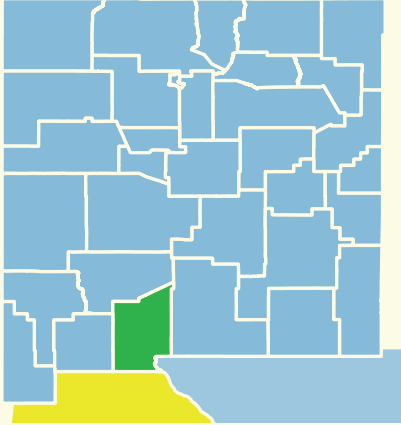


## MISSION:

To foster a community-centered, integrated health system to improve the health of Doña Ana County residents.



Doña Ana County is located in the southernmost part of the state and sharing 64 miles of border with an estimated 219,561 residents in 2020, making it New Mexico's second largest county by population.

## STRATEGIES:

- **Expand DAWI-NMSU Collaboration for Structural Competency Awareness**
- **Support DAWI-Community Partner Programs**
- **Broaden DAWI-NMSU Joint Efforts for Policy, Systems and Environmental Change**

## GOALS/PRIORITY AREAS



**Implementation of  
Structural Competency  
Framework**



**Focus on  
Health Equity**



**Improve Access to  
Integrated Healthcare and  
Preventative Services**

Doña Ana County Profile: <https://nmcdc.maps.arcgis.com/sharing/rest/content/items/06fe3e89dc634c59b65f2216b17408a3/data>

## COVID-19 RESPONSE

- Collected and analyzed data about the impact COVID-19 is having on people living in rural and colonia communities in partnership with New Mexico State University.
- Participated in the local Unified Area Command to support coordinated response and communication.
- Implemented a COVID-19 to Home/Hotel Program to help maintain hospital bed capacity.
- Distributed masks and information about COVID-19 safe practices.
- Supported vaccine events.
- Trained promotoras as trusted voices to share COVID-19 safe practices in rural communities.

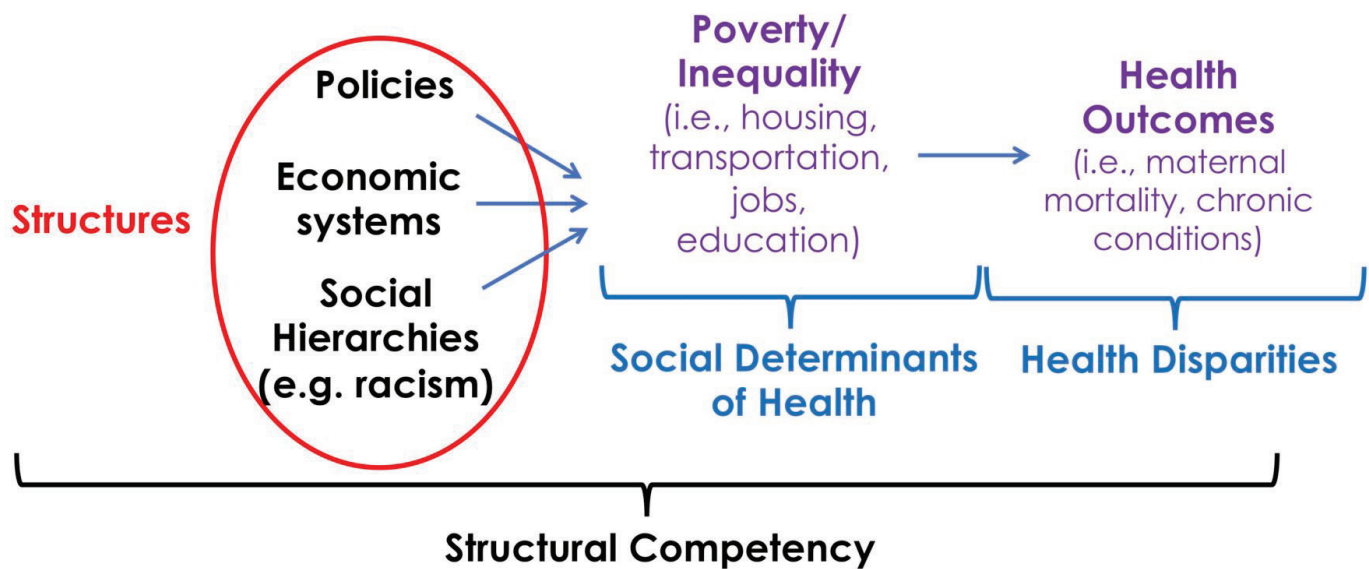
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## HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Developing an online Structural Competency course in collaboration with NMSU that will be available free to the public.
- ✓ Supporting the development and implementation of new psychiatric residency program.
- ✓ Creating an indoor air quality policy statement to share with city and county leaders to improve air quality in public places to reduce the spread of COVID-19.
- ✓ Collaborating with NMSU to create a health equity post-doctorate position to lead assessment and planning around health equity.

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Council meeting times: 1st Thursday of each month at 4:00pm

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