Community-Based Research: How To

1. Choose Your Focus	What are you motivated to learn about? Why are you motivated to learn about it?	-population -program or service -sector -labour market -curious -funder evaluation -improve a service -target a population -clearer picture	
	Statement of Focus: 1-2 sentences stating the what is being studied and why.		
2. Choose Your Tools	What are the types of data collection that best fit the research focus?	-keynote interviews -existing data -feedback surveys -focus groups -artistic models	
3. Skills and Expertise Check	What internal/external supports are needed to complete this research?	-literature review -data interpretation -preliminary conversations -ethics -template/recipe/framework	
	Collect and Review Data: -What did you learn? -What are the implications for your agency? -What is needed to make these changes within your agency's practices?		
4. Choose How To Share	How are you going to share the findings from the research?	-CBR Reporting Document -Newsletter article -evaluation document -staff meeting -social media post -journal article -forum presentation	