



NEXT STEPS AND RESOURCES TO CONTINUE WORK FOR PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT
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NEXT STEPS/(BABY STEPS)

1. Read the PHAB standards
2. Find someone to talk with about them
3. Figure out how what you are doing fits within the standards
4. Start paying attention to what you document
5. When you plan something new, consult the standards
6. Listen
7. Watch
8. Ask questions



NEXT STEPS/(A LITTLE FASTER)

- o Complete the baby step items on the previous slide
- o Introduce the standards to your local board of health, staff, and partners
- o Set a goal or a series of goals
- o Assign tasks
- o Be purposeful about documenting what you do
- o Listen
- o Watch
- o Ask questions



WHERE CAN I GET RESOURCES I NEED TO EXPLORE THIS?

- o Public Health Accreditation Board (PHAB)
- o National Network of Public Health Institutes (NNPHI)
- o National Association of City and County Health Officials (NACCHO)
- o Association of State and Territorial Health Officials (ASTHO)
- o Public Health Foundation (PHF)
- o Iowa Gaining Ground Coalition members



GAINING GROUND INITIATIVE

- o Iowa' Coalition
 - Iowa Public Health Association
 - Iowa Counties Public Health Association
 - Iowa Department of Public Health
 - Iowa Environmental Health Association
 - Public Health Advisory Council
 - Upper Midwest Public Health Training Center



OPPORTUNITIES TO WATCH FOR

- o 101 classes held regionally
- o 201 classes held centrally
- o Webinars
- o Opportunities for sharing
- o Subject matter expert identification/matching
- o Linkages to work of the members of the coalition and the PHAB standards
- o Materials to use with your local board of health, local boards of supervisors, and community partners



JUST REMEMBER.....

- o "Victory is won not in miles but in inches. Win a little now, hold your ground, and later, win a little more."
- o [Louis L'Amour](#)



IT'S NOT ABOUT TODAY, IT'S ABOUT TOMORROW!

- o "Success is about dedication. You may not be where you want to be or do what you want to do when you're on the journey. But you've got to be willing to have vision and foresight that leads you to an incredible end."
- o [Usher](#)



THANK YOU!