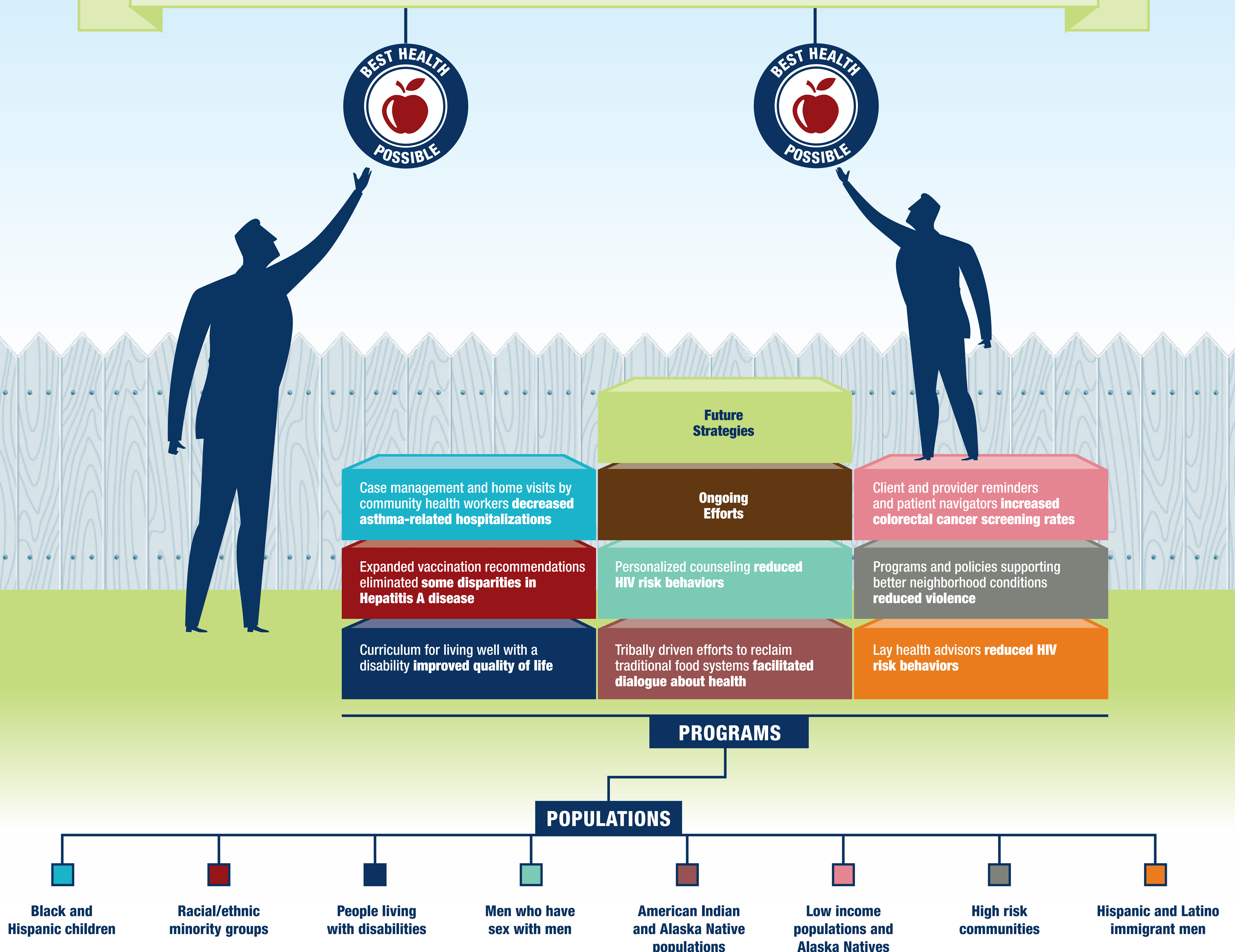


# REACHING FOR *Health Equity*

Reducing health disparities brings us closer to reaching health equity. The programs below are examples of how addressing disparities can advance health equity.



**HEALTH EQUITY** is when everyone has the opportunity to be as healthy as possible.

**HEALTH DISPARITIES** are differences in health outcomes and their causes among groups of people.

**EXAMPLE:** African American children are more likely to die from asthma compared to non-Hispanic White children.

Learn more about these programs at:  
<http://www.cdc.gov/minorityhealth/strategies2016/>

