

Snapshot of Wheeling, West Virginia

January–June 2021 Progress Report



Goals

- Improve physical health among youth, as measured by reduced prevalence of and risk factors for childhood metabolic disorders
- Improve resilience among youth, as measured by reducing the impact of adverse childhood experiences



By the Numbers

- 4 individuals engaged in training or capacity-building with health care experts to build out the Kids Farmacy program, a food prescription program
- 47 Steering committee meetings and workgroup discussions held by the Edible Mountain Coalition

Success Stories

1. Encouraged conversation around the idea that impacted communities should provide guidance, background and vision for the development of the Edible Mountain: Vineyard Hills

2. Introduced youth leadership to guide working groups and set regular office hours, increasing connectivity and accessibility among core team and community

"We have asked community members who have joined the coalition to help us engage with folks they know who may be less likely to be involved but would be otherwise interested. As trusted community members, their voice is perhaps more powerful than our own."

--Wheeling HCCC team member



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