

Introduction to Performance Measures Development

Exercise 1: Logic Mapping

GOAL: Provide an opportunity for participants to apply the principles and practices of logic modeling in an interactive setting.

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Each group will be given a set of index cards that contain words or statements that answer the list of questions below. As a group, review the questions and use the index cards to map out the logic of our case study program.
2. When you have completed your logic model, please tape or glue the cards to a piece of flip chart paper so that they describe the program logic and its underlying assumptions.
3. When the cards are placed on the paper in the correct order, draw lines connecting the cards to show the logic relationships.
4. Check your logic. When you have completed this exercise be prepared to report out to the larger group.

QUESTIONS TO CONSIDER:

- a. What are the strategic results/long-term environmental outcomes we are aiming for?
- b. Who/what do we have to reach to achieve these results?
- c. What are the short-term and intermediate changes that will enable us to realize our results?
- d. What programs/activities do we have to implement with these people to achieve our results?
- e. What are the outputs of our programs?
- f. What are the essential resources we need to implement the program?
- g. What factors in our program context do we have to be aware of? (These are not on a card. Please make up your own)