

Existing Data (Handout 2)

What kinds of existing data

Community information about:

- Age
- Poverty
- Health problems
- Ethnicity
- Educational level
- Primary care physicians per capita
- Primary care providers per capita
- Computer literacy and Internet access
- Whatever is relevant to your project

Where to find existing data

- Scholarly literature
- Health data tools and statistics
- US Census data Federal agencies
- Federal agencies
- Health and social service departments
- State centers with health or economic statistics
- Boards of education
- Local government agencies
- Foundations and community-based organizations