## Sacramento County

Sacramento County is located in California's Central Valley, and is home to the State Capitol.
Sacramento has a population of 1,501,335; close to 24% are under the age of 18. Just over 64% of its

residents are White/non-Hispanic, 22.7% of residents are Hispanic, and 31.5% of its households speak a language other than English at home. Fifty-nine percent of all K-12 students qualify for the Free/Reduced Meal Program; 28.8% of residents have a college degree. For the Healthy Stores campaign, Sacramento completed 256 store surveys.

## **The Campaign**

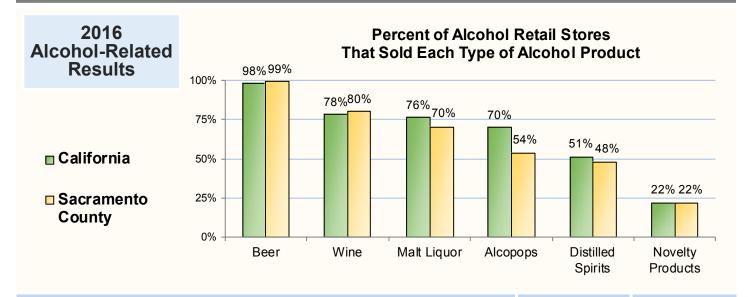
Healthy Stores for a Healthy Community campaign is a statewide collaboration between tobacco use prevention, nutrition and alcohol prevention partners. The goal is to improve the health of Californians through changes in stores and to educate

people how in-store product marketing influences the consumption of certain products.

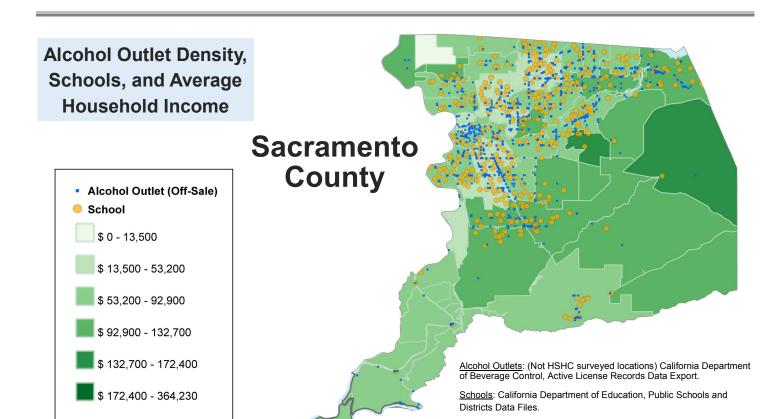


## **The Survey**

Scientific surveys were recently conducted throughout California to assess product marketing and the availability of healthy and unhealthy options offered in stores that sell tobacco. Surveys were completed in 7,152 stores in all 58 counties and 3 cities in California. Types of stores included convenience, supermarket, liquor, tobacco, small market, discount, and drug stores. This valuable information helps make the places we shop healthier.



Percent of Alcohol Retail Stores that	Sacramento County	California
Had alcohol ads on exterior storefront	57%	50%
Placed alcoholic beverages on/next to the main checkout counter	24%	21%
Placed alcohol ads near candy/toys (3 ft.) or below 3 feet	40%	34%
Displayed alcoholic products close to the store's entrance (10 ft.)	20%	15%
Displayed alcoholic products in a large floor display	49%	35%
Displayed alcoholic beverages/products near candy or toys (3 ft.)	22%	21%
Displayed alcopops near non-alcoholic beverages (1 ft.)	16%	21%
Had signage on legal drinking age/store policy on selling alcohol to minors	88%	69%



Risk/Protective Factors	Sacramento County	California
High School Graduation Rates <sup>1</sup>	80%	81%
Students With Low School Connectedness (11th Grade) 2,3	12%	13%
Consumption	Sacramento County	California
Youth Alcohol Use During Past 30 Days (11th Grade) <sup>2</sup>	27%	31%
Youth Binge Drinking During Past 30 Days (11th Grade) 2,4	18%	21%
Consequences	Sacramento County	California
Misdemeanor Arrests Among Youth (under age 20) for Driving Under the Influence (DUI) in 2013-14 <sup>5</sup>	44.2 per 100,000	<b>54.2</b> per 100,000
Alcohol-Related Emergency Department Visits Among Youth (Ages 12-20) in 2014 <sup>6</sup>	156.3 per 100,000	<b>225.0</b> per 100,000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Kidsdata.org, California Department of Education (CDE), California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System (CALPADS), 2014.

<sup>2</sup> Kidsdata.org, CDE, California Healthy Kids Survey and California Student Survey (WestEd), 2011-13, 11th Grade Students.

<sup>4</sup> Binge drinking is defined as consuming five or more drinks of alcohol within a couple of hours.

<sup>5</sup> California Department of Justice, Criminal Justice Statistics Center, 2013 and 2014 Misdemeanor Arrests.

Average Household Income: U.S. Census Bureau, 2015 Average

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Includes student reports of being treated fairly, feeling close to people, feeling happy, feeling a part of, and feeling safe at school.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> California Department of Public Health, Safe and Active Communities Branch, EpiCenter - California Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development, 2014 Emergency Department Data, ages 12-20.