

# What is one thing you are looking forward to accomplishing in Quarter 3? Why?

Finishing up our action plan.  
Opening the new client choice pantry with Catholic Charities of Northern Nevada.  
[Nevada]

Janee MI, I am excited to have the food councils share the advocacy methods learned at the Midwest Academy training. And how they plan to use them.

Implementing SNAP/School Meal Application Training for Community Health Workers around the state-NH

Publicly announcing and advertising our fall state-wide convening! - Oregon

Seeing our reports from contractors.  
-Iowa

Maryland: Holding our first community of practice call with the local health departments working to create food security committees

Getting our third sub-contractor under contract. We can officially begin our project once all 3 sub-contractors are under contract - OK

Kansas - Looking forward to community conversations and hosting of FEAST event

# In which way(s) do you want to collaborate with other SPINE states moving forward? (Include your state)

Interested to hear how others fit in with their State Nutrition Action Councils (SNAC). - Iowa

**Lessons learned group share [NV]**

Interested in learning about any food system changes states are implementing. Michigan

Our SPINE project involves setting up screenings, referrals, and on-site food pantries in 2 health care clinics. We want to gather lived experience information. Would love ideas on how to achieve this - OK

I am very interested in continuing to learn about work with Tribal partners. My meeting with OK was amazing and I'm interested in talking with other. - NJ

**OR would love to connect with you on this too!**

Hearing more about successes/challenges and any lessons learned, especially while we still have time to implement some of those lessons into our own work. - OR

Learning from other states about lessons learned as they complete this work. Maryland

Kansas - I have enjoyed hearing about how other states have implemented their SPINE grants and about the other work that they do in addition. I also think it is very valuable to have contacts in other states.

Always love networking and hearing about impacts of implementation!- NH

# What expertise do you have that you think other SPINE states can learn from? (Include your state)

Use of the collective impact framework of our state health improvement plan. - Oregon

I have expertise in evaluation. I'm always learning but can share what I know. - Sandy in NJ

Balancing programming with systemic change in order to have sustainable effective impact. - MI

A lived experience perspective - Kathrine, NV

Developing informal partnerships :) our SNAC has been around for a really long time but we don't have any formality with our partners (i.g. on paper) but we are working on that and a strategic plan! - Iowa



Implementing collective impact and strategizing with other partners around the state to build capacity. Also, an amazing Health Equity Consultant! - NH

Equity integration into long-term food security plan. - MI

Kansas - I have a great partner in this work with our contractor- the Kansas Food Action Network. I have some systems thinking skills and like to brainstorm.

# What do you wish to learn from/about other SPINE states? Any questions for other SPINE states? (Include your state)

How you are incorporating lived experience in your project?

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Oklahoma

Kansas- Also what are states doing post SPINE? Any thoughts on sustainability of the plans and progress made?

How are states expediting the contracting process with SPINE project partners to get them paid quickly?

Content on how to do training around Cultural competency vs cultural humility/responsiveness

Our community partners are interested in sustainability after the SPINE grant ends so I'm interested in hearing success stories or plans for sustainability for community-level efforts. NJ

Any information on SNAC groups that have had success with addressing nutrition security with PSE changes! -Iowa

How are you including businesses?- NH

states wide groups/coalitions/councils that address the food security work in a meaningful way? Who spearheads these groups? Are they connected or run with state staff or state grant dollars? (Looking towards the

What are states' plans post grant funding? MI

Incorporating Weight Inclusive paradigm as part of equity/social justice efforts, all while engaging in State Obesity work?

