



Alameda County Health Care Services Agency
School Health Services Coalition
LINKING HEALTH AND EDUCATION TO CHANGE LIVES



Hayward High School Youth & Parent Investment Project
School Health Centers in Alameda County
October 24, 2011

Presentation Objectives

- Learn history and current state of school health centers in Alameda County
- Understand school health center services, users & impact
- Identify key stages to create a school health center



The Challenge

Far too many communities in Alameda County suffer from health and education inequities as a result of poor neighborhood conditions and lack of access to quality health care, economic opportunities, and safe, healthy school environments.



Our Vision

We envision a county where families, schools and communities support the healthy development of youth and where children grow up feeling safe, supported, and connected.



Our Goal

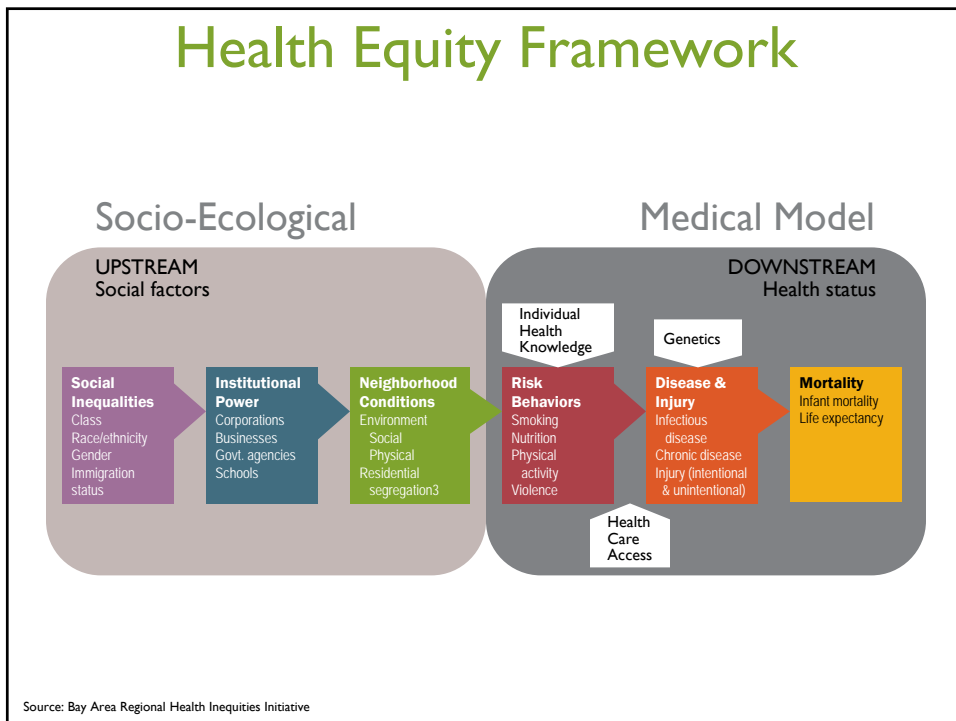
Ensure all children and youth (ages 0-24) in Alameda County have equitable and positive environments, opportunities, and systems to learn, play and grow

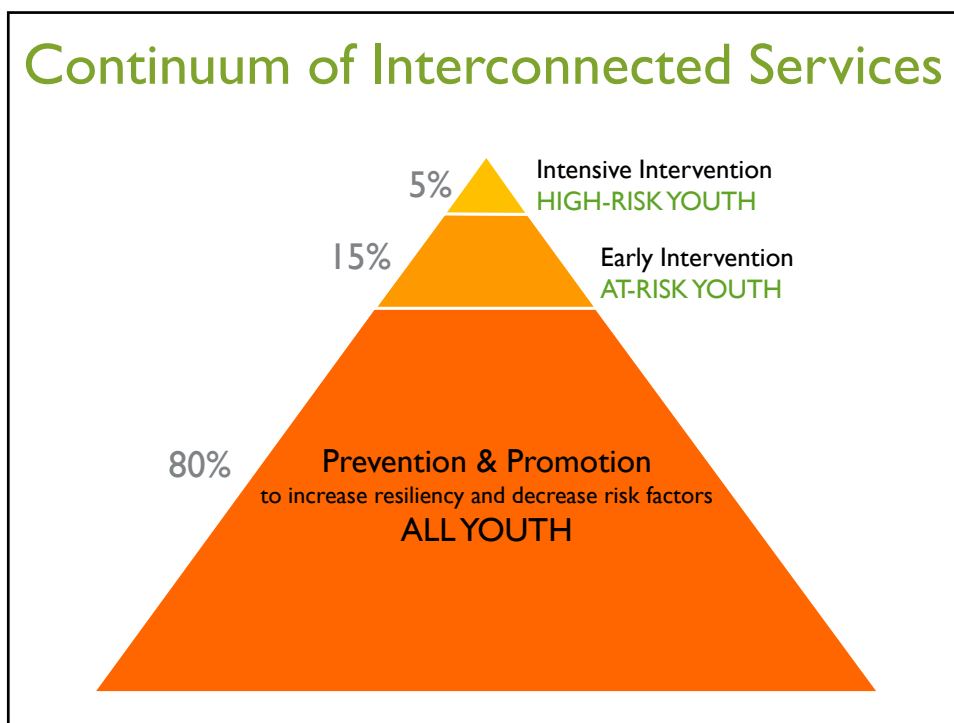


Guiding Principles

- Universal Access to Health Care
- Whole Child
- Strengthening Families
- Youth Development & Voice







Full Service Community Schools

We believe in a comprehensive approach to the education of our children and youth through the building of full service community schools.

By adults working together to understand and address the needs of the whole child, we create the optimum conditions for every child to succeed.

Community Schools Promote Six Conditions for Learning

Kinder Readiness Early childhood development is fostered through high-quality comprehensive programs that nurture learning and development.

Quality Education The school has a core instructional program with qualified teachers, a challenging curriculum, and high standards and expectations for students.

Connected & Engaged Students are motivated and engaged in learning, both in school and in community settings, during and after school.

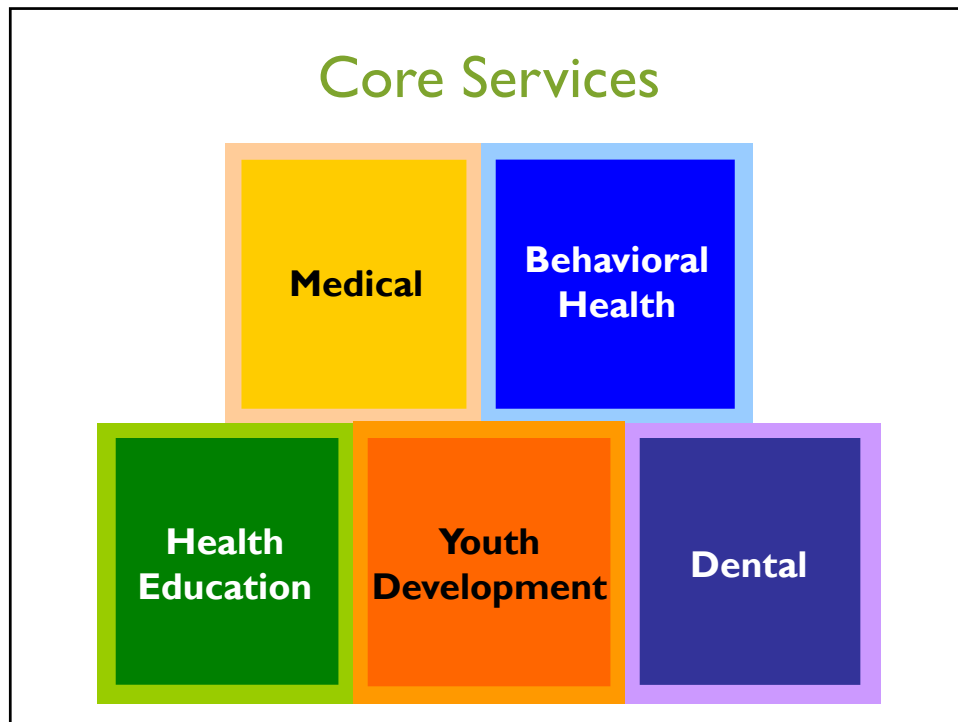
Health and Wellness The basic physical, social, emotional, and economic needs of children, youth and families are met.

Family at the Center There is mutual respect and effective collaboration among parents, families and school staff.

Caring Community The community is engaged in the school and promotes a school climate that is safe, supportive and respectful and that connects students to a broader learning community.

Results Framework Community Schools

1. Students are healthy—physically, socially & emotionally.
2. Students succeed academically.
3. Students are caring, competent, engaged and prepared to succeed in college and career.
4. Families actively support their children's education and healthy development.
5. Schools are safe and healthy learning environments.
6. Institutions effectively serve the needs of the whole child.
7. Students live and learn in stable, safe and supportive communities.



Medical Services

Primary Care Services

- Physical exams
- First aid and basic emergency care
- Health assessments
- Pelvic Exams
- Vision & Hearing Screening
- Immunizations
- Diagnoses and treatment of STIs
- Assistance with chronic illnesses such as asthma & diabetes

Behavioral Health

- Individual, group & family counseling
- Alcohol/drug abuse prevention & treatment
- Support groups
- Psycho Educational Services
- Reproductive Health Counseling
- Crisis Management

Health Education

Individual, classroom, peer, school-wide education on:

- Nutrition & Exercise
- Substance Use/Tobacco Prevention & Cessation
- HIV/STI Prevention & Counseling
- Healthy Relationships
- Family Planning
- Sexual Identity
- Violence Prevention

Youth Development

- Peer Health Educators
- Youth Advisory Boards
- Student Research Teams
- Youth empowerment clubs
- Spoken Word Events
- Dance & Performance Arts

Dental

- Dental Education
- Health Insurance Enrollment
- Screening
- Sealants
- Referral to treatment with Dental Fund

Staffing & Operational Hours

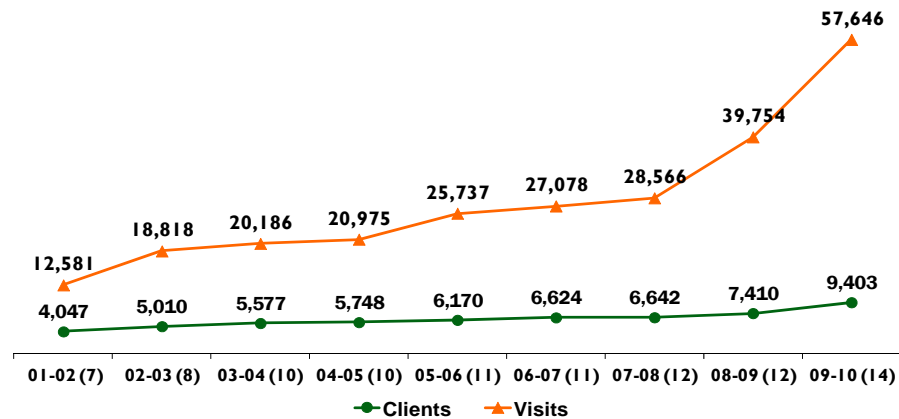
Staffing

- Director
- Receptionist
- Billing & Data Entry Assistant
- Medical Provider
- Mid-Level (x4)
- Medical Assistant
- Triage Nurse
- Mental Health Provider(s)
- Health Educator(s)
- Volunteers & Interns

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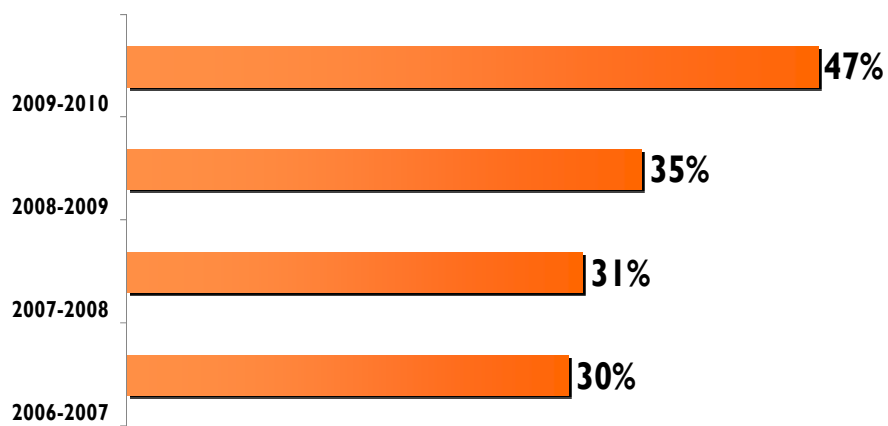
- Medical Services
20 to 40 hours per week
- Behavioral Health
20 - 40 hours per week
- Health Education
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School Health Centers Increase Health Access & Utilization

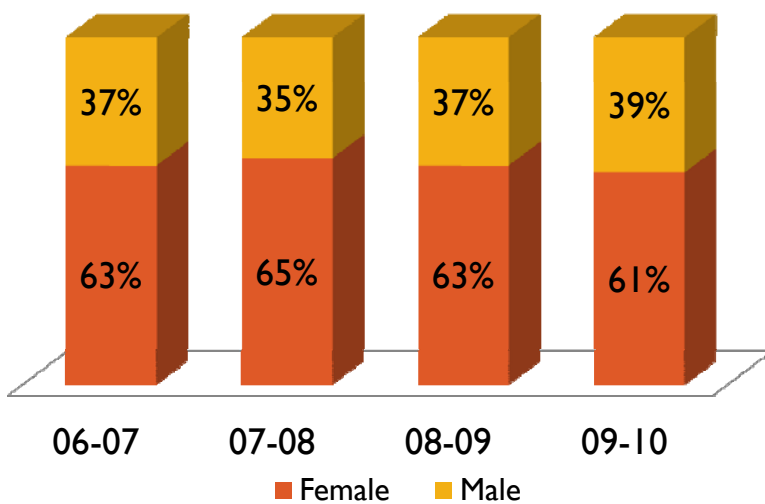


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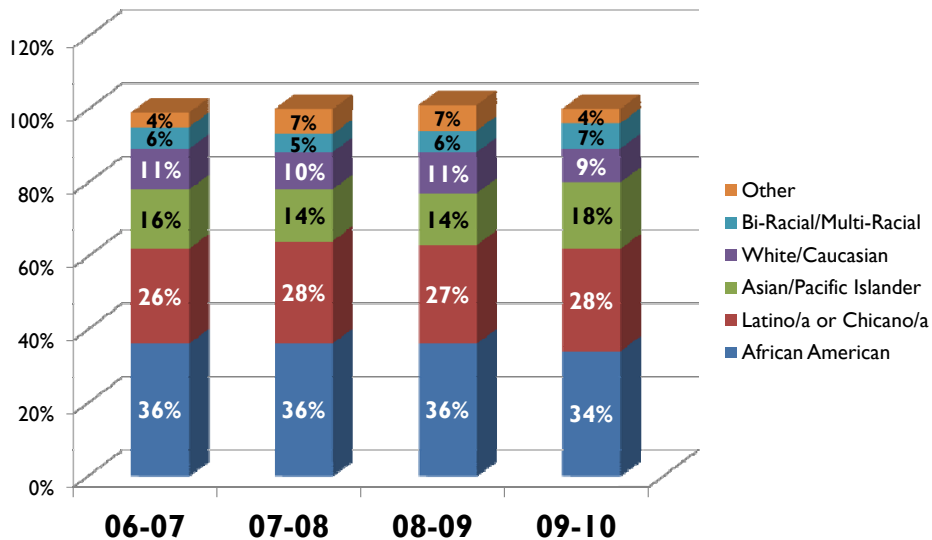
Percentage of school population who were SHC Clients



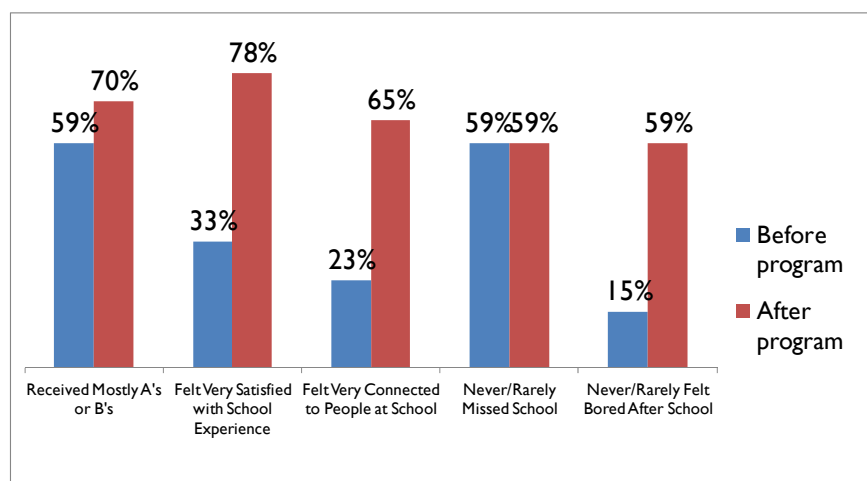
Percentage of SHC Clients by Gender



Percentage of SHC Clients by Race



Youth Participants Report Improved Academic & Personal Indicators



Data Source: Youth Program Post Survey 2008-09 (n=203-205)

(Shop 55) Wildcat Wellness Center



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Madison Health Center



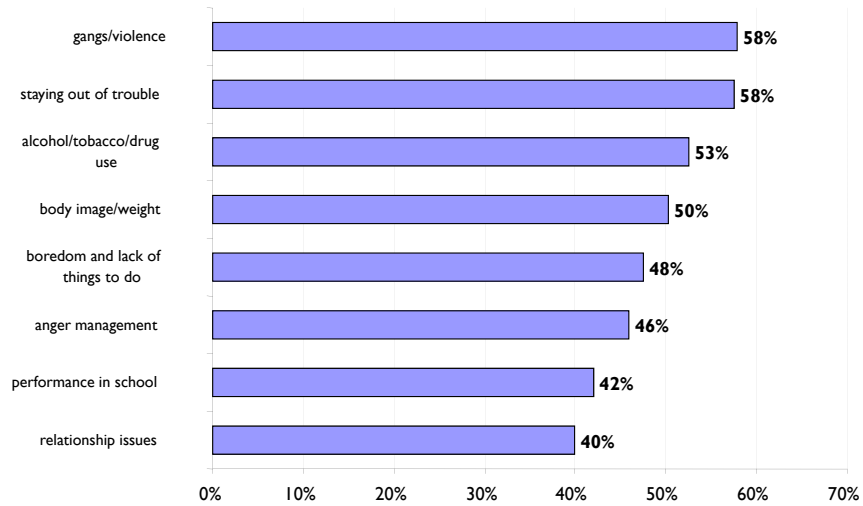
Madison Health Center



Frick Health Center



Youth Identified Pressing Issues

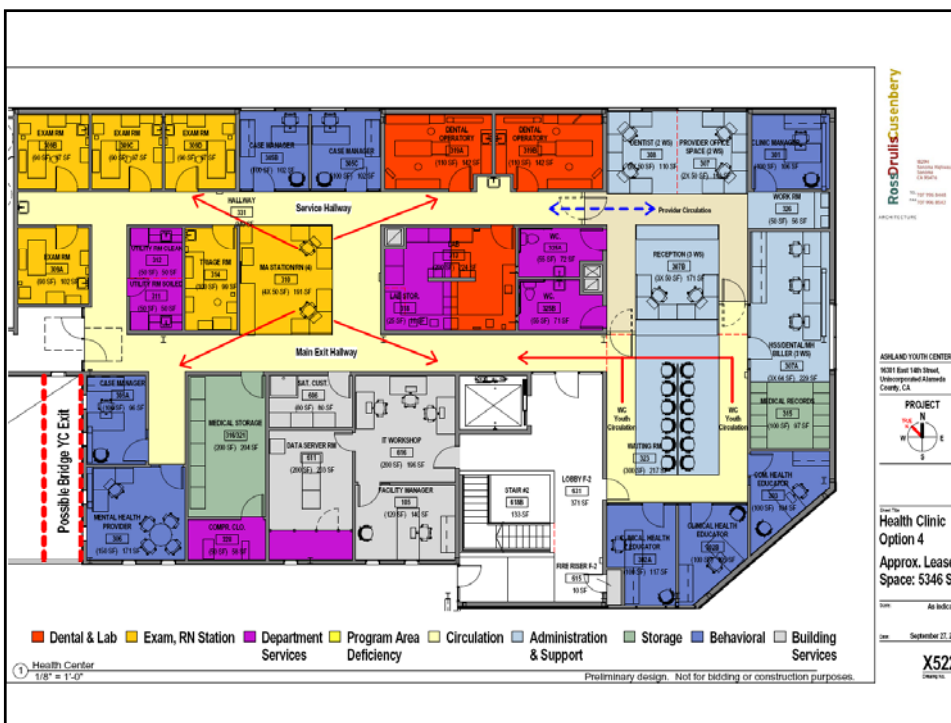


Source: YLC & ACPHD survey administered to 600 youth

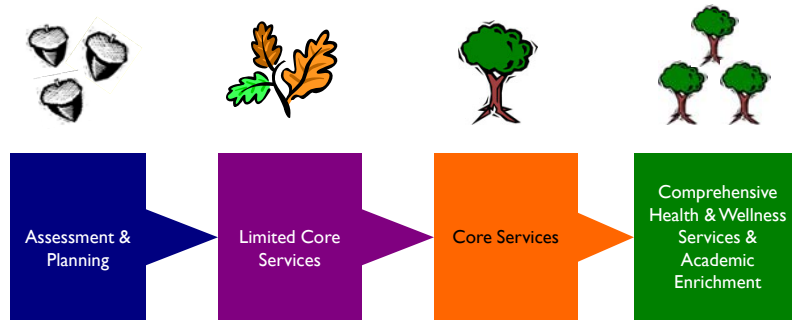
Ashland Youth Center



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Development of School Health Center



Assessment & Planning

- Review existing school community data
- Assess needs of youth, parents and staff
- Inventory existing services
- Identify potential space
- Engage partners and stakeholders
- Develop financing strategies
- Develop system infrastructure

OUSD Measure B Ballot Initiative

To repair and modernize elementary, middle and high schools and pre-schools, including renovating classrooms, restrooms and other facilities to meet current safety standards, and repairing electrical, plumbing and other building systems; and to build libraries, classrooms, and science and computer labs, shall Oakland Unified School District issue \$435 million in bonds at interest rates within the legal limit and establish a Citizens' Oversight Committee to monitor expenditures, with no money for administrator salaries?

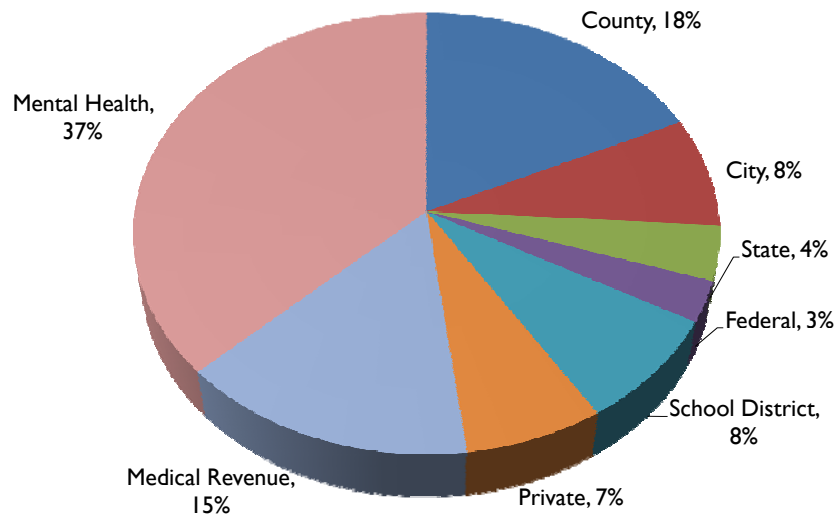
Yes = 62,559 votes

No = 17,672 votes

Sample SHC Budget

Staffing	Staffing Level	Costs
Director	1.0	\$60,000
Medical Staff	1.8	\$100,000
Behavioral Health Staff	2	\$150,000
Health Educator	1	\$36,200
Receptionist & Billing Staff	1	\$36,500
Benefits		\$114,810
TOTAL	6.8	\$497,510

Average SHC Funding Sources



Criteria for Financing Strategies

1. Comprehensive Program
2. Diversified Funding
3. Core Support
4. Third-Party Billing
5. Replication Potential

