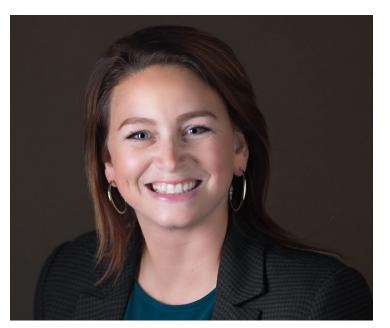


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## Change = Opportunity

"Change is not a 4-letter word!"





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When you think of change, what is your initial reaction?

# What did you learn through COVID?

#### Lessons Learned Through Change

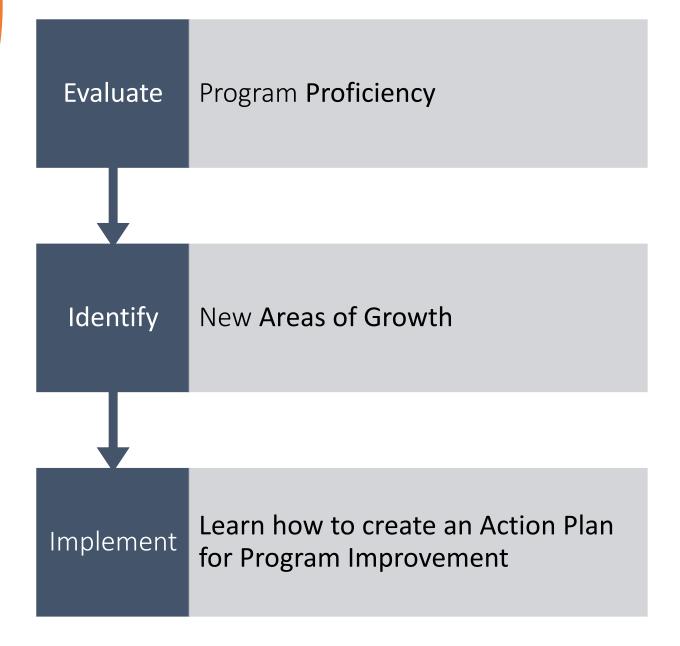
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### Objectives



#### Evaluate Program Proficiency



What do we already have that is working?



What does each staff member REALLY need to do?



Create / revisit your organizational chart. Do program departments and their duties make sense?

#### Identify New Areas of Growth

- Take lessons learned from COVID and apply them now.
- Get input from your team! Everyone has valuable insight and ideas.
- Brainstorm / dream with leadership staff.



#### The "Bus" Analogy

Is everyone in the right seat?



Personality Assessment Exercise

It takes all types!

Create an Action Plan for Program Improvement

- **SWOT Analysis** Get everyone's input!
- **Prioritize** ideas by category.
- Action Planning Takes Action! Organize and assign, revisit annually.



## SWOT Analysis Exercise



#### Now What?



#### Actually implement your ideas!



#### Baby steps are OK!



#### Don't be afraid of change!

## Questions/Discussion