

# Healthy Neighborhoods Learning Collaborative Meeting

## February Kick-Off Meeting February 26, 2015

The Healthy Neighborhoods Fund Learning Collaborative held a kick-off meeting on February 26, 2015. It was a time to celebrate the launch of the initiative and begin establishing a learning community across the New York neighborhoods supported by the [New York State Health Foundation](#) (NYSHealth) and the [New York Community Trust](#) (NYCT).

The objectives of the meeting were to:

1. Introduce the Healthy Neighborhoods Fund technical assistance team,
2. Establish a learning community, and
3. Articulate and refine strategies and goals for the first quarter of the grant period.

Presentation slides and a participant list are hyperlinked below.

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## Meeting Agenda

### Welcome and Overview of the Day

*Jacqueline Martínez Garcel, Vice President, NYSHealth*

*Irfan Hasan, Senior Program Officer, Health & People with Special Needs, NYCT*

### “That’s Me” Introduction Exercise

*Philip Bors, Senior Project Officer, Active Living By Design (ALBD)*

*Fay Gibson, Senior Project Officer, ALBD*

*Sarah Strunk, Executive Director, ALBD*

### Gallery Walk and Group Exercise: Envisioning a Healthy Community

*Facilitated by ALBD team*

### Moving to Action: [Identifying What Works and Applying the Lessons](#)

*Facilitated by ALBD team*

- Active Living By Design’s [Community Action Model](#)

### MAPSCorp: Mapping My Neighborhoods’ Assets and Leveraging the Power of Youth Engagement

*Stacy Lindau, University of Chicago’s MAPSCorps*

**Rapid Results Institute: [An Approach to Mobilizing Resources to Solve Large Scale Problems](#)**

*Nadim Matta, President, Rapid Results Institute*

- Paper: "[Local Empowerment Through Rapid Results](#)," Stanford Social Innovation Review, Summer 2001
- Case study: "[Accelerating Food Fortification In Kenya](#)," Micronutrient Initiative

**Onward: Next Steps and Closing Remarks**

*Jacqueline Martínez Garcel, Vice President, NYSHealth*

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View the meeting [participant list](#).