

# Indiana Healthy Community Designation Process



INDIANA HEALTHY  
COMMUNITY

**1**

Interested community leaders contact The Wellness Council of Indiana (WCI) to set up an initial meeting and discuss pre-assessment questions and timeline expectations

**2**

Community leaders convene key stakeholders and partners in a group to gather necessary data and determine logistics for completing the assessment

**3**

Assessments are submitted to WCI for review, and a summary of findings along with a Healthy Community Scorecard are returned to the community

**4**

The community group and a WCI staff member meet to discuss strengths and recommendations based on the assessment and begin a Healthy Community Action Plan

**5**

Community groups have two months to develop their full Healthy Community Action Plan and submit it back to WCI for final approval

**6**

The community is designated as an Indiana Healthy Community, which lasts two calendar years. Communities will submit a progress report at the 1 year mark.