The 2019 CAP report now connects Santa Cruz County to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), while continuing to address the Social Determinants of Health (SDOH). By considering Santa Cruz County data in relationship with national and international goals and objectives, our community can utilize the framework provided by the SDOH and the SDGs to take actionable steps toward advancing the quality of life for Santa Cruz County residents and ultimately for all humanity. See the full CAP report for more details.
### NEIGHBORHOOD & BUILT ENVIRONMENT

#### Peace, Justice & Strong Institutions

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#### Crime and Violence

- **31.2** was the Santa Cruz County crime rate per 1,000 residents

- **PROPERTY CRIME RATE: 27.3**
- **VIOLENT CRIME RATE: 3.6**

#### Child Abuse Cases

- **5.7%** of CAP survey respondents reported that family members or friends in Santa Cruz County had experienced child abuse or neglect in the last year.

#### Elder Abuse Cases

- **4.0%** of CAP survey respondents reported that family members or friends in Santa Cruz County had experienced elder abuse or neglect in the last year.

#### Incarceration

- **23.7%** of CAP survey respondents listed litter as the top response for the issue that concerns them most about the natural environment in Santa Cruz County.

#### Concern for the Environment

- **23.7%** of CAP survey respondents listed litter as the top response for the issue that concerns them most about the natural environment in Santa Cruz County.

#### Organic Farming

- **6,940 acres of organic farmland in Santa Cruz County.**
- **$126.3 million in gross organic farm sales in Santa Cruz County.**

#### Environmental Conditions

- **5.6 pounds of pesticide applied per resident in Santa Cruz County.**
- **194 days of swim advisories in Santa Cruz County.**
- **Zero days of beach closures in Santa Cruz County.**
- **90.1 pounds of nitrogen per capita in Santa Cruz County.**
- **5.6 pounds of pesticide applied per resident in Santa Cruz County.**
- **166.2 pounds of phosphorus per capita in Santa Cruz County.**
- **1.9 pounds of potassium per capita in Santa Cruz County.**

#### Mode of transportation for commuting to work among Santa Cruz County residents

- **69.0%** drove alone (car, truck, or van)
- **9.6%** carpooled (car, truck, or van)

#### Average travel time to work for Santa Cruz County residents

- **27.4 mins.**

#### Unhealthy days (Air Quality Index) for sensitive groups in Santa Cruz County

- **10 unhealthy days**