

Live Well Omaha Kids Collective Impact Guiding Principles

Partner Behavior

- 1. Partners commit time and organizational resources
- 2. Partners contribute to and promote implementation of the plans
- 3. Partners openly communicate emerging work and its applicability to the group's goals
- 4. Authentic dialogue is encouraged
- 5. Agencies with clients impacted by the issue are engaged (decision makers and direct support)
- 6. Nontraditional partners are engaged (i.e. mental health)

Decision Making

- 1. Decisions are made via majority vote with group consensus
- 2. Everyone has an equal voice around the table
- 3. No one has all the answers
- 4. We practice good listening
- 5. The work will be slow, intentional and inclusive
- 6. Data drives decisions

Research and Evaluation

- 1. Work is based on research and the best available evidence
- 2. Work generates evidence
- 3. Work is evaluated with the best available tools
- 4. Agreed-upon metrics are used to determine overall success

Practice

- 1. Prevention is our focus
- 2. Equity is highly valued
- 3. The work is disseminated and integrated with public health stakeholders and the community
- 4. Individuals impacted by this issue will be involved in planning and implementation
- 5. The journey is defined with milestones and wins are celebrated

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