



DASH Webinar Series Advancing Community Health Through Equitable Data Ecosystems

Session II:
Shared Community Data Ecosystems
July 26, 2022 | 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. ET

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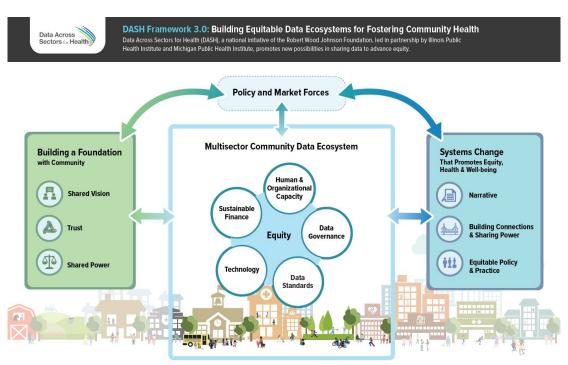


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The DASH Framework

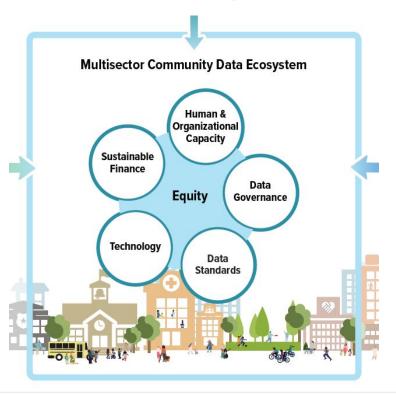
Equitable Data Ecosystems for Advancing Community Health





Community Data Ecosystems





Session Goals



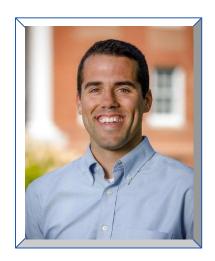
- 1. Understand how to apply an equity lens to the data cycle by engaging people with lived experience (PWLE) in the data sharing process.
- Describe the iterative process of developing and implementing the components of the data ecosystem to impact data sharing initiatives and the community.
- 3. Identify the various components of a data ecosystem and how the components interact with each other.

Kicking off the Conversation Today's Presenters





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Maine CIE
Roadmap –
From Start
to Success





What's a CIE?

A CIE	A CIE IS NOT		
Cultivates trust and capacity within the community.	a specific technology or platform, nor is it <u>solely</u> dependent on technology to connect individuals to services and resources.		
Enables individual agency and understands root causes of resource gaps.	referral-centric nor does it promote a one-size-fits- all solution for data integration.		
Drives systems change.	intended to solve one issue. The goal should not be to solve for one organization or sector, but for the entire system of care.		
Is a community-led collaborative.	led by one organization. The CIE is not led by one organization or sector, nor is the strategic direction dictated by the desired outcomes of one sector.		
Designed to uplift and assist in providing agency to the communities who experience the starkest disparities and inequities.	centered around institutional goals or interests.		

Maine CIE Foundations

- **Goal:** Define a shared vision and framework for the further development of a CIE in Maine that key stakeholders agree to collaboratively pursue.
- **Vision:** Better the health and wellbeing of Maine residents through improved cross-sector information sharing, referral exchange, and care coordination by shifting from a reactive-to-proactive approach to providing person-centered care.





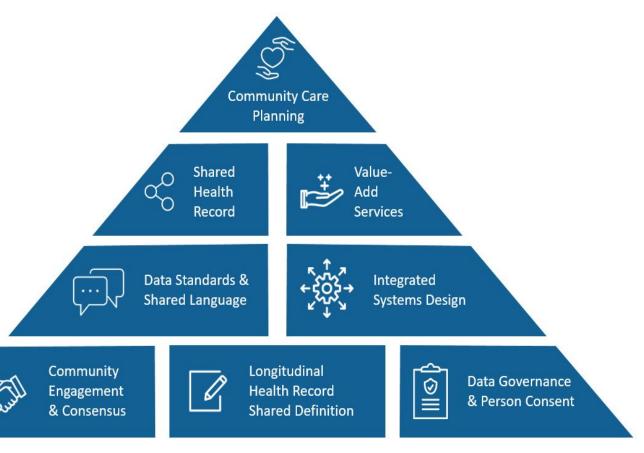






Maine CIE Framework & Components

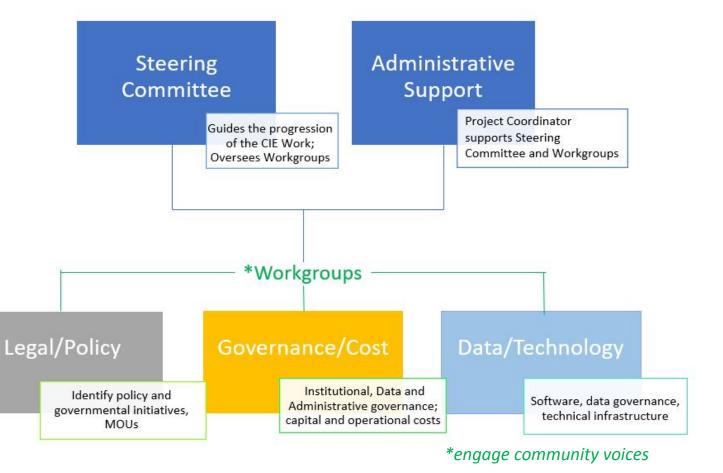
From community engagement to community care planning, the Maine CIE framework aims to build a more integrated and holistic design to care delivery that bridges clinical and community settings.



Maine CIE Next Steps

- Strengthen Stewardship: Develop a Steering Committee, led by the Maine Council on Aging for project coordination and administrative support, that includes key stakeholders across clinical and community settings.
- Engage Community Voices: Include people with lived experience to help inform/participate in decision-making and to develop community trust throughout every governance level.
- Create Deep-Dive Workgroups: Establish workgroups for (a) legal and policy, (b) governance, and (c) data and technology components to create more detailed project and implementation plans.
- **Build Upon the Use Case:** Present a comprehensive use case that helps those who are unfamiliar with community information exchange gain a better understanding by providing a real-world example.

Maine CIE Structure





Developing a Community-Driven Housing Data Tool

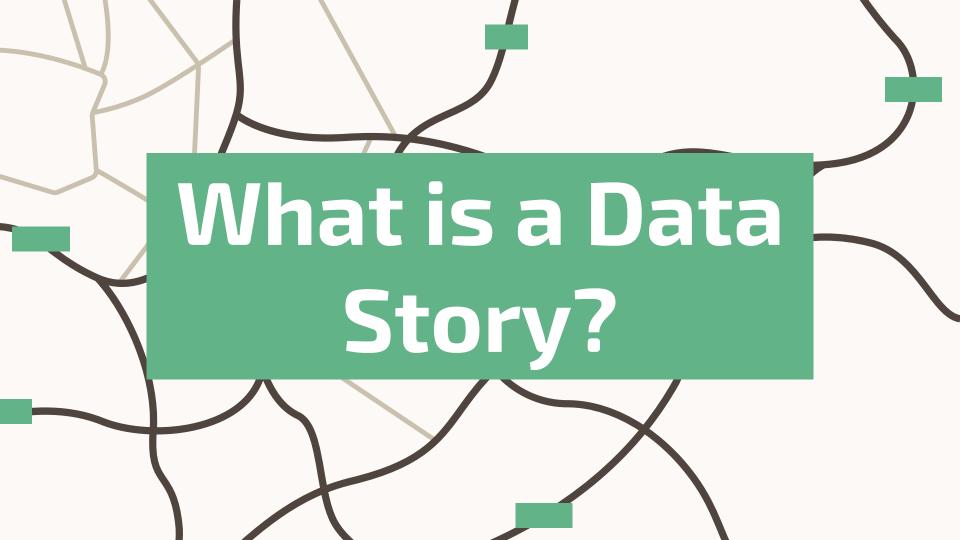
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Key Learnings

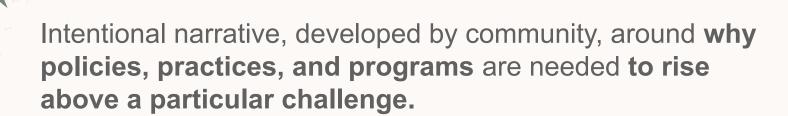
- Community leadership is critical in all stages of the data story creation. Final decision making must be placed in the hands of community members.
- Community-driven data means broadening your lens of what is considered data.
- Continued, informed consent is critical to successful data storytelling, especially for qualitative work.



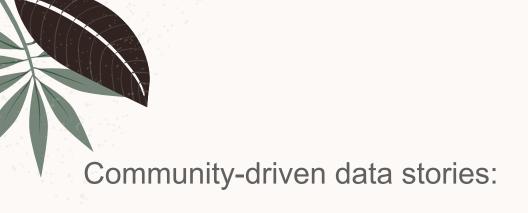




A "data story" serves as a tool for positive change by translating information into a compelling narrative, often tailored to a specific audience.



- Illustrate a process or historical trend
- Describe relationships and structures
- Make the case for a key message or ask.



- Focus on solutions that communities have developed rather than describing the problems themselves.
- Can be utilized as an intervention and used to evaluate community progress.

Community Housing Data Tool

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Youth advocating for needle safety near Orchard Gardens School. Courtesy of The Boston Globe.

Goals

- Provide resources to individuals, families, and organizations about the state of housing in Boston communities
- User-friendly data visualization to support personal decisions, community advocacy, and systems change
- Interactive and mobile friendly
- Strengths-based approach highlighting existing community initiatives

Developing the Community Housing Data Tool

Sharing data for population health advocacy

- Data linking health and housing
- Data maps spatial inequity
- Interactive data and resource maps for Boston community (city of Boston, MA)

Community driven approach: Community Data Workgroup

- Diverse individual and organizational community partners
- Heavily involved from the development stage: identified topics and focus population groups

Identifying a Key Message

In-house
Quality and
Safety

Community /
External
Quality and
Safety

Accessibility
to Affordable

Living Option

Stability Support

> Single Fathers

Residents with Asthma

Boston Residents

Returning Citizens

Community-Driven Data Collection

Topic	Data & Resources			
Support Systems				
In-house Quality and Safety	Blood Lead Levels			
	Smoking Prevalence			
Community/External Quality and Safety	Needle Safety			
	Crime Density			
	Community Resources			
Accessibility of Affordable Living Options	Severe Rental Burden			
Stability Support	Eviction Rates			
	Eviction Related Resources			
Boston Residents				
Residents with Asthma	Home Inspection (Breathe Easy at Home)			
Returning Citizens	Stories from Community			
Single Fathers	Resources & Single Father Families			

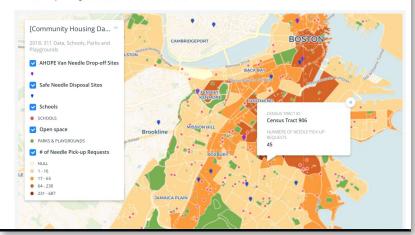
Demo



Community/External Quality and Safety

Needle Safety

The map shows BOS:311 needle pick-up requests at the census tract level in the year 2018. Locations of safe needle/syringe disposal sites in Boston and the nearby cities are available. Public and non-public schools as well as parks, playgrounds, and athletic fields are displayed in the data map. The legend is based on Jenks natural breaks.



Community Stories from Returning Citizens

Community Housing Data Tool

Returning Citizens



Integrating equity within data sharing efforts that center the lived experience and voices of populations that have been relatively less highlighted in discussions on housing.

Community Stories

From the Cypher Workshop "Reflect. Recall. Reimagine."

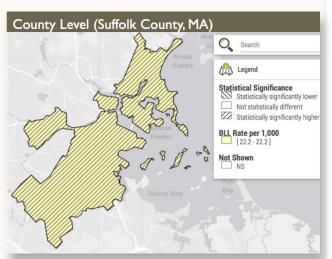
Storytellers share stories about incarceration, recovery, and housing in Boston. They also share ideas of ways forward.

Data Ethics and Consent Considerations

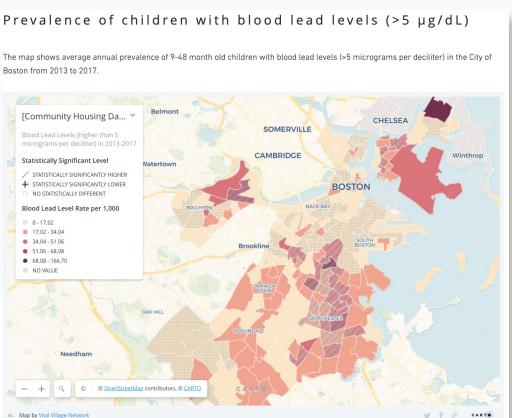
Agreements drafted and led by storytellers:

- Where will the story live?
- How long does the data story be shared?
- How is the narrative told?
- Options to opt out of sharing the story in the future
- Images and sound

Data Disaggregation by Geography



Data source: Massachusetts Department of Public Health/Bureau of Environmental Health (MDPH/BEH) (2018). Massachusetts Environmental Public Health Tracking (EPHT).



Using the Community Housing Data Tool: Needle Safety



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Tired of stepping over needles near school, students say enough

By Adrian Walker Globe Columnist, December 18, 2018, 7:19 p.m.





- District-level maps used by policy stakeholders
- Map shared in community meetings by residents activists
- Peer reviewed article

The Abundance Boston Food Justice App



The Abundance App is a tool for families to access up-to-date information on food resources.



Families can leave reviews for locations and provide input on their experience.



Created by the Community Data Workgroup: Boston residents, community leaders, government partners and Vital Village staff





Vital Village staff and Community Data Workgroup members designing the Abundance App

What's included in the Abundance App?



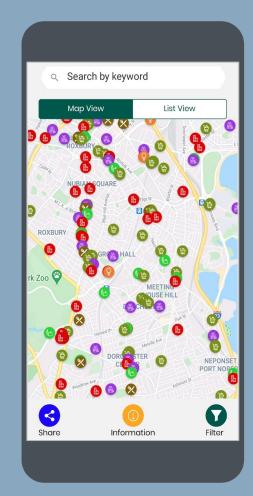
350+ Affordable or no-cost grocery, food pantry, WIC-approved stores and farmstand locations



100+ Free meal sites for adults, seniors and youth



22 Community organizations promoting food justice













Continuum of Community Engagement and Leadership

Inform	Consult	Involve	Co-Create	Empower
Provide community member with information, opportunities, and/or solutions	Request feedback on community decisions and activities by community members	Work directly with community members to make sure activities and decisions reflect needs and ideas of community members	Partner with community members in each aspect of decision making from inception to implementation	Place final decision-making in hands of community members.

Thank you to our Housing Data Tool and Abundance partners

- Boston parents, families, and community champions
- Data Across Sectors for Health (DASH)
- Department of Neighborhood Development
- Mandela Residents Cooperative Association
- Boston Housing Authority
- Boston Public Health Commission Breathe Easy at Home
- Boston Inspectional Services Department (ISD)
- Medical Legal Partnership Boston

- Children's HealthWatch
- Concerned Elders
- Ruth's Way for Women
- The Eviction Lab
- Boston Mayor's Office of Food Justice
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- Greater Boston Food Bank
- Madison Park Development Corporation
- Project Bread.
- The Doris Duke Charitable Foundation





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Multi-sector Approach
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