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“It doesn’t matter how strong your opinions are. If you don’t use your power for positive change, you are indeed part of the problem.”

Coretta Scott King

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Welcome to the February 2024 edition of the [NOW Innovation Forum Newsletter](#). We are excited to share opportunities and resources with you! In this edition you'll find:

- Registration for the March 14 NOW Webinar, *Activating Community Power: Voter Education and Civic Engagement*
- NOW Leadership Article Spotlight, *Amplifying Impact and Change Through Coalitions: An interview with Stephanie Crawford, Boston, MA*
- NOW Resource Library featured resource, *Building Strong Foundations: Racial Inequity in Policies that Impact Infants, Toddlers, and Families, from Zero to Three*

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 febrero de 2024 del [Boletín Informativo del NOW Innovation Forum](#) (Foro de Innovación NOW). ¡Estamos muy contentos de compartir oportunidades y recursos con usted! En esta edición encontrará:

- Inscripción para el seminario virtual de NOW del 14 de marzo, *Activando el Poder de la Comunidad: Educación Electoral y Participación Cívica*
- Artículo Destacado de NOW Leadership, *Amplificando el Impacto y el Cambio a Través de Coaliciones: Una entrevista con Stephanie Crawford, Boston, MA*
- Recurso destacado de la Biblioteca de Recursos de NOW, *Construyendo Cimientos Fuertes: Inequidad Racial en las Políticas que Afectan a los Bebés, Niños Pequeños y Familias, de Cero a Tres*

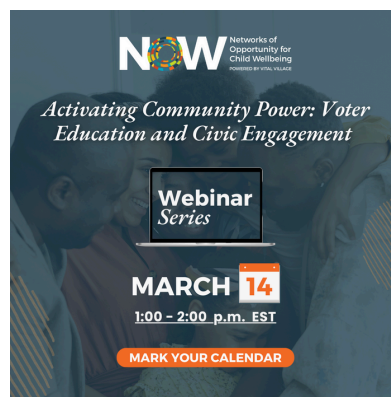
Gracias por su dedicación a los niños, las familias y las comunidades, y por acompañarnos mientras navegamos a través de otro año juntos.

Network Highlights

NOW Webinar: Activating Community Power: Voter Education and Civic Engagement

Join us on **Thursday, March 14, 2024 at 1pm Eastern** for the launch of our 2024 webinar series, where we'll hear from community leaders and champions who are activating and building community power through civic engagement, voter education, and other community-led advocacy efforts.

[Learn More Here](#)



NOW Leadership Article Spotlight: *Amplifying Impact and Change Through Coalitions: An interview with Stephanie Crawford, Boston, MA*



We continue to be inspired by the story and journey of **Stephanie Crawford**, a Boston-based maternal health advocate who embodies the power of elevating community leadership to impact policy change. Read more about her work with local coalitions to support critical legislation such as the Massachusetts Moms Matter Act and other policy efforts to support maternal health and well being.

[Read Here](#)

NOW Resource Library Feature: *Building Strong Foundations: Racial Inequity in Policies that Impact Infants, Toddlers, and Families*

This brief by ZERO TO THREE and the Center for Law and Social Policy explores racial disparities, and the policies that drive them, among infants, toddlers, and their families.

Check out this resource, and many more, on coalitions and community collaboration in the [NOW Resource Library](#).

[Access the Resource Here](#)



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Support us in our newest campaign, *In The Village, We All Belong*, to ensure a sense of belonging for every child and family. Together, we continue to make significant strides in creating and elevating opportunities for co-creation and systems transformation to ensure an equitable future for all children and families. Thank you.

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