Responsive Engagement

What is it?
Demonstrating Responsive Engagement is a continuous process of leveraging data and information from diverse stakeholders and communities to inform program development and service delivery. Partner relationships established through responsive engagement are anchored in respect, cultural affirmation, mutual benefit, and information seeking and sharing.

What does it consist of?

- Data Informed Decision Making
- Inclusivity
- Transparency
- Respect
- Collaborative Decision-Making
- Adaptable
- Equity & Social Justice
- Perseverance

Why does it matter?
Responsive Engagement aims to partner with communities by building trust and fostering sustainable solutions that reflect the genuine needs and desires of the families and communities we serve.

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