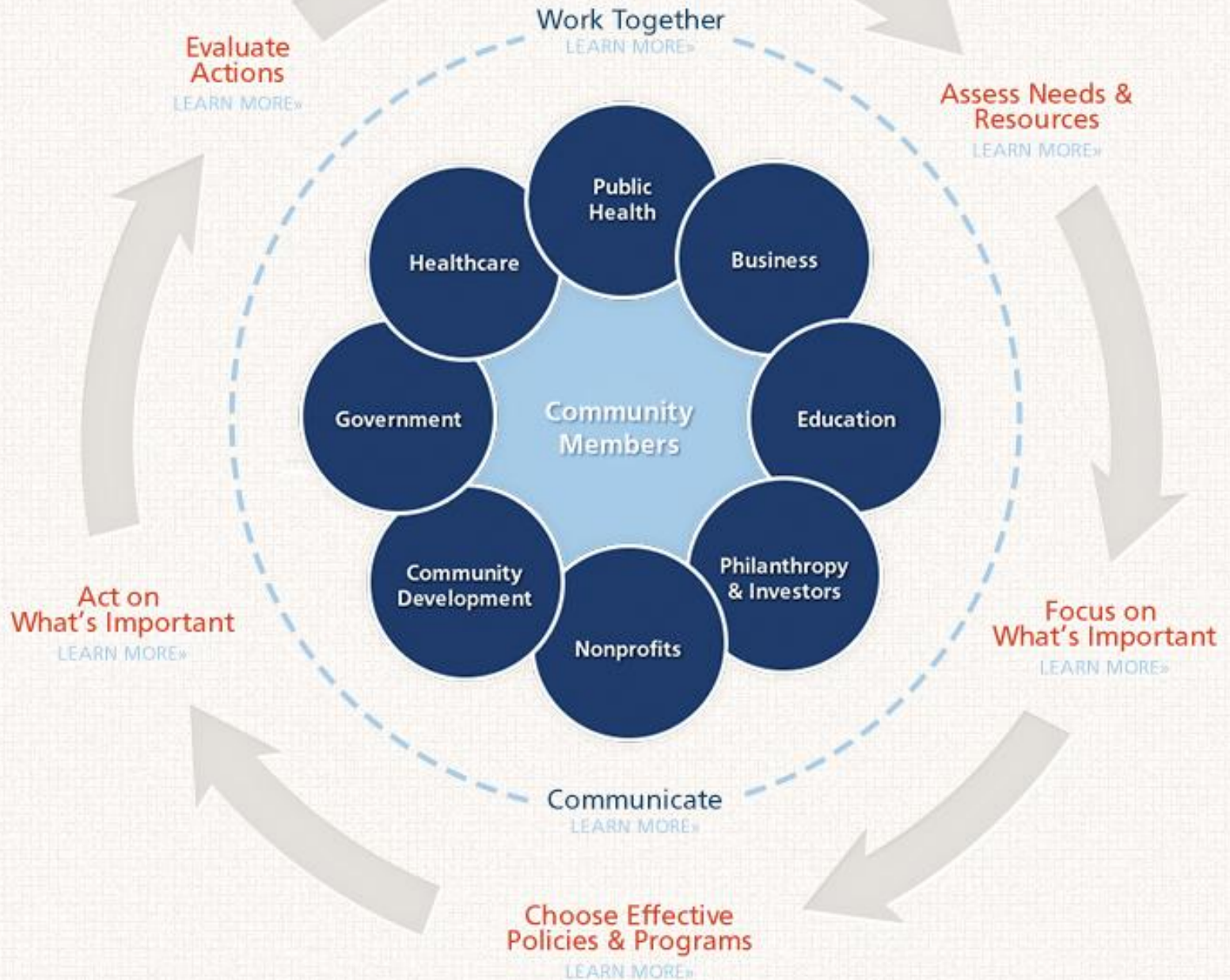




Population Health Trust
Recovery Planning
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From CHA to COVID Recovery Plan



ASSETS

- Promotores and Community Health Workers
- SVC Leadership development programs
- Collaboration across organizations/programs to increase awareness

GAPS

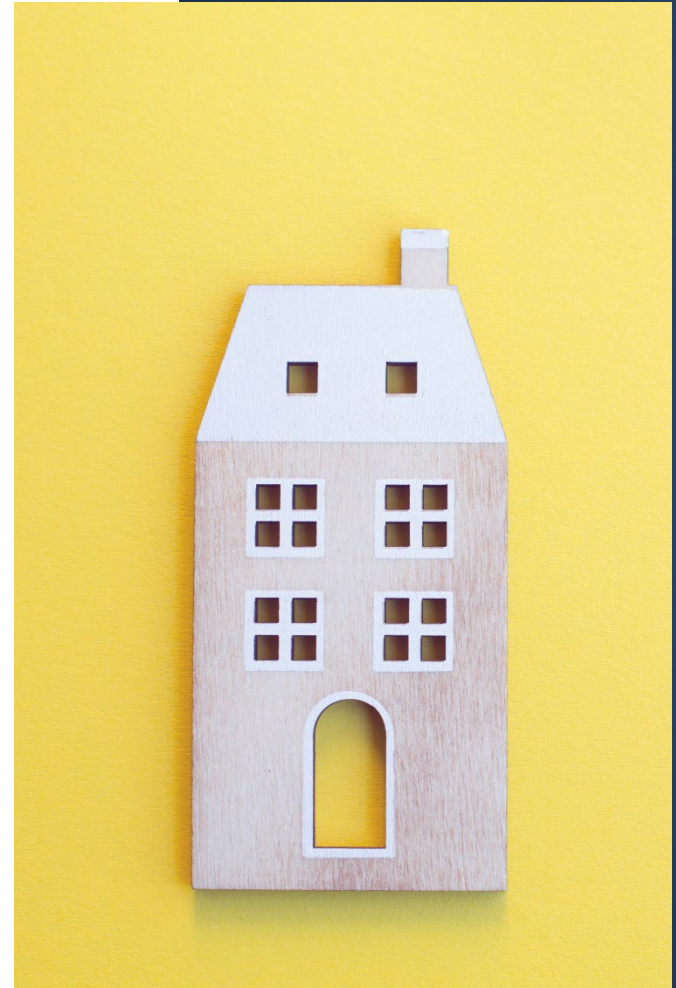
- Disparities in social determinants of health
- Lack of cultural awareness and knowledge about issues of equity, inclusion and impacts of systemic racism
- Efforts to bring marginalized populations into the conversation

ASSETS

- Increasing resources (Homes funds, 1406, 1590)
- Collaborative approaches at multiple levels of government

GAPS

- Funding for predevelopment, flexible funding, long-term project services and operating funds
- To affordably rent a 2-bedroom apt., a Skagit County household would need to make \$51,080/year





Behavioral Health

ASSETS

- Expansion of in-school support for school-age youth
- Prevention efforts
- Collaboration with Law Enforcement – SCSO IMPACT program, LEAD

GAPS

- Workforce shortages
- Low wage jobs in highly stressful environment
- Lack of knowledge of specific cultural needs and challenges of populations
- Complexity of system

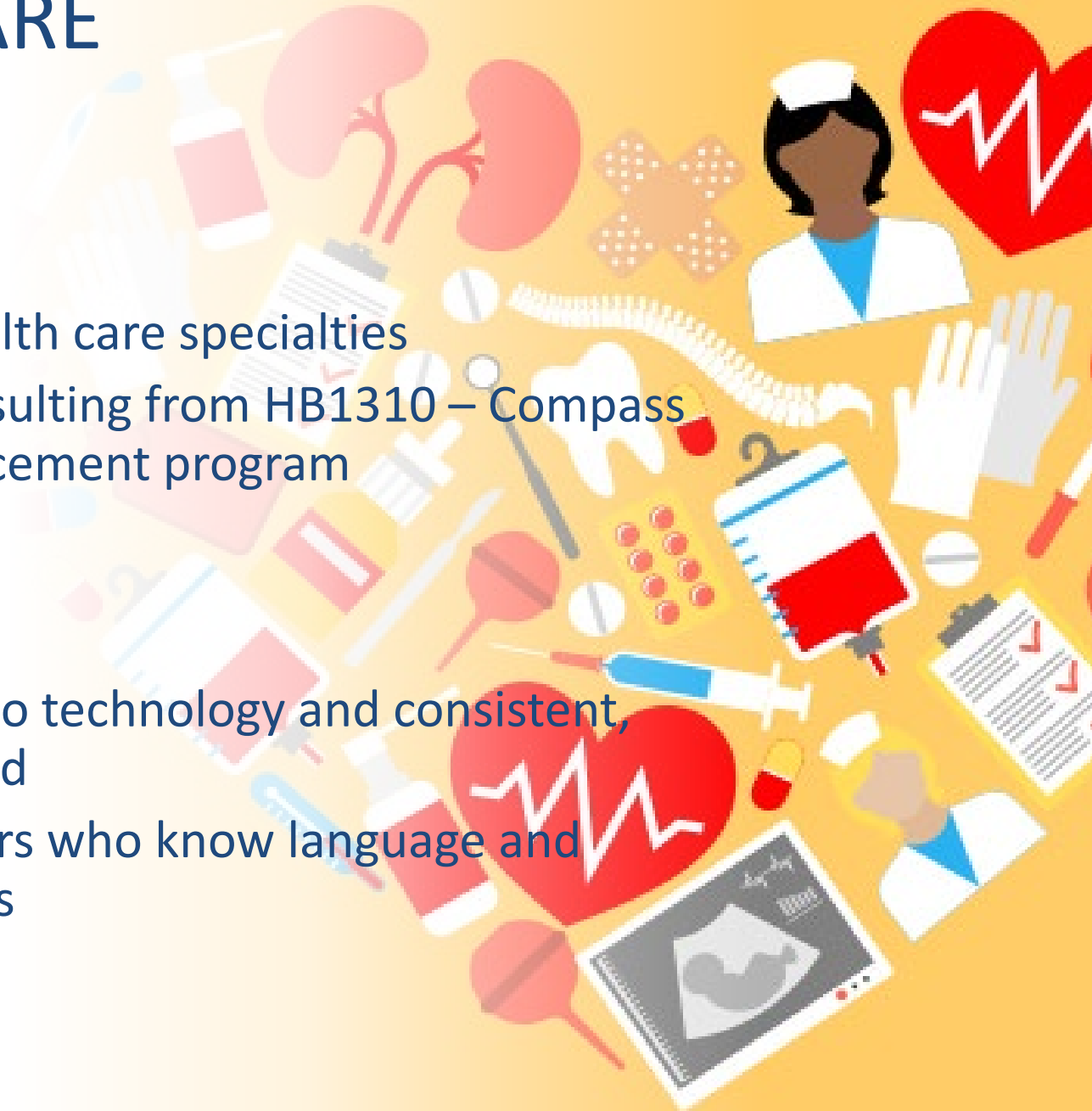
ACCESS to CARE

ASSETS

- Telemedicine
- Availability of health care specialties
- Collaborations resulting from HB1310 – Compass Health/law enforcement program

GAPS

- Equitable access to technology and consistent, reliable broadband
- Access to providers who know language and culture of patients
- Staffing crises





CHILD CARE

ASSETS

- Collaboration between Skagit Island HS and SVC to train providers/staff who reflect the communities needs
- Newly formed Child Care Action Team at Help Me Grow



GAPS

- Economic model of child care
 - Affordability
 - Availability
 - Workforce shortages



Financial and Economic Stability



ASSETS

- Abundance of local resources to help people find meaningful work
- Educational resources – AVID, LEDI, SVC programs

GAPS

- More collaboration needed
- Low wage employment models
- Housing not located near work

ASSETS

- SO many hard working partners, programs, volunteers



GAPS

- Communication and coordination across partners
- Equitable access for populations
- Quality of food available through food bank system is inconsistent and can be high sugar/fat/sodium

FOOD SECURITY