



# Assessment

This assessment can serve a valuable tool to promote discussion and alignment amongst collaborative members.

Have multiple members of your collaborative complete individually, and then meet to discuss your reflections and ideas to move toward greater centering of community voice.

PART 1		
Reflect on each question and write key points from your response below.		
<p>The graphic shows a vertical bar with a color gradient from light green at the top to blue at the bottom. It is divided into three sections: 'Centering Community Voice' (top, light green), 'Healthy Engagement' (middle, medium green), and 'Basic Involvement' (bottom, blue).</p>	<p>Regarding your collaborative, where would <b>you</b> rate community engagement? Why?</p>	<p>Regarding your collaborative, where do you think <b>most of your partners</b> would rate community engagement? Why?</p>
<p>Reflections or Insights:</p>		





## PART 2

For each of the four principles, use the following scale:

- Pre-awareness: not yet aware of this principle nor its importance
- Aware: aware of this principle with general belief that it is important
- Understood: solid understanding with some evidence it is being applied
- Activated: commitment to be purposeful and intentional in utilizing this principle
- Actualized: principle is always embedded in mindset, actions, and activities

1. Centering of community voice is foundational to community health systems transformation. Period.	How would you rate <b>yourself</b> ? Why?	How would you rate <b>your collaborative</b> ? Why?
2. Building trust with community residents is a prerequisite to healthy engagement and centering community voice.	How would you rate <b>yourself</b> ? Why?	How would you rate <b>your collaborative</b> ? Why?
3. Communities transform when the leadership of its residents is revealed, cultivated, and engaged.	How would you rate <b>yourself</b> ? Why?	How would you rate <b>your collaborative</b> ? Why?
4. Centering requires a shared belief that residents should be full partners in leading transformation.	How would you rate <b>yourself</b> ? Why?	How would you rate <b>your collaborative</b> ? Why?

Reflections or Insights:





## Moving Forward: Ideas

Use this worksheet to capture ideas - on your own or with others - to help your collaborative promote greater application and actualization of the principles.

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<p>3. Communities transform when the leadership of its residents is revealed, cultivated, and engaged.</p>	
<p>4. Centering requires a shared belief that residents should be full partners in leading transformation.</p>	





# Moving Forward: Plans

Prioritize the ideas generated and begin to draft a plan of action that helps your collaborative move toward greater centering of community voice.

Immediate Within 3 months	
Near Term 3-12 Months	
Long Term 12-36 months	

