

2016 Accomplishments & What's Ahead in 2017

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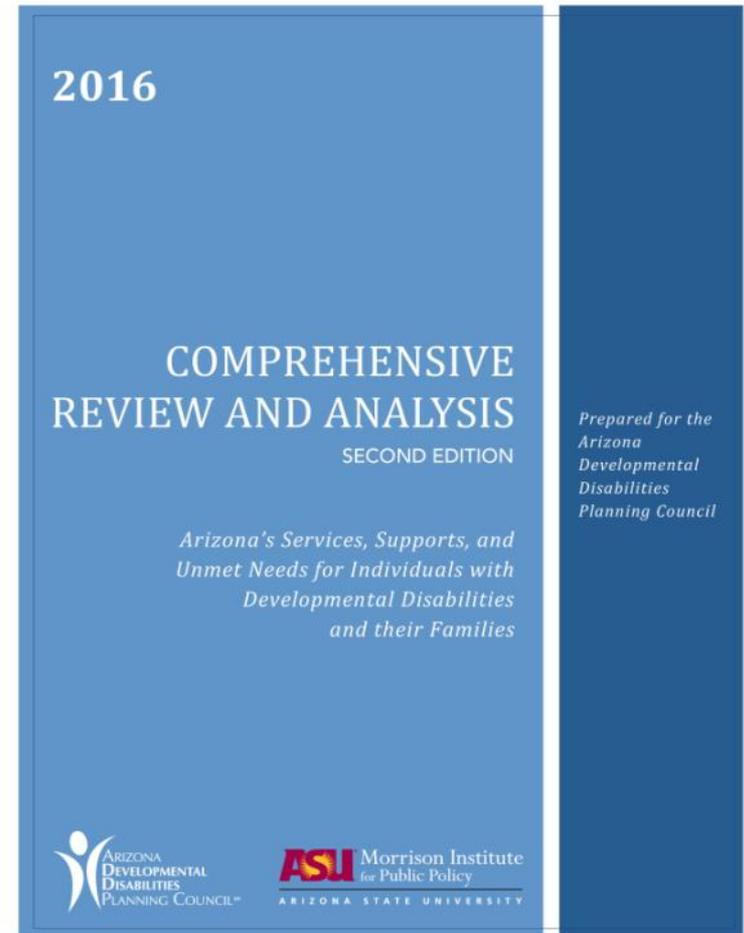
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The 5 Year Plan

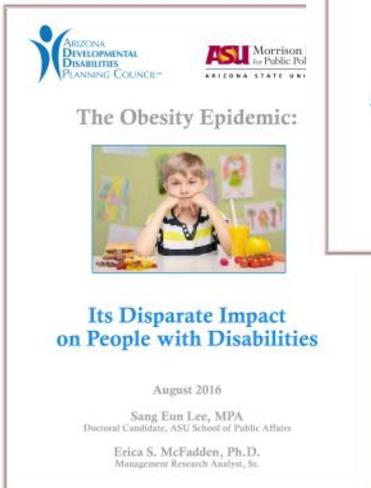
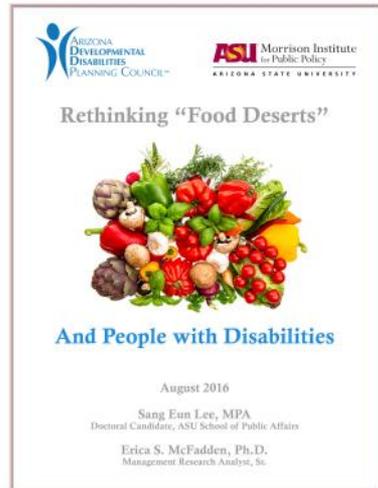
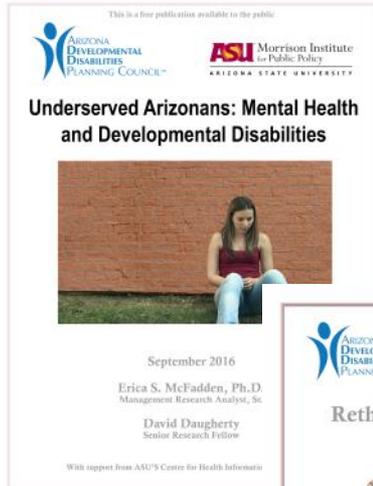
Assisted in development of 5 year plan:

- Presented data to ADDPC work groups
- Collected public input from 11 different venues across the state reaching 230 people
- Drafted sections of the plan
- Offered technical assistance throughout the planning process



Research, Reports, and Support Services

- Three reports and four blogs released (at least one blog expected to be updated by the end of the contract year)
- Three briefs updated (5 more expected to be updated by the end of the contract year)
- Presented ADDPC/MI data at 5 different conferences/convenings
- Media outreach scheduled in January



Latino Self-Advocacy Program

- Taught 10 Latinos with disabilities and 11 family members about resources, self-advocacy, and self-determination in their native language
- Conducted pre- and post-tests to determine the efficacy of the class
- Shared practices to help the group sustain itself



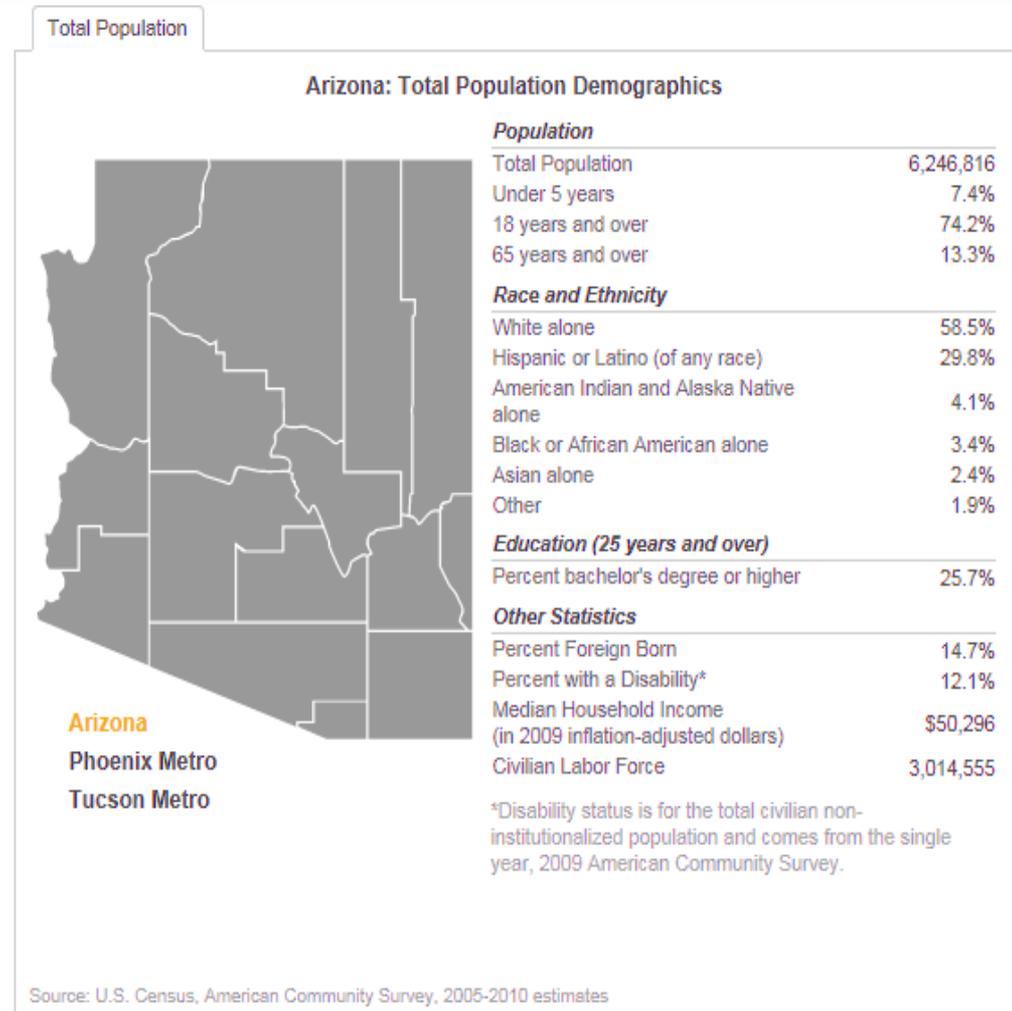
Community Inclusion Index Development

Tracking indicators on:

- Poverty
- Education Attainment
- Residence
- Disability Characteristics & Prevalence
- Employment & Wages
- Transportation

Will present indicators by:

- County
- Regional State (AZ, NV, NM, UT, CO)
- National Average



Morrison Institute's Strengths



Our 7 Focal Points:

- Water
- Education
- Governance
- Changing Demographics
- Economic Growth
- Criminal Justice
- Human Services and Health

Related Research Initiatives



➤ Education

- Teacher recruitment and retention
- Ready Now Yuma
- Phoenix Union High School District

➤ Child Welfare

- Neglect
- Prevention services

➤ Citizen Engagement

- Independent voters
- Voter education and forums
- Citizens Initiative Review



➤ Latino Center

➤ Arizona Youth Survey

➤ Criminal Justice

Planning for 2017

Focus on raising public awareness and direct engagement



- Dissemination of current research in a variety of accessible formats
- Public forums in underserved communities and on pressing topics
- Opportunities for direct engagement and inclusion
- Expanding use of data and making it actionable

Types of Initiatives

Self-Advocacy Goal

- Expand upon the self-advocacy curriculum for Latino families in Nogales
- Launch a Participatory Budgeting initiative in an underserved or tribal community

Community Inclusion Goal

- Disseminate research on children with disabilities in the child welfare system
- Host statewide public forums on topics such as community policing, mental health and other disabilities
- Teach nonprofits and others how to use the Community Inclusion Index

Employment Goal

- Evaluate the impact of Proposition 206

