

Health and Wealth inequities across Bay Area Rapid Transit (BART) stations

The short distance between a few BART stations can mean an 11-year difference in life expectancy and dramatic differences in physical and economic well-being.



Notes: All data are at the zip code level and correspond to respective BART station addresses. Life expectancy and childhood asthma hospitalizations for Alameda and Contra Costa counties were calculated by the Alameda Department of Public Health for the "Shortened Lives" series produced by the Bay Area News Group (data for San Francisco not provided). Insufficient data available for Walnut Creek childhood asthma hospitalizations. Median household income and educational attainment data are from the 2011 American Community Survey 5-year estimates at the 5 digit ZIP code tabulation area level.

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