

NETWORK HEALTH

Partners for Network Improvement (PNI)

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NETWORK HEALTH SURVEY

Every network member invited to take the survey

Survey given each spring

THANK YOU!

HIGH-LEVEL FINDINGS

Network
development

Well-developed
networks

System
alignment

Sustainability

FINDING
#1

Network development
takes time.

FINDING
#2

Well developed networks are taking strategic action in the technical and the social dimensions of improvement networks.

WHAT ARE WELL-DEVELOPED NETWORKS DOING?

Technical

- Consistent focus of improvement work
- Investment in data systems
- Consolidate learning



Balanced structure
& member agency



Social

- Robust coaching & hub support
- Intentional network connections

FINDING
#3

Networks that are stronger
in system alignment are
using similar strategies.

WHAT ARE WE LEARNING ABOUT BUILDING ALIGNMENT?

Robust processes
for school and
member selection

Strategic
connections with
leaders at all
levels

Intentional roles
for school and
district leaders

Balancing decision
rights with
network
members

FINDING
#4

More hubs are clear
about their
sustainability priorities.

WHAT ARE SUSTAINABILITY PRIORITIES?

Major priorities

- 80%: Use continuous improvement methodologies
- 74%: Use change ideas/strategies
- 62%: School-team collaboration

Less likely to be a major priority

- 15%: Convene network members

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR
PARTNERSHIP**

REFLECTION

**HOW DO THESE
INSIGHTS
RESONATE WITH
YOUR EXPERIENCES
LEADING AN NSI?**