## DEFINITIONS OF RACIAL/ETHNIC GROUPS

**American Indian or Alaska Native**

* Person who has origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment.

**Asian**

* Person who has origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.

**Black or African-American**

* Person who has origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.

**Hispanic or Latino**

* Person who has origins in Cuba, Mexico, Puerto Rico, South or Central America, or other Spanish cultures, regardless of race.

**Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander**

* Person who has origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.

**White**

* Person who has origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.