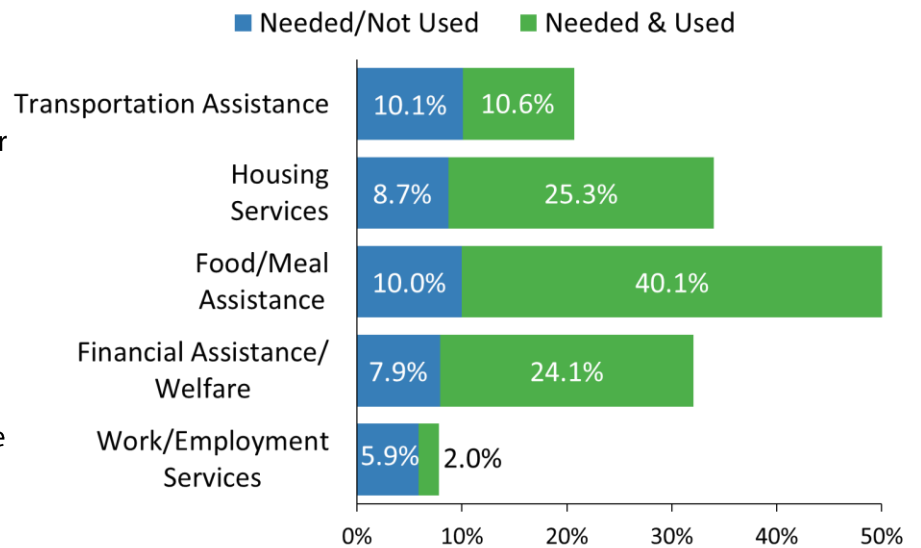


Needs for Services

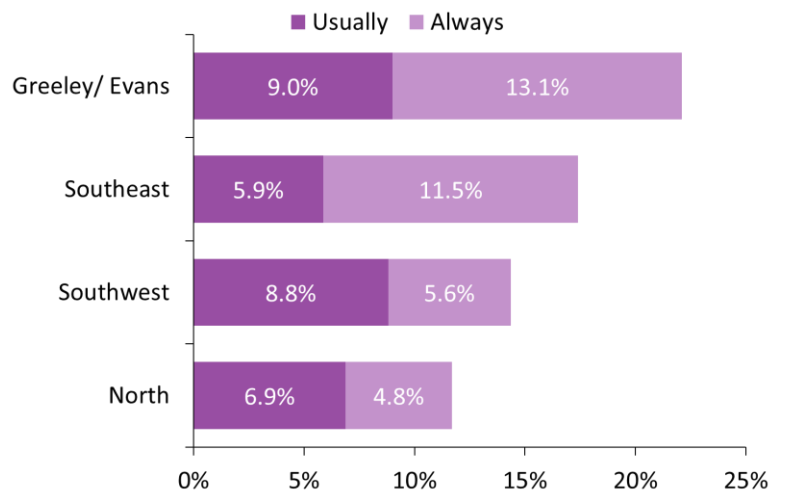
Key Findings

- The 2016 Community Health Survey asked residents whether any member of their household needed and/or used certain community services in the past 12 months.
- Needs for community services were greater among low-income residents ($\leq 100\%$ FPL*).
- Food or meal assistance was the greatest need reported by low income residents. Half of low income residents (50%) needed food or meal assistance, and 40% used some type of food or meal assistance in the past 12 months.
- Countywide, 18% of residents were usually or always worried about having enough money to buy nutritious meals in the past year. However, this percentage was greater among residents of Greeley/Evans (22%) and even more so among low income residents (30%).

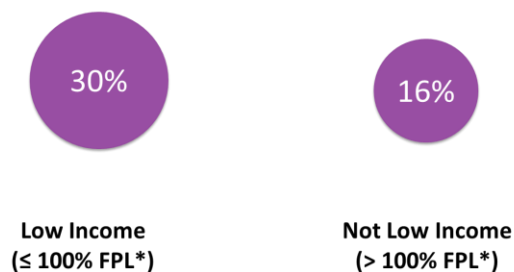
Need and Use of Community Services Among Low Income Residents ($\leq 100\%$ FPL*)



Worried/Stressed About Money for Food in Past Year by Region



Worried/Stressed About Money for Food in Past Year



NOTE: Percentage Who Said Usually or Always

*100% Federal Poverty Level (100% FPL) in 2015 was \$11,770 for single person, \$4,160 for each additional person, and \$24,250 for a family of four.

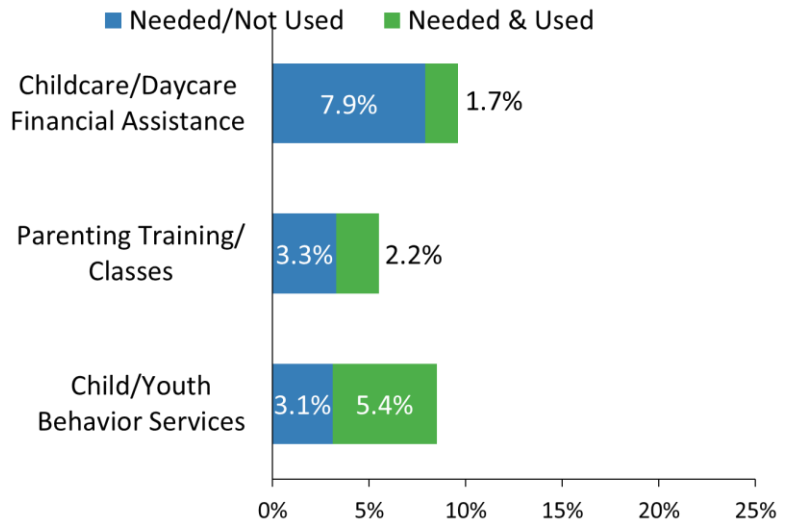


Weld County 2016 Community Health Survey

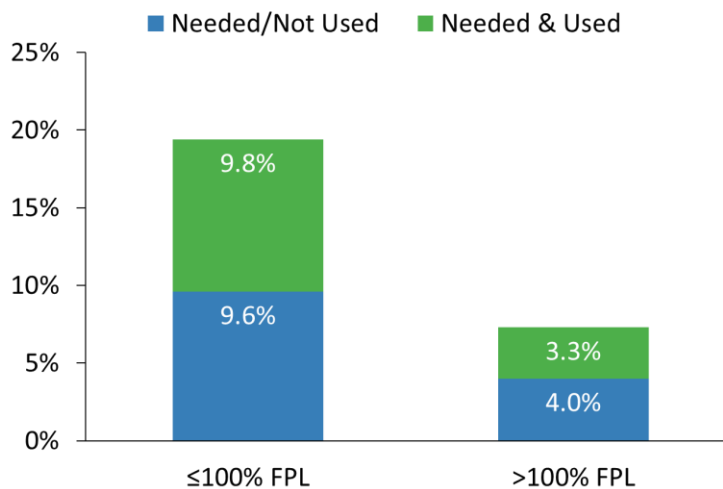
Key Findings

- The 2016 CHS asked residents to report needs related to children or parenting. Childcare or daycare financial assistance was the most highly reported child-related need. Of low income residents, 10% reported need for assistance with childcare or daycare in the past 12 months, compared with 6% of residents who were not low income.
- Countywide, 9% of residents reported that they needed services for the disabled in the past 12 months. However, this percentage was much higher among low income residents: 20% needed services for the disabled, and about half of these used this type of service in the past 12 months (10%).

Need and Use of Community Services Among Low Income Residents (≤ 100% FPL*)



Need and Use of Services for the Disabled by Poverty Status



Questions?

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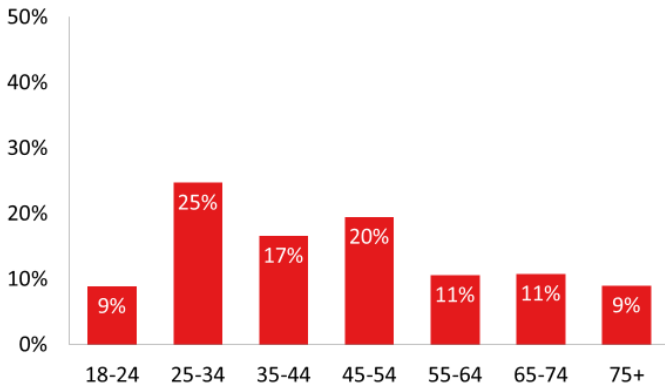


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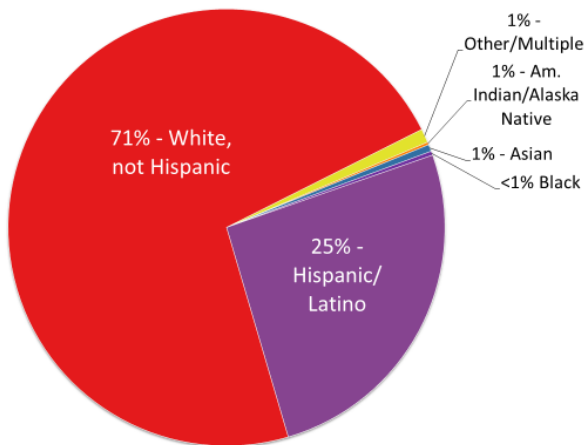
About the Survey

Description of Responders

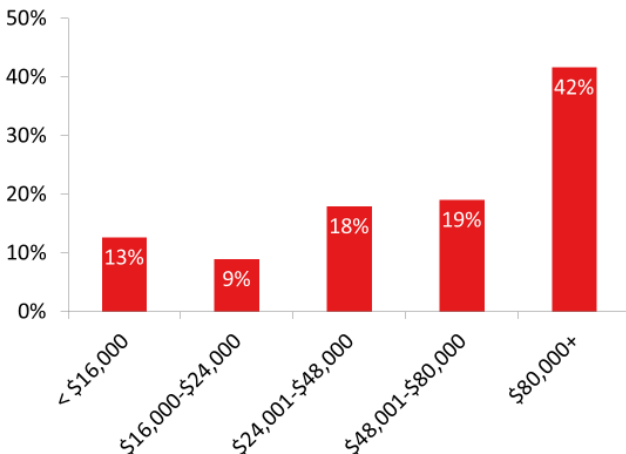
Age Groups



Race/Ethnicity



Household Income



The Survey Explained

- In order to periodically assess the health status of county residents, between September 6, 2016 and November 17, 2016, Weld County Department of Public Health & Environment contacted 8,494 households by mail requesting an adult to complete the 55-item survey or complete it online.
- Question topics included health, health care access and insurance, health conditions and lifestyle habits, preventive screenings, environmental issues, community concerns and needs, and demographics.
- Households were selected randomly by first dividing the mailing list into **four regions (see map below)** and two household types (single-family vs. multi-family). The list was certified by the post office but did not contain residents' names.
- After multiple contacts, 2,080 community residents returned usable surveys for a 25 percent response rate. The results are representative of the population within a ± 5.0 percent margin of error.
- To see the actual survey go to: www.weldhealth.org

