



NOW Innovation Forum Newsletter

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“Don’t ever make decisions based on fear. Make decisions based on hope and possibility. Make decisions based on what should happen, not what shouldn’t.”

— Michelle Obama

Welcome to the November 2022 edition of the [NOW Innovation Forum Newsletter](#). We are excited to share and announce new opportunities, tools, and resources with you this month. Thank you for your commitment to children, families, and communities and for joining us as we journey through another year together.

Bienvenido a la edición de noviembre de 2022 de boletín del [Foro de Innovación de NOW](#). Estamos emocionados de compartir y anunciar nuevas oportunidades, herramientas y recursos con usted este mes. Gracias por su compromiso con los niños, las familias y las comunidades y por acompañarnos en nuestro viaje por otro año juntos.



Network Highlights and Updates



Data Storytelling Workshop Series 2023

Join Vital Village for a free, virtual Data Storytelling workshop series and build your capacity to create and share stories that support social change using data tools.

This opportunity is open to all Vital Village and NOW Network resident champions and organizational partners. Monthly meetings will be held January through April. *No previous experience with data is required.*

Please join us for our introductory call on
December 7, 2022 at 5:30 - 6:30pm ET

[Sign up here!](#)



Child Wellbeing Tracker 2.0

The Child Wellbeing Tracker 2.0 is a strengths-based data capacity-building tool for initiatives, networks, and coalitions to share data, develop feasible methods of data collection, and identify meaningful benchmarks to capture progress, outcomes, and impact.

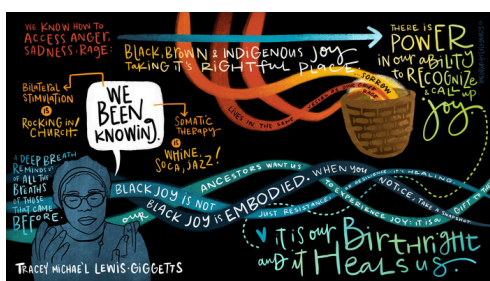
We are currently recruiting for members to join a peer learning cohort for the CWT 2.0 pilot. Complete the interest form and join the information session on **December 13, 2022 at 1:00pm ET** to learn more.

[Sign up here!](#)

Webinar Archive: Food as a Public Work

Thank you for joining the third and final installment of our 2022 Webinar Series “Levers of Change in Action: Unpacking the NOW Playbook.” Our November 17 workshop featured Pantaleon Florez III of Maseuakulli Farms, and Vital Village Networks 2022 Community Food Systems Fellow. View the recording to hear more about the *Food as a Public Work* campaign.

View here!



Hearing From YOU!

What are you reading, watching, and/or listening to this month that's pushing your thinking around how to uplift and protect the dignity of children, families, and communities?

Visit the NOW Innovation Forum to share what you've learned about what this work means for our communities.

View community stories here!

Date/time: Thursday, November 17, 2022 @ 1-2pm Eastern

Registration: <https://bit.ly/nov-2022-webinar-food-as-a-public-work>

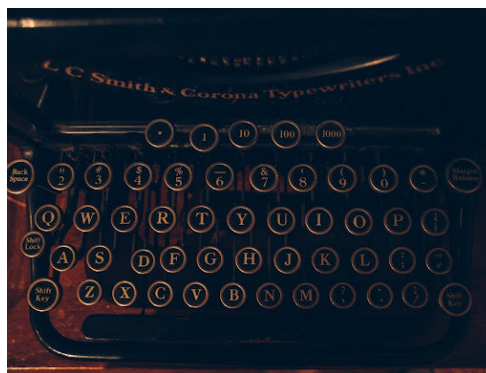


NOW Blog: Introducing the Vital Village Networks Post-Summit Leadership Article Series

Inspired by the 2022 National Community Leadership Summit, the leadership series will uplift reflections from Summit attendees, stories of collective action, and ideas for how to build our legacy. Follow along in 2023, as we share stories of collaborative leadership done with love, for liberation, and in joy.

Interested in participating in the series? Please complete the [blog interest form](#).

Read here!





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The NOW community hopes to stay connected and lift up the work and stories of all of our members. Follow and tag us on Twitter, @NOW_WellChild & @Vital_Village, so that we can virtually highlight the community led transformation you are leading.

Engage with us!



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