

Maine Shared
Community Health
Needs Assessment

Forum Notetakers & Facilitators Training

Forum Agenda

Welcome!

Overview of Key Findings & Prioritization Voting

Breakout: Discussion of Findings & Prioritization Voting

Discussion Report Out & Second Round of Voting

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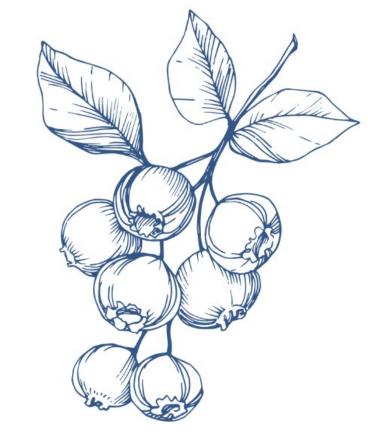
Presentation of Final Priorities

Breakout: Deeper Discussion of Priorities, Round 1

Breakout: Deeper Discussion of Priorities, Round 2

Breakout: Deeper Discussion of Priorities, Round 3

Conclusion & Next Steps



Breakout Sessions

IN-PERSON:

- For facilitators, a list of breakout room assignments will be available at registration.
- In-person facilitators & notetakers move to their rooms before the breakout session begins. That
 will be your assigned room for all of the breakout sessions.

VIRTUAL:

- A list of breakout room assignments will be sent to Crescendo and all participants by Heather.
- Participants will automatically be moved to their assigned breakout rooms by Crescendo
- Virtual notetakers will use the Zoom Virtual Whiteboard OR by opening a Word document and sharing their screen. Please save whatever is used and email it to Heather
 (heather.drake@mainehealth.org).
- For convenience, notetakers should be the person to report out to the larger group.
- It is recommended that **notetakers or facilitators** use their phone timers to manage their time in break out groups to ensure all topics are discussed.



Breakout Session
Discussions #1-4

Breakout Discussion #1 (25 minutes)

The first breakout will be a discussion of the findings from the presentation, data profiles, community engagement overviews, and results from the first round of priority voting.

Prompts to use:

Was anything surprising or new? Did the findings confirm anything for you?

Breakout Discussion #1

- Participants will be asked to add any priorities that were not in the results of the first round of voting.
- You will lead people to a consensus on what should be added. It's okay if they do not add anything!
- Facilitators should use the document "Priorities ONLY" for the first breakout.
- During this part of the discussion only focus on those priorities that are in your assigned topic area.

Prompts to use:

Are any priorities missing from the initial round of voting that should be included in a second round of voting?

Breakout Discussion #2 (25 minutes)

The second breakout will be a discussion of the results from the second round of voting for the topic area you are assigned (community conditions, protective & risk factors, or health conditions & outcomes). The results will be presented to everyone after the 10-minute break.

- For this breakout you will use the document "Populations of Focus, Assets, and Resources."
- Please note this document contains all 5 priorities for your topic. You are to focus only on the top three priorities that are ultimately chosen (the ones presented after the break and that you wrote down).

Breakout Discussion #2

Please use the following prompts for the discussion and focus only on the priorities within your assigned topic area:

What do you see as the root causes and/or contributing factors to these priorities?

Which sectors are working on these priorities? Where is there potential for collaboration?

Are there other specific populations to focus on within these priorities? **Please reference

the document and build off what has already been captured.

What community assets and resources are missing from the pre-populated list to address these priorities?

**Please reference the document and build off what has already been captured.

Breakout Discussion #3 (15 minutes)

Review the responses from the group prior to you.

As a group, add comments and additional information and suggest edits, as applicable.

Rotation from Breakout #3 to Breakout #4

- IF YOU ARE VIRTUAL, facilitator/notetaker moves (crescendo controls this) and discusses their topic area with the new group.
- IF YOU ARE IN-PERSON, the next group of participants moves to the facilitators/notetakers and facilitators discuss their topic with the new group.

Breakout Discussion #4 (15 minutes)

Review the responses from the group prior to you. As a group, add comments and additional information and suggest edits, as applicable.

After the breakout, everyone will move back to the main room and facilitators will share a brief overview of what all three breakouts have discussed.



Thank you!

Guiding Groups to Consensus:

Seek Common Ground

- Prompt: "What aspects of these issues do we all agree are important? Are there any priorities that stand out as shared concerns?"
- Tip: Start by identifying areas of agreement before diving into differences.

Encourage Listening and Understanding

- Prompt: "Can someone summarize what's been said so far? Does anyone have a
 different perspective that hasn't been shared yet?"
- Tip: Encourage active listening to ensure everyone understands each viewpoint before making decisions.

Guiding Groups to Consensus:

Focus on Impact

- Prompt: "Which of these issues will have the greatest positive impact if addressed first? How can we come together around the most impactful choice?"
- Tip: Encourage the group to align around solutions that provide the most significant benefit.

Address Concerns

- Prompt: "What concerns do we still have about prioritizing this issues? How can we address those concerns while moving forward?"
- Tip: Surface and resolve any lingering doubts or objections so the group can move toward agreement.



Thank you!