Healthy Moves

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Project Background

- RN, Exercise instructor and "Fit for Life" Champion/Ambassador
- Healthy Moves
 - 5-week pilot program
 - Meets twice a week
 - Designed to promote health and wellness through exercise classes, nutritional awareness, and guest speakers such as dieticians and physical therapists.

Aims & target population

- <u>Aim:</u> To improve self-reported health and wellness and physical activity
 - <u>Secondary Aim:</u> To improve blood pressure, heart rate, strength, flexibility, and endurance
- Target Population: Roxbury Tenants of Harvard (RTH) Residents
 - 55 years+ (Seniors)
 - Racial/ethnic diverse
 - Various levels of physical activity

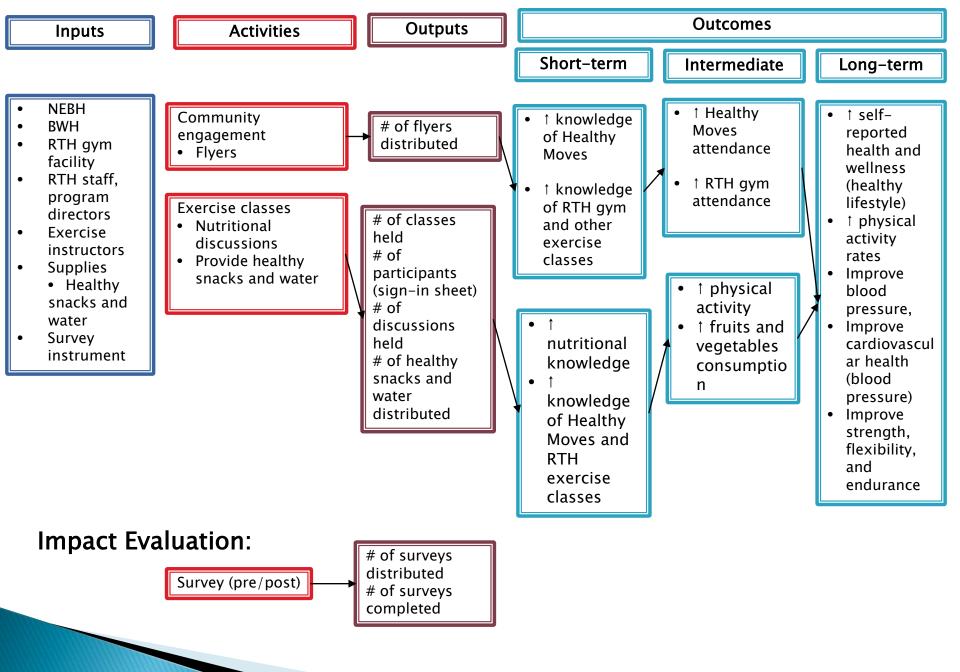
Key activities & outcomes

Activities:

- Marketing-flyers for Healthy Moves
- Offer Healthy Moves Classes
 - Provide Healthy snacks and water
 - Nutritional Discussion
- Survey
 - Pre/Post Week 1 and week 5

Outcomes:

- Improve self-reported health and wellness
- Increase physical activity, nutrition knowledge and RTH gym attendance



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- Change tool key strategies
 - Education and Communication
 - Facilitation and Support
- Meeting 2x month with Program Directors
- Working with Lauren to create surveys
- Attending senior fitness classes
- Obtain CEU in Senior Fitness

Conclusion

- Healthy Moves will start January 15, 2018
- Leaders in Health
 - Nice to meet neighbors and other leaders
 - Learn about different programs
 - Awareness of public health
- Thank you



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