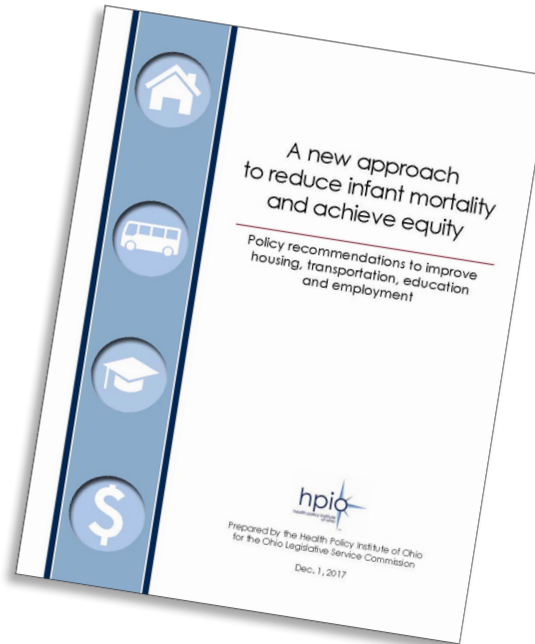


How to use

# A New Approach to Reduce Infant Mortality and Achieve Equity

## Policy Recommendations to Improve Housing, Transportation, Education and Employment



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# How local communities can use the recommendations

**Topic**

*Which topic(s) have the most unmet need for infant mortality priority populations in your community?*

**Policy goals**

*Select small number of goals within relevant topic(s)*

**Specific policy recommendations**

- State
- Local

- *Select relevant state-level recommendations and partner with others to advocate for them*
- *Select relevant local-level recommendations and partner with others to enact and implement*

# How to prioritize manageable set of goals and recommendations

A

## One topic in-depth

Select one topic (housing, transportation, education or employment)

- Select 2-3 policy goals within that topic
- Select 1-2 recommendations within each goals

B

## Multiple topics

Select 2-4 topics (housing, transportation, education or employment)

- Select 1 policy goal within that topic
- Select 1-2 recommendations within each goals

# Ways to get the word out and motivate action

- Gather and disseminate real-life stories
- Write an op-ed or letter to the editor in your local newspaper
- Meet with your legislators one-on-one to discuss recommendations (Ohio Senator and Representative)
- Invite your legislators to an event
- Incorporate recommendations into RFPs or grant proposals
- Reach out to local housing, transportation, education and employment organizations to find common interests