

# THE SAN DIEGO HEALTHY HOMES COLLABORATIVE (SDHHC)

Weatherization Plus Health: San Diego Regional Conference

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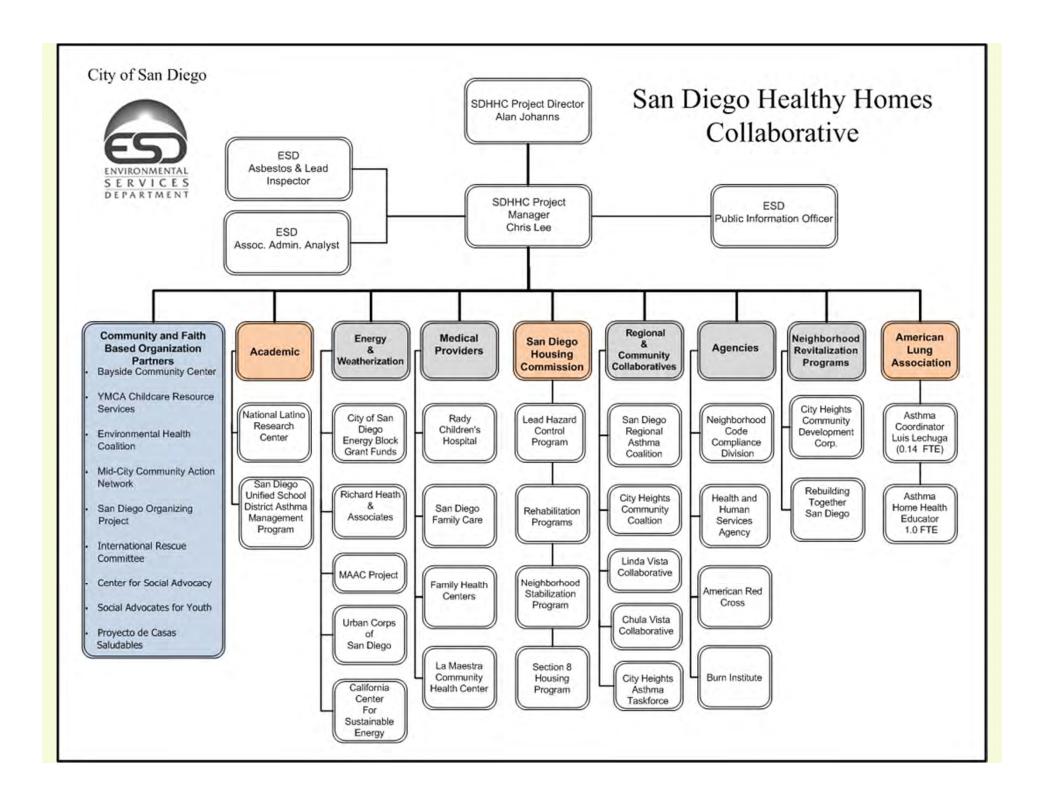
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## San Diego Health Homes Collaborative

Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), Healthy Homes Demonstration Grants

SDHHC 2007 - November 1, 2007 to October 31, 2010		
Grant funds	\$949,286	
Matching funds	\$651,535	
Total budget	\$1,600,821	

SDHHC 2010 - June 1, 2010 to January 31, 2013		
<b>Grant funds</b>	\$874,667	
Matching funds	\$447,183	
Total budget	\$1,319,486	





### **Grant Partners**

#### **Weatherization/Energy Programs**

- Urban Corps of San Diego County: Weatherization, Energy Efficient, Rehabilitation (WEER) program
- Richard Heath and Associates: San Diego Gas and Electric (SDG&E) Energy Savings Assistance Program
- Metropolitan Area Advisory Committee (MAAC) Project:
   Weatherization Assistance Program
- Grid Alternatives: Installation of solar for low income homes
- CA Center for Sustainable Energy: Cross referrals and training

### **Grant Partners**

- The County Health Department, La Maestra Community Health Centers, Family Health Centers, and San Diego Family Care: Referring families with asthmatic children into the program
- The San Diego Regional Asthma Coalition: Promoting SDHHC to the community
- The San Diego Housing Commission: Housing Rehabilitation, HOME Loan program and Lead Hazard Control Grants
- The Burn Institute: Smoke alarms and burn prevention trainings



### **Grant Partners**

- San Diego Unified School District's Asthma Management Project: Connecting asthmatic children from schools to the SDHHC
- Safe Kids San Diego's; Home Jr. Inspector Program: Taught children to inspect their homes for safety during annual American Red Cross CPR Saturday event
- YMCA Childcare Resource Service: ECO-Healthy trainings to childcare providers
- Rebuilding Together San Diego: Identify homes that need significant repair and work together to maximize the improvements

### **Urban Corps San Diego County**



- Urban Corps provides a second chance to youth ages
   18-25 through green job training and education
- Provide diverse environmental services, graffiti removal, recycling, home weatherization and community improvement services throughout San Diego County
- Corps members attend the onsite charter school 1 day per week to obtain their high school diploma





# Weatherization, Energy Efficiency, Residential Rehab (WEER)

### **Typical Scope of Work:**

- Caulking
- Weather stripping
- Broken window replacement
- Exterior rodent and vermin protection
- Battery operated smoke alarm installation
- Water Heater blanket replacement and installation
- Lo-flow shower head installation
- Replacement or installation of electrical outlet covers and gaskets
- Washing down of bathroom mold & mildew and repainting
- Security and screen door replacement/ installation
- Solar Tube Installation





# **SDHHC/Urban Corps Partnership**

- Cross referrals into each other's programs
- SDHHC provided initial income verification, enrollment, assessment of property, and develop scope of work
- Communication system for sequencing and scheduling the work in home
- Provide financial resources in each home to maximize the improvements in the home



## **Keys to Successful Partnerships**

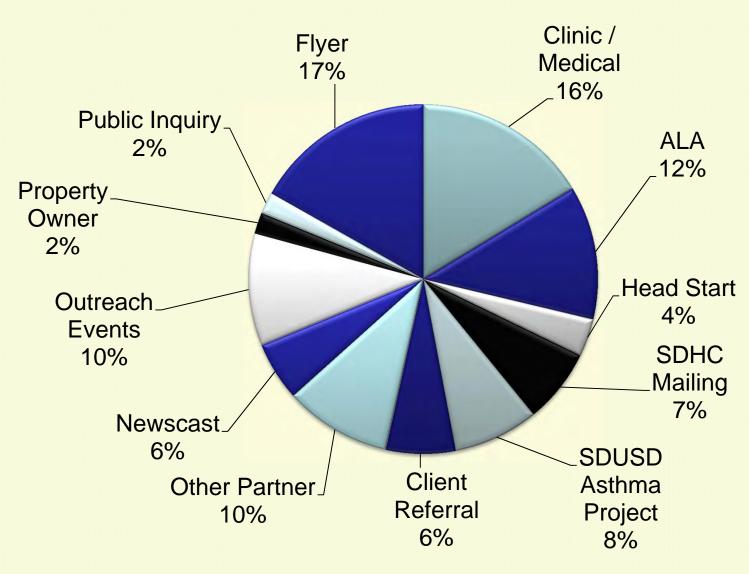
- Good understanding of each others goals and objectives
- Keep Partners engaged!
  - ✓ Regular partner meetings with updates on progress of program/partnership
- Keep referral process as easy as possible email, fax, phone call
- Create agreed upon reporting format keep it simple

### **Challenges for Partnerships**

- Partner financial resources may change
- Units had previously been enrolled in partner programs and are not eligible
- Incentives for referrals from the weatherization/ energy side
- Enrollment qualifications and paperwork is not always seamless between programs
- Competition for same funding sources

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### **SDHHC 2007 Recruitment / Enrollment**



### **SDHHC Interventions**

- Lead Dust /Paint
- Allergens Super Cleaning
  - ✓ Dust Mites & Roaches
- Plumbing Minor repairs
- Mold Abatement
- Carpet Replacement
- Integrated Pest Management Control (IPM)
- Safety Hazards install smoke detectors, child safety latches, etc.
- Weatherization/energy efficiency work





### **SDHHC 2007 Intervention - Costs**

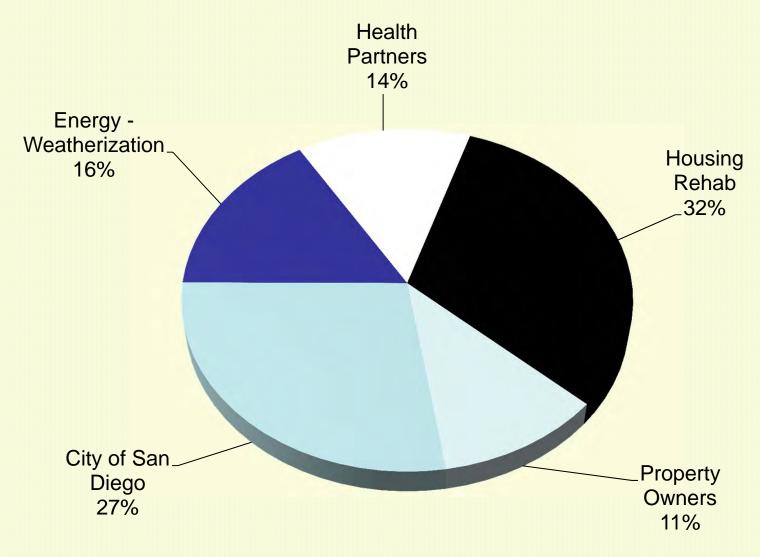
	Program	Partner	
228 Units	Costs	Match	Total
Average Cost Per Unit	\$683	\$1,024	\$1,707

### **Primary Program Costs (HUD funded)**

- Minor construction in 160 units at an average cost of \$539 per unit
- Pest control services in 191 units at an average cost of \$114 per unit
- Cleaning services in 217 units at an average cost of \$194 per unit



# **Significant Match Contributions**











**After** 

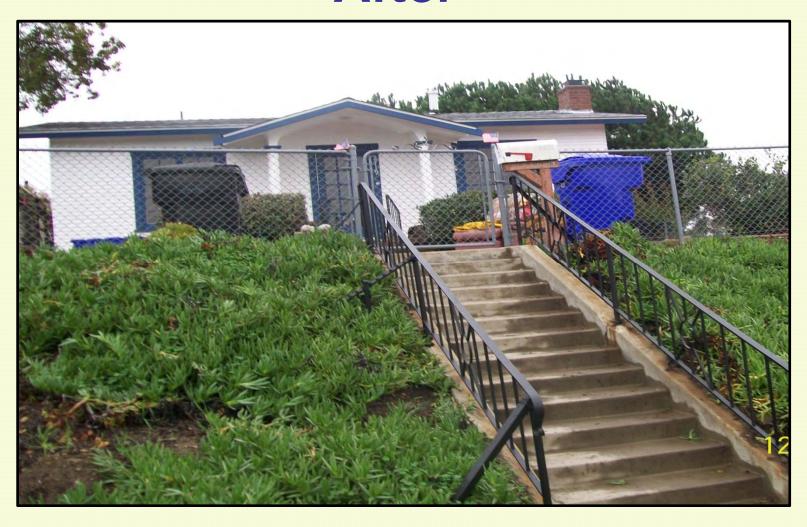


# **Before**





# **After**





# **Roof Leak Damage**





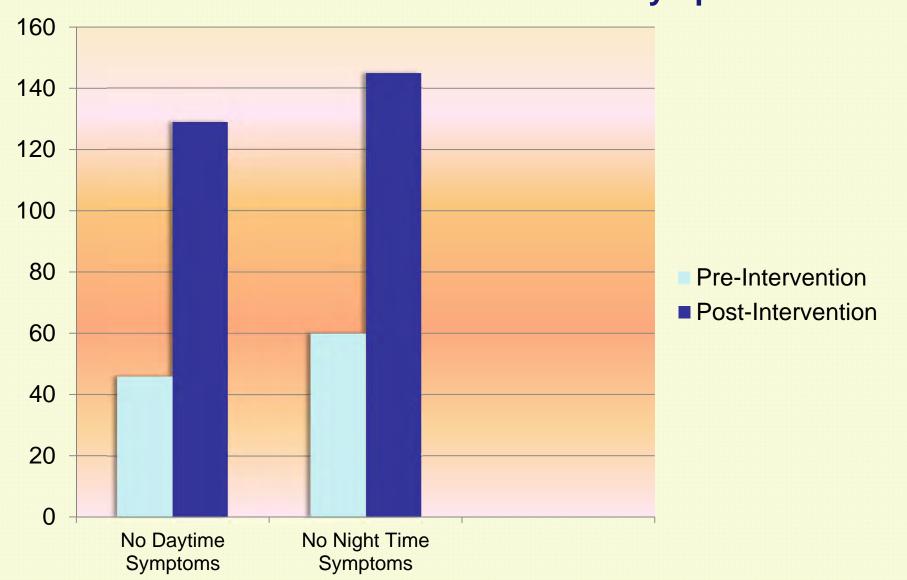
# **Repaired Ceiling**





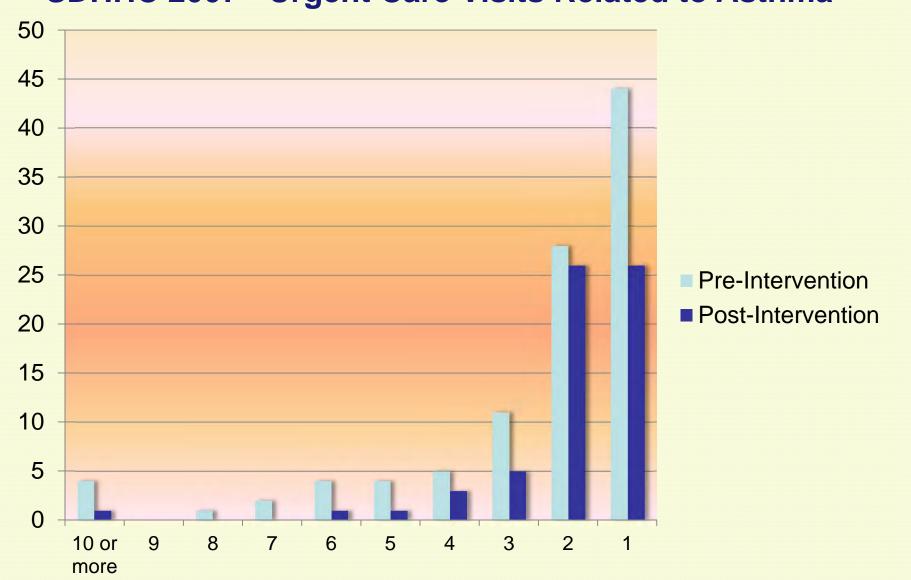


### **SDHHC 2007 - Elimination of Asthma Symptoms**





### **SDHHC 2007 - Urgent Care Visits Related to Asthma**



Partnerships help sustain our programs and by leveraging each other resources and expertise, the homes in our communities will be healthier and more energy efficient!

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