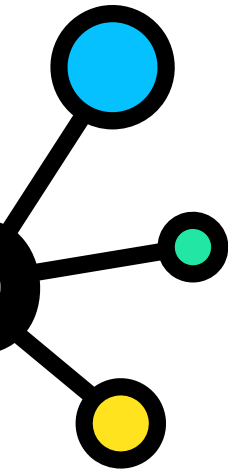


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Youth

Data

Hub



Where data and communities
come together to support
Baltimore's young people

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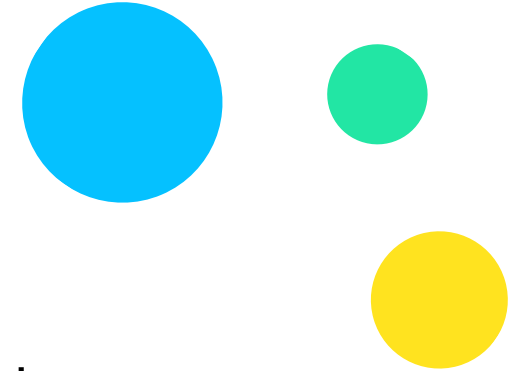
Efforts to tackle challenges in education, health, public safety, and economic opportunity are often limited by data silos and absent of any community feedback. This type of fragmented information prevents Baltimore from strategically, effectively, and equitably meeting the needs of its children, youth, and families.

To address this issue, Baltimore's Promise, in partnership with Baltimore City Public Schools, the Baltimore City Health Department, the Mayor's Office for Children and Family Success, the Mayor's Office of Employment Development, and the Family League of Baltimore is working to develop the Baltimore Youth Data Hub.

The Hub will provide a permanent and secure system of inquiry enabling agencies and policymakers to make decisions on the complex needs facing our youth and families as they interact with multiple systems.



Baltimore City Youth Data Hub Overview



The purpose of the Baltimore City Youth Data Hub is:

(1) to promote the health, safety, security, and well-being of youth; and
(2) to improve equitable access to and the overall cost -efficiency of programs serving youth.

Mission: The evaluation of programs and services that youth residing, schooling or participating in any youth programming receive to assess the operation and effectiveness of policies and programs to improve the health, safety, security, and well-being of Baltimore youth.

Data Hub Partners and Data Providers

The **Mayor and City Council of Baltimore** and the **Baltimore City Board of School Commissioners (City Schools)** serves as partners in the effort to advance the use of integrated data for the purposes of better coordination. Each entity will provide staff time, thought partnership, review data requests, provide data and its context and may provide analytic support.

Baltimore's Promise serves as the Manager of the Baltimore City Youth Data Hub. The Manager is responsible for the Hub's operation, upkeep, and security. Additional responsibilities include:

- Overseeing the Data Hub's governance process
- Reviewing data requests, performing analyses, and producing data products
- Fundraising and providing fiduciary oversight
- Managing the communication strategy and outreach efforts



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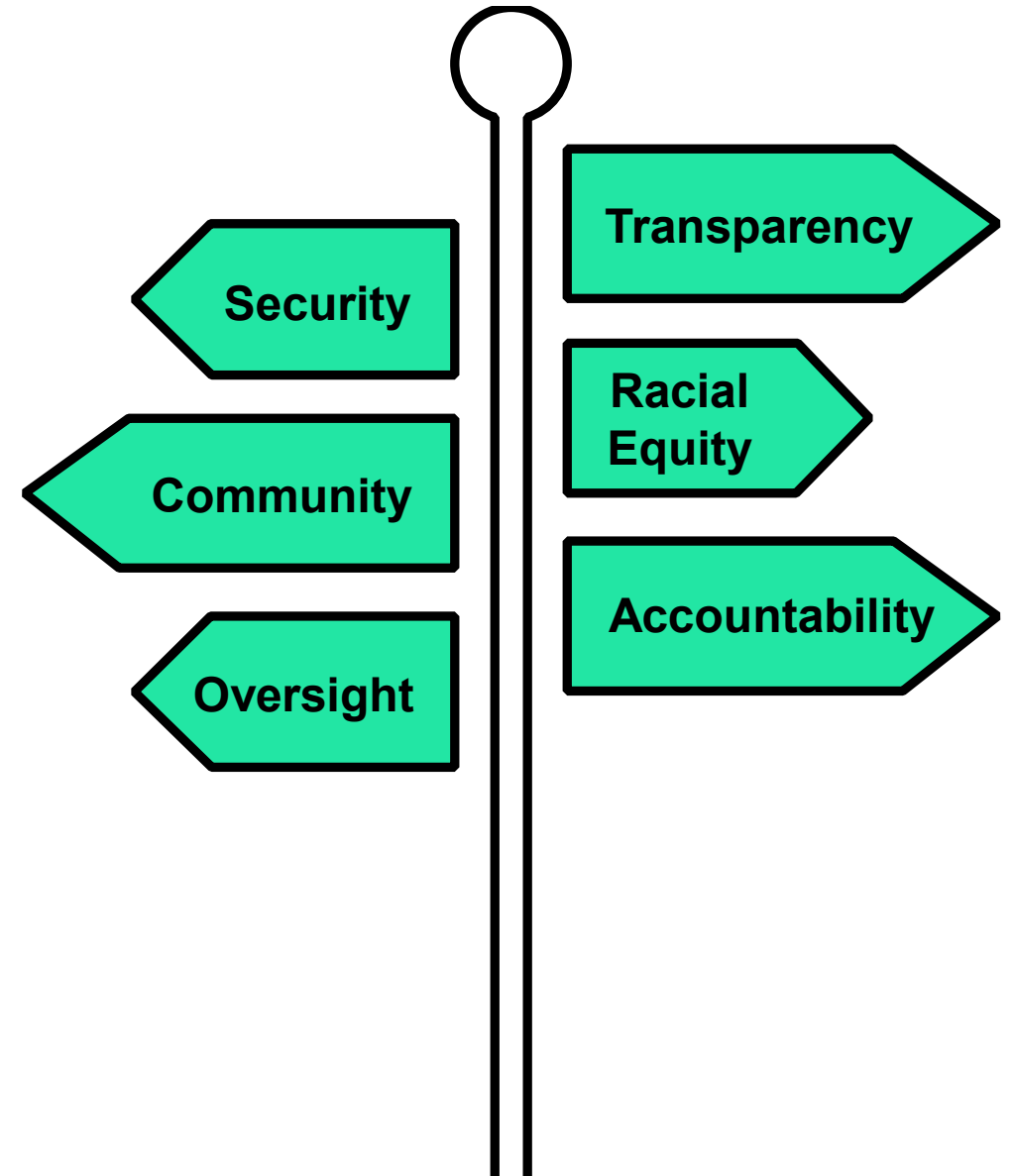
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PROMISE

How does the Baltimore City Youth Data Hub benefit our community?

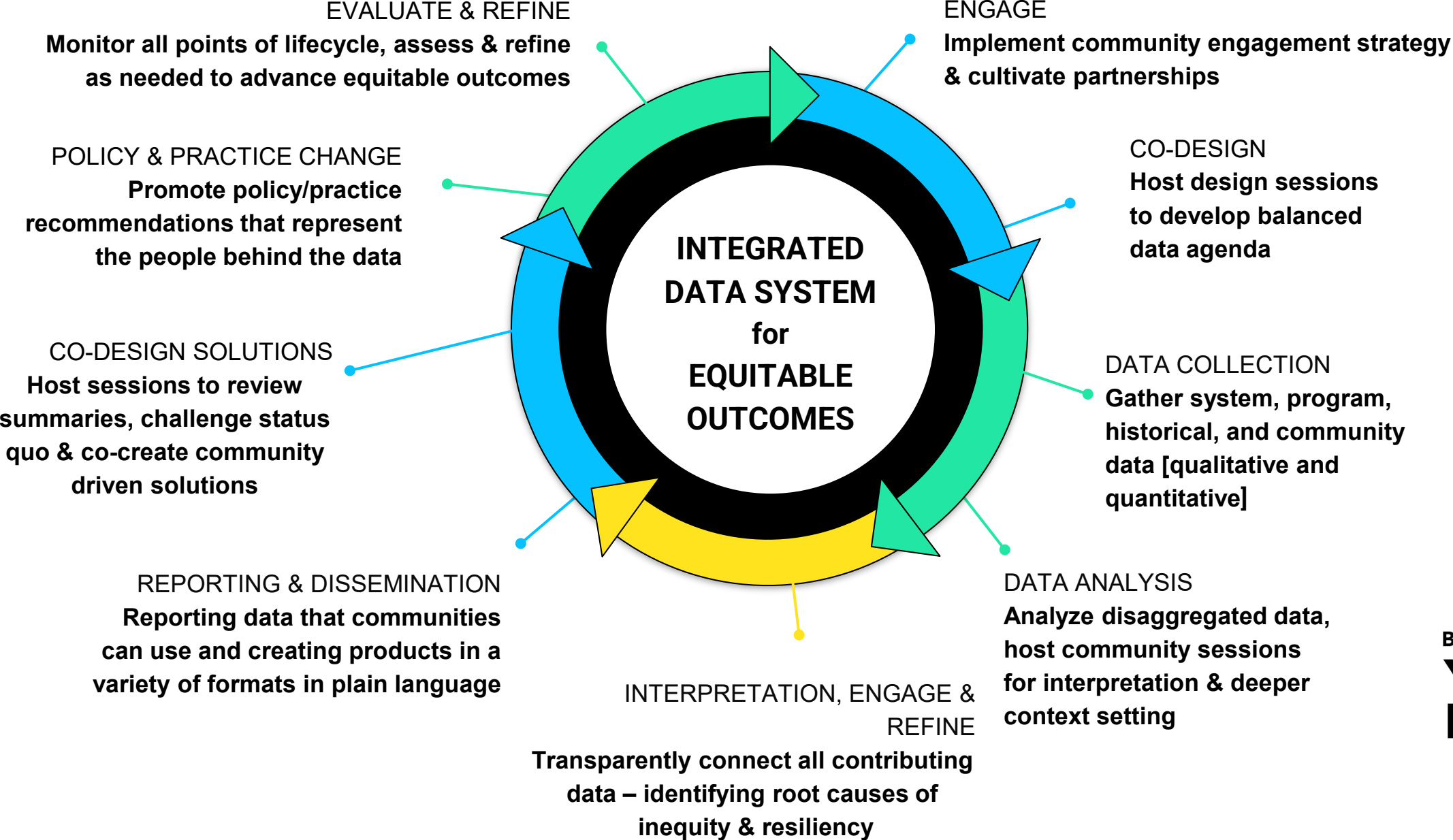
- **Empowering** the **community** with comprehensive information to answer questions about programs and services that support children and families
- **Saves time** by enabling data and research projects to be **conducted in months**, rather than years
- Supports systems **evaluation** and **equitable resource allocations**
- A resource for government agencies and non-profits **coordinate efforts** and **understand collective impact**

These principles are driving the Baltimore Youth Data Hub

- Quality data analysis can only be achieved with an understanding of historical context and competence
- Transparency and community trust building are key priorities of data governance, sharing and use
- Focus on improving system level program efficiencies and service coordination, not on individual participants
- Data will be used to highlight and eliminate racial disparities and inequities
- Data use will be ethical, transparent, and enforce high standards of privacy



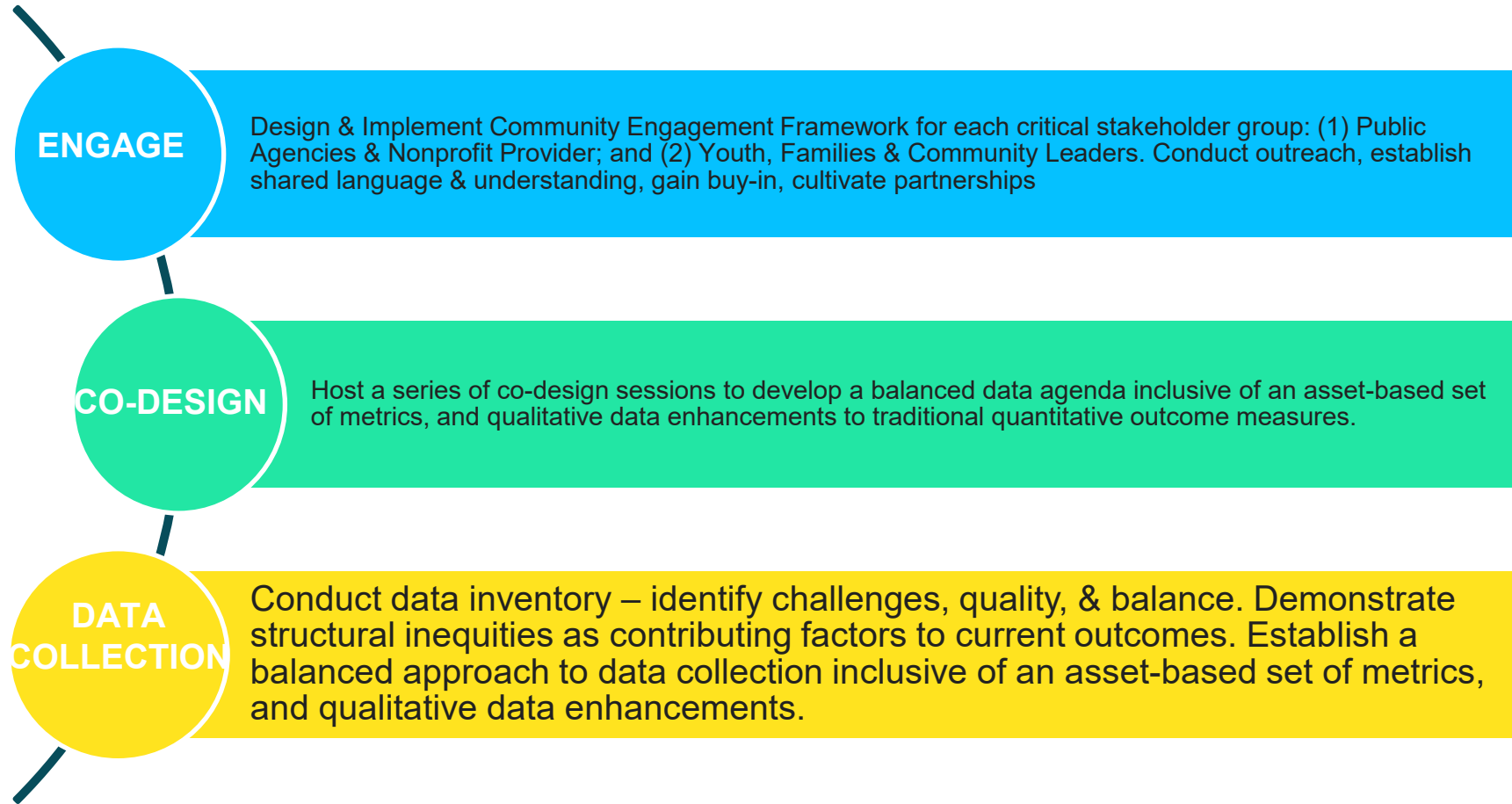
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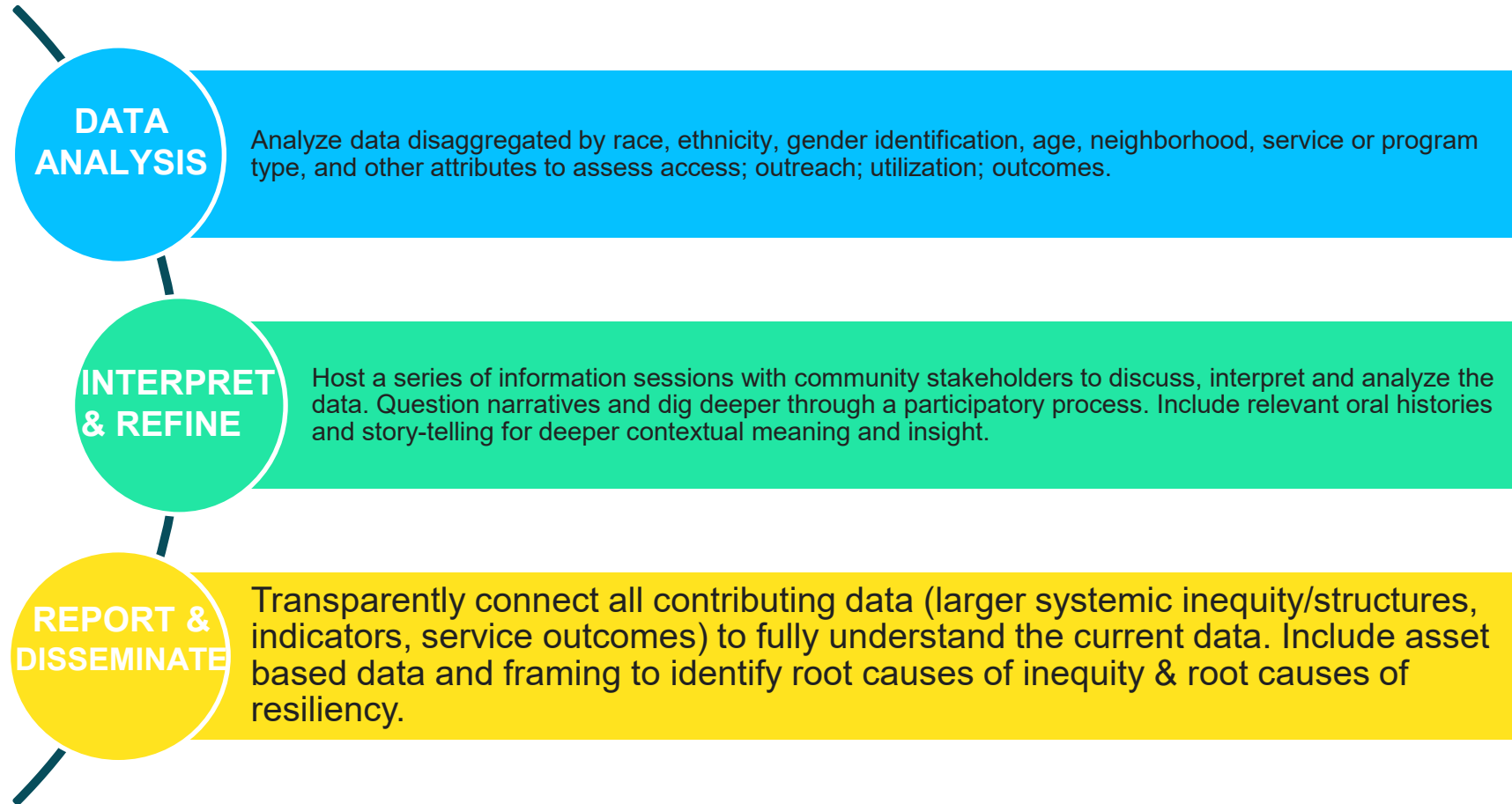
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Baltimore City Youth Data Hub: Governance Oversight

- **Executive Committee:** This committee consists of the Mayor of Baltimore City, or the Mayor's designee; the Chief Executive Officer of the Baltimore City Public School System, or the Chief Executive Officer's designee; and any other individuals selected by the Mayor. The Executive Committee provides vision, oversight, and leadership for the Baltimore City Youth Data Hub.
- **Technology Vendor:** The Manager may contract with a technology vendor or professional. If the vendor codes, creates, or assists with the operation of the Baltimore City Youth Data Hub, it is subject to the same restrictions as the Manager.
- **Advisory Committee:** Includes representatives from nonprofit organizations, faith-based institutions, and the broader community. This committee serves to increase awareness of and provide feedback on the Baltimore City Youth Data Hub.
- **Manager:** The Manager is a nongovernmental entity that is appointed by the Executive Committee. The Manager is not subject to the Open Meetings Act or the Public Information Act. It is responsible for the operation, upkeep, and security of the data in the hub and all integration and deidentification of data with help from the Technology Vendor or Advisor. Also responsible for ensuring sustainability and fiduciary oversight and fundraising for the operation of the Hub.