

SFPL Racial Equity Action Plan Progress Report

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Successful Equity Practices Implemented in the Past Year

Demographics of Library Workforce



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SFPL Racial Equity Action Plan (REAP) Priorities for the Upcoming Year

Successful Equity Practices Implemented

• REAP Sections where Equity Practices were successfully implemented in the last year:

| Section 4: Diverse & Equitable Leadership | Section 5: Mobility & Professional Development | Section 6: Organizational Culture of Inclusion & Belonging |
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| Developed a hiring and recruitment inclusivity statement to include in Library job announcements and recruitment materials | Made enhancements to the Annual Performance Plan and Appraisal Report (PPAR) process Mandated 24 Plus training for supervisory classifications Published employee resources pages on StaffNet containing benefits information, EAP and | Accommodated request from part-time Library Page workers to change their work schedules from four to three days per week Mandated Managing Implicit Bias training for supervisory classifications |

wellness resources, and

policies



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Equity Practice Implemented: SFPL's Inclusivity Statement

San Francisco Public Library (SFPL) is committed to building a culture and workplace that is accessible and equitable to all current and future employees, and actively cultivates a safe environment in which all people, regardless of background, identity, or ability, are welcomed. The Library fosters a diverse and inclusive community by celebrating the individuality, strengths, and talent of our staff.

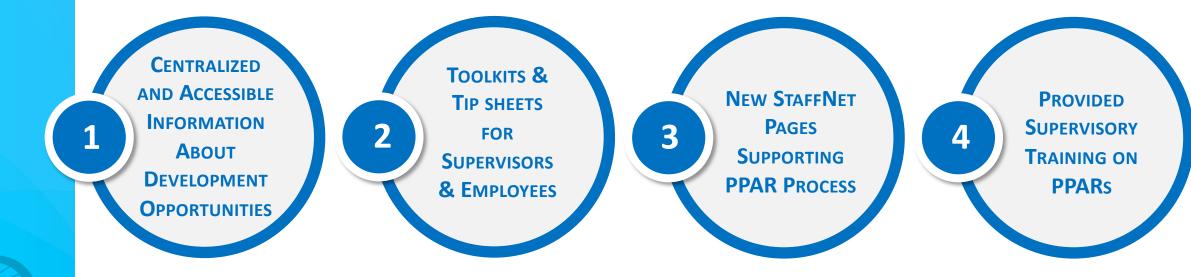
The Library is invested in serving everyone and advancing racial equity for our workforce and community. SFPL actively engages in anti-racist practices, programs, and collection development in carrying out the Library's mission.



Equity Practices Implemented:

Performance Plan and Appraisal Report Process Enhancements

• Employee performance and development improvements focus on ongoing coaching, feedback, professional development needs, and opportunities for growth



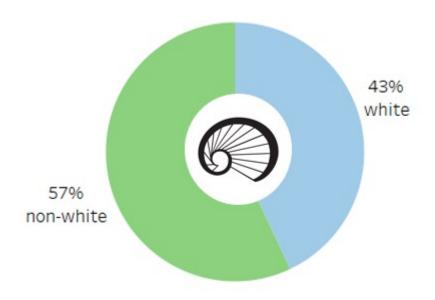
SFPL Senior Management Team Demographics

Successful SFPL Recruitments for the Senior Management Team (Past Year)

Out of the five (5) new recruitments for the Library Senior Management Team...

- 80% were filled by diverse candidates
- **60%** witnessed a change from the incumbent being non-BIPOC to BIPOC

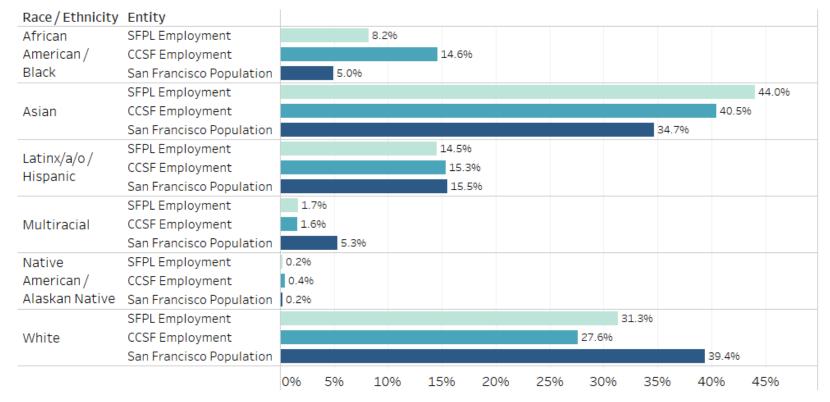






Demographics of Library Workforce

Comparison - SFPL Employment, CCSF Employment and San Francisco Population Demographics



Sources:

SFPL & CCSF employment: CCSF DHR

San Francisco demographics: US Census 2017-2021 American Community Survey (ACS) 5-Year Estimates

ACS estimates include race/ethnicity categories not captured in City data (e.g., "Other Race Alone") and folds Filipino data in to the Asian category. The City data groups Pacific Islander / Native Hawaiian individuals under Asian, so ACS's Pacific Islander / Native Hawaiian data was folded in to the Asian category.

SFPL Racial Equity Action Plan Priorities

Racial Equity Action Plan priorities for the upcoming year: ٠

Identify Diversity Recruitment Outlets

- Community-based organizations ٠
- **BIPOC** professional networks ٠
- Re-entry programs ٠
- Additional outlets ٠

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Identify Training Opportunities

- Targeted for employees, supervisors/managers, and Senior Management Team
- Focused on anti-bias, diversity, equity, and inclusion

REAP Sections 4.1.2(*b*) *and* 5.1.1(*b*)



REAP Section 1.2.1(c)



SFPL's Racial Equity Action Plan: https://sfpl.org/about-us/racial-equitycommitment

THANK YOU

We appreciate your continued support and encouragement

