

7 Community Health Rights

H.E.A.L. Has composed a list of rights that all communities should be guaranteed to preserve and promote health. We reaffirm these rights especially among communities of color.

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1. Right to a Healthy Environment

We have a right to reliable, clean drinking water, good air quality. The right to provide input on local land use and more

2. Right to Healthy Food

We have a right to affordable, easily accessible healthy food options. and more.....

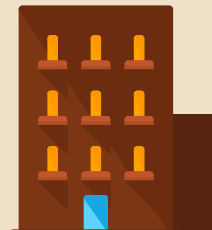


3. Right to Health Care & Emergency Services

We have a right to accessible medical care and facilities that provide culturally competent care and more.....

4. Right to Healthy Housing

We have a right to affordable housing that provides safe and clean shelter. that does not exacerbate or cause health problems & more....



5. Right to Healthy Schools & School Zones

We have a right for our children to expect a substance-free and violence-free experience in, en-route to or in proximity to school. This right includes eliminating aggressive marketing of fast foods, alcohol and tobacco to youth around schools.

6. Right to Healthy Work Spaces

We have a right to jobs that promote health by providing decent working hours, work spaces free of toxic material, jobs providing a living wage, health coverage and encourages wellness, and more.....



7. Right to Be Free and Respected



We have a right to live and walk freely without threats of arrest, racial profiling, police brutality, harassment or barriers. Right to advocate for and pursue all above rights without harassment, mistreatment or penalty

See Entire list of Community Health Rights at www.Heal-MD.com