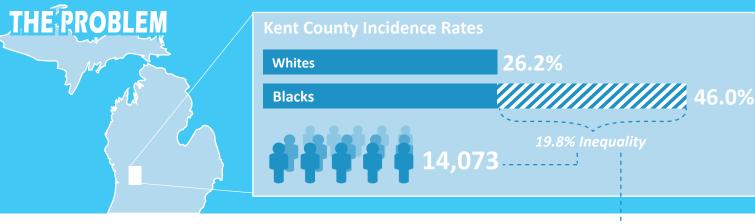


ECONOMIC IMPACT OF

OBESITY in Kent County, Michigan





THE COST PER YEAR

\$878 million

Medical costs



Lost workdays



Working while ill



Eliminating inequality will save Kent County



CALL TO ACTION

Sedentary lifestyle, poor nutrition, and smoking all contribute to obesity.













For every \$1 spent on community-based programs that focus on improving physical activity, nutrition, and smoking prevention, \$5.60 is returned to the community.







