



The Indianapolis Foundation defines key terms to foster understanding and alignment.

Affordable Housing: Single, multi-family, homeownership and rental housing serving households at or below 80% Area Median Income and/or ensuring households pay no more than 30% of their income to housing costs.

Environmental Justice: Meaningful involvement of all people in environmental decision-making to ensure protection from disproportionate environmental and health impacts, and equitable access to a healthy, sustainable, and resilient environment.

Green Workforce: Jobs that advance a more sustainable society and reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

Permanent Housing: long-term housing option without a designated length of stay, where a resident holds the lease. It may or may not include supportive services. It is an alternative model to emergency shelter or transitional housing.

Social Impediments to Health: The non-medical factors that influence health outcomes.