Health equity is the opportunity for everyone to have good health.
HEALTHY PEOPLE 2020

"... a particular type of health difference that is closely linked with economic, social, or environmental disadvantage. Health disparities adversely affect groups of people who have systematically experienced greater social or economic obstacles to health based on their racial or ethnic group, religion, socioeconomic status, gender, age, or mental health; cognitive, sensory, or physical disability; sexual orientation or gender identity; geographic location; or other characteristics historically linked to discrimination or exclusion."
"Health equity means social justice in health (i.e., no one is denied the possibility to be healthy for belonging to a group that has historically been economically/socially disadvantaged)."

PAULA BRAVEMEN CONTINUED:

"Health equity is the principle underlying a commitment to reduce—and, ultimately, eliminate—disparities in health and in its determinants, including social determinants. Pursuing health equity means striving for the highest possible standard of health for all people and giving special attention to the needs of those at greatest risk of poor health, based on social conditions."
Social Determinants of Health

Social determinants of health are conditions in the environments in which people are born, live, learn, work, play, worship, and age that affect a wide range of health, functioning, and quality-of-life outcomes and risks.

KEY DRIVERS AND DETERMINANTS

- Education
- Health and Health Care
- Neighborhood and built environment
- Economic Stability
- Social and Community Context
- TRUST!
Health starts – long before illness – in our homes, schools, and jobs. All Americans should have the opportunity to make the choices that allow them to live a long, healthy life, regardless of their income, education or ethnic background.

Your identity, neighborhood or job shouldn't be hazardous to your health.

Your opportunity for health starts long before you need medical care.

The opportunity for health begins in our families, neighborhoods, schools, and jobs.

WAYS TO TALK ABOUT IT

"Wise men build bridges, foolish men build barriers."

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THANK YOU

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