



Designing Roads for All Ages

Complete Streets Forum
Beyond Cars: Balancing All Modes To Achieve Safer, Inviting Corridors and Gateways

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Presentation Overview

Key Messages

Urban Health Solutions

Firm working to weave health considerations into transportation planning, design, and engineering to reduce health disparities.

00:01

Complete Streets

Fabric of Complete Streets is to include all ages and abilities.

0:02

Older Adults

Older adults need reliable, safe, and accessible transportation to meet their needs. Let's design streets for everyone to grow old in.

00:03

Children

Streets Impact youth in many ways. Let's work together to ensure our children prosper and design streets for them to grow up in.

00:04

General Population

Streets are dynamic as can build better communities.

00:05

Conclusion

Design as if you were 2, 5, 25, 50, and 105 years old.

00:06



Urban Health Solutions

Enhancing Environments, Achieving Healthy Communities



About Us

- UHS is a firm dedicated to weaving health considerations into planning, design and engineering practice to create vibrant, active communities.
- UHS is a parent company to its non-profit arm Urban Health Partnerships (UHP), which is committed to the same mission but delivers its projects as community-based initiatives.
- Complete Streets projects and initiatives are housed within UHS and UHP respectively.

Complete Streets & UHS/UHP

- Broward Complete Streets Initiative
- Miami Complete Streets Technical Assistance
- Safe Routes National Partnership Complete Streets
- AARP Complete Streets Liveability Workshop



Complete Streets

Streets for ALL

Step 01: Policy & Planning Framework

Political Commitment + Community Vision
-> Strong Policy Language

Step 03: Prioritization

Prioritize completing gaps within network
or areas that meet criteria.

Step 05: Construction

Implementation of projects.

Step 02: Regulations

Adopted enforced standards and
guidelines for design.

Step 04: Process

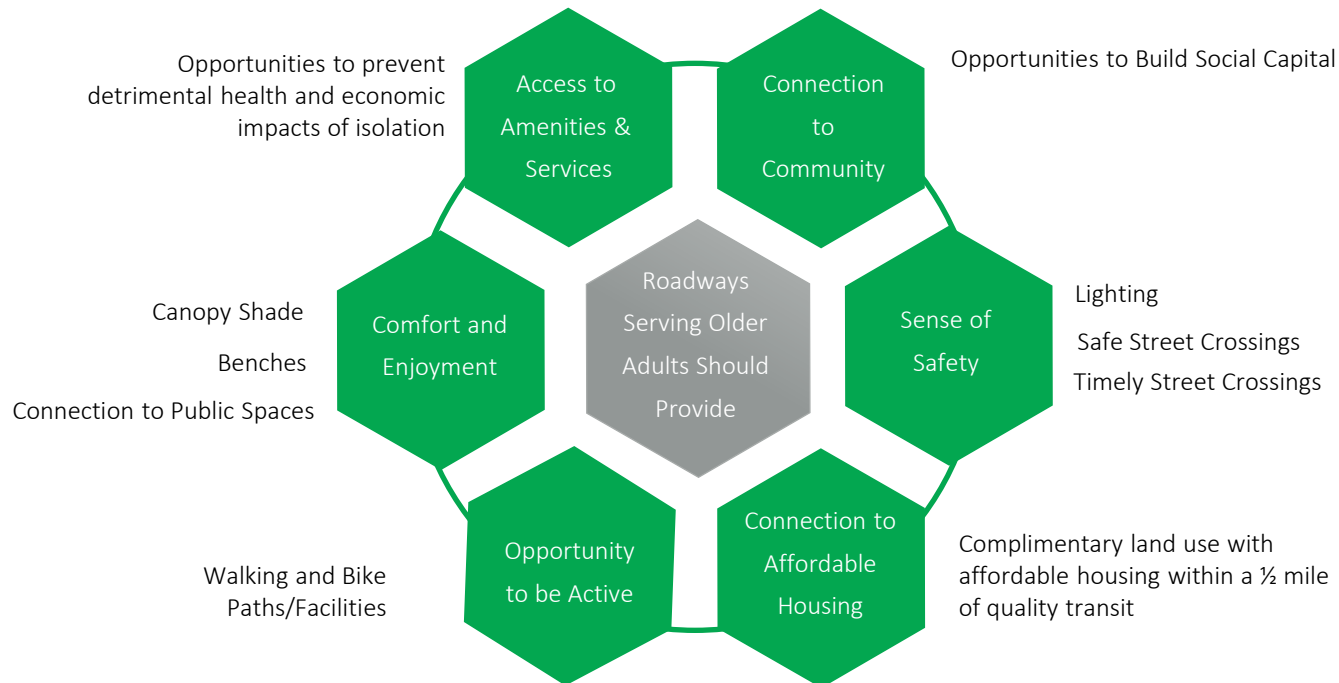
Connect current facilities within the
Complete Streets network and reassess
priorities.



OLDER ADULTS

Well-being of Older Adults

A recent national study noted the significance of “mobility of lower income older persons in Miami was compromised because of a lack of reliable and accessible bus service.” AARP, 2015



Older Adult Promise

If you are here tomorrow you will be older than today... and if you are here 20 years from now, you better hope Miami-Dade streets and transportation options have become Age-Friendly.



Let's work toward change - together



Targets local government officials & community leaders. Mayor Gimenez' Call to Action is included



Interactive Series of Discussions featuring the AARP Liveability Index for Miami

Join Us For

The Age-Friendly Summit

Shaping Our Community For All Ages

An interactive series of discussions and presentations with local government officials and community leaders aimed at making Greater Miami a better place for our citizens of all ages, especially older adults.

Miami-Dade County's population is getting older, and we're not prepared. These older adults are a prized demographic with an active voting record, buying power, job training, and life experience, so it behooves us to serve them exceptionally well. We need to act now and act locally to make our community age-friendly. *Let's work toward change - together.*

Priority Topics For Discussion

Outdoor Spaces & Buildings • Transportation • Housing

Tuesday
5-12-15
9:30 am to 2:00 pm

Lunch Session
Noon to 2:00 pm

Newman Alumni Center • University of Miami
6200 San Antonio Drive • Coral Gables, FL 33146
Proposed by AARP Florida, AARP for Aging
Health Foundation of South Florida, Miami-Dade County,
Urban Health Foundation, and United Way of Miami-Dade.

RSVP at AgeFriendlyMiami.org
or 786-224-2309

Complimentary breakfast and lunch will be provided.

AGE FRIENDLY INITIATIVE
Miami-Dade County



Priority 1: Outdoor Spaces & Buildings



Priority 2: Transportation



Priority 3: Housing



Tuesday, May, 12, 2015

RSVP: [Age FriendlyMiami.org](http://AgeFriendlyMiami.org)

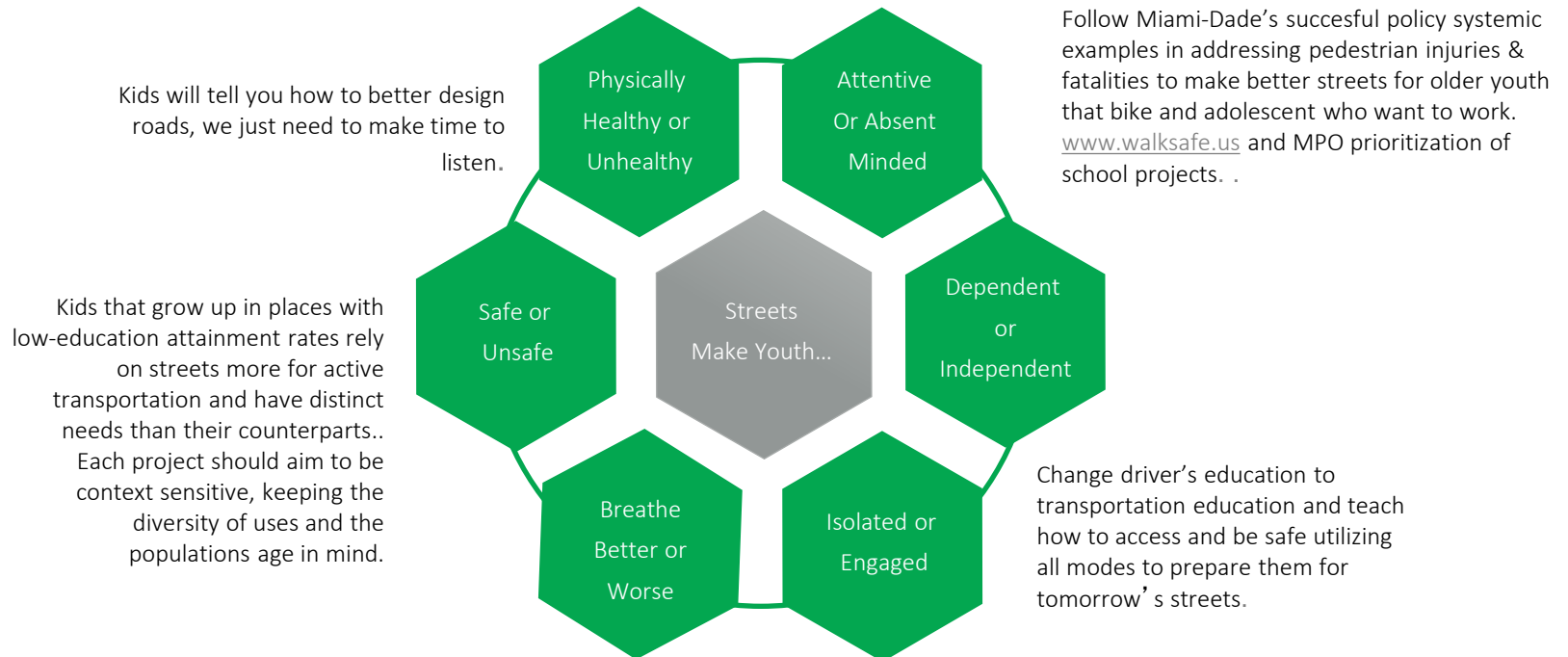


CHILDREN

Well-being of Children

"The physical and emotional health of an entire generation and the economic health and security of our nation is at stake."

- First Lady Michelle Obama at the Let 's Move! launch on February 9, 2010

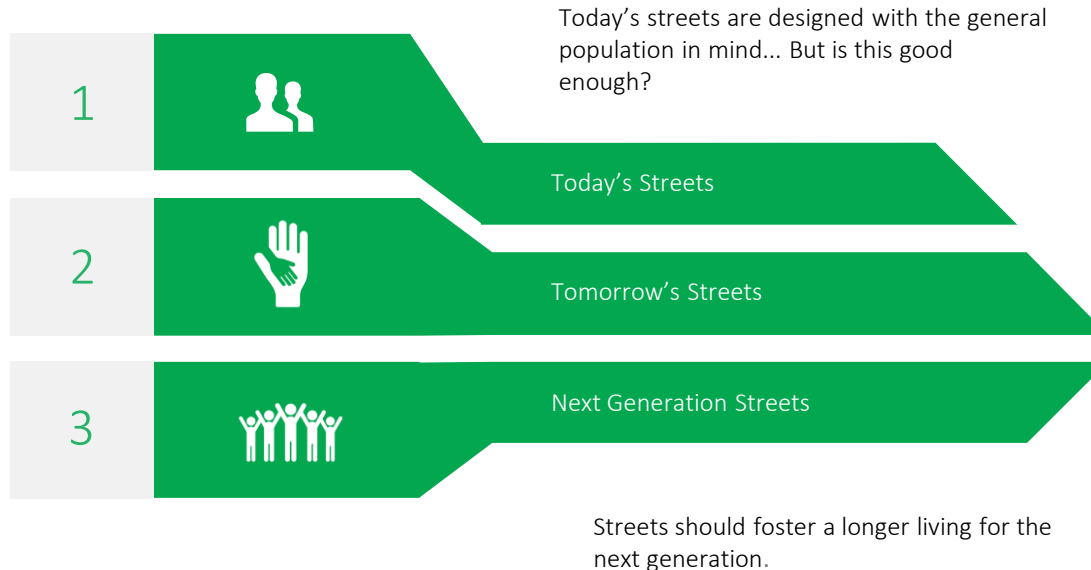




GENERAL
POPULATION

General Agile Population

“Learn from yesterday, live for today, hope for tomorrow. The important thing is not to stop questioning.” **Albert Einstein**



Conclusion

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By 2030, there will be more older adults (60+) than children under the age of 15 in MDC... Are the streets in your community going to help you age in place?

Streets impact children in many ways, let's make it count in a positive way.

Have a say and attend Age-Friendly Summit on May 12, 2015. www.agefriendlymiami.org

Tomorrow's streets will impact the health, safety, and economic prosperity of our next generation.



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