

# Neighborhood Development Area Profiles

Instructions & Guidance

### **OBJECTIVE**

The goal of your Neighborhood Development Area profile is to help develop funding priorities in your NDA; inform DYCD policies and practices; and identify and connect with additional resources to strengthen your community.





Your profile is part of DYCD's Citywide Community Needs Assessment, which is one of the most important planning tools utilized by the agency for informing program development. To create your profile, we engaged key stakeholders and members in your community to yield invaluable data regarding needs, access to, and availability of resources.

To conduct this assessment, DYCD used a variety of methods for data collection, with the main device being a series of surveys and public hearings.

# **2** FORMULATION OF NEEDS

To determine needs in your community, we asked community members the following questions:

What programs and services did you and your household receive within the last 12 months?

What are the programs or services that you and your household were unable to access for any reason within the last 12 months?

What are the programs or services you believe are most needed in your community?

# 3 PROGRAM & SERVICE RESPONSE OPTIONS



To answer these questions, respondents were provided with 29 program, service, and activity topics as response options:

Adult Education/Literacy
Afterschool Programs
Assistance Starting a Business
Child care/Head Start
College preparation
Domestic violence assistance
Education/Career Counseling
Emergency Counseling
English Classes (ESL)
Eviction Prevention
Family counseling
Financial assistance
Financial education/literacy
Food and nutrition assistance

Health Care
Heating/Utility assistance
Housing Assistance
Income Tax Assistance
Interpersonal Conflict Resolution/Mediation
Job skills/Employment training
Legal Services
Other
Parenting support
Safety/Crime prevention
Senior citizen services
Substance abuse assistance
Summer recreation services
Transportation
Veteran's Services



To make this data actionable, we the grouped these topics into categories as follows:







Food & Nutrition Assistance
Health Care
Financial Assistance
Legal Services
Transportation
Heating/Utility Assistance
Income Tax Assistance
Housing Assistance
Safety & Crime Prevention
Emergency Shelter
Eviction Prevention
Substance Abuse Assistance

English Classes Adult Education/Literacy College Preparation Financial Education/Literacy

Education/Career Counseling Job Skills/Employment Training Assistance Starting a Business

> Afterschool Programs Summer Recreation

Child Care/Head Start
Domestic Violence Assistance
Family Counseling
Parenting Support
Interpersonal Conflict Resolution/Mediation

Senior Citizen Services Veteran's Services **Basic Needs** 

**Education** 

Employment & Career Advancement

**Out of School Time** 

**Family Supports** 

**Support for Special Populations** 



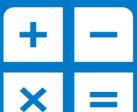
**Assign Points** 



Upon completion of these categorizations, DYCD analyzed the frequency with which each stakeholder selected each program, service, and activity topic. Based on this analysis, we identified the top 10 topics selected by respondents. From there, points were attributed to each category based on the associated topic's ranking. The higher the topic was ranked, the more points were given.



Once the points were distributed, a sum was calculated to determine the needs you see in your profile!





# **Community Needs Assessment**

Neighborhood Development Area Brooklyn 3: Bedford-Stuyvesant

**NDA Brooklyn 3** 

## **Demographic Profile**











#### INTRODUCTION

Overall, 361 people in NDA Brooklyn 3 participated in the Community Needs Assessment Adult Survey. The average age of survey respondents was 42. In terms of gender, 58 percent of respondents selected Female and 42 percent selected Male.

#### NDA Brooklyn 3 Population Snapshot

Hispanic/Latino Origin

Brooklyn 3 Population\*

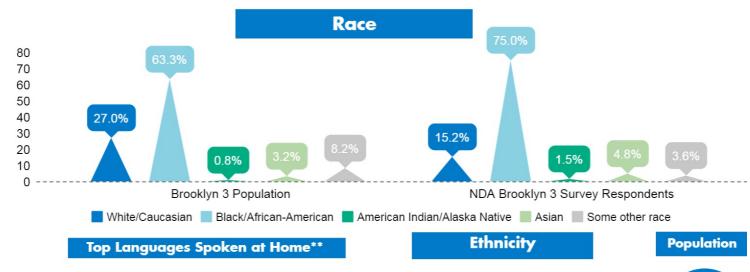
10.5%

NDA Brooklyn 3 urvey Respondent 19.9%

**Foreign** 

Born

19.4%



NDA Bronx 3 Survey

Respondents

1. Spanish

2. Creole

3. Chinese

#### \*\*Other than English

Bronx 3

Population\*

1. Spanish

Yiddish

3. Creole

**NDA Brooklyn 3** 

# Program, Service & Activity Needs









## Adults in NDA Brooklyn 3

#### **SUMMARY OF NEEDS**

With respect to programs, services, and/or activities under the CNA categories:

Respondents indicated that those categorized as Basic Needs and Employment and Career Advancement were identified as most "utilized," "needed, but not received," and most "needed" in their community.

Although respondents indicated that those categorized as Out of School Time were most "utilized" and "most needed"in the community, they were not among the most "needed" by respondents.

In contrast, respondents indicated that those categorized as Education were among the most "needed, but not received," but they were not among the most "utilized" or "most needed" by their community.

STAKEHOLDER INPUT

Public Hearings:

The most referenced issues that emerged from a public hearing conducted by DYCD in NDA Brooklyn 3 on February 15, 2017 were adult education, out of school time programming, job/employment opportunities, and family supports.

**Utilization Trends** 

Programs, services, and/or activities that respondent and their household members received within the last 12 months

#1 Basic Needs #3
Employment & Career Advancement

#2
Out of School Time

#### **Service Gaps**

Programs, services, and/or activities that respondent and their household needed, but did not receive within the last 12 months







#2
Employment & Career
Advancement



#3
Education

### **Community Needs**

Programs, services, and/or activities that respondents believe is most needed in NDA Brooklyn 3



**#1**Basic Needs



#2 Employment & Career Advancement



#3
Out of School Time

**NDA Brooklyn 3** 

# Resources Available in Your NDA









### DYCD Programs in Brooklyn 3\*\*\*



## Other City Agencies\*\*\*\*



Basic Needs



Mayor's Office of Immigrant Affairs Administration of Children's Services: - Juvenile Justice Program

Department for the Aging: -Home Delivered Meals & In-Home Services

Department of Health & Mental Hygeine:
-NYC Teens Connection

-Family Resource Centers

Human Resources Administration:
-Cash Assistance
-Supplemental Nutrition Assistance (SNAP)
-Office of Child Support Enforcement
Office of Citywide Health Insurance Access



Department of Consumer Affairs:
- Office of Financial Empowerment

Department of Education
-Living for the young family
through Education Program
-Division of English Language
Learners



Department for the Aging: -Job Training & Advocacy

Department of Small
Business Services:
-Workforce 1 Career Center
Community Partners Program

Human Resources Administration
-Employment Services





Human Resources Administration
- Domestic Violence Support
-Office of Child Support Enforcement

Department for the Aging:
-Elder Abuse & Crime Victim Services

Department of Health & Mental Hygeine:
-District Public Health Offices
-Newborn Home Visiting Program
-Nurse Family Partnership

Administration for Children's Services
-Adult Protective Services
-Preventive Services
-Keeping Children Safe

Mayor's Office to Combat Domestic Violence
-Healthy Relationship Training Academy





Department for the Aging
- General Office
-Senior Centers

Social Security Administration

Department of Finance
-Senior Citizen Rent Increase Exemption
-Disability Rent Increase Exemption

### SUPPLEMENTARY DATA BROOKLYN NDA 3

What are the programs or services that you and your household received within the last 12 months?

Brooklyn NDA 3: Activity, Program, or Service: Needed and Received		
Food and Nutrition Assistance	11%	
Health Care (Dental, Medical, Mental Health Services)	10%	
Financial Assistance	9%	
Summer Recreation	8%	
Education/Career Counseling	6%	
Afterschool Programs	5%	
Assistance Starting a Business	5%	
Housing Assistance	5%	
Domestic Violence Prevention	4%	
Child Care/Head Start	4%	
Emergency Shelter	4%	
Adult Education/Literacy	4%	
Parenting Support	4%	
Legal Services	3%	
Transportation	3%	
College Preparation	3%	
Financial Education/Literacy	3%	
Heating/Utility Assistance	3%	
Safety/Crime Prevention	2%	
Job Skills/Employment Training	2%	
Family Counseling	2%	
Veteran's Services	2%	
Substance Abuse Assistance	2%	
English Classes	1%	
Income Tax Assistance	1%	
Interpersonal Conflict Resolution/Mediation	1%	
Eviction Prevention	0%	
Senior Citizen Services	0%	

### SUPPLEMENTARY DATA BROOKLYN NDA 3

What are the programs or services that you and your household were unable to access for any reason within the last 12 months?

Brooklyn NDA 3: Activity, Program, or Service: Needed, But Did Not Receive		
Food and Nutrition Assistance	9%	
Assistance Starting a Business	8%	
Legal Services	8%	
College Preparation	8%	
Safety/Crime Prevention	8%	
Afterschool Programs	6%	
Child Care/Head Start	6%	
Education/Career Counseling	6%	
Parenting Support	6%	
Job Skills/Employment Training	6%	
Housing Assistance	6%	
Financial Education/Literacy	6%	
Senior Citizen Services	5%	
Substance Abuse Assistance	5%	
Summer Recreation	5%	
Transportation	5%	
English Classes	5%	
Emergency Shelter	4%	
Heating/Utility Assistance	4%	
Domestic Violence Prevention	3%	
Income Tax Assistance	3%	
Financial Assistance	2%	
Family Counseling	1%	
Adult Education/Literacy	1%	
Health Care (Dental, Medical, Mental Health Services)	0%	
Veteran's Services	0%	
Eviction Prevention	0%	
Interpersonal Conflict Resolution/Mediation	0%	

### SUPPLEMENTARY DATA BROOKLYN NDA 3

What are the programs or services that you believe are most needed in your community?

Brooklyn NDA 3: Activity, Program, or Service: Most Needed in the Community	
Job skills/Employment training	40%
Housing Assistance	34%
Safety/Crime prevention	32%
Afterschool Programs	32%
Education/Career Counseling	31%
Adult Education/Literacy	27%
Senior citizen services	27%
Health Care	27%
Eviction Prevention	25%
Assistance Starting a Business	25%
Parenting support	25%
College preparation	25%
Financial assistance	24%
Child care/Head Start	23%
Family counseling	23%
Food and nutrition assistance	23%
Financial education/literacy	21%
Domestic violence assistance	21%
Emergency Shelter	20%
Summer recreation services	20%
Legal Services	20%
Substance abuse assistance	17%
Heating/Utility assistance	14%
Veterans services	14%
Transportation	13%
Interpersonal Conflict Resolution/Mediation	12%
English Classes (ESL)	8%
Income Tax Assistance	8%
Other	3%