

Using *Vital Signs* to Strengthen Baltimore's Neighborhoods

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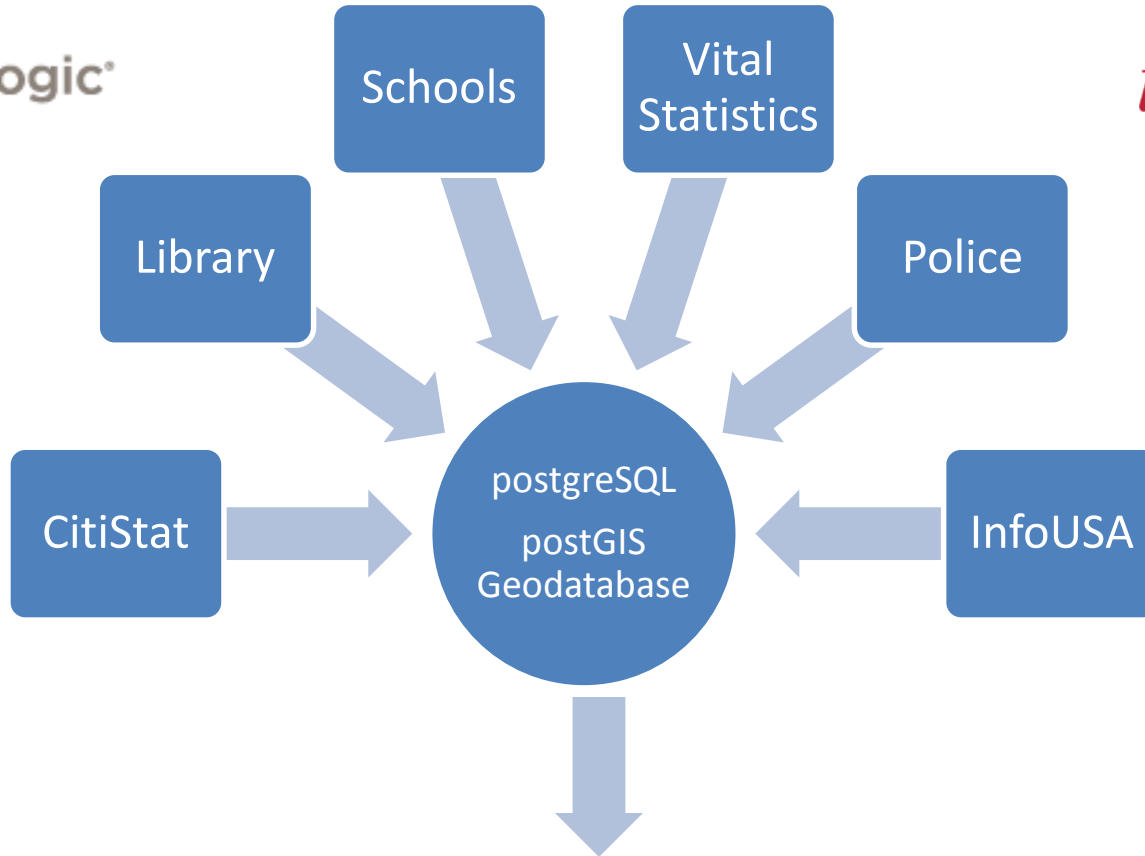




NATIONAL NEIGHBORHOOD INDICATORS PARTNERSHIP

- Began 20 years ago
- Advanced information systems with integrated and recurrently updated information on neighborhood conditions in their cities
- Overcome the resistance of local public agencies to sharing data
- Baltimore one of the first partner-cities
 - ❖ Now 36 partners
- “Democratization of Data”





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WHO WE ARE

Our goal: To strengthen Baltimore neighborhoods by providing meaningful, accurate, and open data at the community level.

BNIA is dedicated to producing reliable and actionable quality of life indicators for Baltimore's neighborhoods.

Vital Signs provides indicators that "take the pulse" of Baltimore neighborhoods by measuring progress towards a better quality of life for all residents.

OUR PROJECTS

Foreclosure Map

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Vital Signs By Community | Vital Signs By Tract Area

Find Your Community: Baltimore City | Get Data | Neighborhood Links

COMMUNITY OVERVIEW

Click on a community on the map to view more information.

HOW TO USE THE DATA

- Use the map above to find the community you would like the data for. Alternatively, you can look up a community.
- Download our whole Vital Signs 12 Report to see the latest data in PDF printable form. Or review past editions of Vital Signs.



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Available at the CSA data FREE on BNIA-JFI website



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WHAT ARE VITAL SIGNS?

Vital Signs are groups of related data points compiled from a variety of reliable sources that “take the pulse” of Baltimore’s neighborhoods. Each Vital Sign comprises a set of data which, taken together, form a picture of any given neighborhood’s quality of life and overall health.

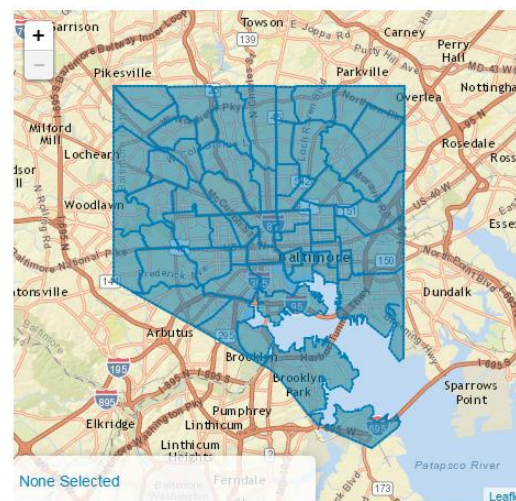
The Vital Signs help BNIA, community members, decision makers, and funders to measure progress towards meaningful, positive outcomes at the community level, and measure needs in specific and actionable ways.

Below you will find links to the full data tables for each Vital Sign, which can also be downloaded in spreadsheet or PDF format. If you are focusing on a single community, you may wish to view all vital signs for that neighborhood—which you can do [here](#).

- Census Demographics
- Housing and Community Development
- Children and Family Health
- Crime and Safety
- Workforce and Economic Development
- Sustainability
- Education and Youth
- Arts and Culture

- Vital Signs By Community
- Vital Signs By Topic Area
- Vital Signs By Indicator

Find Your Community:



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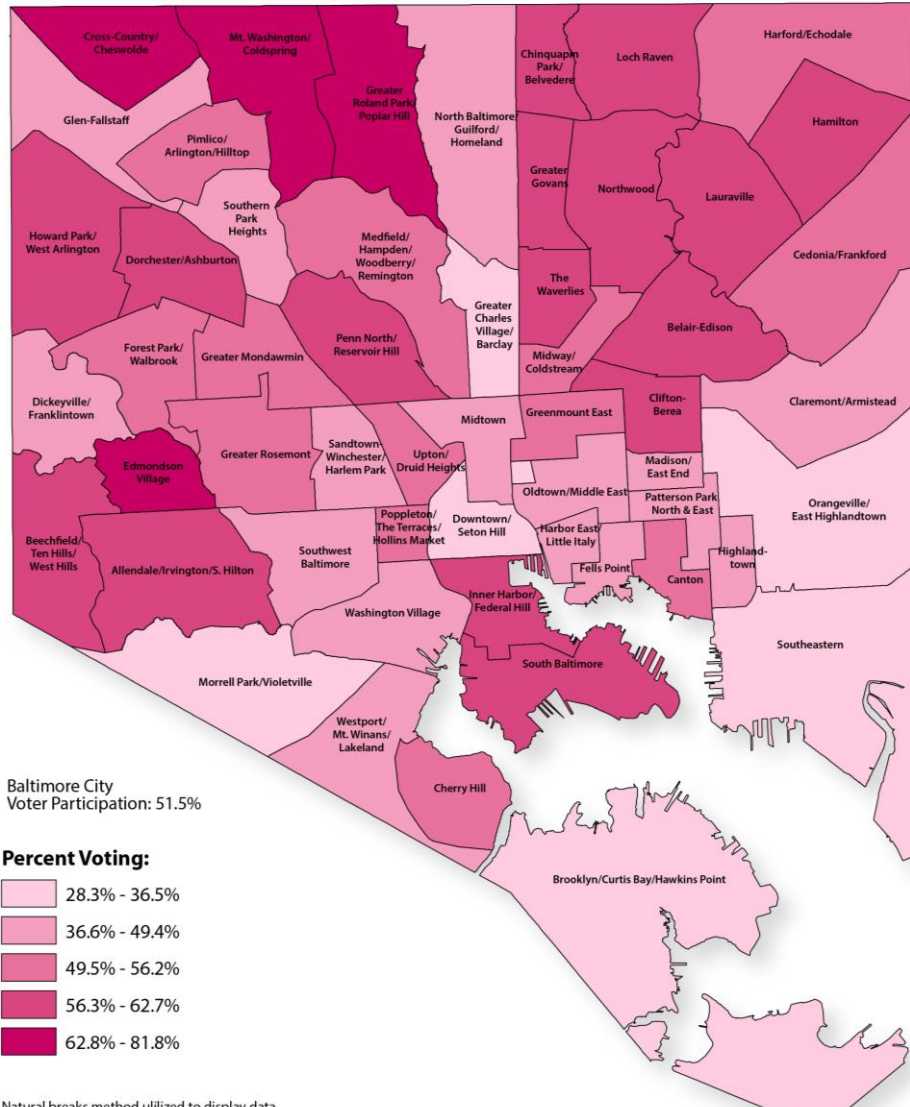
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Relationship Between BNIA and CitiStat

- Meant to work together
 - ❖ CitiStat tracking service delivery
 - ❖ BNIA tracking neighborhood outcomes with respect to quality of life

Civic Engagement

Percent of Registered Voters that Voted in Last General Election By Community Statistical Area, 2012



Rate of Dirty Streets and Alleys, 2013

