



## **All In: Data for Community Health Affinity Program**

### **Purpose & Learning Goals**

#### **Affinity Group Name: Community Indicator Dashboards**

**Organization (s) Name:** West Philadelphia Promise Neighborhood and University of Pittsburgh University Center for Social and Urban Research

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#### **Description of group:**

The University of Pittsburgh Center for Social and Urban Research (UCSUR) is a hub for interdisciplinary research and collaboration focused on social, economic, and health issues most relevant to our society. UCSUR hosts the Western Pennsylvania Regional Data Center, which provides an inclusive community open data infrastructure, and provides support to an ecosystem of civic data publishers and users. The Drexel Urban Health Collaborative (UHC) focuses on generating data on health inequities to train urban health leaders and partner with communities, policy makers, and other stakeholders to reduce health inequalities and promote environmental sustainability. West Philadelphia Promise Neighborhood, a program out of the UHC, supports cradle to career opportunities for children living or attending schools in the West Philadelphia Promise Zone.

Together, staff from the UCSUR and the UHC will draw on their experience supporting local collaborative data sharing efforts to facilitate an All In Affinity Group on community indicator dashboards.

#### **This group is great for participants who are:**

- Interested in publicly sharing civic and community information;
- Looking to establish new and/or refine existing community indicators initiatives;
- Hoping to understand more about dashboard and data visualization platforms and the implications of their choices on their work; and
- Seeking to build data literacy and data maturity in other members of the community.

**This group may not be as relevant for people who are:**

- Interested in designing complex data systems such as health information exchanges or community information exchanges;
- Focused largely on the technical aspects of data dashboards and other visualization platforms;
- People hoping to develop information tools that are not public-facing.

While we hope that participants will be engaged in each of the peer learning activities, they'll be designed for people to drop-in.

**Learning Goals:**

1. Help people understand the role indicators systems and dashboards can play in civic data ecosystems;
2. Uncover the design choices that can impact the use and sustainability of data dashboards and other information tools;
3. Use dashboards as an opportunity to build data literacy among community members and various stakeholders and establish data maturity through datasets that are regularly updated.

**Meeting schedule:** To be completed upon initial contact with members.

**Resources:**

1. All In: Data for Community Health website
  - a. <https://www.allindata.org/>
2. If you're new to the All In learning collaborative, the first step to join is to sign up for the online community ([community.allindata.org](https://community.allindata.org)) and create an individual member profile. [Read our FAQs for help getting started.](#)
3. All In 101 webinar introduction to All In: Data for Community Health, online learning collaborative
  - a. <https://vimeo.com/487432652>
4. Additional All In Content:
  - a. [All In Webinar: Data Sharing Across Sectors: Challenges and Opportunities](#)
  - b. [All In Podcast: How Can Neighborhood-Level Data Improve Health and Equity?](#)
5. [National Neighborhood Indicators Partnership Website](#)
  - a. [Pittsburgh, PA Partner Profile](#)
  - b. [Philadelphia, PA Partner Profile](#)
  - c. [NNIP Lessons on Data Sharing](#)
  - d. [Guide To Civic Tech and Data Ecosystem Mapping](#)