Alcohol Consumption

Please answer these questions about A County.

Q20. Using the categories below, please indicate the status of policy to reduce excessive alcohol consumption in your county/district.

	This has not been identified as a policy priority in this county/district	This has been identified as a policy priority and an agenda is being developed	A policy is being formulated for adoption	A policy has been adopted and is being implemented	A policy is in place in some municipalities but not within the county/district as a whole	A policy is implemented and is being enforced and evaluated	Don't know
Increasing alcohol taxes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Regulation of alcohol outlet density	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Commercial host (dram shop liability)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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Please answer these questions about A County.

Q21. If a new policy initiative related to reducing excessive alcohol consumption were to be proposed, how much of a role would your county health department/district have in advancing policy?

- 1 - No Role
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 - Major Role
- Don't know

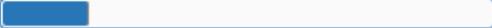
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Q22. Your responses to this assessment are important for identifying the role of local health departments in setting policy. If you were to be asked to take this assessment again, how would you prefer to answer the questions?

- Over the phone
- By web
- On paper by mail

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Thank you for your responses. You may close this window to exit.