

**Jefferson County Health Alliance
Collaborative Funding Action Team**

December 7, 2020 3:30 - 4:45 pm
Zoom

**MEETING
AGENDA**

Meeting Objectives:

- Brainstorm in beginning to address two key questions:
 - How can we make grantmaking more accessible and equitable?
 - How can we provide the tools that are necessary for people to access that process?
- Begin to identify action steps for this group and a clarified purpose
- Identify next steps

Why We are Here:

- Collaborative funding is a core element of collaboration
- Changing the paradigm from doing work separately to intentionally collaborating
- Interest in learning more about different types of collaborations and how funding can be supportive
- In funding applications, collaboration needs to be defined both with roles and budget

Attendees: Noah Atencio, Community First Foundation; Mary Margaret Fouse-Bishop, Jefferson County Public Health; Hilda Gerhke, Adelante Coalition and Entrepreneur, Marissa Silverberg, Jefferson County Public Health. Facilitator: Rachel B. Cohen, Aging-Dynamics

Time	Activity	Leadership
3:30 - 3:45	<p>Welcome</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Introductions: Name ● Warm Up: One thing you do to connect with others... <p>Framing the work</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● What led to the creation of this action team <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Need responsive funding ○ Encourage funding and programming to connect rather than create silos ○ Create opportunities for co-writing grants...encouraging REAL collaboration not competition ○ Need for sustainability after grant...change how funding is provided...coupled with technical support ○ How has COVID changed how we fund? 	Rachel
3:45 - 4:30	<p>Jamboard session to answer the following two key questions and start taking apart current processes and identifying inequities</p> <p>How can we make grantmaking more accessible and equitable?</p> <p>How can we provide the tools that are necessary for people to access that process?</p>	The Group

<p>3:15:3:30</p>	<p>Where do we go from here? What action steps can we take? Do we need to connect with the other action teams? What do we do with this information? How do we make change? Systematic barriers Grant....concept of collateral</p> <p>Administrative Equity group--focusing on shifting Foundation---Trailhead Institute--Benjamin--can we bring them into this work?</p> <p>Next Steps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Opportunity to Consider: February or April Community First Foundation Community Impact Board Meeting....present the outputs from this meeting...white paper...present for 30 minutes about the highlights...biggest challenges in grant making and actions we can take now. ● Could share this feedback with other Colorado Association of Funders... ● Identify the traditional practice and counter with the alternatives and recommendations ● Recognize that it can be challenging to change the way we have been doing things <p>Commit to spending another 30 minutes on the Jamboards Noah: organize into clusters/categories January: Identify concrete action steps from this discussion Group commitment: At the end of each meeting we will have an action step identified</p>	<p>The Group</p>