



DASH Mentor: Center for Outcomes Research and Education (CORE) at Providence Health & Services

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Mentor Areas of Expertise

- Stakeholder engagement / developing shared vision and data strategy
- Data sharing and use case development (non-legal advisement of feasibility of data sharing approaches)
- Data analysis for strategy, planning, and policy implementation (especially for population health and cross-sector collaborative initiatives)
- Development of cross-sector integrated data systems for research and evaluation

The Center for Outcomes Research and Education (CORE) is an independent team of scientists, researchers and data experts with a vision for a healthier, more equitable future. Based in Portland, Oregon, CORE partners with changemakers and communities to take on today's biggest barriers to better health. Through research, evaluation, and analytics, they provide insights that help shape and sustain healthier systems, policies, and programs.

CORE will lead Mentees by leveraging their experience in collecting and analyzing multi-sector data to improve community health and change systems and policies. CORE will support Mentees in developing data-driven use cases, combining and analyzing data, designing data and reporting systems, and establishing priorities for using cross-sector data. Mentee communities will learn from CORE's experience working with a variety of sectors including health care, housing, criminal justice and education. CORE will provide an approach to develop a data strategy, starting with a well-articulated use case, buy-in from partners, and an understanding of the data assets and needs of collaboration partners.

Proposed Key Learnings / Objectives

Collectively the Mentee cohort will:

1. Learn about developing a data strategy that starts with defining your aims and purpose while also engaging stakeholders and community members.
2. Discuss how to define your primary use case and consider the related data governance, tools, and infrastructure that will support data acquisition and analysis.
3. Identify opportunities to use cross-sector data for research, evaluation, and programmatic and policy decision-making within each mentees' organizational and sector context. This may include communicating to different audiences, developing value propositions for different stakeholders, and convening and facilitating a cross sector collaborative of partners.
4. Other topics may include: analytic approaches for health care claims data and other administrative data (e.g. housing, education, criminal justice), and strategies to visualize and communicate data to make it actionable for various stakeholders.

Mentee Eligibility and Fit

This Mentorship is best suited for organizations in the early stages of their work that need support in defining and focusing their multi-sector data strategy. CORE can support Mentees in using data to plan and design approaches, develop strategy, monitor outcomes, evaluate impact, change systems and policies, and conduct research. Mentees looking to develop cross-sector data approaches for real-time information exchange, care coordination/case management, or program operations would not be a good fit.

Mentors will work with their Mentee cohorts to narrow the focus of program activities from the list of potential topics. At the end of the mentorship, each group will have the opportunity to share tools and resources developed throughout the program with the All In network.