

Obstacles to Food Access in "The Place"

"To achieve healthy goals, communities need access to healthy options."

The Place

Southwest Fresno, Central Fresno, Southeast Fresno



In The Place, there are challenges to accessing healthy food options. Residents have difficulty securing affordable and nutritious foods for themselves and their families.

Compared to North Fresno, South Fresno has a limited amount of food choices.



Limited food access is a serious health concern among residents in South Fresno.

Food Options That Are Available:



LIQUOR STORES



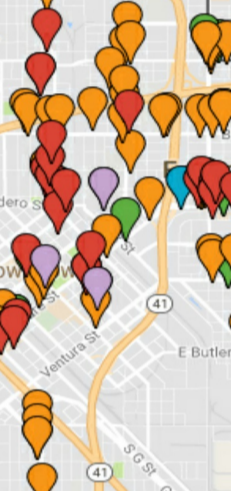
FAST FOOD



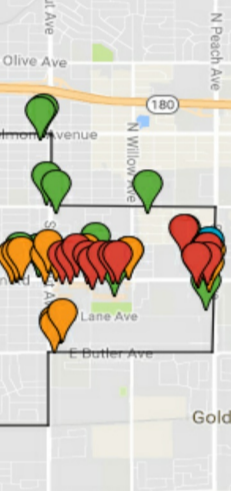
SMALL RESTAURANTS



GROCERY STORES



CORNER MARKETS



INSTITUTIONS

Corner Markets and Institutions are facilities in which one can find Healthy Food Options

Food Options



Liquor Stores are the **MOST** accessible food options to residents.

56.5%

8.4%

Healthy Options are the **LEAST** accessible to residents.

Corner Markets

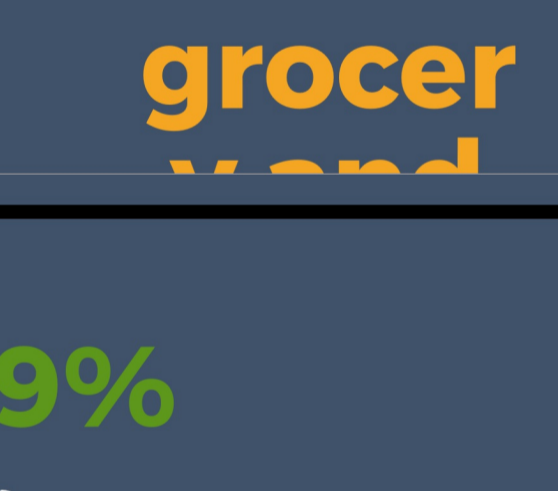


Unhealthy Food Options



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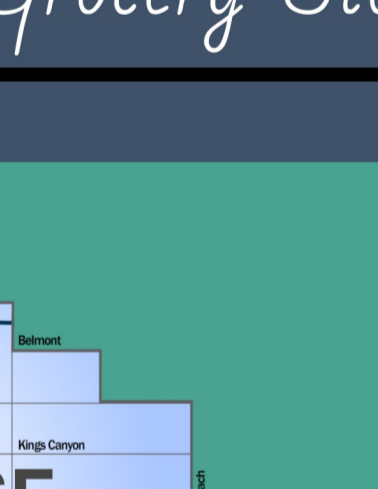
Healthy Foods Options



grocer

VS

Only **11.39%** of Food Options



are **Grocery Stores**



Obstacles to Food Access can look different within The Place

Southwest Fresno has the **LEAST** options for Healthy Foods.



Road to Food Equity and Access

Policies that Promote Grocery Store Development

Larger Investments within The Place

Food Accessibility Programs

Food Collaborative to Increase Access

Abundance of Healthy Options

Healthier Lifestyle

Author's Note: Small Restaurants were excluded from data analysis due to limited permit data on healthy option availability.

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