# TUFTS **ii** Health Plan Business Diversity Strategy

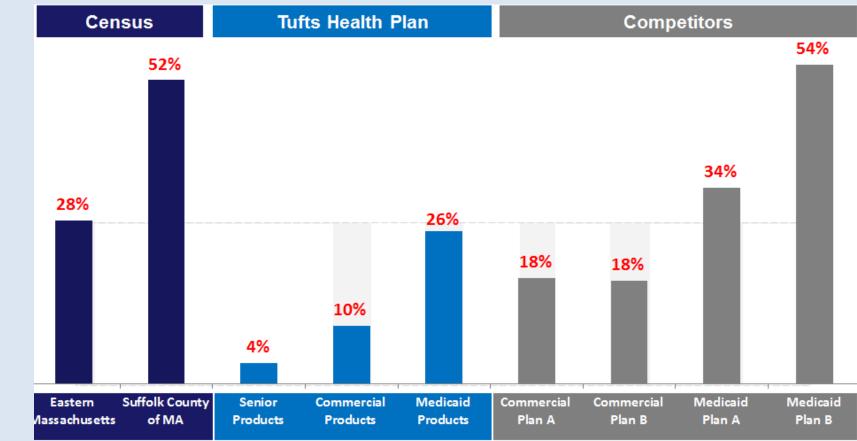
**Objective:** Establish Business Diversity as a corporate-wide priority contributing to revenue and membership growth and in alignment with the company's mission

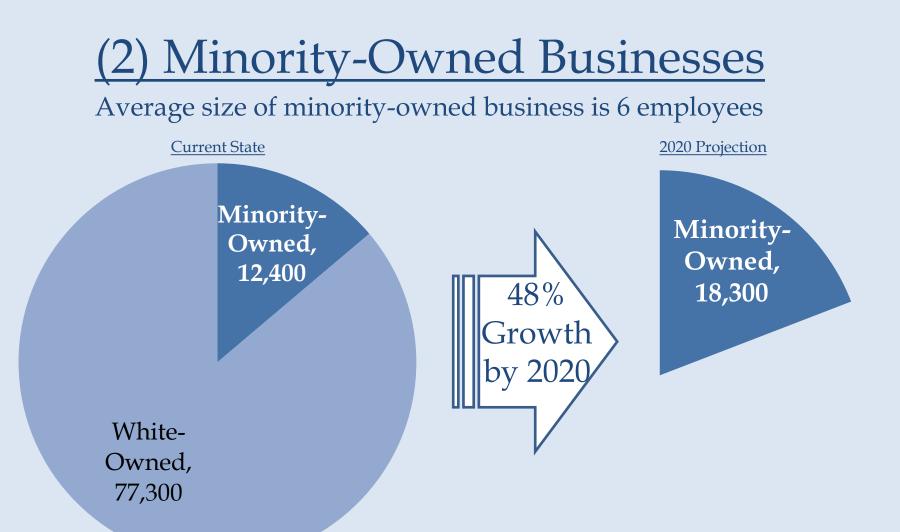
## Making the Case

Significant opportunity based on (1) composition of diverse membership vs. local market, (2) expected growth of minority-owned businesses and (3) health disparities resulting in avoidable medical cost

### (1) Diverse Membership Comparison

% of the population in Eastern MA/Suffolk County and the % of members who are racial and ethnic minorities





Sources: 2010 Census; 2013 Scarborough survey data ; combination of self-reported REL and predicted REL using RAND



#### (3) Health Equity

THP Commercial population showed disparities in:

• Adolescent Well Care Visits for African-Americans and Hispanics

Colorectal and Breast Cancer Screening for African-Americans

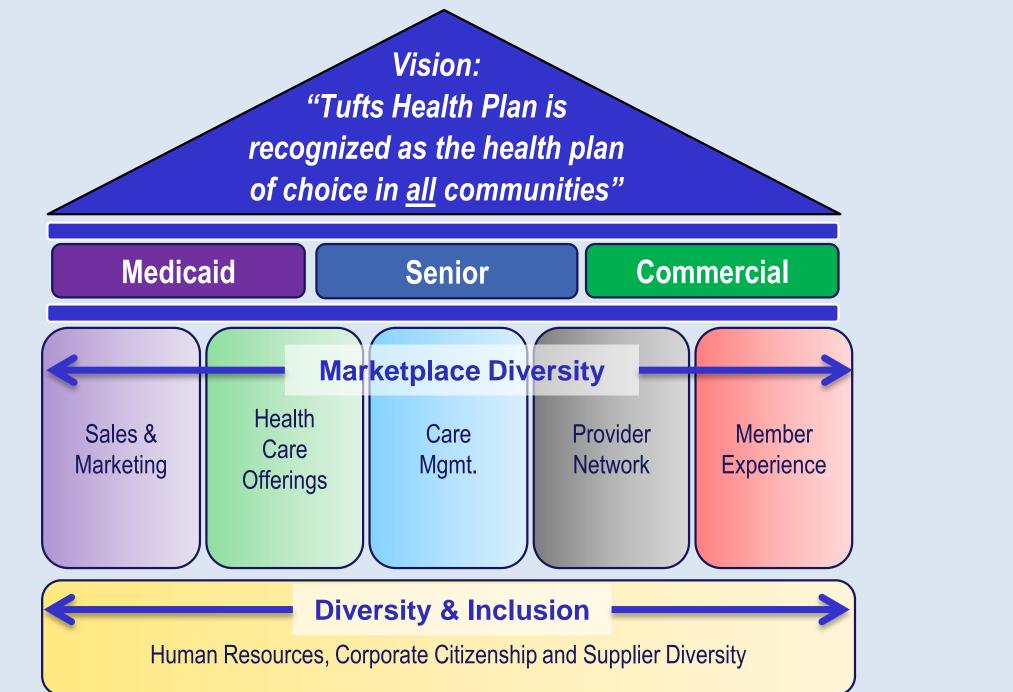
**Estimated Opportunity** 

### 270K Members; \$2.2B in Revenue; Avoidable Medical Cost

## Establishing a Plan of Action

The Business Diversity strategy cuts across all products and builds diversity into the fabric of every core function and level of the organization





Phased Approach

#### Phase I:

Dedicated investments and resources in a diverse community and existing 'majorityminority' employer

> <u>Phase II:</u> Directive from the President to establish plans

Sources: Geoscape 2013

to capture the Business Diversity opportunity

## Achievements and Highlights

## **Primary Challenges**

Senior Leadership Support and Directives from the President

External Partners (Community and Business)

Governance Structure Prioritization of Resources

Tufts Health Plan's mission is to improve the health and wellnessof the diverse communities we serve