

Oakland County Food Policy Council

Shared Language Training

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Training Goals:

1. Introduce definitions of diversity, equity, and inclusion for council consideration.
2. Identify council member values at the intersection of diversity, equity, and inclusion.
3. Learn about and discuss conditions for bold and inclusive conversations.

Agenda

9 a.m.	Welcome + Introductions
9:05 a.m.	Pre-training evaluation
9:10 a.m.	Warm-up: Breakout discussion (groups of 3-4) <i>What sustains you in the work of racial equity as a food policy council member?</i> <i>How does racism impact your life day to day?</i> <i>What are the costs to you and the people you love?</i>
9:20 a.m.	Debrief: Content + Process
9:30 a.m.	Conditions for bold and inclusive conversations
9:50 a.m.	Definitions for Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI)
10 a.m.	Breakout discussion <i>Questions TBD</i>
10:10 a.m.	Debrief
10:20 a.m.	Making connections: Considerations for continuing the work
10:27 a.m.	Post-training evaluation
10:30 a.m.	Q & A (<i>optional</i>)