



Planning for community engagement that generates meaningful knowledge



Relationships with the community are at the core of community foundation work.

A community foundation's **communication** with its community strengthens these relationships.

Convening is a strategy to enhancing two-way communication with community.

A community foundation's convening must be both **intentional** and **inclusive**.

Intentional convening includes a clear understanding on how the information generated will be used by the community to support informed decision-making.

- What else should it include?

Inclusive convening contemplates who is 'at the table' and what are the topics of conversation.

- What else should it include?

The Canadian Index of Wellbeing is a tool to support a **comprehensive** and holistic approach to defining, understanding, and assessing a community's wellbeing. It is developed by Canadians for Canadians and gets at the heart of how we all experience our community.

