2,216,100
Housing Units In the Philadelphia/Camden/Wilmington Metropolitan Area

Neighborhood Assets

- 66% of households agree “This neighborhood has good bus, subway or commuter bus service.”
- 9% of households agree “This neighborhood has a lot of serious crime.”
- 84% of households agree “This neighborhood has good schools.”
- 41% of households report that it is important to live near arts and cultural events
- 88% of these households are satisfied with the arts and cultural events in their neighborhood

Housing Quality

- 6% of households live in inadequate housing
- 6% of households report their water is not safe to drink
- 10% of households have tobacco smoke inside the home daily
- 6% of households cite accessibility for elderly or disabled persons as a reason for improvements

Housing Costs

- 966,200 households have made some home improvement in past 2 years
- 53,700 households received housing counseling
- 89% reported that their housing counseling was helpful
- $1,078 was the median monthly cost of housing
- 17% of households pay at least half their monthly income for housing
- $1,416 was the median expenditure on home improvement projects in past 2 years
- 27% of these households report food insecurity in the past 30 days