



Addressing Behavioral Health Disparities: Opportunities for a Changing America

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Presentation Highlights

- Changing Demographics in America
- Understanding Disparities in Behavioral Health and Behavioral Health Care
- Opportunities for Promoting Behavioral Health Equity

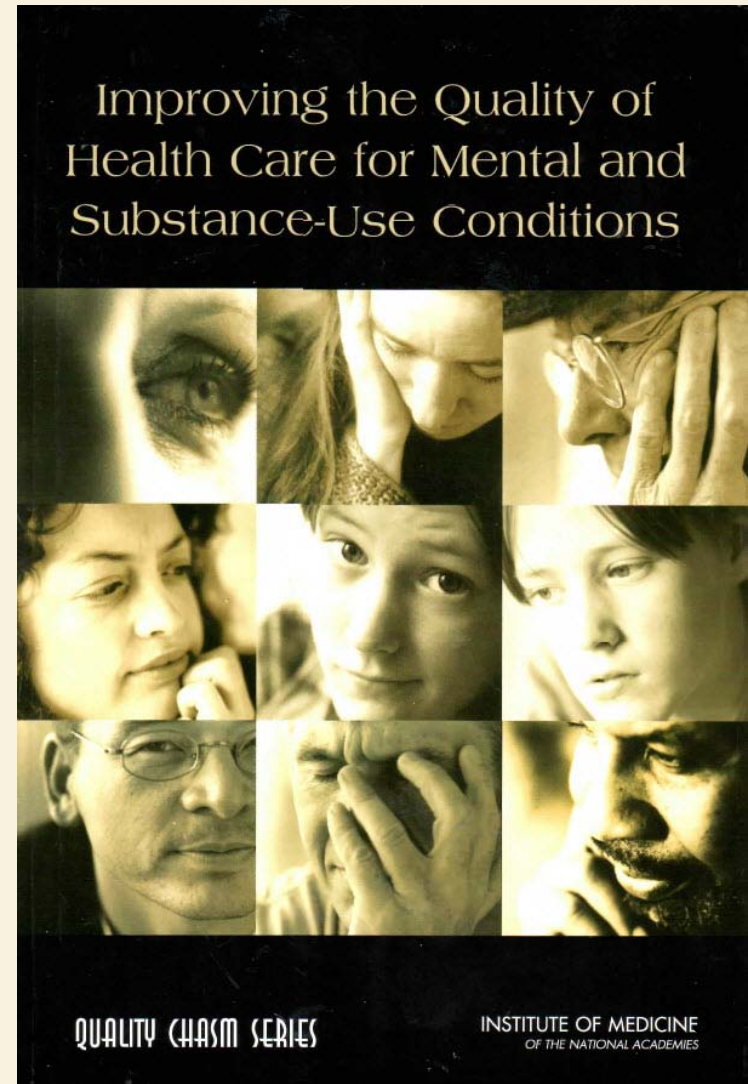
IOM's Crossing the Quality Chasm Series

- ***Six Principles of Report***

1. Safe (do no harm)
2. Effective
3. Patient-centered
4. Timely
5. Efficient
6. **Equitable** – providing effective care based on clinical criteria that does not vary by gender, race, age, SES

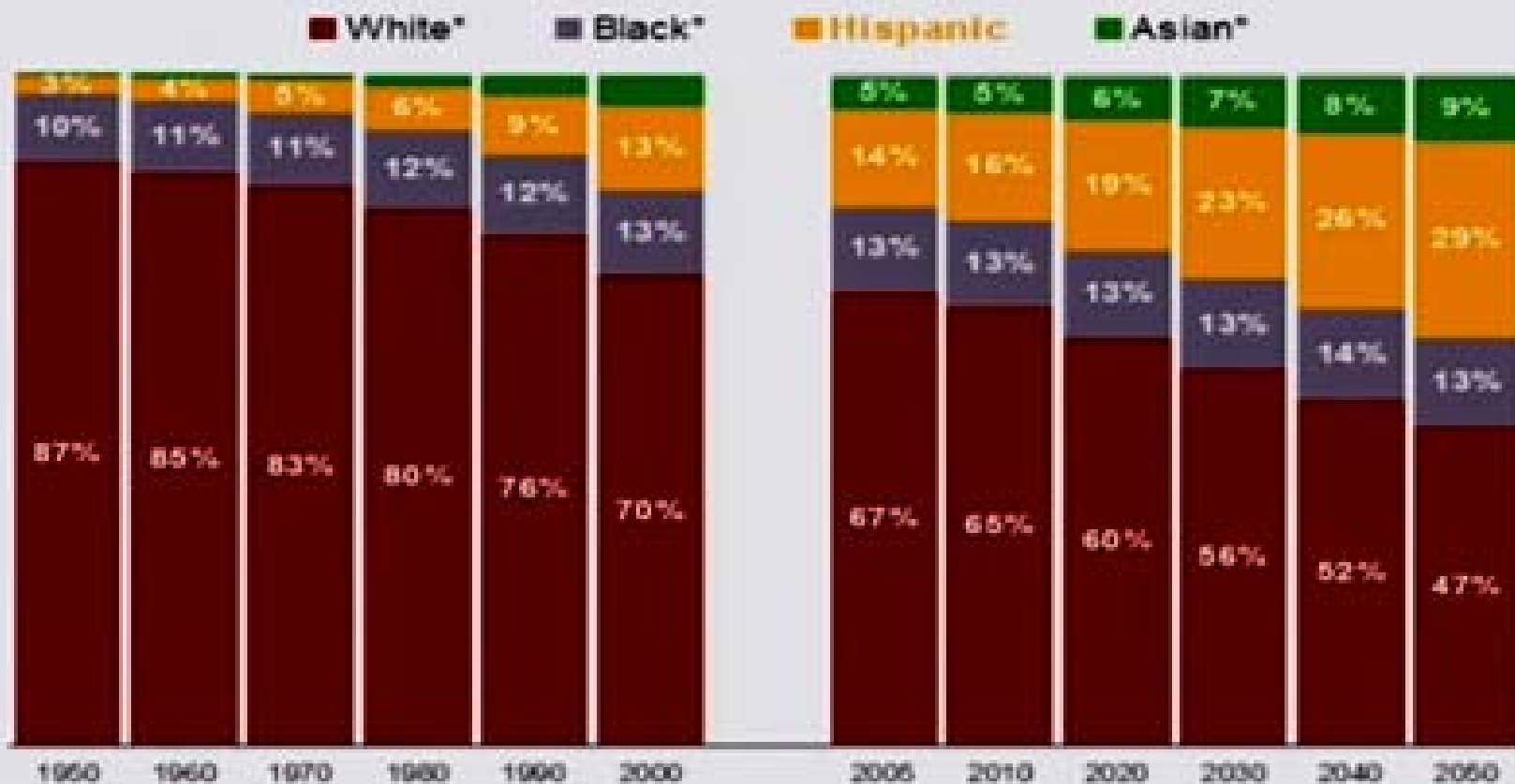
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<http://www.iom.edu/Reports/2005/Improving-the-Quality-of-Health-Care-for-Mental-and-Substance-Use-Conditions-Quality-Chasm-Series.aspx>




The Changing Face of America, 1950-2050

Percent of Total Population



General Health Status of US Adults, by Race and Ethnicity

General Health Status among US Adults*, by Race or Ethnicity



Race or Ethnicity	Excellent/ Very Good Health Status	Good Health Status	Fair/Poor Health Status
Non-Hispanic White	59.3%	27.8%	12.9%
Non-Hispanic Black	44.4%	34.6%	21.1%
Hispanic	33.6%	35.4%	31.1%
Asian	55.8%	33.8%	10.4%
Hawaiian/PI [^]	55.4%	29.7%	14.8%
Native American ⁺	42.7%	32.8%	24.5%

*Aged 18 years or older, [^]Pacific Islander,
⁺Includes American Indians and Alaska Natives

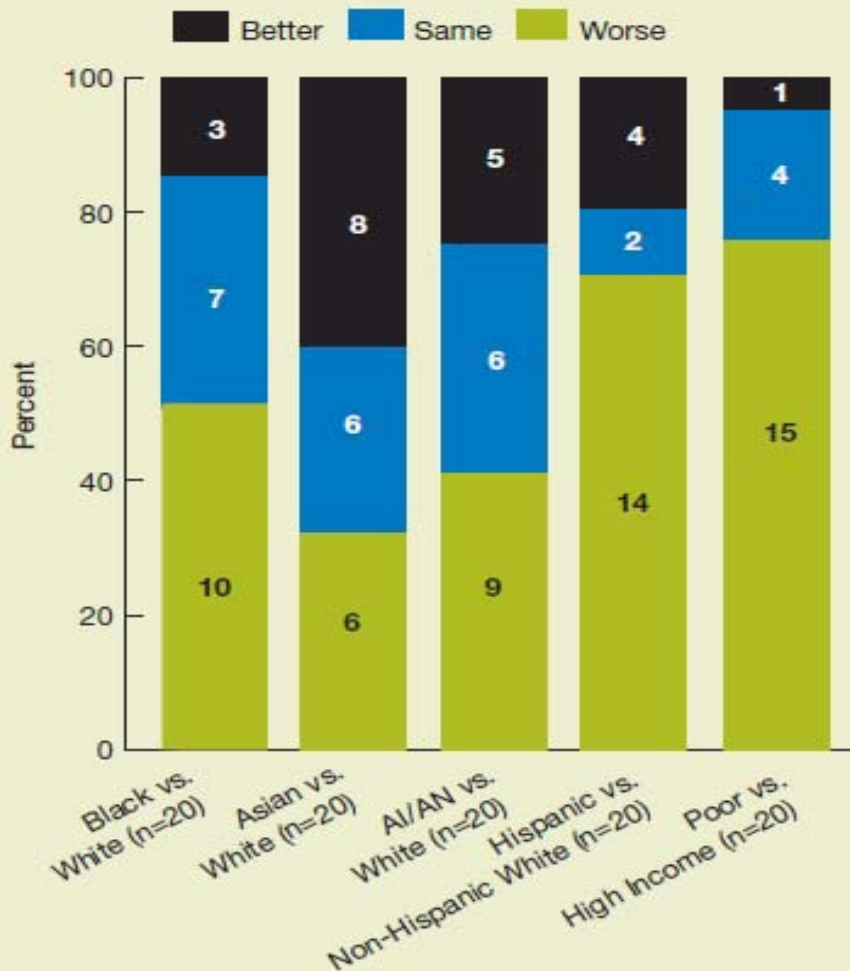
Data Source:

[Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Self-Rated Health Status among Adults with and Without Disabilities — United States, 2004–2006.](#) *MMWR* 2008;57(39):1069-1073.

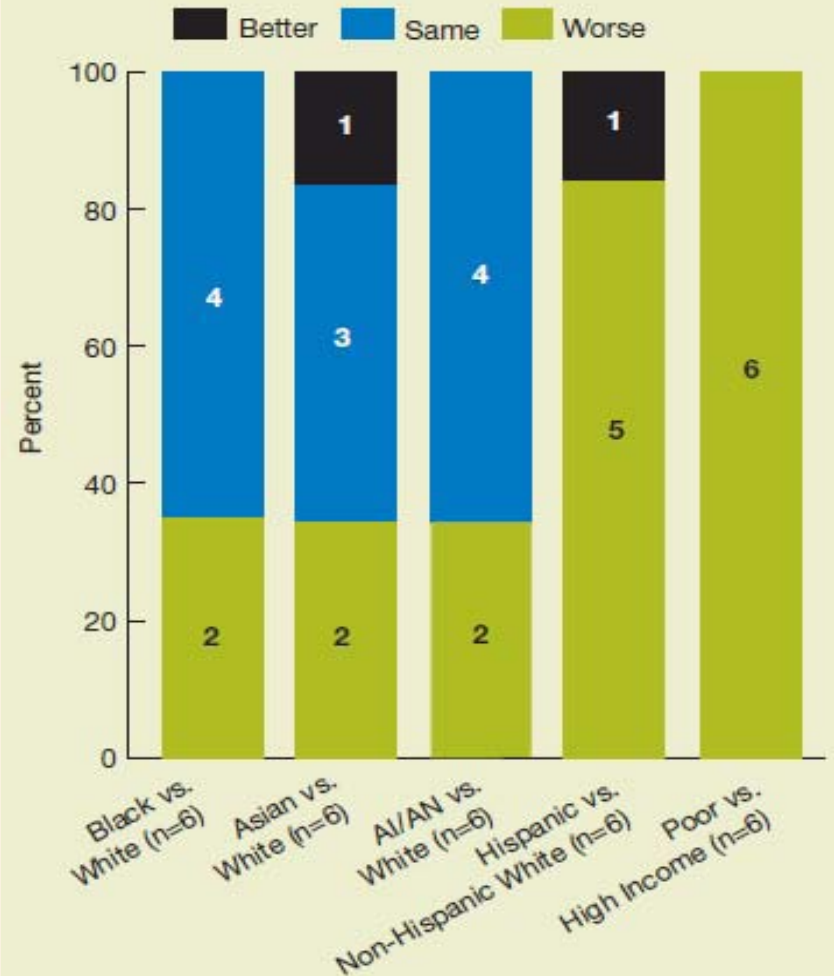
Disparities in 2009

(AHRQ, Natl Health Disparities Report, 2009)

Quality of Care

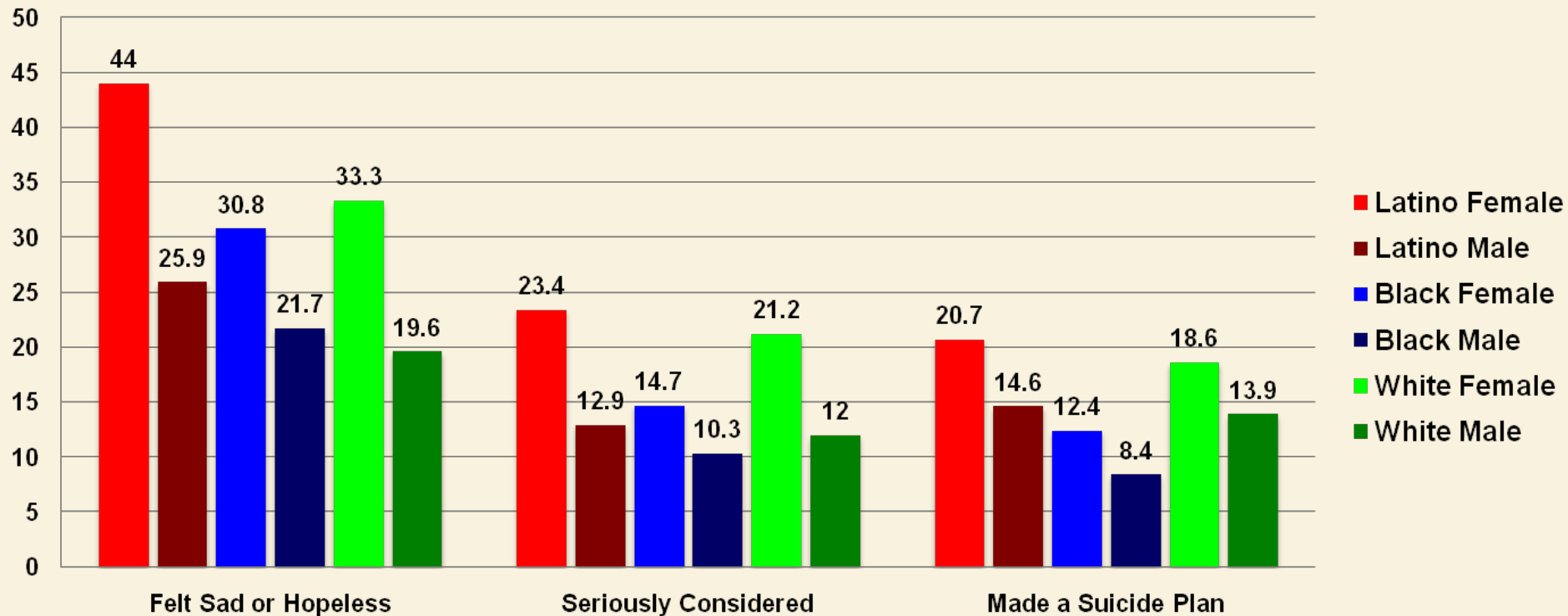


Access to Care



Latina/o Adolescent Suicide

Percentage of Students by Race/Ethnicity and Sex



Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 2004. Data from: self-report survey. 15,214 students, grades 9-12: administered February-December 2003; 43 states

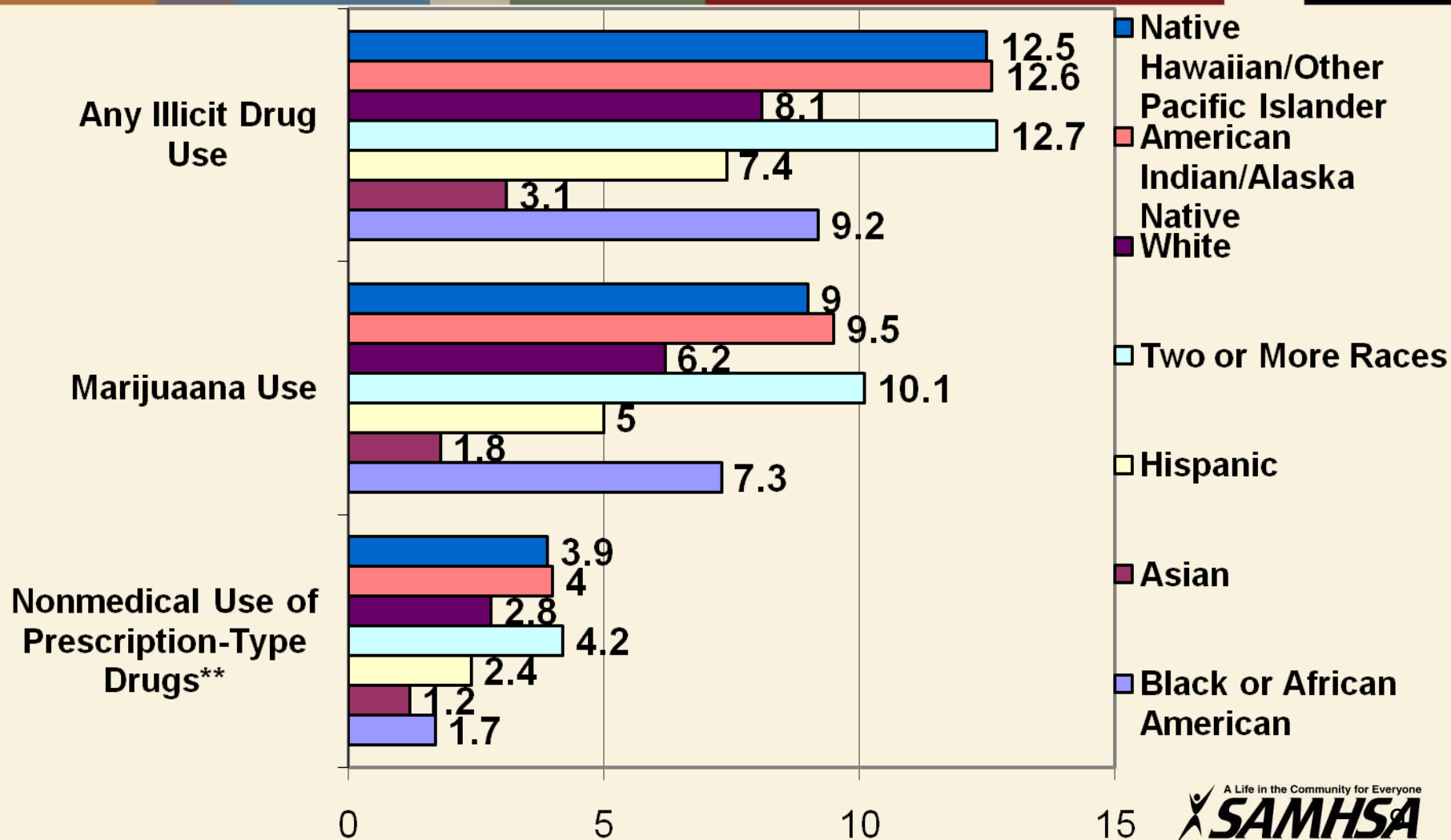
AMERICAN INDIAN/ALASKA NATIVE MORTALITY RATE DISPARITIES

2004-2006 (rates per 100,000 population)

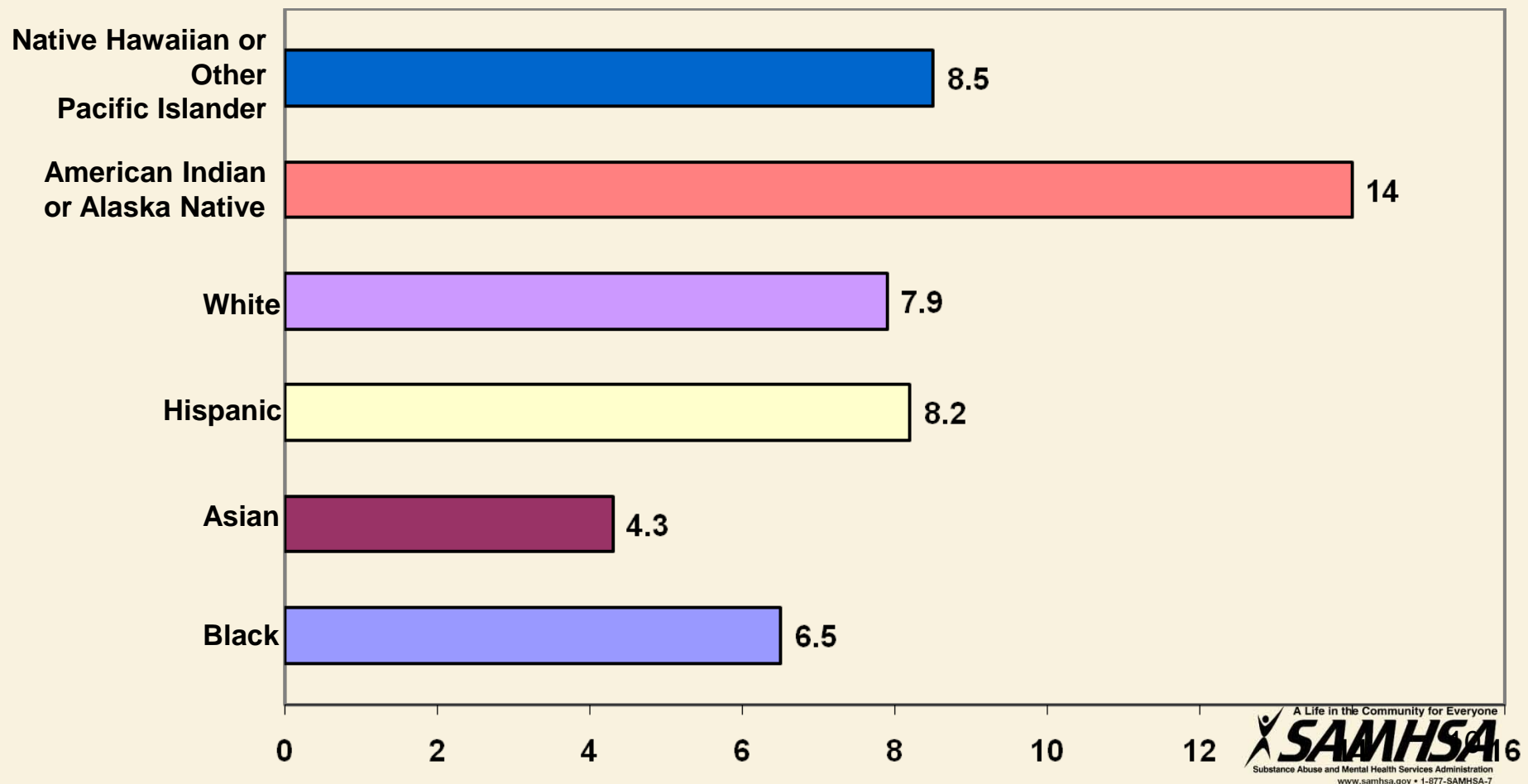
	AI/AN Rate 2004- 2006	US All Races Rate 2005	Ratio: AI/AN to US All Races
ALL CAUSES	980.0	798.8	1.2
Alcohol Induced	43.0	7.0	6.1
Diabetes	68.1	24.6	2.8
Injuries	93.8	39.1	2.4
Homicide	11.7	6.1	1.9
Suicide	19.8	10.9	1.8
Pneumonia/Influenza	27.1	20.3	1.3
Infant Deaths	8.0	6.9	1.2

* Per 100,000 population

Percentage of Past Month Illicit Drug Use among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Race/Ethnicity*: 2004 and 2005

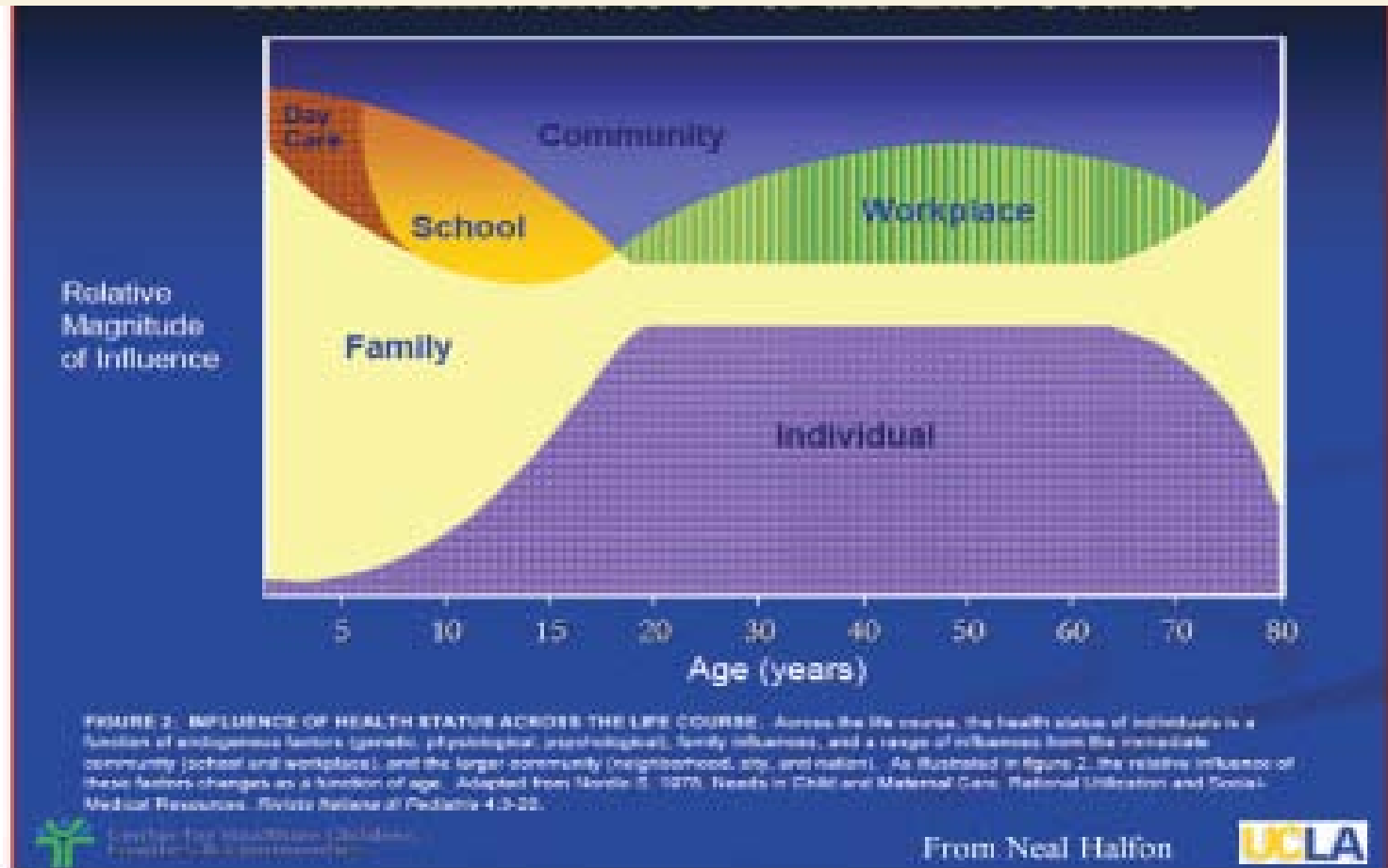


Percentage of Persons Aged 12 or Older Who Met the Criteria for Alcohol Dependence or Abuse in the Past Year, by Race and Ethnicity: 2002, 2003, and 2004

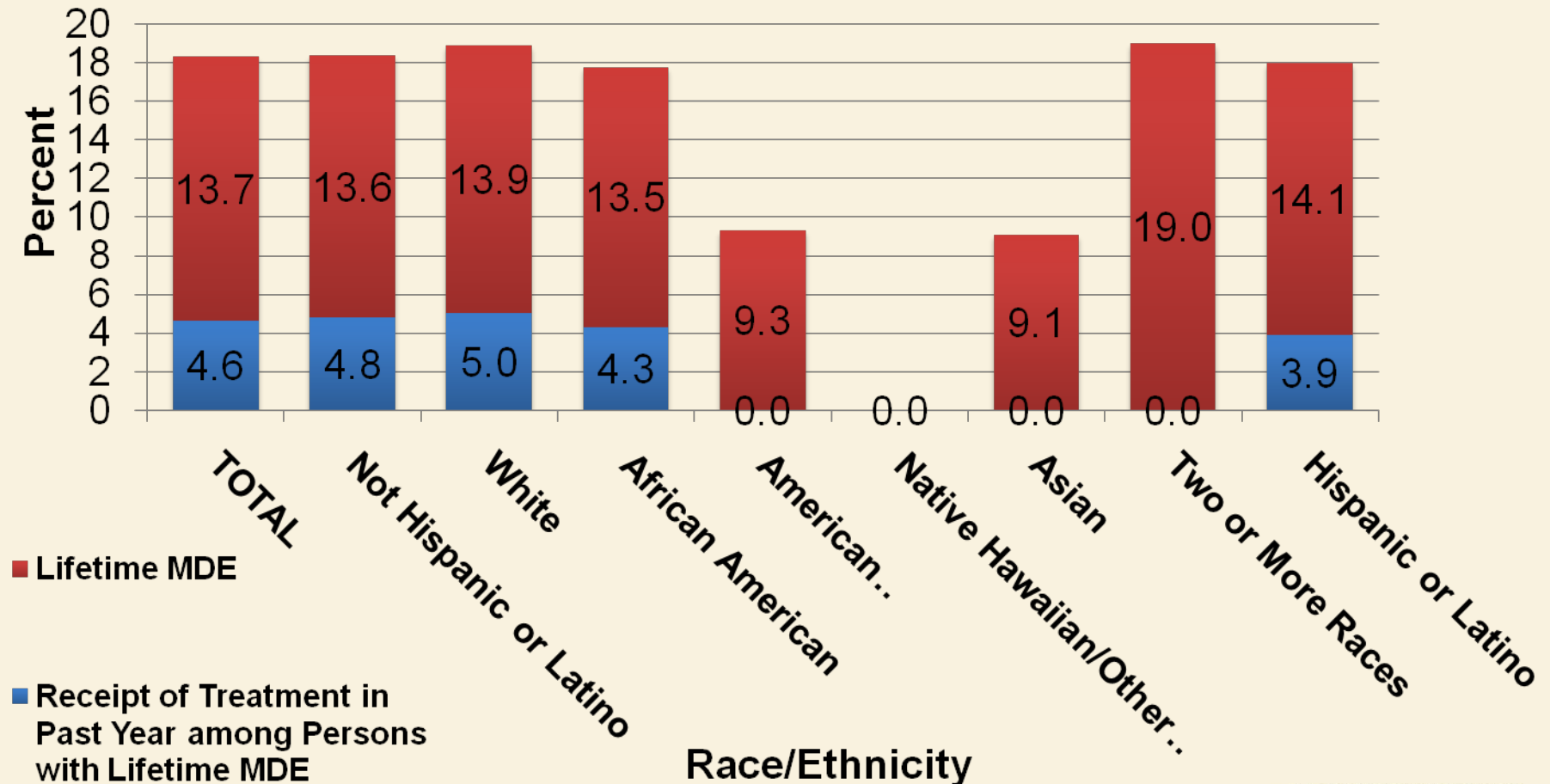


Source: SAMHSA, 2002, 2003 and 2004 NSDUHs Short Report Issue 16, 2006.

Social Determinants of Health

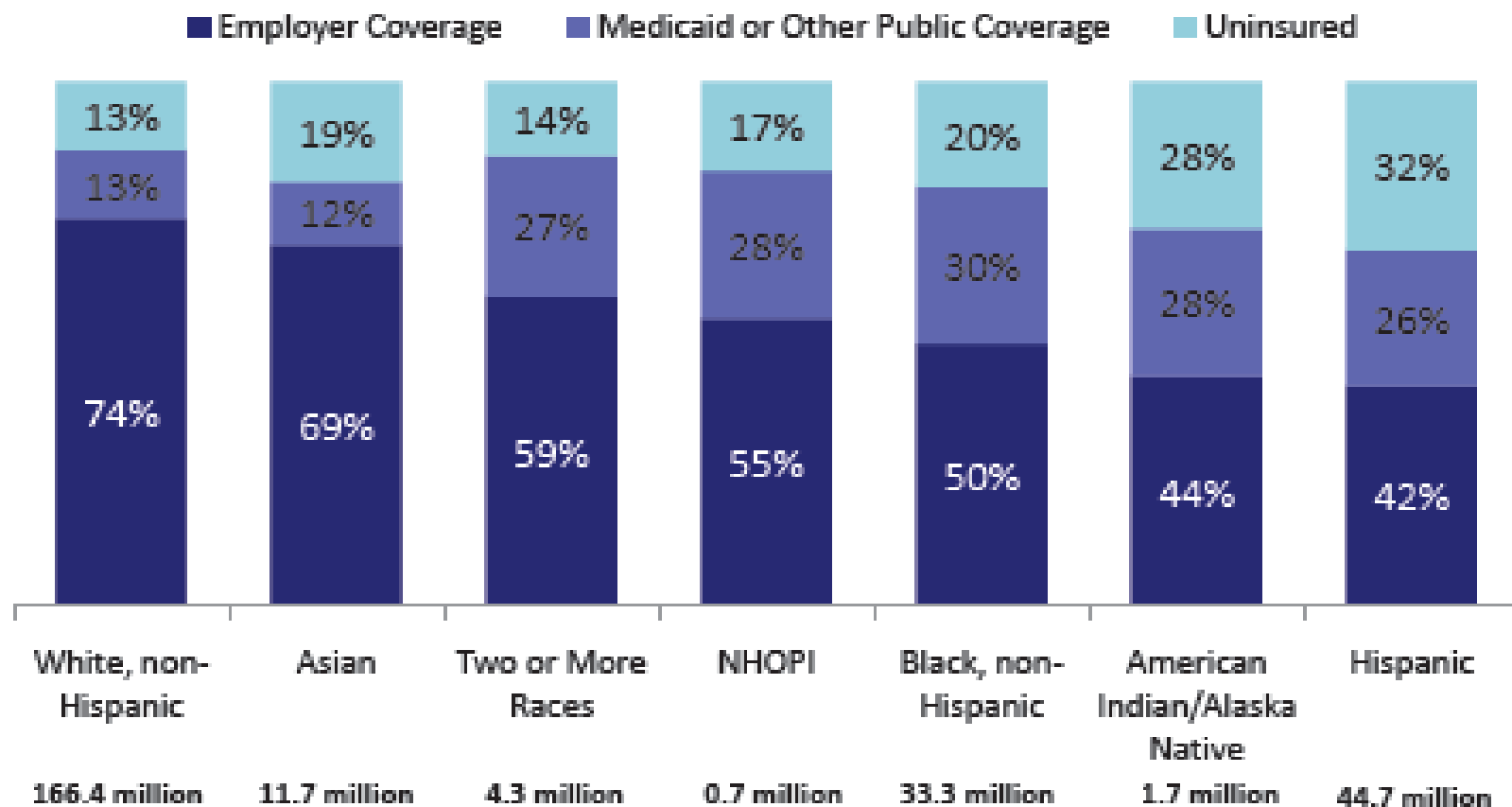


Had at Least One Major Depressive Episode (MDE) in Lifetime and Receipt of Treatment in the Past Year for Depression among Persons Aged 12 to 17 by Race/Ethnicity: Percentages 2005 (NSDUH)



Note: Where no estimate was reported due to low precision 0.0 was used.

Health Coverage Distribution of the Non-Elderly by Race/Ethnicity, 2009



DATA: 2009 March Supplement, Current Population Survey.
 SOURCE: Kaiser Family Foundation Analysis

Policies Promoting Health Equity

- Affordable Care Act 2010
 - HHS- Offices of Minority Health
 - Section 4302 – Data Provision
 - Integrated Care
 - Workforce Development
- Enhanced National Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate (CLAS) Standards, www.thinkculturalhealth.gov
- HHS Action Plan to Reduce Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities
- 2011 National Stakeholder Strategy for Achieving Health Equity

Behavioral Health Equity Matters

