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Introduction

The windshield surveys are usually essential in connection to community health and are a tool to provide insights into a community. Also, it offers a better comprehension of the available community resources. The Nursing Windshield survey is going to highlight the Brownsville town located in Brooklyn.

Geographical Depiction

Brownsville town is a residential area situated in the Eastern part of Brooklyn, New York. The area covers a space of 1.630 square miles. The census carried out in 2010, incorporates a projection of 56,000 residents. Brownsville's zip code is 11212, 11234. The area is one of the most dangerous neighborhoods in New York City. The report is from the crime rates assessment back in 2009.

The neighborhood boundaries are not defined. Nonetheless, the surrounding towns like New Lois in the North East, Cypress in the North, East Flatbush in the West, and Canarsie in the southern part of the area are quite peaceful. Brownsville town is located amid these four towns. Overall, Brownsville's political stance is considered to be liberal. Residents in Brownsville town have an estimated income of about three hundred thousand dollars. Additionally, the popular and majority ethnic group in the town is the Whites (Chronopoulos and T., 2020).

Notably, housing around Brownsville town are well set up. The residential areas were well organized and placed in consideration of the people living in the neighborhood. Also, houses constructed are primarily for public housing initiatives or projects. The houses are commonly two-storied or even more. Since the houses are well placed, signs of decay are minimal. However, the area is densely populated. The peril associated with such a setup is the emergency of contagious diseases that could adversely affect the residents of Brownsville. With humans being social beings, the likelihood of residents mingling is high. It facilitates the spread of infections from household to household (Aldrich and K., 2019).

From the environmental perspective, it is observed that there is a presence of grass and other vegetation. Despite their presence, the vegetation is scarce because of the climatic conditions in the Town. Residents have gardens where they can practice small-scale farming. Some people grow fresh vegetables that they can supply to the rest of the community. Availability of fresh vegetables implies that the majority of the Brownsville population is healthy and their wellbeing is under consideration. If the environment around Brownsville town would be toxic, the wellbeing and health of the people would not have been maintained. A further walk in the suburbs, it was easy to identify deserted houses. The population here displayed a contrast to the majority of the town's outlook. Some of the areas people resided were completely deserted. Nevertheless, the surrounding was well kept because reckless activities like littering were not evident. Generally, it is important to maintain public health and hygiene within residential areas. Sanitation around the place was well prioritized in favor of the residents' wellbeing (Balili and A., 2020).

The Health Resources

Health describes the availability of mental and physical wellbeing. It does not necessarily stress the absence of illnesses alone. For Brownsville town in Brooklyn, many health facilities, the means of transport, and several health amenities could be easily identified. However, the neighborhood faces a lot of disparities linked to healthcare. For instance, Brookdale Hospital was the closest health center but was far from the sparsely populated regions of Brownsville. Health workers in this medical center also experienced violence in their work environment. The neighborhood has recorded numerous cases of psychiatric illnesses. The cases are distributed approximately 1700 among 100000 adults. The positivity rate is very high in relation to this population. Brookdale University Hospital provided services related to mental health. The center had a pharmacy, emergency, labor, comprehensive health center, and care center for adults.

Brownsville town faces educational challenges. The town has recorded a high number of school dropouts. The cases are linked to drugs and substance use. The students who drop out have a history of violence. Violence among students is so intense including school shootings. The town needs a center to rescue

students undergoing mental distress where they can be subjected to helpful recovery programs (Fischer and N., 2021).

Brooklyn town is a business center. The town has several stores where people can buy and sell and sell commodities. The stores are observed to be clean and well organized. The stores vend many items such as foods. The arrangement reduces the peril of Brooklyn town succumbing to infectious illnesses especially through food contamination. Additionally, the transport in the town is decent. There are subways connecting the neighborhood. The stations are considerate to persons with disabilities. The roads are well maintained with good drainage and lighting.

Protective Services and Citizen Safety

Residents of Brownsville are under the protection offered by the policing Department (NYPD). The area is extremely dangerous with common vices such as drug-related crimes and addiction. The town has a fire department that is on standby in case of fire damage occurring within the town. Also, I observed the presence of special handling of victims suffering different forms of abuse in the town. The victims are provided with safe shelters.

Extra services from senior citizens

The elder in the town performs a different set of functions. These functions incorporate home services designed for the elderly. Also, people will have easy access to extra health services.

Welfare Services in the Community

The residents of Brownsville town enjoy a number of community welfare services coming from different geographical locations. There is a special program ("The Brownsville Case Management") that provides these professional services. Furthermore, the "BMS" family health and wellness center offers community welfare services that satisfy local's needs.

Nursing Health Theory

From the case of Brooklyn, Nightingale's Theory best suits the study. It is because most residents in the town are undergoing psychiatric illnesses. The theory states that "individuals are multidimensional, self-possessed biologically, psychological, spiritual and social elements." Since there is a disparity between medicine and nursing, the latter presents conducive conditions to the healing of such patients. Through caregiving, the affected members of the Brownsville community can receive health promotion guides and boosts in their journey to recovery. The process can be achievable through the help of the nursing paradigms (Peres *et al.*, 2021).

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