

Round Robin: Brainstorming Strategies by Topic September 18, 2019

Purpose of activity: Surface a wide range of policy and practice ideas, priorities, challenges, and considerations within each topic area that will inform the development of the PN3 Illinois Policy Agenda. Input gathered today will be compiled and cross-walked to existing initiatives/other strategic plans and then summarized and provided to the working groups and full coalition for review.

Instructions: Separate into groups according to the numbers on our nametag and convene at the corresponding topic area, also numbered. In your group, discuss the below questions/prompts and record your responses on the sticky pad paper on the wall. When time is up, rotate to the next topic. Briefly review the responses recorded by the previous group. Place stickers next to items your group agrees with or wishes to emphasize and add new items. When time is up, move on to the next topic and repeat until all topics have been covered. At the end of the activity, assigned facilitators will share out a high-level summary with the group.

1. What do families want and need?
 - What do we already have that we need more of?
 - What do we need to do to help families know about and enroll in services?
 - What services, supports, or approaches do we need that are new or different than what we have now?
 - Who is being left out of prenatal to three services? Where are there disparities and inequities? What needs to happen to address inequities?
 - What do we need to improve quality of services and supports? How do we do that?
 - What are some workforce implications that must be addressed?

2. Who needs to be engaged?
 - Who leads on this topic?
 - Do you have connections to them and can you help lead outreach?
 - Do you know of any exciting initiatives, projects, or practices that we should be connecting too?
 - What community-level councils, community or parent groups should inform this effort?

3. What else do you need to know to develop this topic area?
 - What specific data do you need?
 - What additional information do you need on this topic area?