

Mid-Iowa Health Foundation HealthConnect Innovation Grants 2017 Pre-Application Review

Review of HealthConnect Pre-Applications, and invitations to submit full proposals, will be based on the following:

1. Does this proposal target our community's **most vulnerable children/youth**?
2. To what degree does the proposal focus on fundamental causes, or **upstream factors**, of poor health?
3. How well does the proposal address the primary **priority** area? (Foster Community, Ensure Access, Reducing Adversity) If applicable, the secondary priority area(s)?
4. To what degree do the proposed activities **accelerate action**?
5. To what degree do the proposed activities create **equity**?
6. To what degree do the proposed activities catalyze an **innovative solution**?
7. To what degree do the proposed activities connect an identified children's health issue with a **non-healthcare breakthrough solution**?
8. To what degree do the proposed activities connect the **current and historical social barriers** that create significant obstacles to a healthy childhood?
9. To what degree do the proposed activities connect with the **voice and leadership of those directly affected**?
10. To what degree do the proposed activities connect with **related initiatives** already underway, and with **existing assets and resources**, in our community?
11. To what degree do the proposed activities connect **system-focused** strategies that reach **across sectors** to support health improvement?
12. To what degree do the proposed activities connect how **programs and policies can impact health outcomes and equity**?
13. To what degree do the proposed activities connect **data and research** to meaningful prioritization and action?
14. To what degree do the proposed activities connect the understanding that **children live in families and families live in communities**?