Power-building Partnerships for Health: application scoring matrix



Category	Detail	Score (max points)
Joint expression of interest	 Described partnership and how they have worked together in the past Clear and compelling description of what they want to accomplish together, what challenges they are facing, and what actions, changes, or policies they want to accomplish Clear and compelling description of why they are interested in PPH and what they want to get out of participation in the cohort 	15
Community power-building work with explicit focus on organizing and base-building	Focused on supporting community power-building work including community organizing and base-building Aligned with Lead Local glossary definitions; see HIP's HD-CPBO report appendix C for additional examples	10
Existing partnership	Health department and community organizers have an existing relationship, as demonstrated with at least one of the following or other partnership examples: • interpersonal relationships and intentional relationship-building • collaboration with trainings, workshops, or presentations • community organizer involvement in health department planning processes, task forces, etc • health department engagement in community-led research • sharing data or co-authoring reports • providing testimony or engaging in media or narrative change work together • health department providing funding to community organizers • other examples of partnership	5
Working on root cause / upstream issue(s)	 Partnership and application are focused on working on upstream root cause issues Focused on systems, policies and structures rather than downstream symptoms or individual-level education or behavior-change 	5
Health department committment to health equity	Health department documents and links shared demonstrate committment to health equity work embedded within agency	5
CPBO organizing work	CPBO documents and links shared demonstrate history of community organizing work, campaigns, membership base, or participation in local, regional or national grassroots organizing networks	5
Complete application	Complete partnership information including topic issue Complete participant information for 6-8 people Complete HD documents/links Complete CPBO documents/links Completed landscape assessment	5

Not scored, but considered in overall make-up of the cohort		
Range of geographic locations		
Range of local political conditions		
Range of health department sizes		
Balance of topic issues		
Alignment with HIP's focus areas		