

Building on a Solid Foundation:
Success Stories – Community
Engagement & Evaluation

PACHE Impact: Evaluation

2023 Partnerships to Advance
Cancer Health Equity (PACHE)
Biennial Program Meeting

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Challenge(s)



Where are
your impacts?

Outcomes

- Finite and often measurable change

Impacts

- Long-term effect of an outcome
- Subjective

Logic Models

- Implied movement toward impacts

Capturing Impacts

- Evaluation Discussions
- Exercise
 - Group approach (comprehensive and inclusive)
 - Qualitative

PACHE Special Interest Group (SIG) Best Practices in Evaluation

Virtual ~ Monthly

(4th Wednesday of the month at 4pm ET)

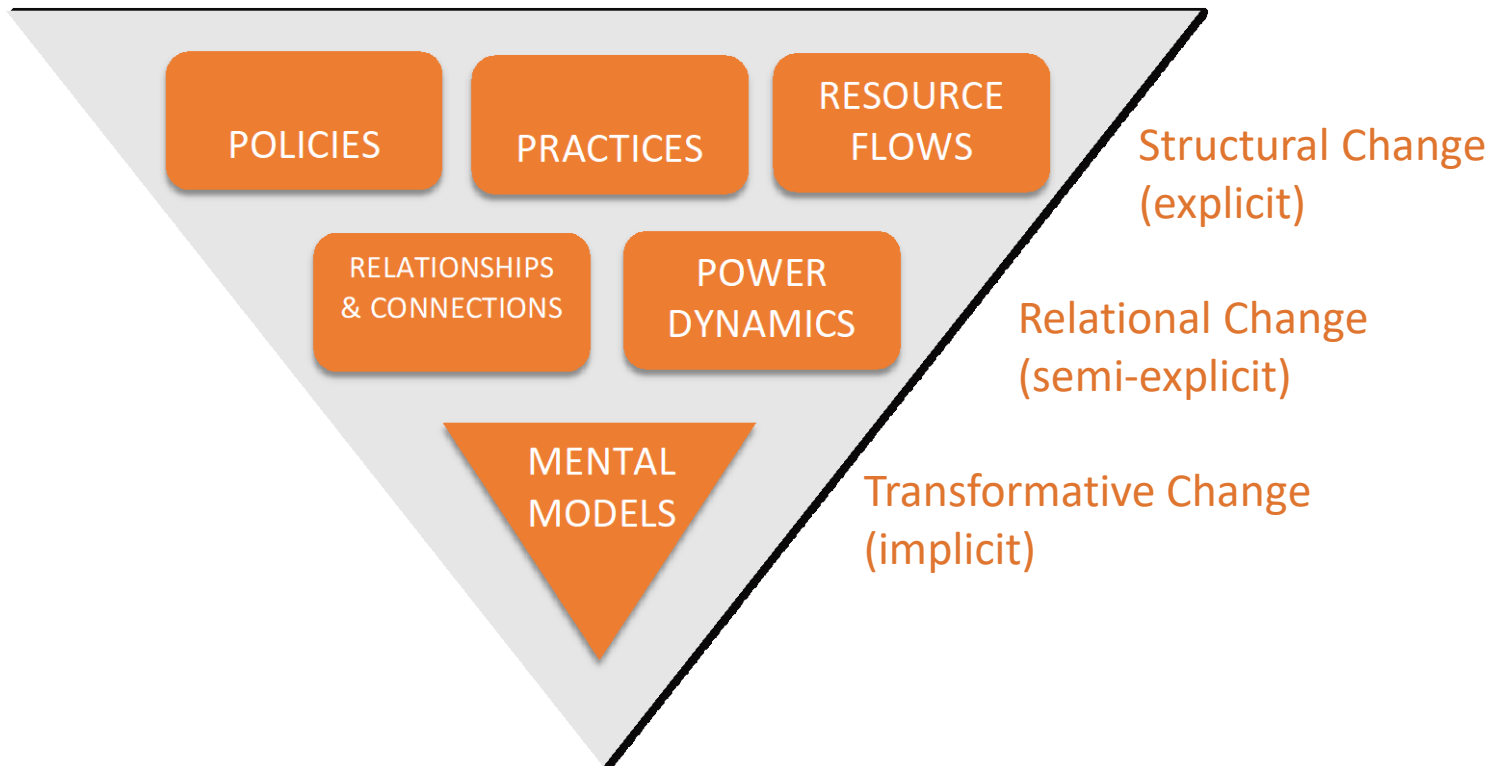
What is working well?

What have been some challenges?

- *Informal discussions*
- *Sharing knowledge and ideas*
- *Community of learning*
- *Safe place to share ideas*
- *Everyone is welcome*

Date	Topic	Attendees
Jan-22	First Planning Meeting (Leadership Committee)	5
Feb-22	First Best Practices SIG Meeting	6
Mar-22	Publications Part 1	8
Apr-22	Publications Part 2	8
May-22	Tracking Trainees: Guest Joan Becker (presentation)	9
Jun-22	Brief meeting to plan for future meetings	3
Sep-22	General (open) discussion	7
Oct-22	History and context of CPACHE evaluators' group	13
Dec-22	Year in Review- Survey Findings (presentation)	9
Jan-23	REC Toolkit	14
Feb-23	Outreach Evaluation Toolkit	20
Mar-23	Reporting Publications	10
Apr-23	Using qualitative data in reporting: Joni Nelson (presentation)	19
May-23	Mid-Year in Review	10
Aug-23	Impacts	11

Six Conditions of System Change



The Water of System Change Key Takeaways

- Systems change is about advancing equity by shifting the conditions that hold a problem in place.
- To fully embrace systems change, funders should be prepared to see how their own ways of thinking and acting must change as well.
- Shifts in system conditions are more likely to be sustained when working at three different levels of change: explicit, semi-explicit, and implicit.
- Real and equitable progress requires exceptional attention to the detailed and often mundane work of noticing what is invisible to many.

- **Policy Changes:** Rules, regulations and priorities (formal and informal).
 - **Changes to Practices:** Organizational and practitioner activities targeted to addressing and making progress.
 - **Resource Flows Changes:** How money, people, knowledge, and information are allocated and distributed.
 - **New or Emerging Relationships & Connections:** Quality of connections and communication occurring between actors.
 - **Changing or Evolving Power Dynamics:** Which individuals and organizations hold decision-making power, authority, and influence (both formal and informal).
 - **New Mental Models:** Deeply held beliefs and assumptions that influence one's actions.
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EXERCISE

Without ...

Me, or my project, core
or the U54 team

This (..) would have
never emerged

Thank you ~
Please join
us

- PACHE SIG Meetings
- Best Practices in Evaluation
- Monthly
- Every 4th Wednesday at 4pm (ET)
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