1. START WITH A BASE...

Flexible and responsive, NCHH’s approach to technical assistance supports communities as both learners and leaders simultaneously while leveraging and investing in other aligned efforts. From the initial contact forward, we meet change agents where they are and together determine how NCHH can best engage to support them in creating healthy, thriving, and sustainable communities.

2. EVALUATE ACTION...

Examples of strategies communities often bring to us to explore and some specific activities we might work on together to advance their strategy(ies) include …

**STRATEGIES**
- Data initiatives
- Improved housing codes
- Advocacy efforts
- Cross-sector partnerships
- Financing mechanisms
- Training and workforce development
- Programs and services
- Funding to find and fix exposures
- Local power building/investing in
- local stakeholders
- Community awareness and involvement
- Reduction in barriers to accessing
- funding and services

**ACTIONS**
- Inventory available data
- Analyze housing codes
- Hold a convening
- Build connections
- Develop a business case
- Evaluate a program or service
- Organize a press event
- Visit a peer community
- Assess local needs and opportunities
- Interview/survey relevant stakeholders
- Investigate local policies
- Draft a concept paper
- Meet with local decision-makers

3. CUSTOMIZE SUPPORT...

**NCHH EXPERTS**
In-house expertise on topics including …
- Healthcare financing
- Housing codes
- National, state, and local policy
- Health indicators
- Program evaluation
- Coalition building
- Capacity building
- Workforce development
- Statistics and data analysis
- Focus area knowledge
- Meeting facilitation
- Communications

**PARTNERS/PEER COMMUNITIES**
Everything above plus additional expertise in …
- Legal strategies
- Green building
- State legislative processes
- Local stakeholder engagement
- Other exposures
  (e.g., formaldehyde, VOCs)
- Real-world experience
- Lessons learned

**GRANTS/SCHOLARSHIPS**
Potential opportunities to receive a range of awards to …
- Operate as a flagship community
- Shadow model programs
- Organize an initial coalition meeting
- Host a convening or press event
- Attend a conference or professional development event

**TOOLS/RESOURCES**
Access to healthy housing tools and resources …
- Evidence-based resources
- Issue briefs
- Best practices/case studies
- Tools to support self-driven action

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