



ASIAN AMERICAN & PACIFIC ISLANDER HEALTH DISPARITIES

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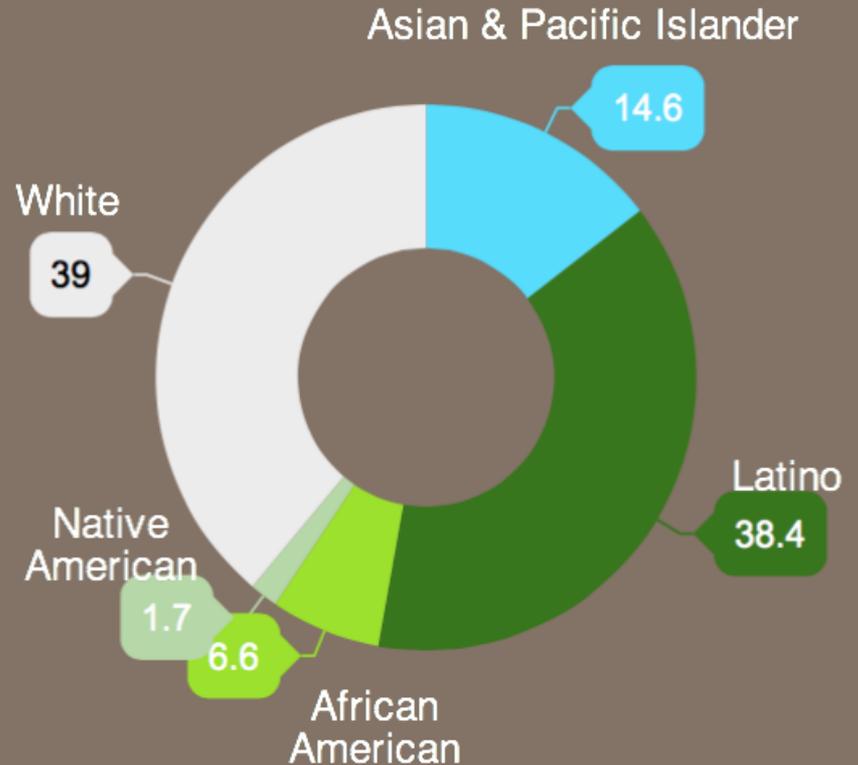
SOUTHEAST ASIA RESOURCE
ACTION CENTER

API "California Love"

Diversity within the
API Community

California is home to the largest and most diverse Asian & Pacific Islander American community in the entire country.

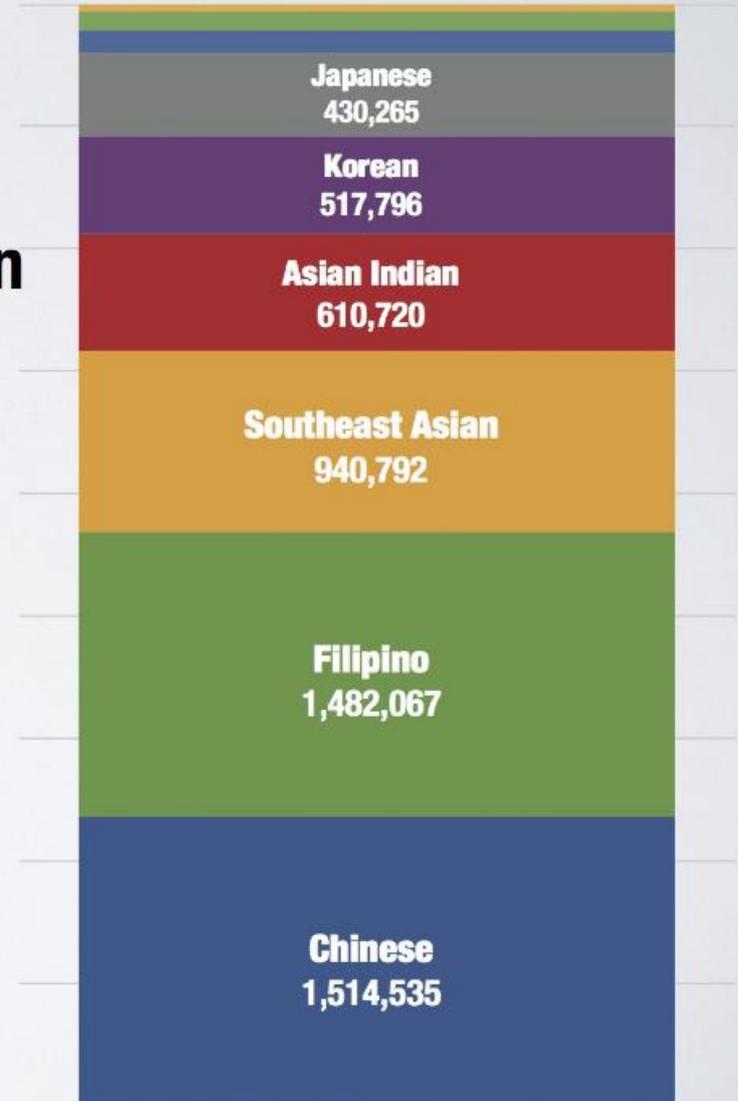
California is also home to the largest resettlement of refugees anywhere in the world.



CA
Demographics

Diversity Among Asian Americans in California

Key Characteristics and Demographics





It was the best of times,
It was the worst of times.



The lack of disaggregated data masks disparities within the Asian & Pacific Islander Community



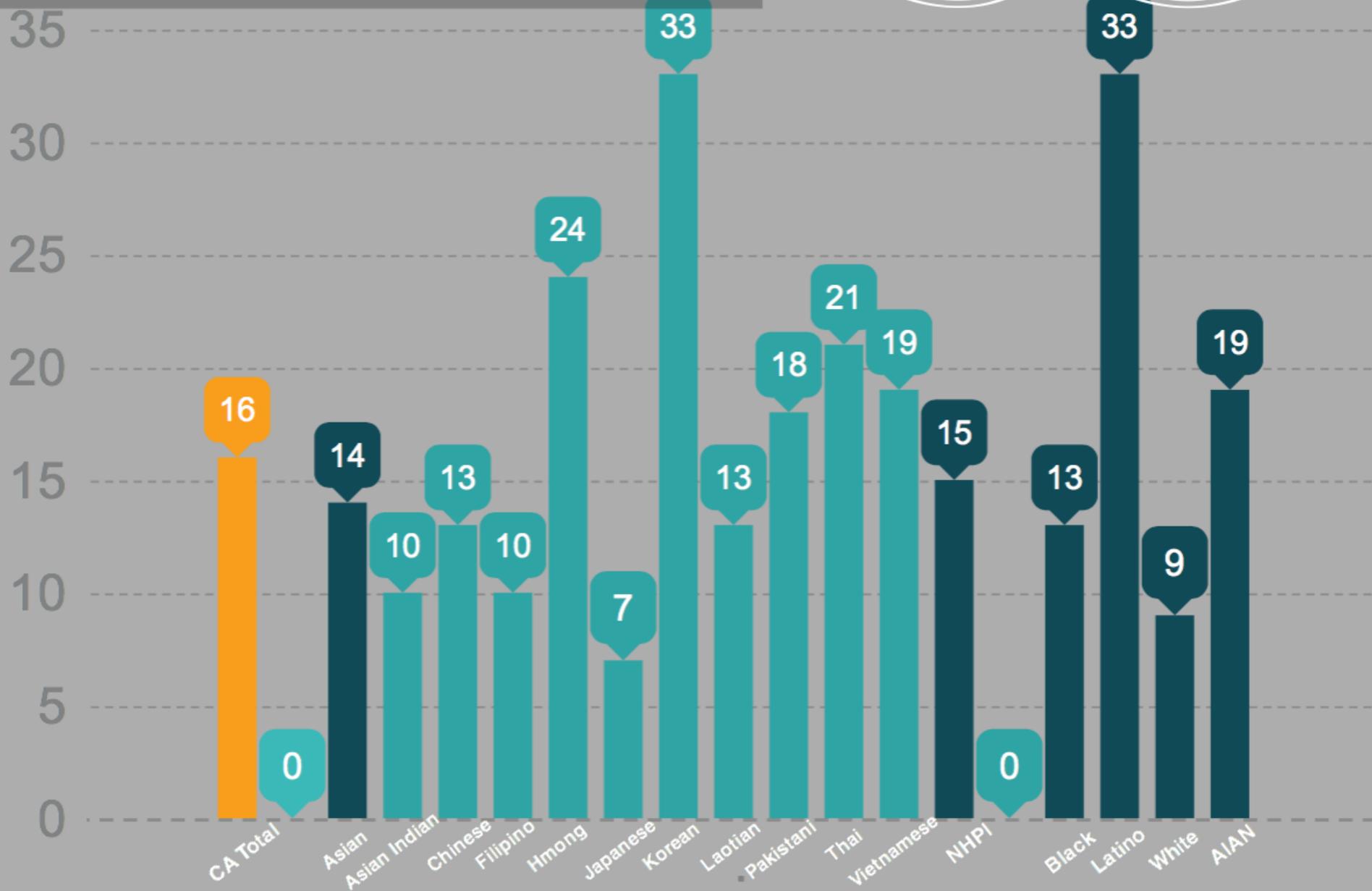
Challenges similar to struggles endured by other immigrant & historically underserved communities.

Language Access & Cultural Competency

The Uninsured



The Uninsured





Real knowledge is to know the extent of one's ignorance.



Rates of Diabetes



24%

Diabetes Rates for
Hmong & Cambodian
Americans



Number of Hmong & Cambodian
Americans Served by CDPH's Heart
Disease & Diabetes Prevention Unit



RECOMMENDATIONS

#1

Partner with community based organizations

#2

Disaggregated data for CDPH & DHCS