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Cohort Workshop 4 Equitable Virtual Engagement

Welcome!
What is your favorite winter
beverage?



Today's Workshop

- Welcome
- Speed Networking
- Grantee Spotlight: **Thrive, Ronneal Matthews**
- Breakout Discussions: Key Priority Area
- Debrief



Group Agreements

Step up, and step back	Respect everyone's time	Be plugged in, engaged in the conversation	Embrace constructive criticism for growth	Giving optional video times, but use camera for small groups (okay to pass)
Be present; minimize multi-tasking	Be ready to unmute and contribute	Space for grace	Expect the unexpected	Be brave
Collaborative	Ask questions, lead with curiosity	Open-minded	Listen first, and offer feedback	Assume good intentions
Everyone has a right to their opinion	Space to learn and grow	Okay to pass	Be generous	



Looking Ahead

Mon 12/31	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• End of First Reporting Period
Thurs 1/7	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Workshop #5: Interventions Testing
Fri 1/15	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• End of Planning Period• Learning Agenda, Strategic Communications Plan, Monitoring and Improvement Plan (MAX.gov)
Sun 1/31 11pm ET	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• First Semi-Annual Progress Report (GrantSolutions)• Performance Measures (Database)
Thurs 2/4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Workshop #6: Final Workshop
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Energizer: Speed Networking

- Say hello!
- Share your Network and project goals
- Find one common theme in your breakout!



Grantee Spotlight



Ronneal Mathews, MPH

Director of Community Engagement
(she/her/hers)

- TPP18 Tier 2, Phase I
- TPP20 Innovation and Impact Network (KPA – Caregivers)
- TPP20 Tier 1



Our Commitments

1. Diversity, equity and inclusion training for Thrive staff and key collaboration members
2. Include context experts, including in leadership positions
3. Equity Committee
4. Strategic partnerships w/ organizations and coalitions doing equity work

Our Guiding Principals

- Equity forms the foundation of our work
- We will confront the most complicated and difficult issues surrounding anti-racism and equity, rather than only focusing on the easiest issues to address
- Identities are intersectional and complicated
- Voices and perspectives of those with lived experience (context experts: youth and caregivers) guide our recommendations and the committee's work

Context Expert Advisory Committee

- Approximately 15 diverse individuals (Caregivers and youth)
- Quarterly Meetings
- Compensated for their time and expertise
- Provide meaningful participation input into
 - Overall project
 - RFP process
 - Innovative Interventions

Equitable RFP Process

- **Input from context experts (caregivers and youth), professionals and Network Stakeholders**
- **Broad dissemination of RFP on traditional and nontraditional platforms**
- **Blinded applications once submitted**
- **Simplified application process**
 - **No 501(c)3 required**
 - **No budget or program design**
 - **Open to large and small organizations**

Independent RFP Review Committee

- **Approximately 15 diverse individuals (Professionals, caregivers and youth)**
- **Commit Approximately 6 hours to reviewing and scoring applications**
- **Compensated for their time and expertise**

Breakout Discussions in Key Priority Areas

Goals:

- Learning each other's projects and connection to the Key Priority Area.
- Reflect on Ronneal's presentation. Share experiences, stories, and tools on virtual engagement.
- Defining **equity** in the context of Key Priority Area and how it shapes the work of the Network.

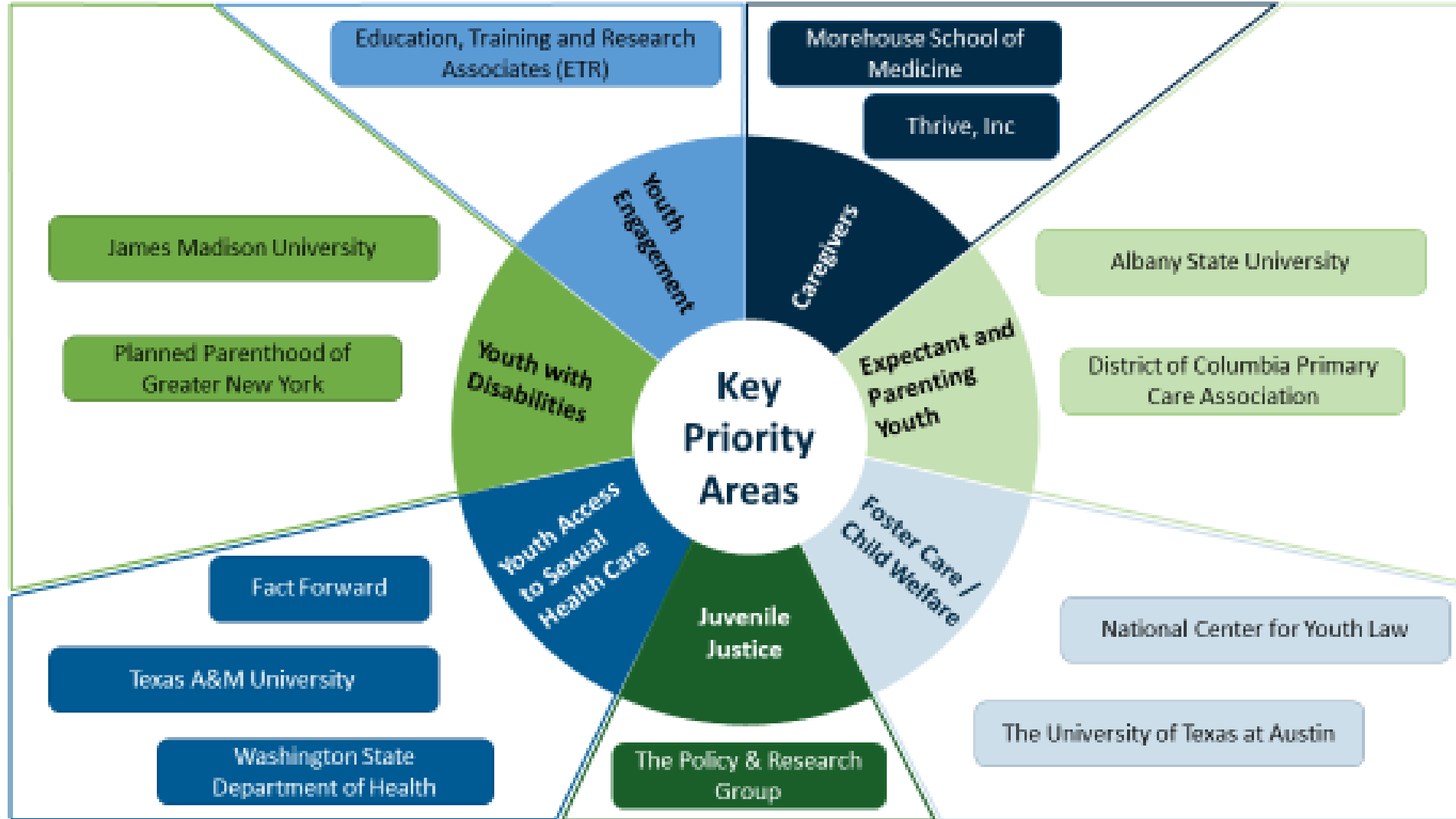


Instructions for Breakout

- Three Options:
 - 1) **Show & Tell:** take turns showing different parts of your project. Ensure there is enough time for each project to share. Ask each other questions!
 - 2) **Conversation Café:** Pick facilitator and the order to speak
 - Round 1 – Everyone shares
 - Round 2 – Everyone reacts to what was shared
 - Round 3 – Open discussion / not structured
 - Round 4 – Everyone shares closing remarks
 - 3) **Freestyle:** Do you have a learning activity that works? Or do you have a set of questions that needs answers? Do your own thing!



Teen Pregnancy Prevention Innovation and Impact Networks



Crowdsource Favorite Tools

- What are your favorite engagement tools / methods?
*Write in the chatbox; add an * to your response if you're willing to share*



Breakout Recap

- What did you learn?



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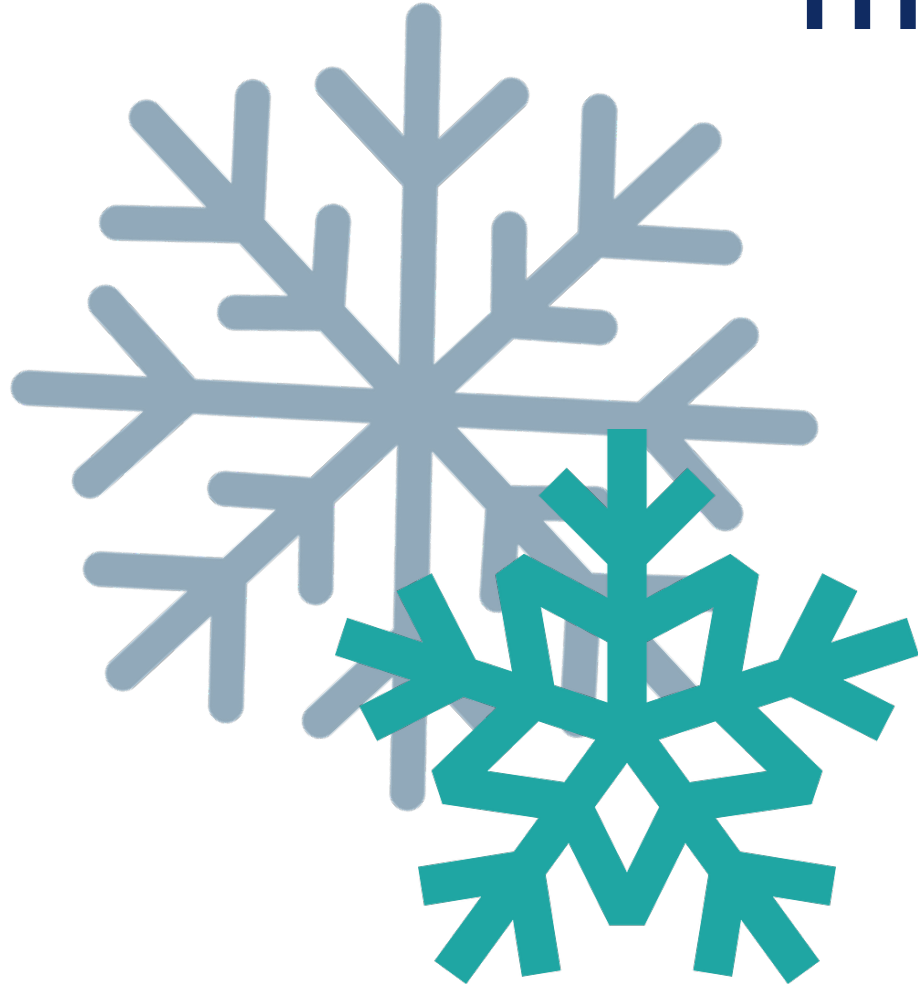


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