UNDERSTAND KEY CONCEPTS



Explain the connection between health and housing.



Describe the importance of a holistic approach.



Name all healthy housing principles, and identify three hazards related to each.

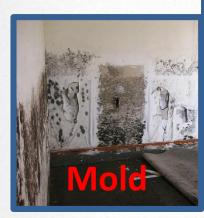


EXERCISE 1: MAKING THE CONNECTION

Health Impacts	Hazards	Fixes



HAZARDS IN THE HOME



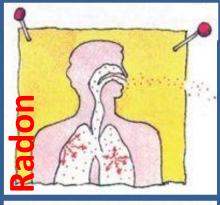


















THE LINK BETWEEN HEALTH & HOUSING IS WELL DOCUMENTED



HEALTHY HOUSING IS...



...In a manner that is conducive to good occupant health, safety and sense of well-being.



WHY DO WE CARE?

- Housing affects health.
- Young children spend about 70% of the time in their home.
- Elderly people spend about 90% of their time indoors.



WHY START WITH PEOPLE?





HEALTH AND HOUSING AGENCIES

HEALTH

Primary Prevention Secondary Prevention Epidemiologic Triangle

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

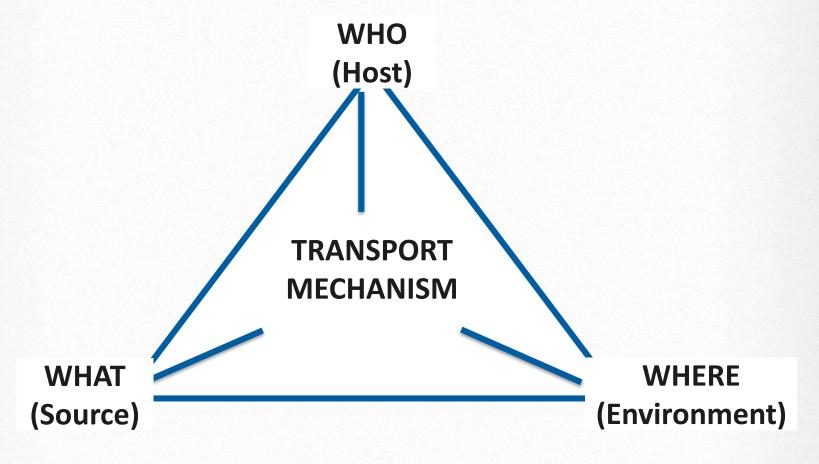
Mold, Moisture,
Allergens/asthma,
Insects, Rodents,
Chemicals, Pesticides,
Lead, Radon, Asbestos,
Combustion products,
Unintentional Injuries

HOUSING

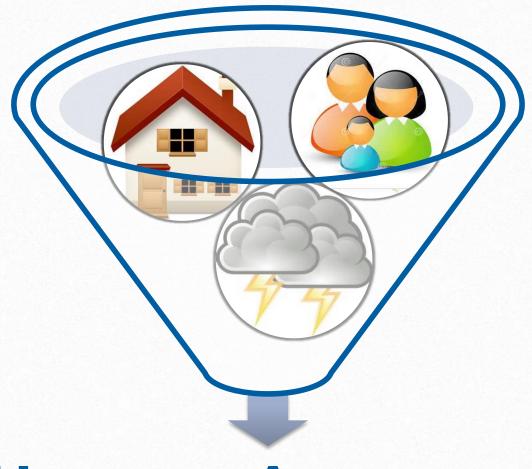
Well constructed, Well maintained, Comfortable, Affordable, Clean, Sanitary, Safe



EPIDEMIOLOGIC TRIANGLE OF INJURY AND DISEASE





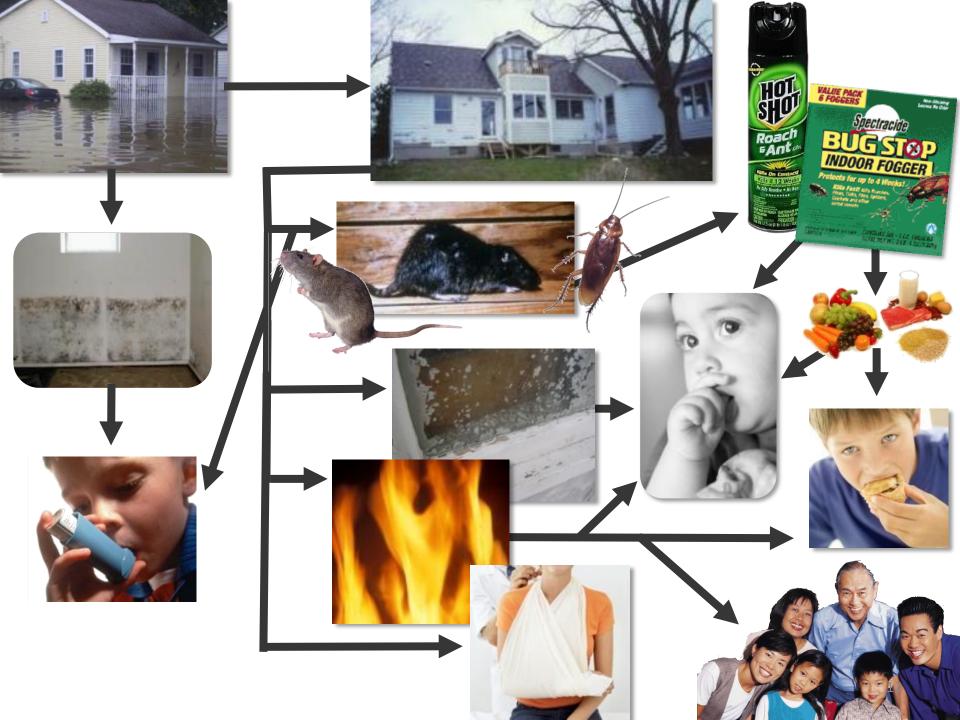


HOLISTIC APPROACH









HEALTHY HOMES PRINCIPLES:

THE KEEP-ITS

Can you
name
three
hazards
related to
each?



Keep it:



1. Dry



2. Clean



3. Pest-Free



4. Ventilated



5. Safe



6. Contaminant-Free



7. Maintained



Remain Standing if.....

