Analytic Framework: Tenant-based Housing Voucher Programs

**Tenant-based Housing Voucher Program**

- Household voucher recipient uses voucher
- Reduced housing expenditures/increased net income
- Increased access to determinants of health, e.g., education, housing, safety, health care, transportation, employment*
- Limited access to determinants of health, e.g., education, housing, safety, health care, transportation, employment*

**Increased housing/housing stability**

**Potential Harms:** Disruption of social connections, especially for adolescent boys, and increased barriers to employment (e.g., lack of transportation)

**Improved education**

**Improved physical and mental health and appropriate healthcare use**

**Reduced risky behavior and crime**

**Reduced intergenerational poverty**

**Health Equity**

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**Qualification process:** Households with low income may apply for voucher. Those who are offered a voucher may search for HUD approved housing. Those who find housing within the allotted timeframe may use the voucher.

**Client Characteristics**
- Family structure; gender, age, race

**Program Characteristics**
- Assistance/counseling; time allowed to find housing; small area fair market rents

**Setting Characteristics:**
- Market tightness; inclusionary zoning/regulation; source of income discrimination bans, Small Area Fair Market Rent

* Sard B. Realizing the Housing Voucher Program’s potential to enable families to move to better neighborhoods. Washington, DC: Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, 2016.


Source (with narrative description): Guide to Community Preventive Services. **Health Equity: Housing Voucher Programs.**

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