This neighborhood profile provides a snap-shot of the North Highlands & Foothill Farms community, one of seven targeted neighborhoods in the Black Child Legacy Campaign. The North Highlands & Foothill Farms neighborhood includes zip codes 95660, 95841, and 95842. Liberty Towers serves as the Community Incubator Lead within this targeted neighborhood, and is working on reducing African American child deaths and building the capacity of smaller grassroots organizations within their community.

Community Incubator Lead
Liberty Towers
5132 Elkhorn Boulevard
Sacramento, CA 95842
www.impactsac.org
**Population 2014***
84,046 Residents
8,480 African American Residents (10%)

**Children & Youth 2014***
32,045 Children & Youth
3,393 African American Children & Youth (11%)

**Number of Births 2014***
1,491 Births
186 African American Births (12%)

**Top 3 Birth Hospitals 2014***
Top 3 Birth Hospitals for African American Babies (% of all African American Births in this neighborhood):
- Mercy San Juan | 26%
- Kaiser Roseville | 24%
- Sutter Medical Center | 20%

**Child Health Status 2013-14**
Parent Reported for Children Ages 0-17 Years:
- 3% of children were in fair or poor health
- 7% of children had delayed medical services and/or prescriptions due to lack of insurance and/or resources

**Health Insurance Coverage 2014***

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**Schools Attended by Targeted Youth 2014-15**

- Foothill Ranch Middle School Community Collaborative Charter K-12
- Antelope High School Center High School
- Del Campo High School Foothill High School Pacific Career & Technology High School

**Graduation Rate 2014-15**

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**Housing 2014***
32,090 Neighborhood Housing Units
- 51% of units are renter-occupied
- 55% of renters pay 35% or more of household income
- 36% of residents recently moved
- 8% of residents are without a vehicle in household

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**CIL identified high school in which most targeted youth attend
**Poverty 2014***
Neighborhood population living below poverty level.
In 2014, the federal poverty level for a family of four was $23,850.

- **Families**: 28%
- **Children**: 45%

**Unemployment 2014***
13% of all residents are unemployed
22% of African American residents are unemployed

**Public Assistance 2016***
Average Applications per Month:
- 7,114 TANF applications
- 21,366 CalFresh applications
- 40,341 Medi-Cal applications

**Family Risk Factors 2013-14***
7% of adults report serious psychological distress in the past year
17% of adults use tobacco in the past year

**Child Welfare 2014***
Neighborhood Involvement with Child Protective Services:
- 2,096 children had a CPS allegation of child abuse or neglect
- 175 children entered foster care

**CIL Community Services & Resources 2016***
- Youth & Adult Sports Leagues
- Grassroots Cease Fire Agreement
- Crib Distribution & Safe Sleep Certifications
- Trauma-Informed Care
- Homelessness Supports
- Food Closet
- Domestic Violence Reduction Classes

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Delivery Costs: Births Paid by Medi-Cal 2014*

Births paid for by Medi-Cal is used as a proxy for low-income mothers.

- African American Births: 76%
- All Other Ethnicities: 62%

Pre-term Births: Births Occurred before 37 Weeks of Pregnancy 2014*

Pre-term birth is the leading cause of newborn death and may contribute to long-term disabilities for infants.

- African American Births: 15%
- All Other Ethnicities: 7%

Prenatal Care: Initiated after 1st Trimester 2014*

Mothers are advised to start prenatal care during their 1st trimester of pregnancy. Late entry into care may pose increased health risks to pregnant mothers and their babies.

- African American Births: 26%
- All Other Ethnicities: 29%

Low-Birthweight Births: Birthweight Less than 5 lbs. 8 oz. 2014*

Infants born below 5 pounds 8 ounces can be due to preterm birth or other pregnancy risk factors.

- African American Births: 12%
- All Other Ethnicities: 5%

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**Youth Vulnerability**

**School Disciplinary Action 2014-15**

Neighborhood Suspension & Expulsion Rates (Grades 7-12)**:

- **12%** Suspension Rate
- **<1%** Expulsion Rate

**Juvenile Felony Arrests (Sacramento County) 2014**

In Sacramento County, **African Americans** represent 48% of all juveniles arrested for a felony. (youth ages 10-17 years)

**Youth Detention 2015**

- **37%** In Sacramento County, 37% of all suspended and expelled students are **African American**.
- **93 Total Youth Detained**

**Youth Unemployment 2014**

- **Youth 16-19 years** 36%
- **Youth 20-24 years** 20%

**Note:** School Disciplinary Action rates calculated from the following schools:

- Foothill Ranch Middle School
- Antelope High School
- Center High School
- Del Campo High School

- Foothill High School
- Pacific Career & Technology High School

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The Black Child Legacy Campaign is focused on reducing African American child deaths by 2020. Below are key areas where African American children and adults demonstrate disproportional risks compared to all other ethnicities within this neighborhood and Sacramento County.

### North Highlands & Foothill Farms

**Neighborhood Unemployment**
Rate at which African American neighborhood residents in the workforce are unemployed is... **1.8** times all other ethnicities.

**Neighborhood Poverty**
Rate at which African American children in this neighborhood live in poverty is... **1.6** times all other ethnicities.

**Neighborhood Pre-Term Births**
Rate at which African American neighborhood mothers delivered their babies pre-term is... **2.2** times all other ethnicities.

**Neighborhood Low-Birthweight Births**
Rate at which African American neighborhood babies were born at a low-birthweight is... **2.6** times all other ethnicities.

**Neighborhood Youth Detentions**
Rate at which African American youth in this neighborhood are detained is... **5.4** times all other ethnicities.

### Sacramento County

**County Allegations of Child Abuse & Neglect**
Rate at which African American children in Sacramento County are involved in an allegation of child abuse or neglect is... **3.0** times all other ethnicities.

**County Entry into Foster Care**
Rate at which African American children in Sacramento County enter into foster care is... **4.0** times all other ethnicities.

**County Juvenile Felony Arrests**
Rate at which African American youth in Sacramento County are arrested for a felony is... **7.5** times all other ethnicities.

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**Rate does not include zip code 95841
**Neighborhood Profile**

**Population**
Total Neighborhood and Child and Youth Population: 2014 County and Neighborhood Population Age and Sex and Sex by Age (Black or African American Alone)
U.S. Census Bureau, 2010-2014 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

**Birth Characteristics**
2014 Births and Characteristics
Data Request, Sacramento County Department of Health and Human Services, Vital Statistics

**Child Health Status**
Health status reported by parent. Delayed Prescriptions/medical services: Delay in receiving care; Poor or Fair Health: Health status
AskCHIS, California Health Interview Survey, 2013-2014

**Insured Youth**
Uninsured Population: 2014 Health Insurance Coverage Status by Age
U.S. Census Bureau, 2010-2014 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

**Educational Outcomes**
HS Graduation Rates by Race: Cohort Outcome Summary Report by Race/Ethnicity
California Department of Education, Data Reporting Office, DataQuest, 2014-2015

**Housing**
2014 Total Housing Units, Occupancy, Vehicles, Renter-Occupied: Selected Housing Characteristics
U.S. Census Bureau, 2010-2014 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

**Family Challenges & Resources**

**Poverty Rate**
2014 Household Income, Population living below 100% of poverty: Families, Ratio of Income to Poverty Level of Families in the Past 12 Months and Children (0-17), Age by Ratio of Income to Poverty Level in Past 12 Months
U.S. Census Bureau, 2010-2014 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

**Unemployment**
Population Unemployed: Employment Status
U.S. Census Bureau, 2010-2014 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

**Public Assistance**
Average Applications per Month (Jan-Sep 2016)
Data Request, Sacramento County Department of Human Services

**Family Risk Factors**
Serious psychological distress (18+ years) and Serious psychological distress during past year: AskCHIS
Adults Reporting Tobacco Use: Adults Who Smoke
Alcohol Related Hospitalizations (18+ years): Age-Adjusted Hospitalization Rate due to Alcohol Abuse AskCHIS, California Health Interview Survey, 2013-2014

**Child Welfare**
Involvement with Child Protective Services. 2014 CPS Allegations and Foster Care Entries Disproportionality: Child Maltreatment Allegation & Substantiation Rates, ages 0-17, rates per 1,000 children
California Child Welfare Indicators Project, University of California Berkeley

**Mother & Infant Health**

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2014 Births and Characteristics
Data Request, Sacramento County Department of Health and Human Services, Vital Statistics

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School Disciplinary Actions: Suspension and Expulsion Rates
African-American Disciplinary Rates: Expulsion and Suspension Data
California Department of Education, Data Reporting Office, DataQuest, 2014-2015

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2014 Employment Status by Age
U.S. Census Bureau, 2010-2014 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

**Juvenile Felony Arrests**
Juvenile Felony Arrests; by Race/Ethnicity
California Dept. of Justice, Criminal Justice Statistics Center, Monthly Arrest and Citation Register (MACR) Data Files (Accessed via kidsdata.org), 2014

**Youth Detention**
2015 Snapshot of Youth Detention in RAACD Zip Codes and 15/16 Top 5 Offenses for Admitted Secure Detention.
Data Request, Sacramento County Probation Department

**African American Disproportionality**

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Neighborhood Poverty Disproportionality: African American Poverty Status in the Past 12 Months by Age (Black or African American Alone)
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**Disproportionality Methodology**
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