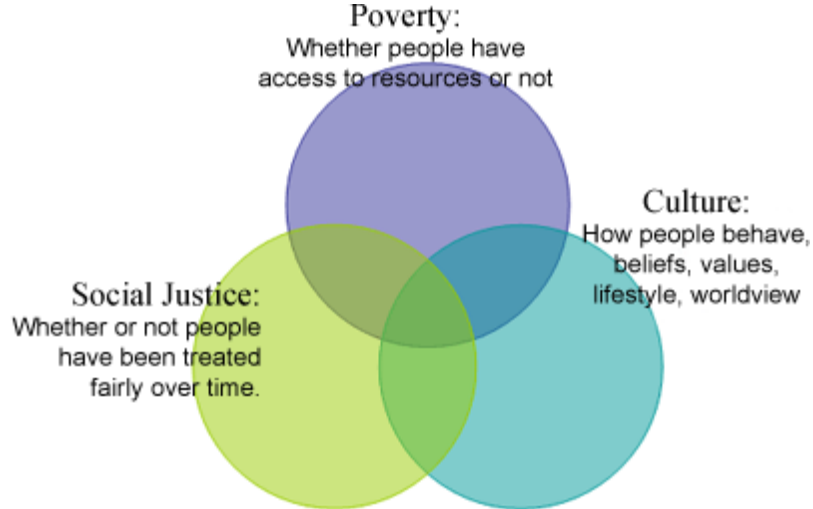
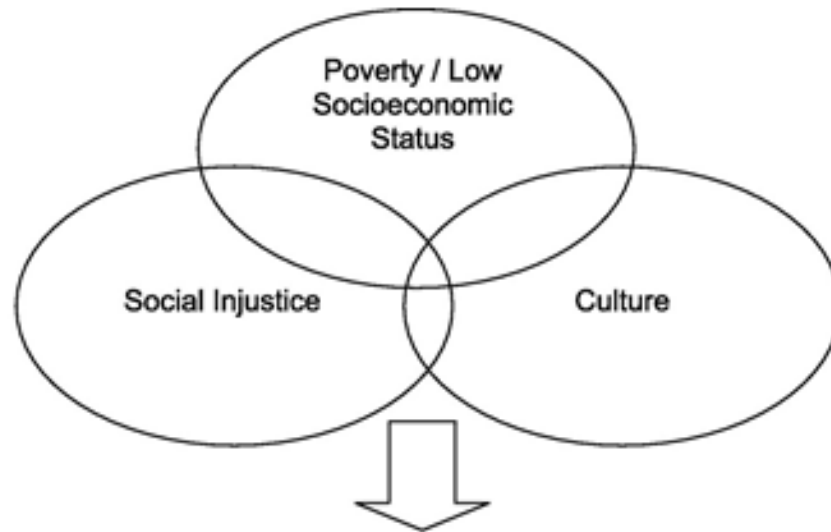


Causes of Health Disparities

There are number of models that describe the causes of health disparities. Two that are easy to follow are pictured below. The model for health disparities in cancer may be applied to other types of interventions, for example, the diagnosis of diabetes or coronary heart disease.



Social determinants of health disparities in cancer.



Root Causes of Health Disparities
Source: Forsyth County (NC) Healthy Community Coalition
<http://www.healthycommunity.ws/racial.aspx>

Prevention	Early Detection	Diagnosis & Incidence	Treatment	Post Treatment & Quality of Life	Survival & Mortality
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