OUR VISION
Oakland’s children, youth and families are the healthiest in the nation.

OUR GOALS

HEALTH
Children and youth are physically, socially, and emotionally healthy.

EDUCATION
Children and youth thrive in school and are prepared for college, career, and community success.

WEALTH
Families are economically stable and youth succeed after high school.

HOUSING
Families have quality, affordable, stable housing.

SAFETY
Families live in safe, vibrant communities.

THE TRENDS

Health disparities continue with very modest improvements but gaps of as much as 25% between races and gender show there is far to go.

Achievement disparities persist with African American, Latino, Native American and Pacific Islander students achieving at lower rates than Caucasian and Asian American peers.

Compared to Asians and Caucasians, a significantly larger percentage of Blacks and Latino Oaklanders have either no or insufficient liquid savings, to weather even small, economic shocks - like a towed car or an unexpected doctor bill.

Compared to other races, Black youth are disproportionately suspended, arrested, incarcerated in Oakland, and Black males comprise the majority of homicide victims.

Children of Families in housing transition have increased incidents of illness, and emotional and behavioral problems.