

Community Collaboration

How can hospitals collaborate effectively with their communities?

Community collaboration is one of many tools hospitals and health systems can use to reduce disparities in health outcomes. Hospitals and health systems can serve as trusted conveners and facilitators for initiatives with traditional and nontraditional partners. Hospitals and health systems can seek unique opportunities to engage community members not typically approached for collaborative partnerships. By leveraging providers' and community assets, these partnerships can make a measurable impact toward reducing disparities in health outcomes.

