

RESOURCE INVENTORY TOOL

This worksheet will help you inventory your community's resources, an important step in identifying untapped ones that could add value to your NORC program.

The worksheet is organized by community resource category. Working initially with your staff and/or core partners, add information to the worksheet. Identify individuals, organizations, services, and facilities (under "Name of Community Asset"), and link them to both the resources you have (under "Current Resources") and the ones you would like to secure (under "Potential Resources"). Next, share the worksheet with your larger partnership and/or your community advisory committee, as well as with the seniors living in your community, asking them all for additions. Engaging a range of members from your community may help you uncover resources in the most unlikely places.

NAME OF COMMUNITY ASSET	CURRENT RESOURCES	POTENTIAL RESOURCES
EXAMPLES: ACME PHARMACY CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY PS 1 ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	FREE DELIVERY FREE INTERNET, BOOK GROUPS NONE	MEDICATION SAFETY CHECKS MEETING SPACE STUDENTS FOR FRIENDLY VISITING
HEALTH CARE (EXAMPLES: CLINICS, HOSPITALS)		
SOCIAL SERVICES (EXAMPLES: SOCIAL SERVICE PROVIDERS, SENIOR CENTERS)		

NAME OF COMMUNITY ASSET	CURRENT RESOURCES	POTENTIAL RESOURCES
HOUSING (EXAMPLES: HOUSING MANAGEMENT, NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATIONS)		
RESIDENTS (EXAMPLES: SENIORS, COMMUNITY LEADERS)		
EDUCATION (EXAMPLES: HIGH SCHOOLS, COLLEGES)		
PUBLIC RESOURCES (EXAMPLES: LIBRARIES, POLICE DEPARTMENT)		

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COMMERCIAL (EXAMPLES: BANKS, PHARMACIES)		
RELIGIOUS (EXAMPLES: CHURCHES, SYNAGOGUES, MOSQUES)		
CULTURAL (EXAMPLES: MUSEUMS, THEATERS)		
ELECTED OFFICIALS (EXAMPLES: CITY COUNCIL AND STATE ASSEMBLY MEMBERS)		

NAME OF COMMUNITY ASSET	CURRENT RESOURCES	POTENTIAL RESOURCES
FUNDERS (EXAMPLES: FOUNDATIONS, STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT)		
MEDIA (EXAMPLES: NEWSPAPERS, RADIO)		
PUBLIC SPACES (EXAMPLES: PARKS, COMMUNITY GARDENS)		
OTHER (EXAMPLES: CLUBS, COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS)		