

WHAT COMMUNITY TOOL BOX USERS ARE SAYING



“ I’m using the Tool Box in all areas of community building and development. It’s so awesome to have this much information in one place! Community Tool Box is a blessing! Mahalo (thank you) :-) ”

*Puni Kekauoha
Community health worker,
Honolulu, Hawaii*

“ The Community Tool Box is a unique and indispensable resource for anyone committed to social change. Its vast open-source network of materials provides much-needed support for grassroots community organizing in local and global contexts. ”

*Simran Sethi
Award-winning journalist, Top-10 Eco Hero,
Ford Foundation Poynter Institute Fellow*

“ It is an absolutely incredible resource. The most comprehensive resource I have found for skill and knowledge based information for our field. ”

*Laurie Call,
Consultant in substance abuse prevention
Divernon, Illinois*

“ The Community Tool Box is a cornucopia of resources that I have used in many contexts. It is my first referral for colleagues and students who ask for a practical rendering of abstract concepts such as ‘community development’ or ‘empowerment’. The stepwise packaging of the toolkit allows an easy entry point for academics, practitioners, and activists. ”

*Ghazi Kayali,
Instructor at the Faculty of Health Science
of the University of Balamand, Lebanon*



“ I have used this Tool Box over many years and find it invaluable. Where else can you get this information in such a user-friendly format and for free? I would like to thank you for the hard work that must go into designing these pages and for all your help over the years. This really is a gift to us workers in the field. ”

*Gareth Thomas,
Manager of Community Development Programme,
Cardiff University, Wales*

“ I wanted to say “THANKS” for the incredible website with so many terrific resources for communities to access. Your website not only reminds me to slow down, back-up and assess accurately what actually constitutes my community, it provides excellent guides on how to do that. The Community Tool Box is fantastic! ”

*Kathi J. Bivens,
Hendersonville, North Carolina*

“ I am constantly referring my Leadership group to this site as a resource for what they are doing in their communities and for their KIDS COUNT Leader Projects. Every time I go to this site I am amazed what is offered. I always find something new. I have never found another site to equal this one as an available usable resource for positive community change. ”

*Ann Salazar,
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma*

“ As a guide for my work plan, I find it invaluable. Thanks for the initiative and the focused presentations. ”

*Freda Nkuutu,
Community health worker,
Kampala, Uganda*

“ I use it as a quick reference / reminder for the many things once learned, worked with, or seen but slightly forgotten. I also use it to get additional practical ideas for tackling all kind of communication and community development related issues. Thank you for making this toolbox so accessible and available to all! ”

*Rolf Luyendijk,
International Development Worker,
The Netherlands*



“ Ever since I found the site, I have been able to see issues that were actually hindering my progress and am now able to focus on the bigger picture and not on challenges. The site is very helpful when it comes to capacity-building, the basics. ”

*Thembile Mohlonyane,
NGO working with the poor,
Pretoria (Tshwane), South Africa*

“ I come back to it year after year as a refresher course on the fundamentals of neighborhood advocacy and community activism. ”

*Chris Jones,
Tulsa, Oklahoma*

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