Morehouse School Of Medicine Prevention Research Center: Community Health Needs & Assets Assessment Survey

- Conducted a survey in the Atlanta Community to gain the opinions of the neighborhood residents about the health concerns in their community.
- **79 Residents** were interested in Environmental Health education. **22% of the Residents** had concerns on Air Quality and Pollution in their community.
- Here are a few of their responses:

**WHAT CAUSES AIR POLLUTION?**

Air Pollution can be caused by:
- Vehicles
- Industrial Factories
- Chemicals
- Tobacco Products
- Fires

**WHAT IS AIR POLLUTION?**

Air Pollution is caused by toxic chemicals such as gases, dust particles, fumes and odors that are released in the air and are dangerous to human health and the environment.

**WHO’S AT RISK?**

- Elders
- Adults
- Babies
- Individuals with heart disease, lung disease, and asthma
- People who work and exercise outside
How Can You Reduce Air Pollution in Your Neighborhood?

- Carpool, combine trips, ride the bus, or bike/walk
- Use energy efficient light bulbs and appliances
- Choose environmentally friendly cleaners

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