The Community Assets Survey
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INTRODUCTION

Attached are five surveys that are designed to measure different aspects of the community development and mobilization process. The parent survey, The Community Assets Survey, includes all of the subscales. Although we believe all of these components of the community development and mobilization process are important, any one program may seek to target (and subsequently measure) only certain aspects at any one time. The other three surveys are derivations of The Community Assets Survey; they contain groupings of subscales and questions designed to measure more specific components of the community development process. For your convenience, we have produced the five survey packets in a ready-to-use format, but you are welcome to combine subscales from the parent survey and create your own survey.

As of this publication, these scales have been piloted and used with several groups, but data from a large enough sample size have not been obtained to define the psychometric properties of these subscales. We welcome input and data that we could use to improve these scales in any way.

The subscales contained in each survey are as follows:

The Community Assets Survey

Human Capital

Social Assets

Physical Assets

Economic Assets

Self-efficacy

Motivation

Perceived Local Support

Participation (Community)

Participation (Individual)

The Community Change Survey

Social Assets

Physical Assets

Economic Assets

Perceived Local Support

Participation (Community)

The Individual Mobilization Survey

Human Capital

Social Assets (1 question)

Self-efficacy Motivation

Participation (Individual)

The Community Mobilization Survey

Social Assets

Perceived Local Support Participation (Community)

The Individual and Community Mobilization Survey

Human Capital Social Assets Self-efficacy

Motivation

Participation (Individual and Community)

Perceived Local Support

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