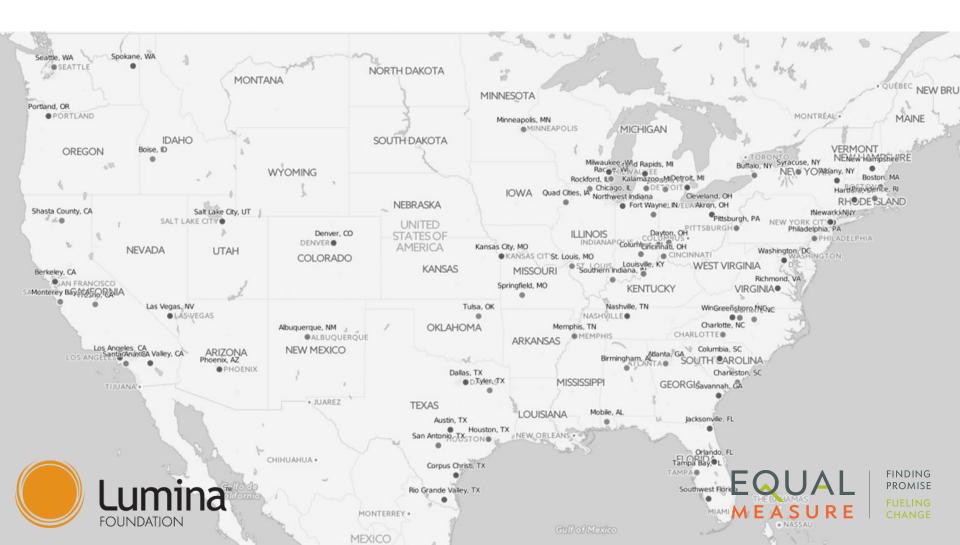
What We are Learning

Lumina Foundation's Community Partnership for Attainment



CPA Overview



75 U.S. Cities | 3 Cohorts



Catalytic Funding



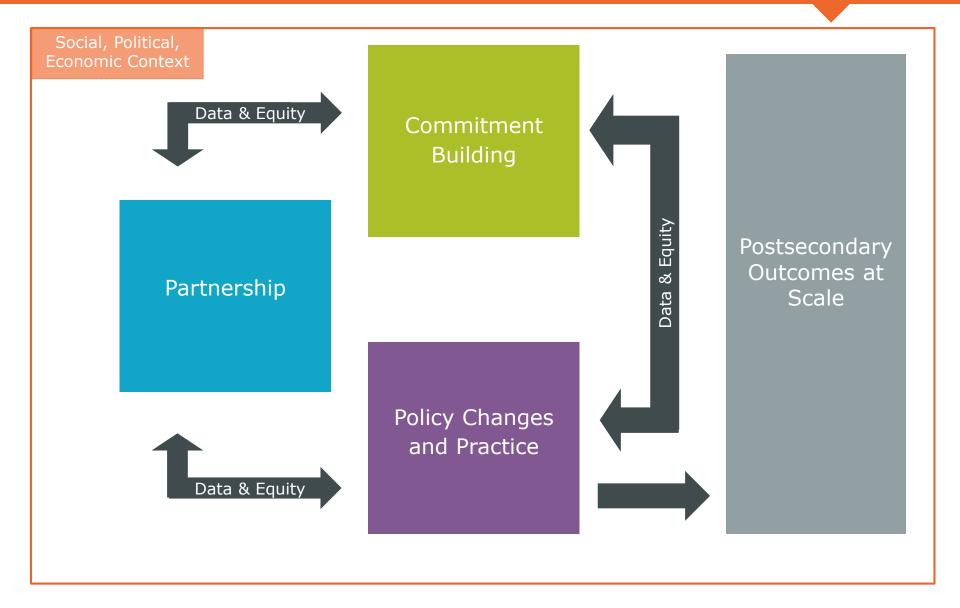
Robust Technical Support



Evaluation Overview



Evaluation Framework



Evaluation Methods

Broad Approach across 75 communities:

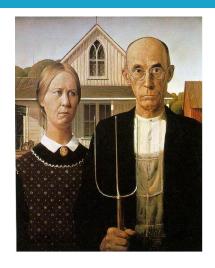
- Site lead interviews
- Document analysis of charters and site materials
- "Deeper" interaction through site visits
- Policy & Practice questionnaire



Partnership



3 Types of Partnerships



Long-standing partnerships focused on postsecondary success

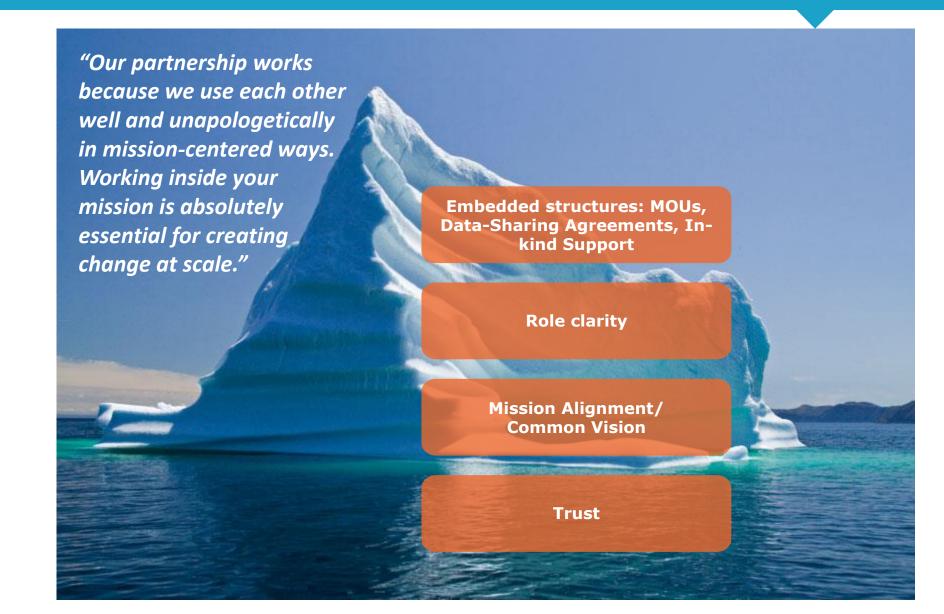
Established partnerships "stretching" into the post-secondary side of the cradle-to-career continuum



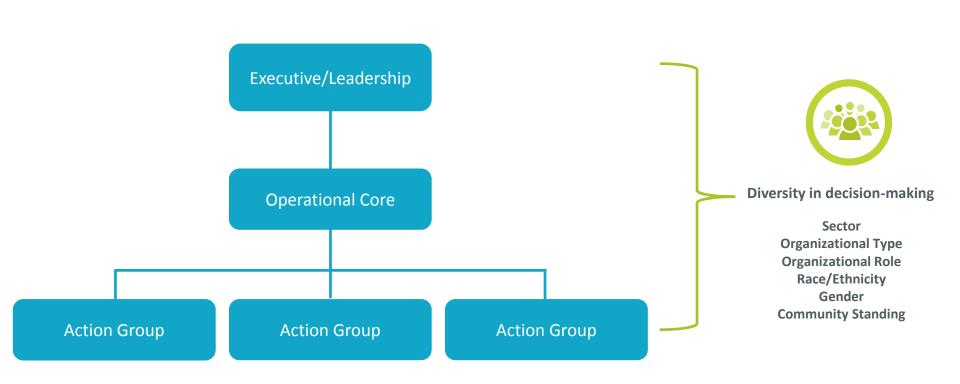


Emerging partnerships focused on postsecondary success

Partners spent time and effort early on establishing the structures to help move the work forward



Ensure diversity of partnership members and decision-making

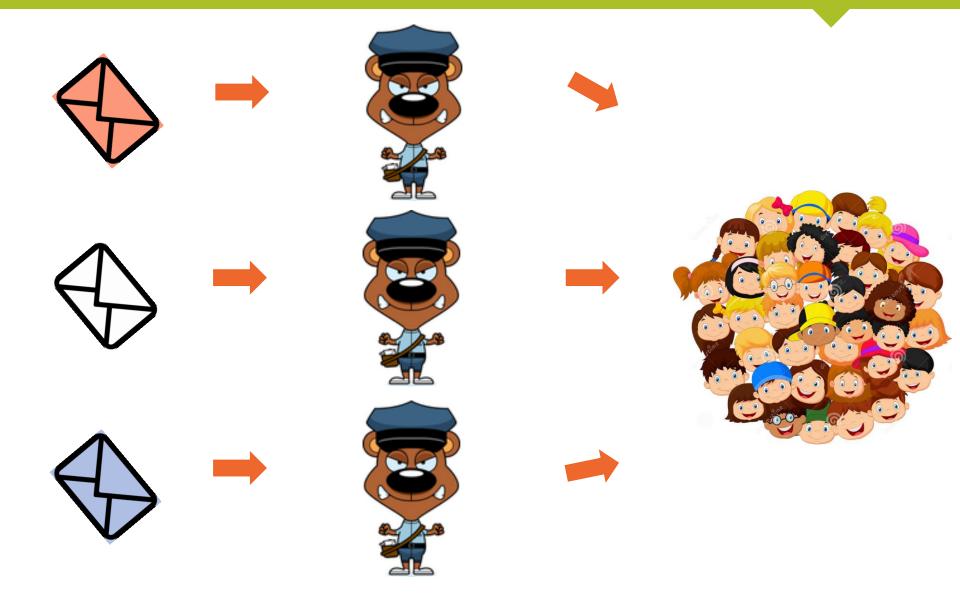




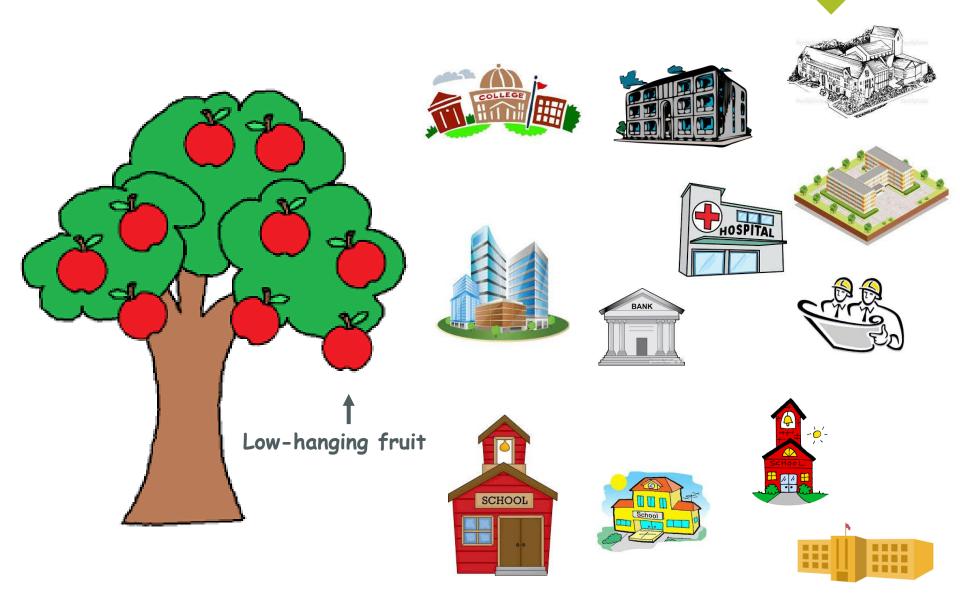
Commitment Building



Align the message, the messenger, and the audience



Leverage strong relationships to build connections and expand networks



Policy and Practice



Where would you say your partnership is spending the most time/effort working in?

- 1) Readiness
- 2) Enrollment
- 3) Persistence
- 4) Attainment

Emphasis on readiness, enrollment, and a connection to career/workforce development

Employer-based tuition benefits
Dual enrollment
Curricula alignment
Summer melt texting campaigns

Career/education pathways

Readiness Enrollment Persistence Attainment

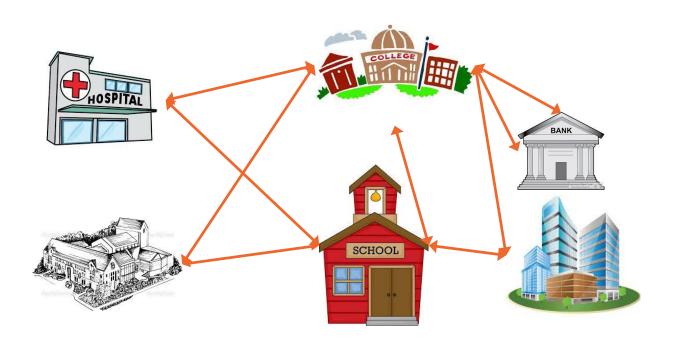
Boot camps/bridges
Developmental education redesign
College application workshops

Student supports/wrap around advising or mentoring Cohort advising/support Remedial education

Policy and Practice

Partnerships:

- Higher ed-K-12
- Higher ed-CBO
- K-12-CBO
- Higher ed-Business
- K-12-Business





Data



Webinar Survey

In which of the following ways do you use data?

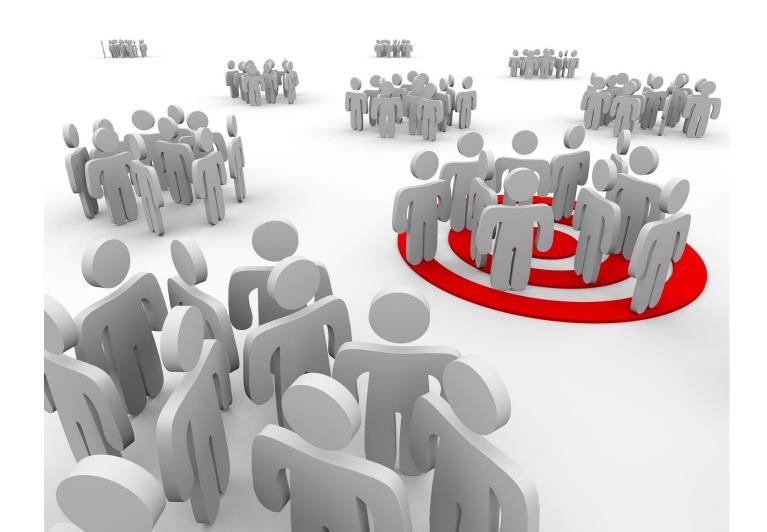
- a) To identify policy and practice changes/intervention points
- **b)** To monitor partnership functions (work groups, committees, etc.) and implementation
- c) To build commitment with stakeholders
- d) To set and monitor progress toward attainment goals

How is data considered and incorporated into Partnerships' work?

- 1) To identify policy & practice changes/intervention points
- 2) To monitor partnership functions (work groups, committees, etc.) and implementation
- 3) To build commitment with stakeholders
- 4) To set and monitor progress toward partnership goals

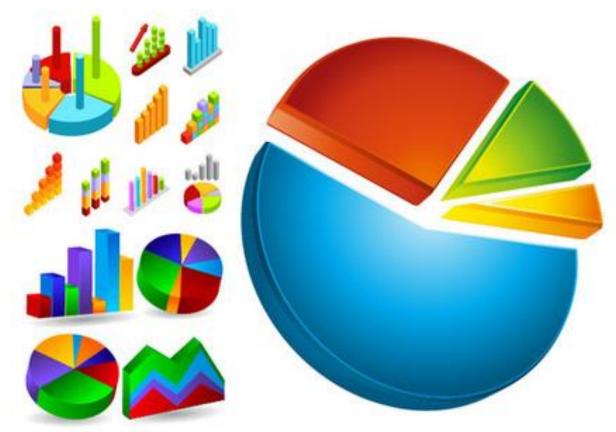
"We could move the needle [on FAFSA completion]. We wanted something we could track. We had experts who could educate... students and faculty. This is our goal – let's go attack it."

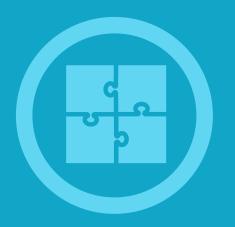
Data disaggregation can help focus partnership efforts



User-friendly data is key to prompting action

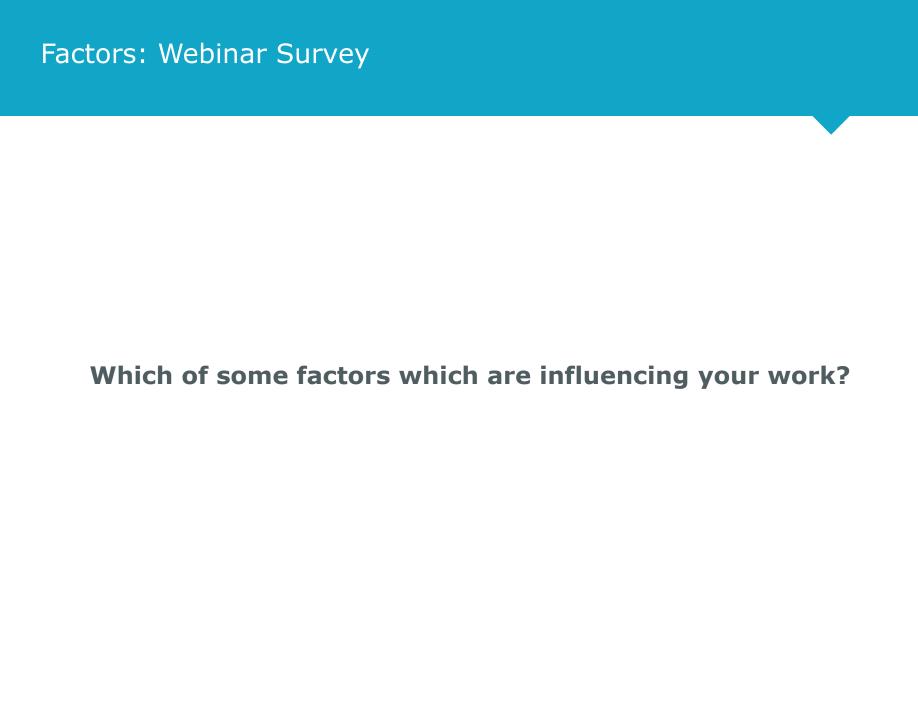
"[The backbone] makes our work better. They create materials than can be used by all of us, but that none of us could produce on our own."





Factors influencing site progress





Factors







FINDING PROMISE

FUELING CHANGE