

The Essential Father

Discussion Questions

What do fathers need to be successful?

How have the needs of fathers changed during the course of your work on the issue?

Based on these needs, what should we aspire to achieve in our support of fathers?

What improvements would you like to see in how organizations, governments, and communities support fathers and their families?

What are some of the most critical challenges we need to overcome to support fathers?

Session Outcomes



Goals and Aspirations

List the top goals and aspirations from discussion

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.



BARRIERS

List the most prominent barriers from discussion

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

Promising and Effective Initiatives

Discussion Questions

Who are other key players in the field today and how do they support fathers and families?

What are some other innovative ways the field is supporting fathers and strengthening families?

What is at the heart of what makes fatherhood initiatives work well?

How can we scale and replicate these ideas in other communities?

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Filled out Key Player stickers for the wall diagram

Please populate the Key Player stickers found at your table with some of the entities from your discussion



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