

641—80.6 (135) Community capacity/local board of health and healthy aging funds. The purpose of community capacity/local board of health and healthy aging funds is to assist an LBOH in implementing core public health functions, providing essential public health services that promote healthy aging throughout the lifespan, and enhancing health promotion and disease prevention services with a priority given to older Iowans and vulnerable populations.

80.6(1) Allocation for community capacity/local board of health. The appropriation to each county board of health is determined by the following formula: 40 percent of the total allocation shall be divided so that an equal amount is available for use in each county in the state. The remaining 60 percent shall be allocated to each county according to the county's population based upon the published data by the U.S. Census Bureau, which is the data available three months prior to the release of the LPHS application.

80.6(2) Allocation for healthy aging. The allocation for the healthy aging appropriation is determined by the following formula: 15 percent of the total appropriation shall be divided so that an equal amount is available for use in each county in the state. The remaining 85 percent shall be allocated to each county according to that county's proportion of state residents with the following demographic characteristics:

a. Sixty percent of the funds shall be allocated according to the number of elderly persons living in the county based upon the bridged-race population estimates produced by the U.S. Census Bureau in collaboration with the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS).

b. Forty percent of the funds shall be allocated according to the number of low-income persons living in the county based upon the U.S. Census Bureau's Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates (SAIPE).

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