

CU Cradle2Career

Pathways to Success for Every Student



Develop the Team

- Designate and train anchor entity and co-facilitator
- Assess current community involvement in goal.
- Gather relevant research (national, regional, local) regarding scope, measurement of and barriers to goal
- Determine goal team representation
- Train goal team on processes and expectations

Define Success

- Determine consensus definition of goal
- Agree upon core attributes related to goal definition
- Obtain consumer input on most important core attributes
- Determine overall goal measurement and community baseline

Analyze Need, Programs, Strategies & Barriers

- Analyze evidence-based practices (strategies) that have a measured impact
- Evaluate community entities according to identified best practices
- Determine implementation feasibility of selected strategies including feedback from families/students/community

Develop Chosen Strategies & Set Goals for Change

- Devise short and long term action plan(s) utilizing selected strategies
- Identify lead organizations for each strategy
- Determine level of community engagement needed to implement action plan(s)

Align, Implement, Measure Progress & Continuously Improve

- Engage community to assist in action plan implementation
- Evaluate data during implementation to determine effectiveness of plan
- Consider necessary changes to plan based on results of data analysis