



# RACIAL WEALTH GAP SIMULATION

A tool for those who want to  
have vital conversations  
around race



# HALL HUNGER INITIATIVE TEAM

Working with community partners to create a just and sustainable food system

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## OUR PARTNERS



# TO ACHIEVE OUR MISSION WE HAVE TO CONFRONT RACISM AND ITS IMPACTS



- **Mission – working with community partners to create a just and sustainable food system**
- **To do that we have to address the root causes of hunger**
- **Many causes of hunger around the world**
- **In America there is only one cause of hunger – poverty**
- **One of the most significant causes of poverty is systematic racism**

# THE RACIAL WEALTH GAP SIMULATION



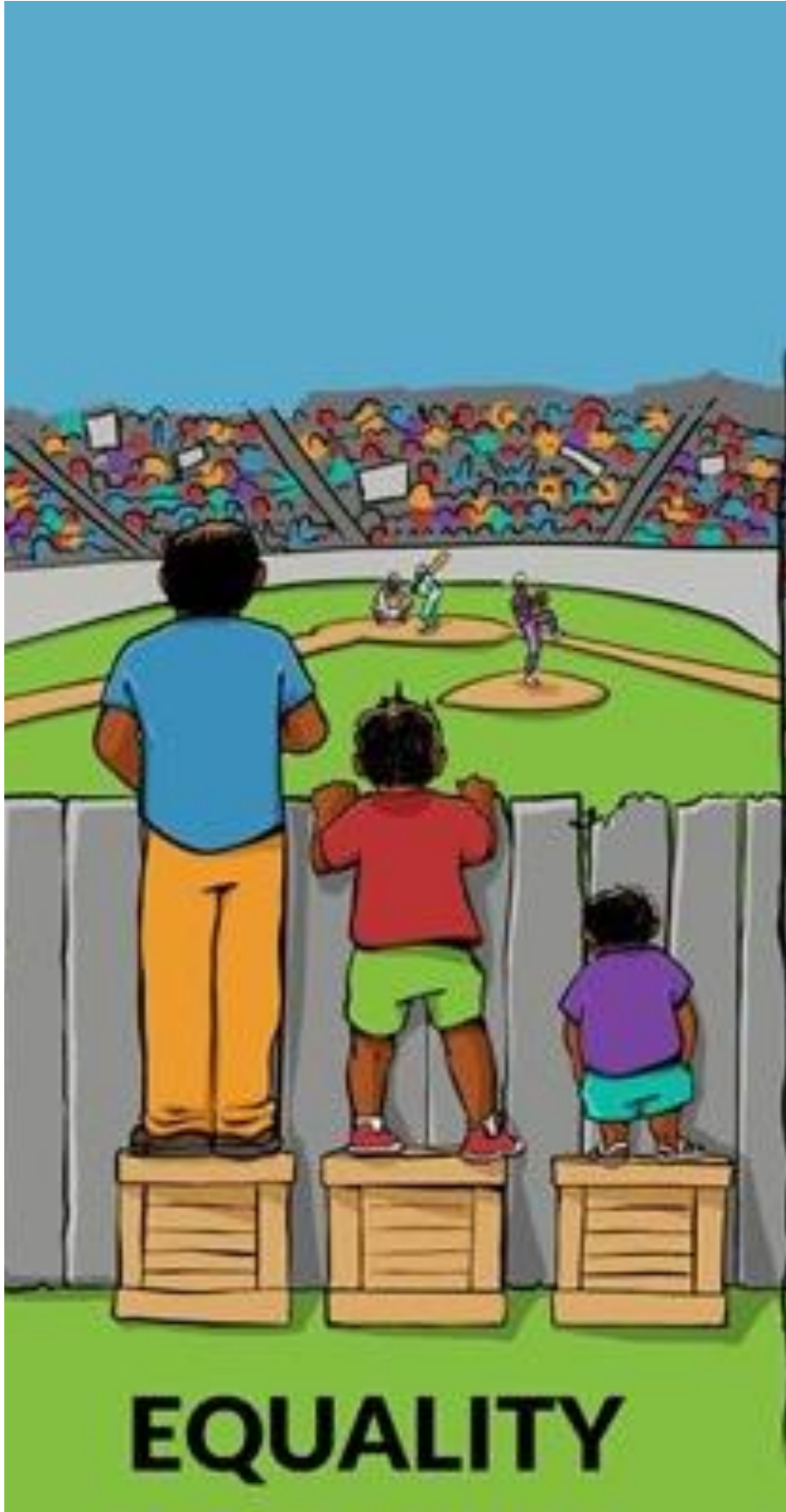
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HAVE FAITH. END HUNGER.

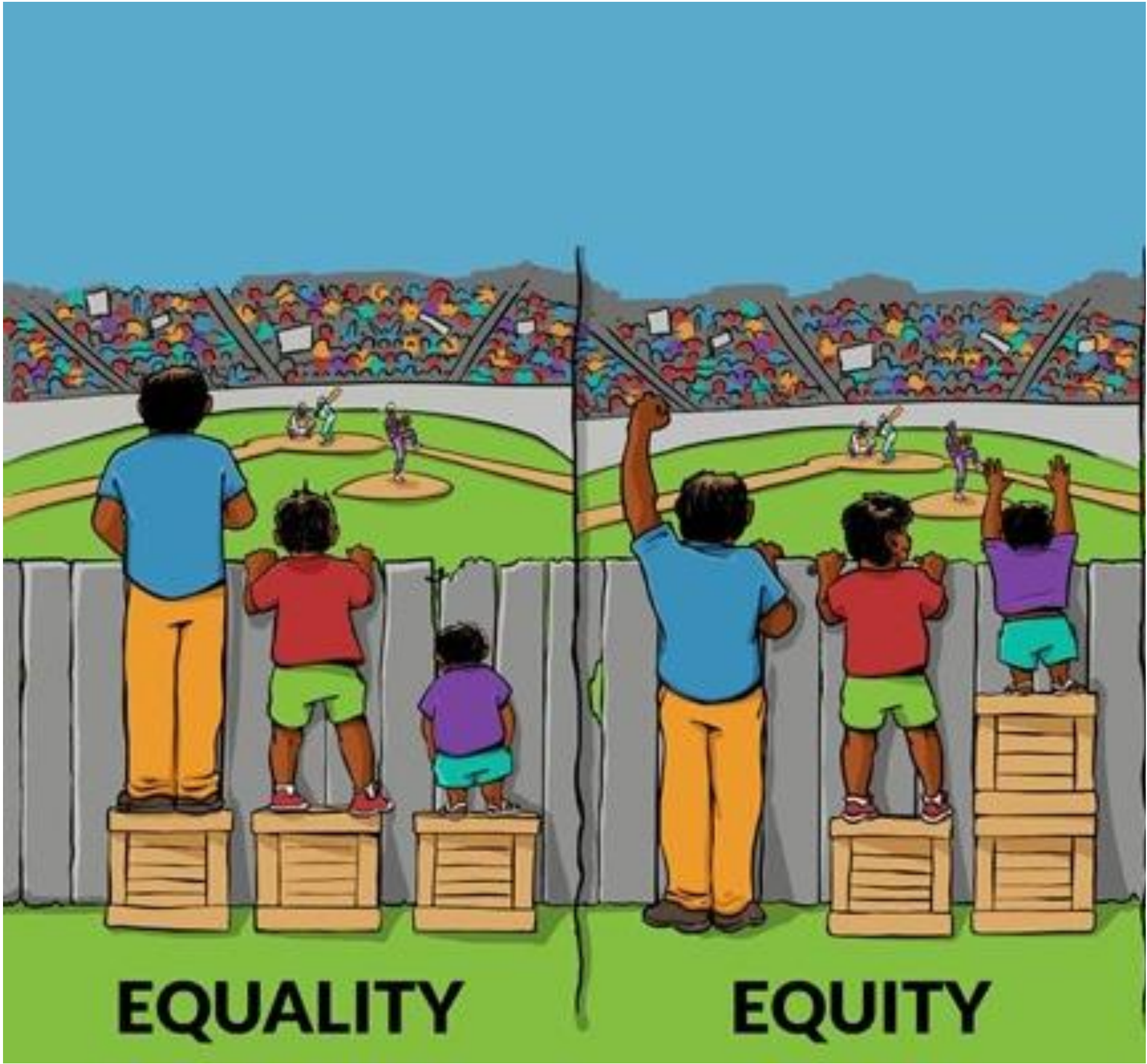
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**Regionally adapted  
and presented by the  
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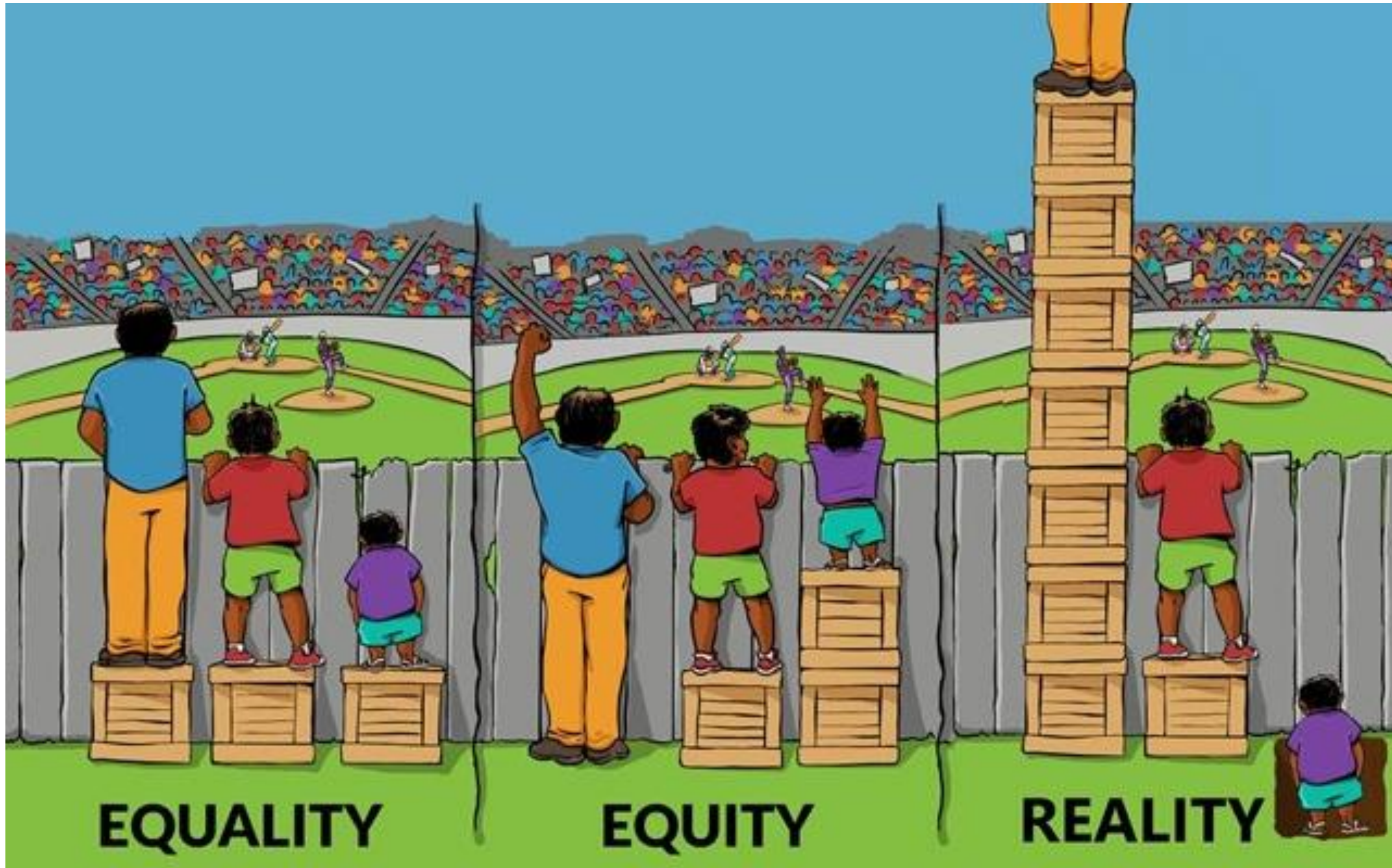






**EQUALITY**

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**REALITY**

Today, more than 50 million Americans  
are food insecure.

In the Dayton area we know 1 out of 6  
adults have times where they don't know  
where their next meal is coming from.

For children, this is 1 out of 5.

Over 40.6 million people live below the  
poverty line.

1 in 2 US households would face poverty  
if someone lost a job or got sick.

**NATIONALLY, BLACK FAMILIES  
ARE TWICE AS LIKELY TO:**

Experience **hunger**

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Live **below the  
poverty line**

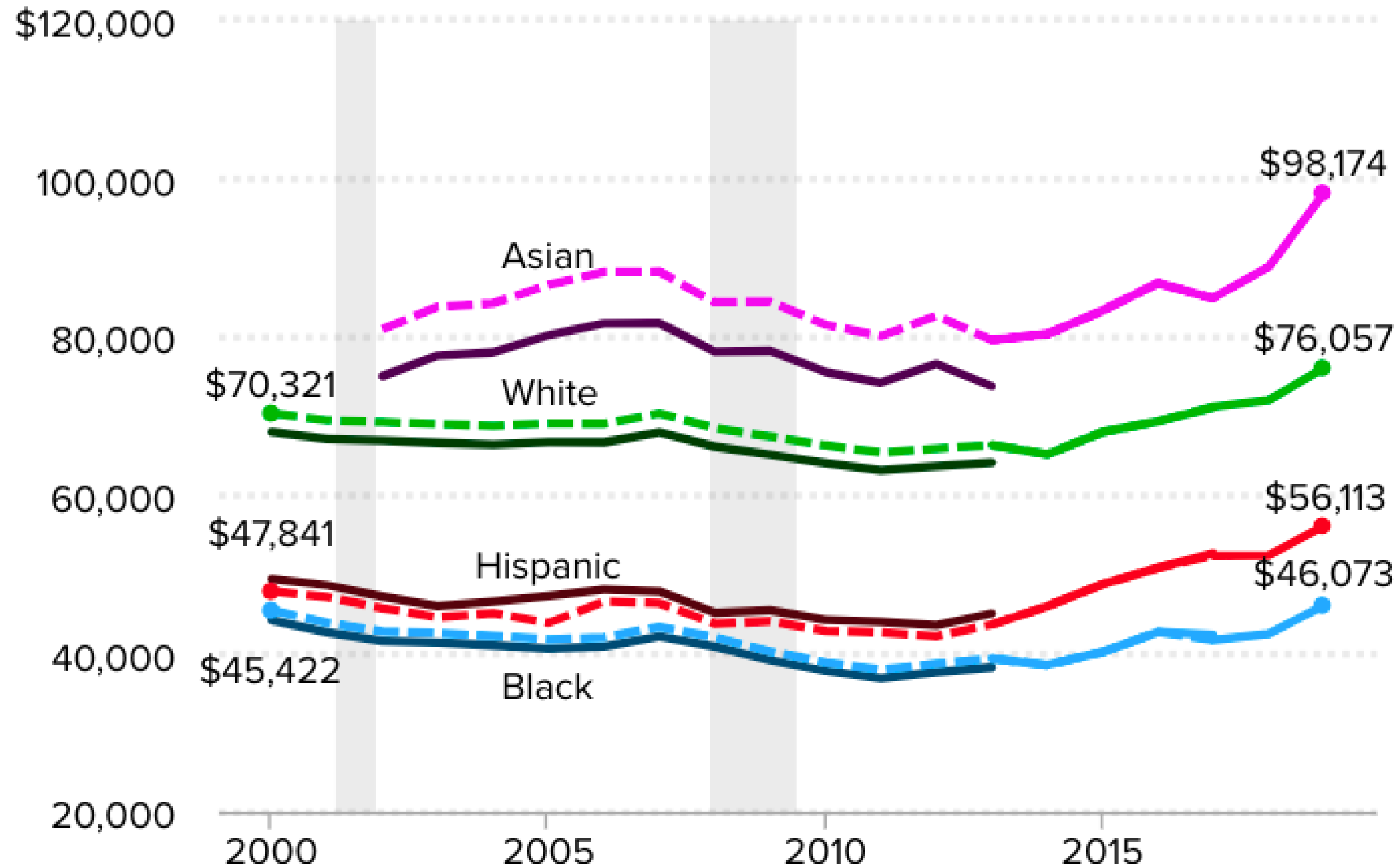
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Be one paycheck away from  
**becoming poor**

**IN OHIO IT'S THREE TIMES AS LIKELY**



# Real median household income by race and ethnicity, 2000–2019



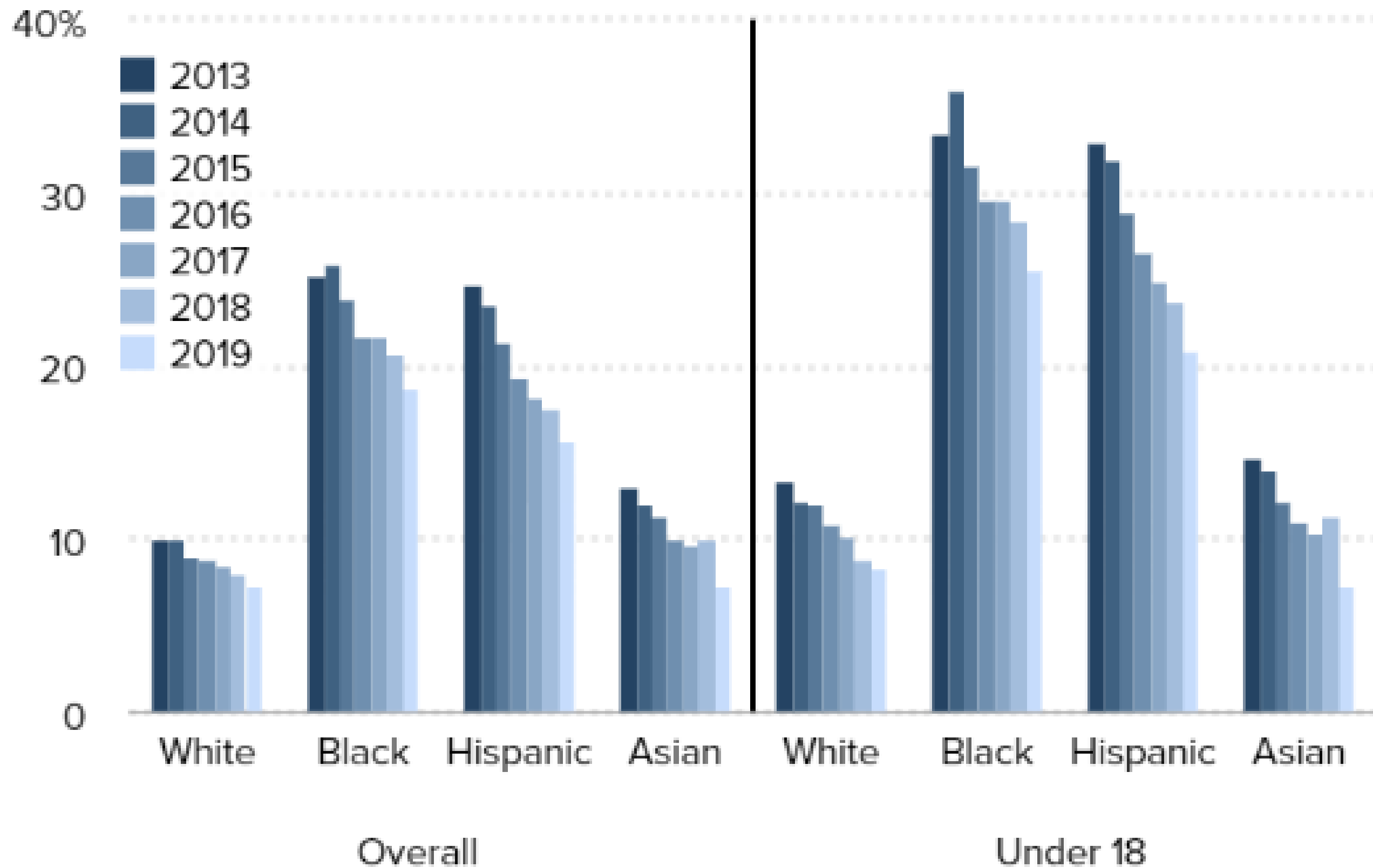
For every \$1

White workers earn \$1.00

Black workers earn \$0.77

Hispanic workers earn \$0.74

# Overall poverty rate and poverty rate of those under age 18, by race and ethnicity, 2013–2019



**Wealth**

**Without wealth, you are more likely to become poor.**

**Income and  
Poverty**

**When you are poor, you are more likely to experience hunger.**

**Hunger**

# SMALL GROUP DEBRIEF

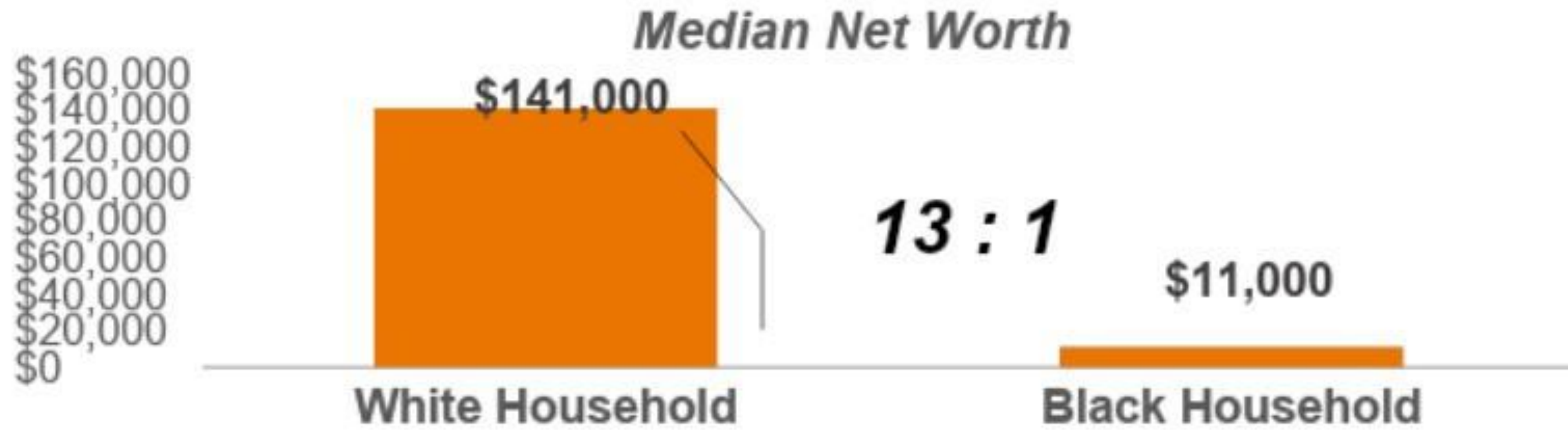
- What kind of generational impact did these policies have?
- Which federal policies affected, or still affect, actions in the private sector that help create or sustain the racial wealth gap?
- How do these policies affect our work?



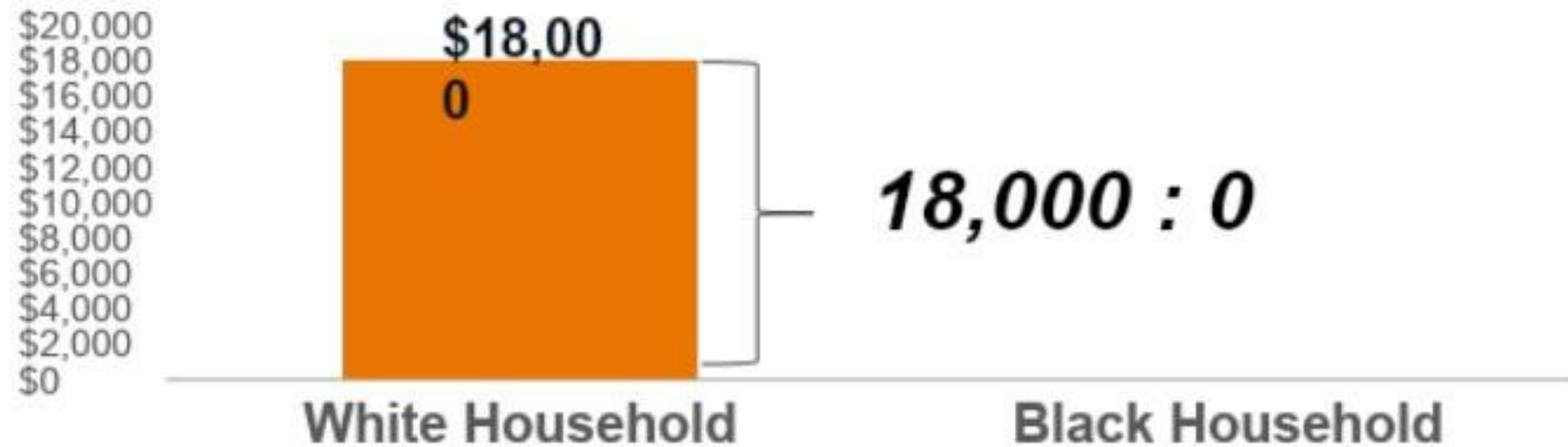
# LARGE GROUP DEBRIEF

- How did the experience feel to you? What did you learn participating as another race?
- What surprised you the most?
- Thinking about your work, how do you use this information? Is there other information you need?

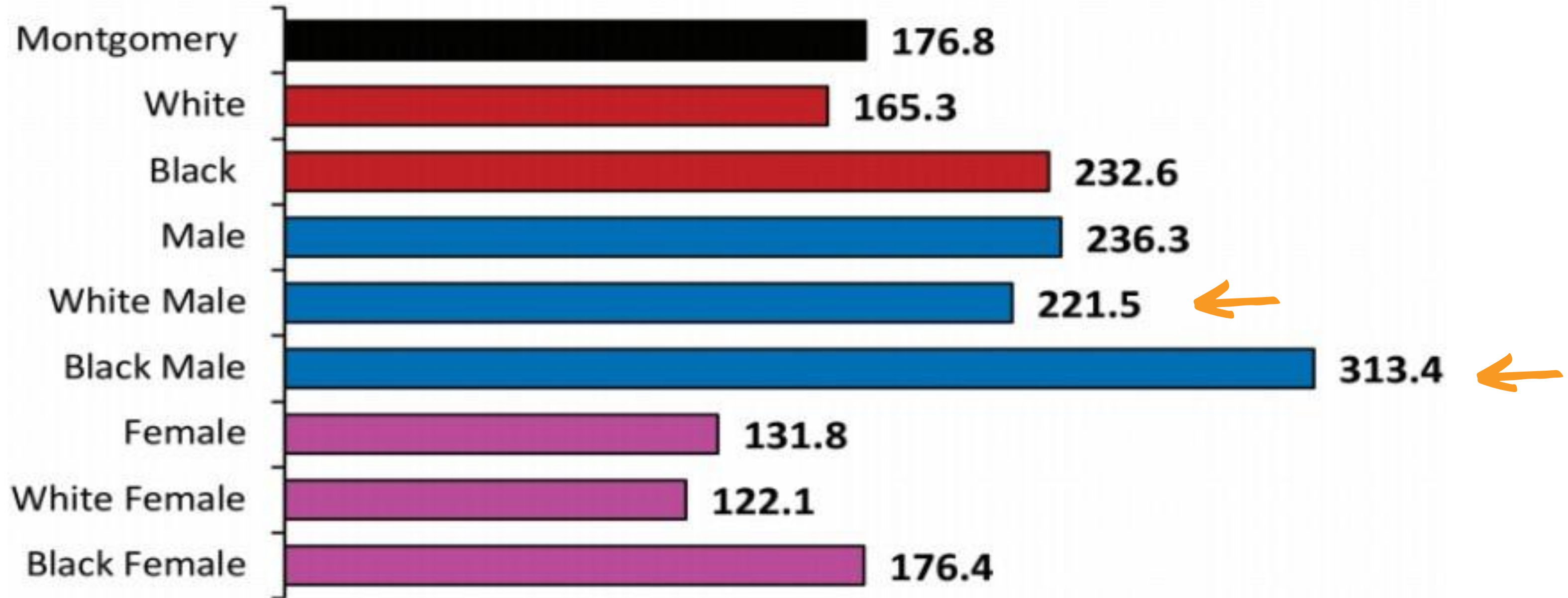




### Median Net Worth Among Households Living Near the Poverty Line



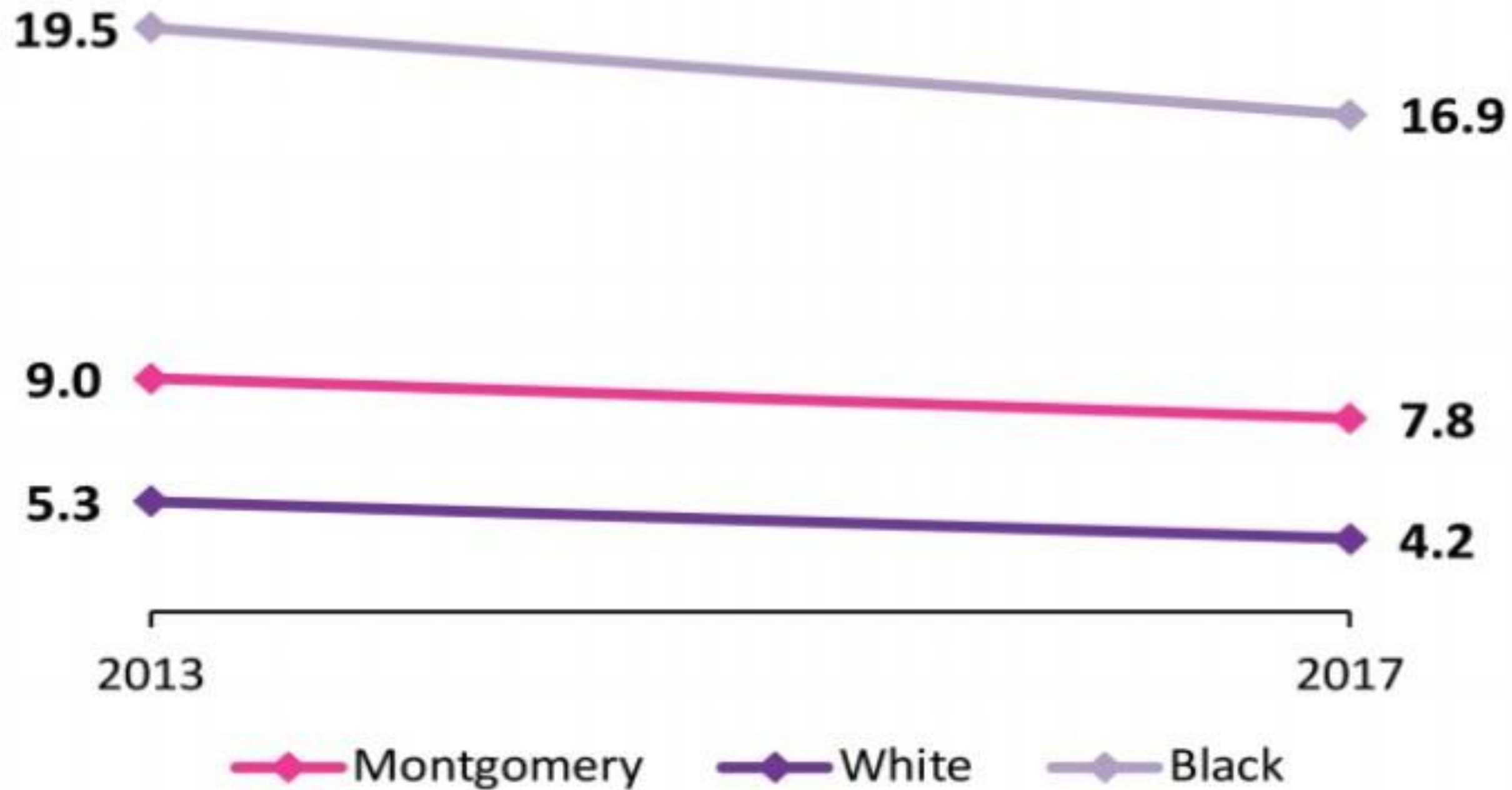
## Heart Disease Death Rate\* by Race and Sex Montgomery County, 2016-2017



\*Age-adjusted rate per 100,000

Source: Ohio Death Certificates, Ohio Department of Health

## Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000 Live Births) by Race, Montgomery County, 2013-2017

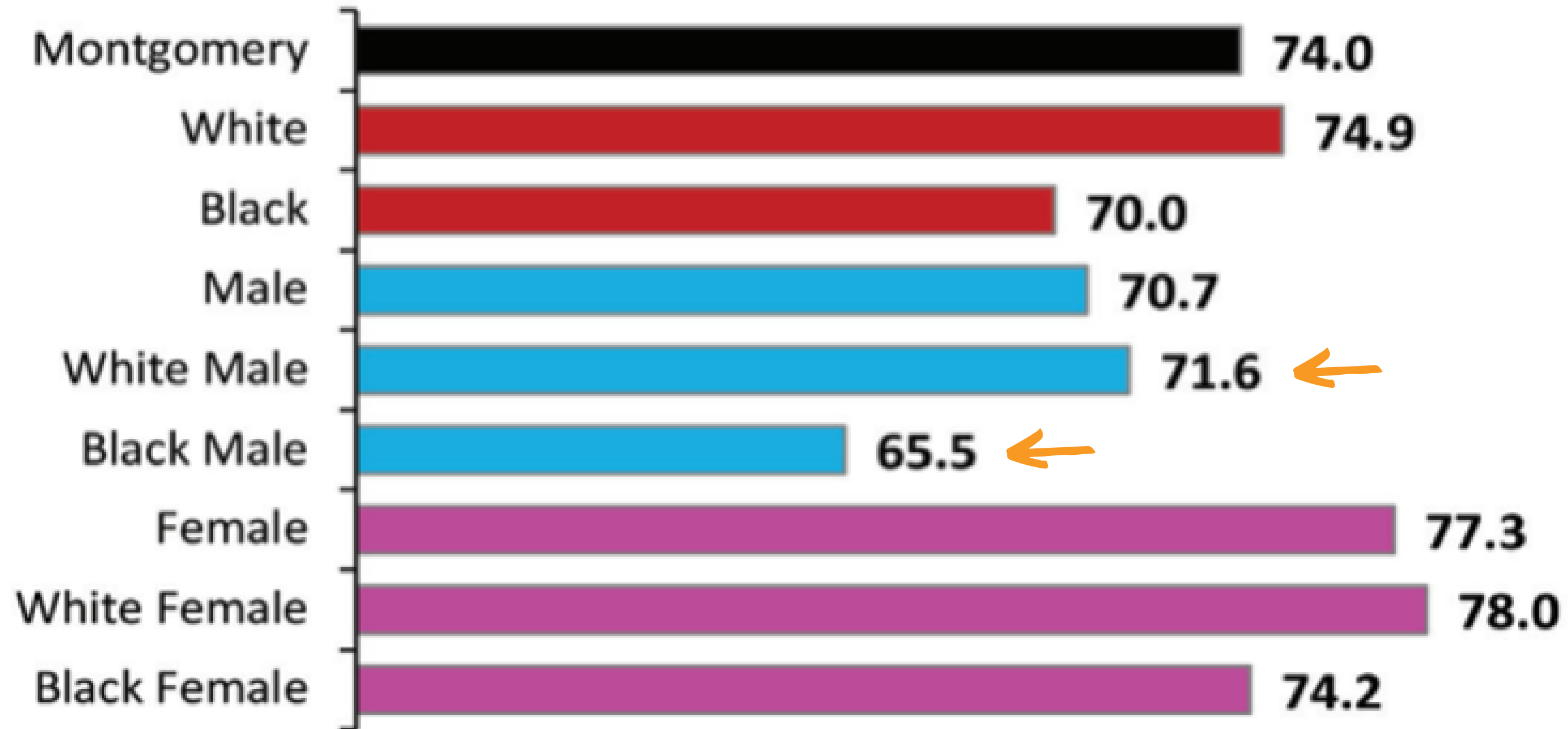


Note: Due to small numbers, the Hispanic infant mortality rate cannot be calculated annually.

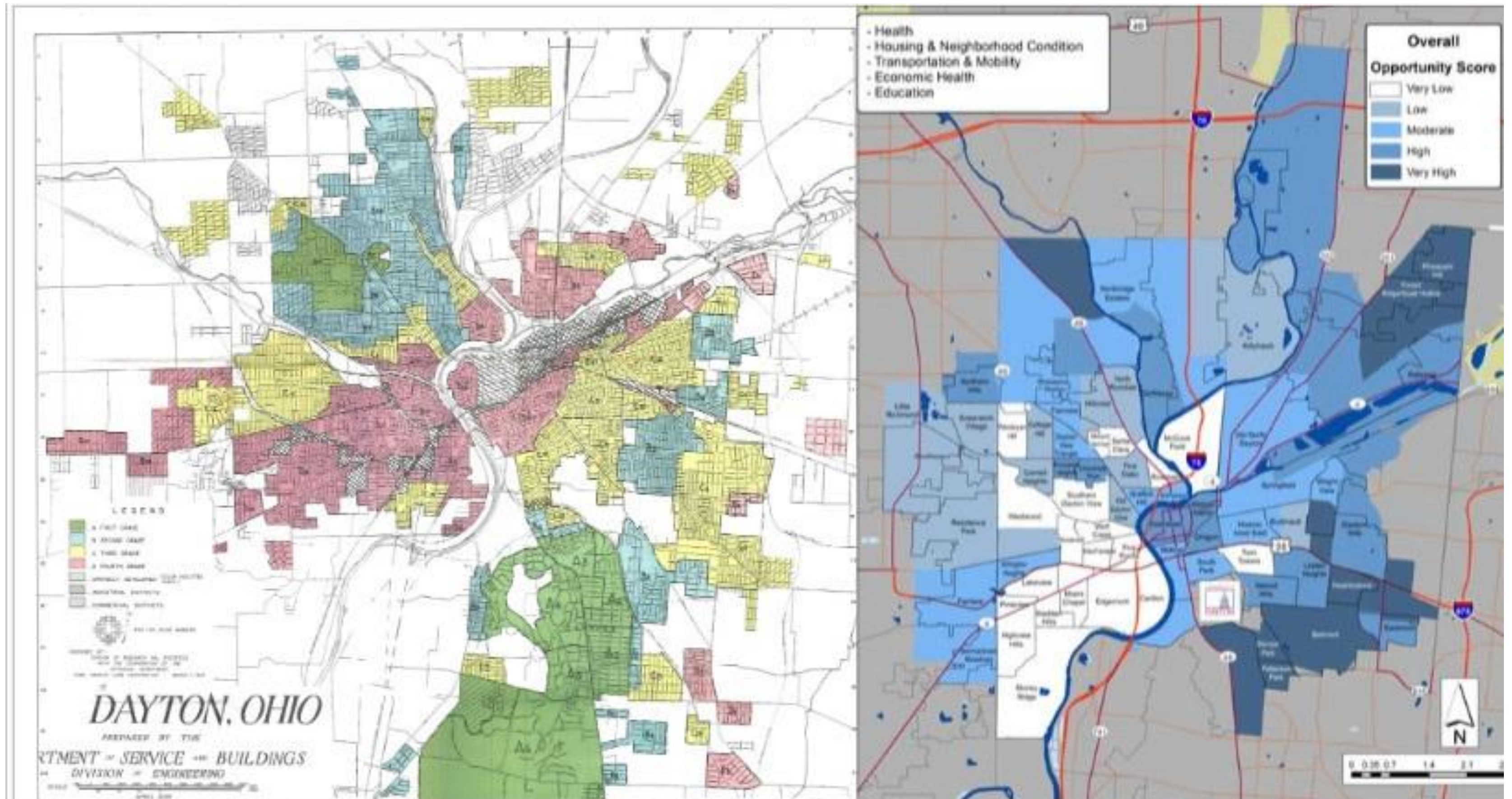
Source: Ohio Birth and Death Certificates, Ohio Department of Health



# Life Expectancy by Race and Sex Montgomery County, 2016-2017



Source: Ohio Death Certificates, Ohio Department of Health





# REDLINING NOTES

NAME OF CITY Dayton & Madison Township SECURITY GRADE C AREA NO. 12  
West of Dayton

DESCRIPTION OF TERRAIN. High, level

FAVORABLE INFLUENCES. Good transportation; good schools; good playgrounds; newer section of medium priced houses with similar type houses; reasonable residential restrictions.

DETRIMENTAL INFLUENCES. Necessary to travel through colored section to get to it. ←

**Notes from the area Thurgood Marshall HS was built in.**

# REDLINING NOTES

1. NAME OF CITY Dayton SECURITY GRADE D AREA NO. 10

2. DESCRIPTION OF TERRAIN. Level

3. FAVORABLE INFLUENCES. Good transportation and schools.

4. DETRIMENTAL INFLUENCES. Mixture of low class foreigners - Polish, Russian, Hungarian and negro. Old houses in bad repair.

5. INHABITANTS:

a. Type Laborers; b. Estimated annual family income \$ 900

c. Foreign-born Hungarian, Slave, Polish, Russian %; d. Negro Yes %;

(Nationality) (Yes or No)

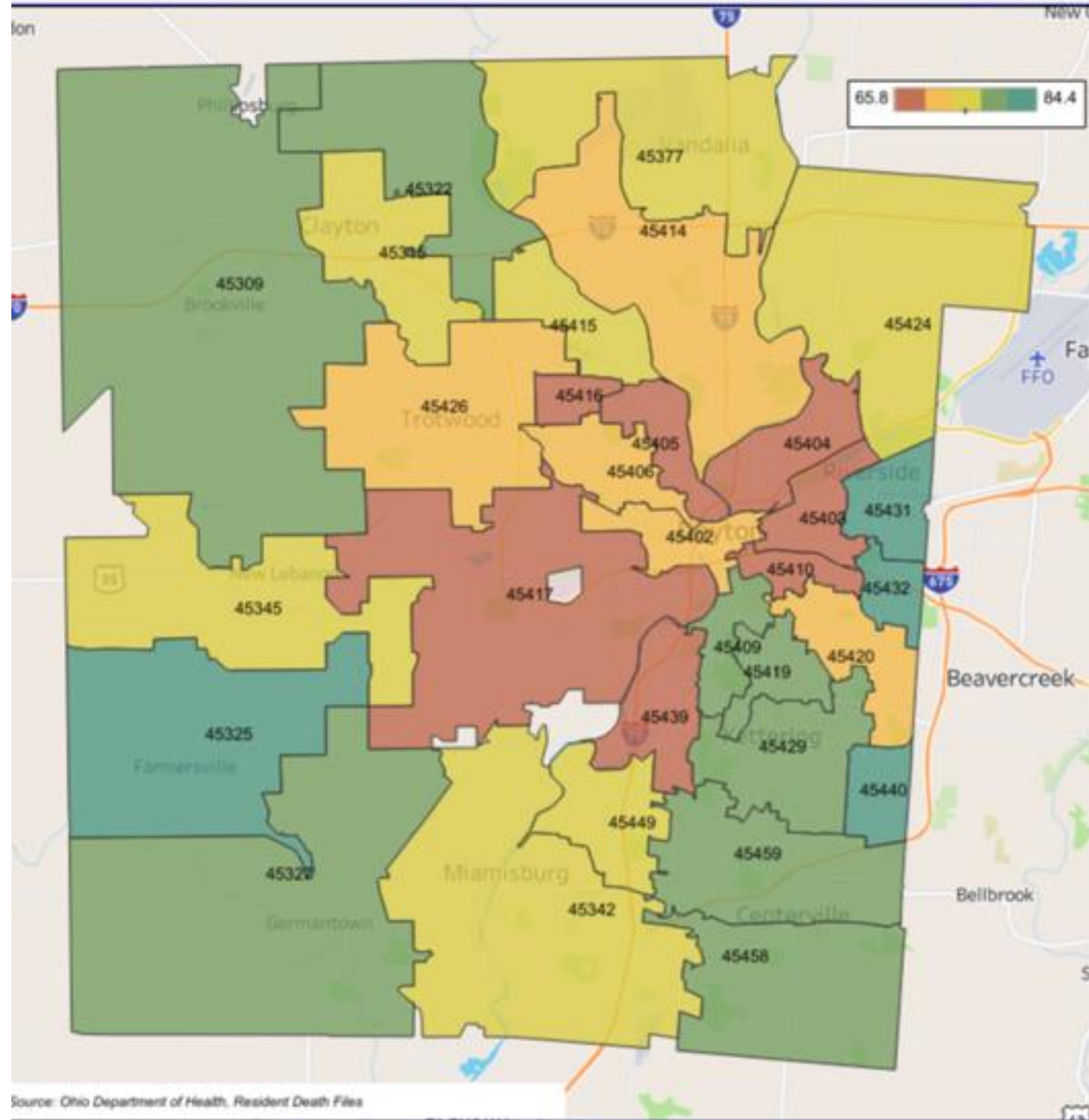
e. Infiltration of Lower class foreigners f. Relief families 80% %;

# Life Expectancy by Zip Code



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2018-2020

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Zip Code	Age	
45309	77.5	
45315	76.1	
45322	77.7	
45325	81.9	
45327	79.0	
45342	75.2	
45345	73.4	
45377	75.5	
45402	69.8	
45403	65.8	
45404	69.3	
45405	67.6	
45406	69.7	
45409	78.3	
45410	68.4	
45414	71.8	
45415	74.0	
45416	67.5	
45417	67.7	
45419	80.1	
45420	72.9	
45424	75.3	
45426	71.2	
45429	78.7	
45431	81.6	
45432	83.6	
45439	69.1	
45440	84.4	
45449	73.4	
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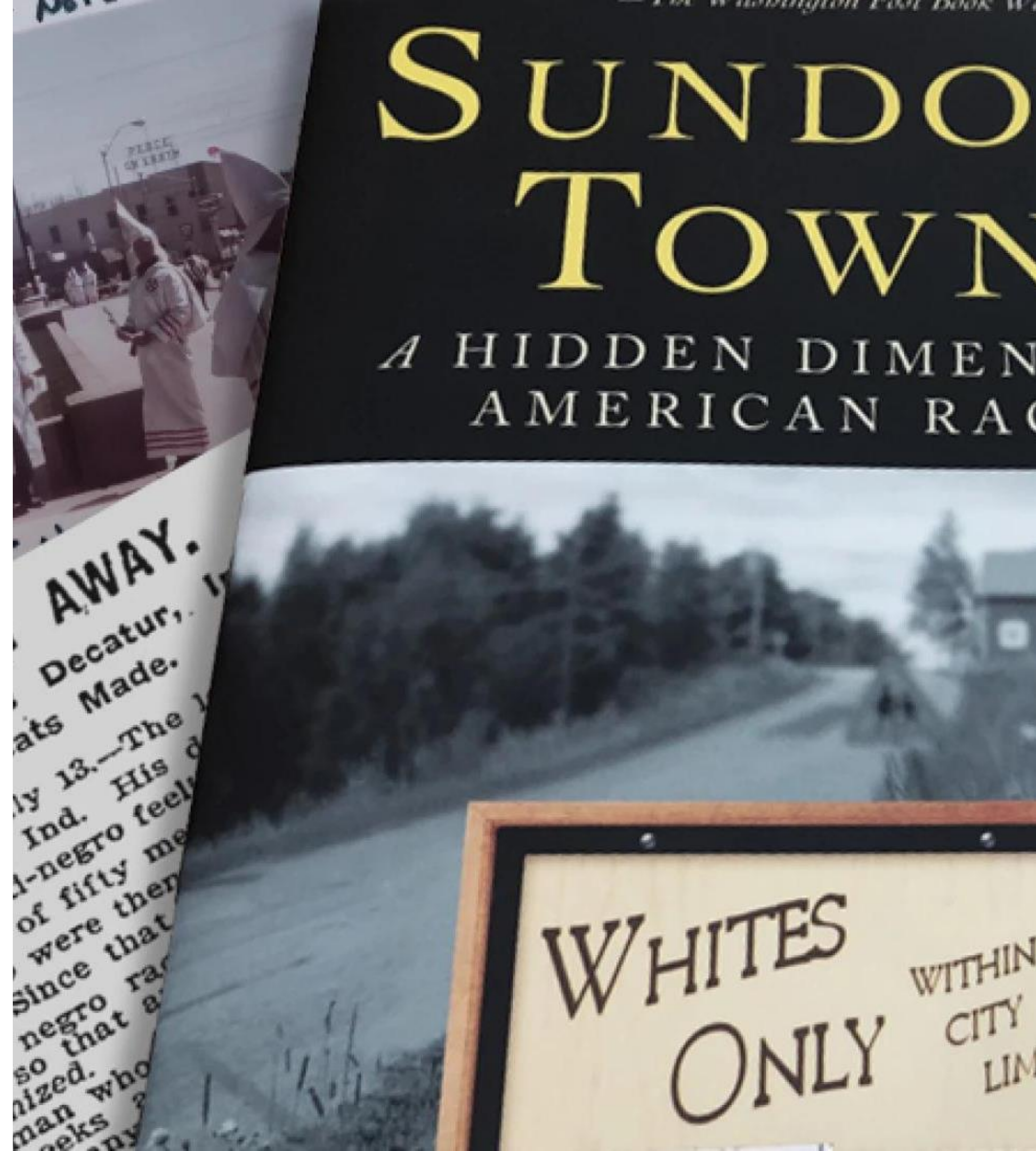


Source: Ohio Department of Health, Resident Death Files

# SUNDOWN TOWN

**“Sundown Towns are all-white communities, neighborhoods, or counties that exclude Blacks and other minorities through the use of discriminatory laws, harassment, and threats or use of violence. The name derives from the posted and verbal warnings issued to Blacks that although they might be allowed to work or travel in a community during the daytime, they must leave by sundown.”**

*Blackpast.org*



# BARRIERS WITHIN THE IMMIGRANT COMMUNITY

ID Cards

Language

Public Charge

Access to Services

Cultural Differences



"Hunger is an Issue of Justice": Lessons from refugee and immigrant youth in San Diego



# WHAT'S NEXT?

Continue the Conversation

Think about how you can bring equity to your work and life

Support minority owned businesses

**Educate Yourself**

INFORMATION - be the counter to the censorship of information about our past

Speak out against racism and discrimination

# THANKS!

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