

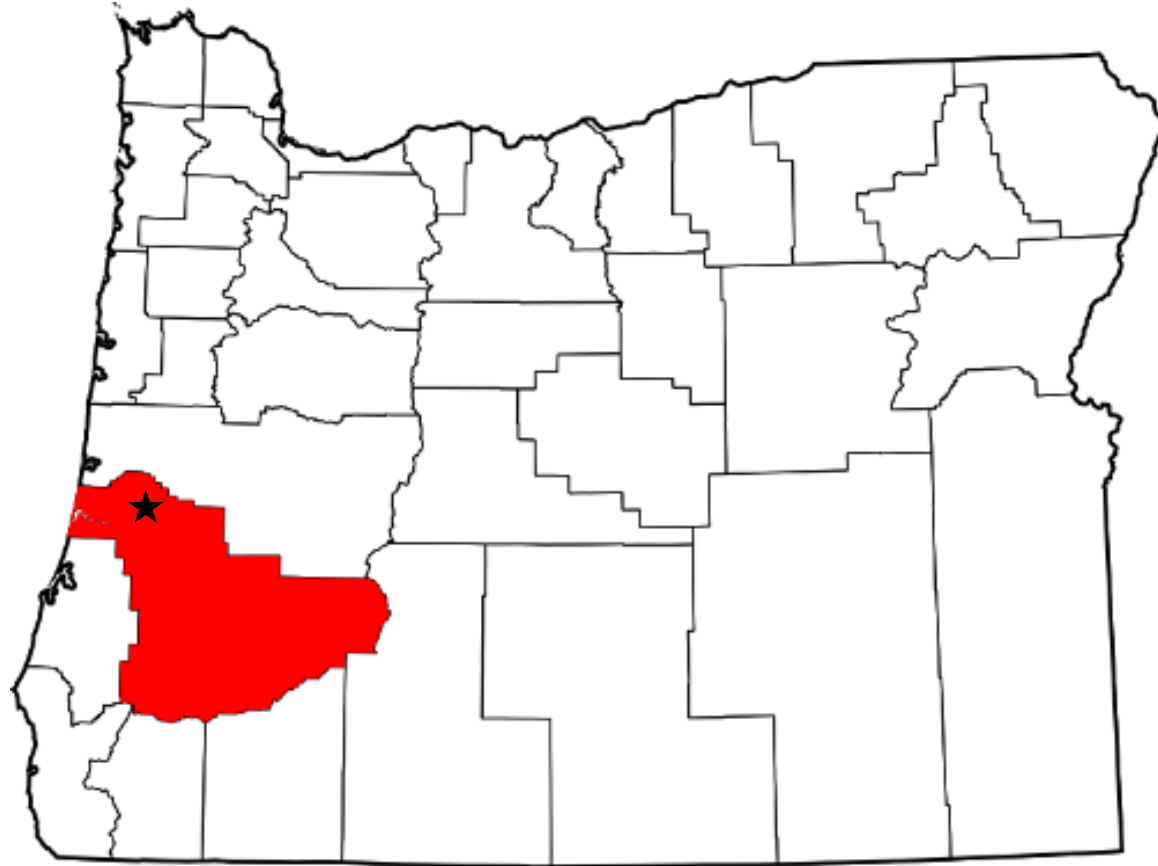


The North Douglas County Community Health Needs Assessment A Rural Health Success Story Starts to Unfold

Center for Improvement of Child & Family Services

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Project Overview





2014
P-3 Initiative



2016
CHNA



Facilitators

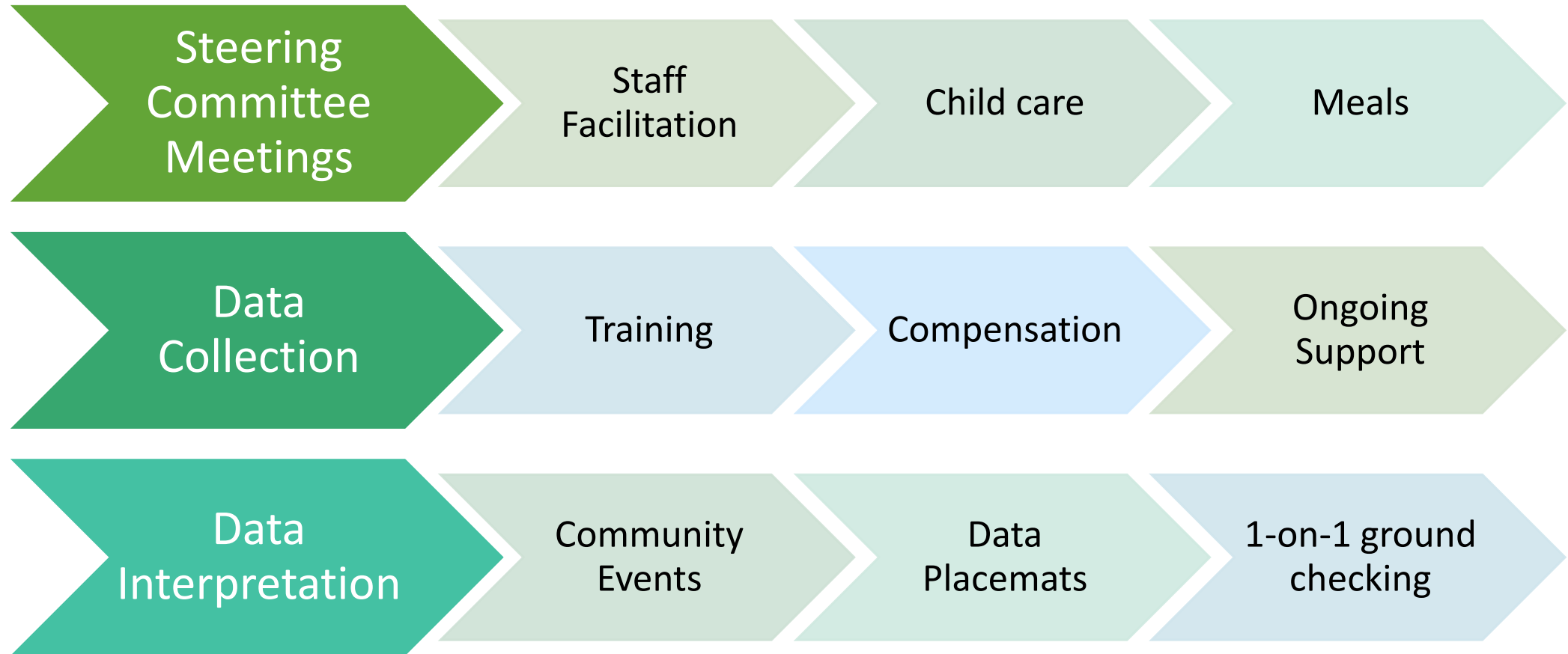


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- 1 Identify service needs across a range of health service types
 - 2 Identify barriers to access
 - 3 Prioritize the programs and resources families need to support health
 - 4 Learn how families want to access these services
 - 5 Recommend strategies to address issues that emerge from the survey findings

Facilitators



CHNA Findings

129
Families

89%
White

Family Size
4-5 people

~1/2 had a
child age 0-3

1/3 report that the COMMUNITY is healthy
2/3 report that THEY are healthy

Poverty Related Health Barriers

Barriers to Services

Health

- Unable to get an appointment when needed
- Unable to take time off from work or school
- Children: Providers were not accepting patients
- Adults: Concerned about treatment cost

Mental Health

- Did not know where or when services were available
- Concerned about treatment costs
- Adults: Unable to get an appointment when needed

CHNA Recommendations



Expand health, dental, and mental health services access



Improve housing security

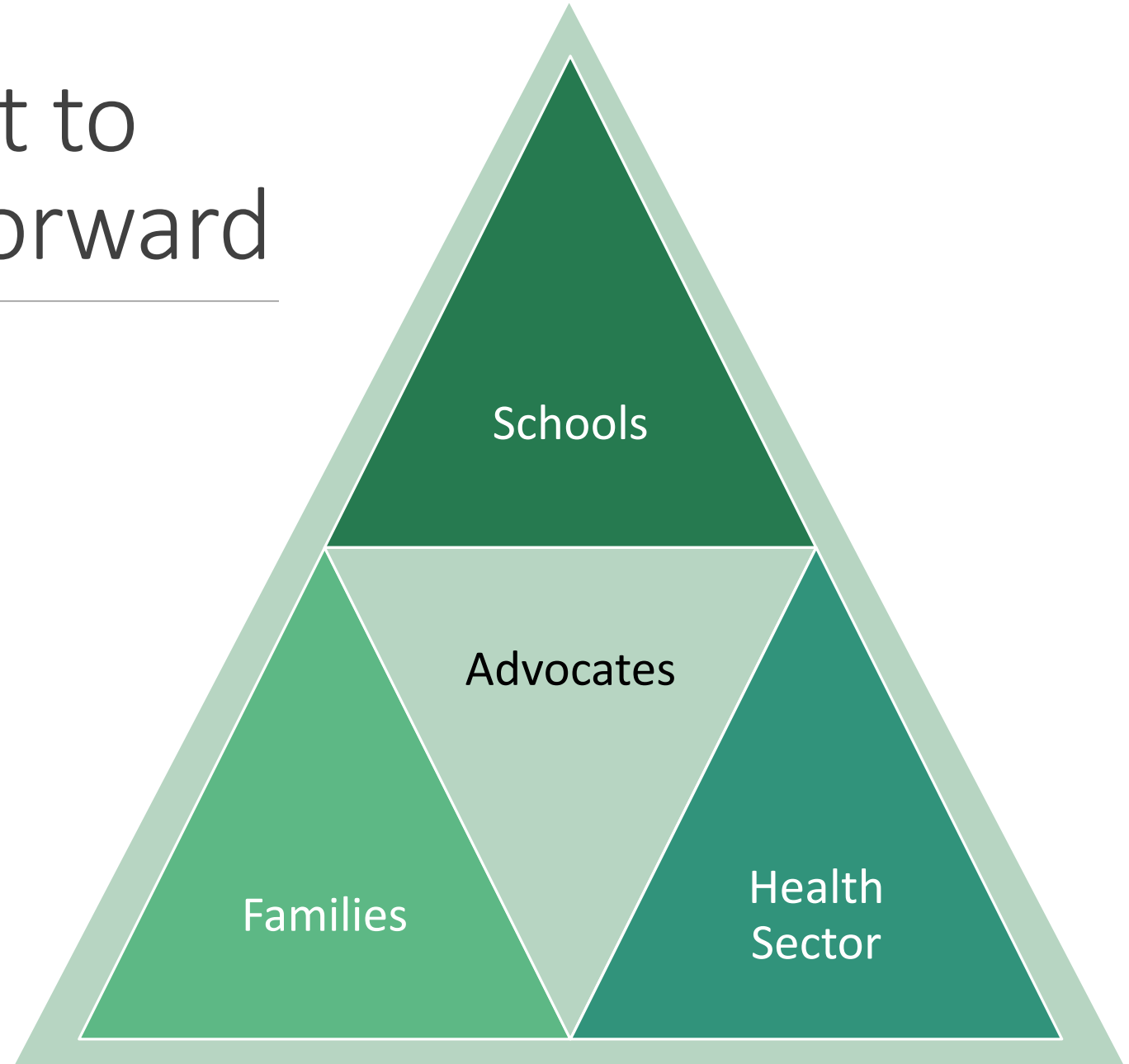


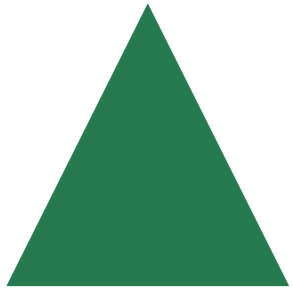
Address food security



Strengthen parenting and family supports

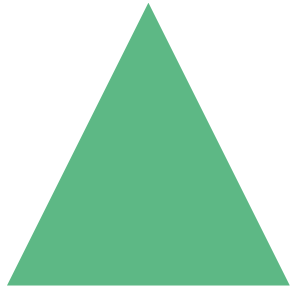
Cross-Sector Effort to Move the Work Forward





Schools

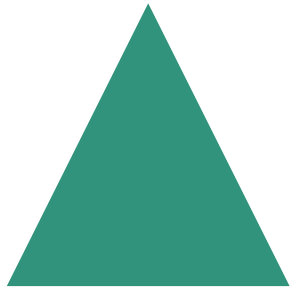




Families



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