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Promoting Financial Capability in North Carolina: Report from the Assets Learning Conference

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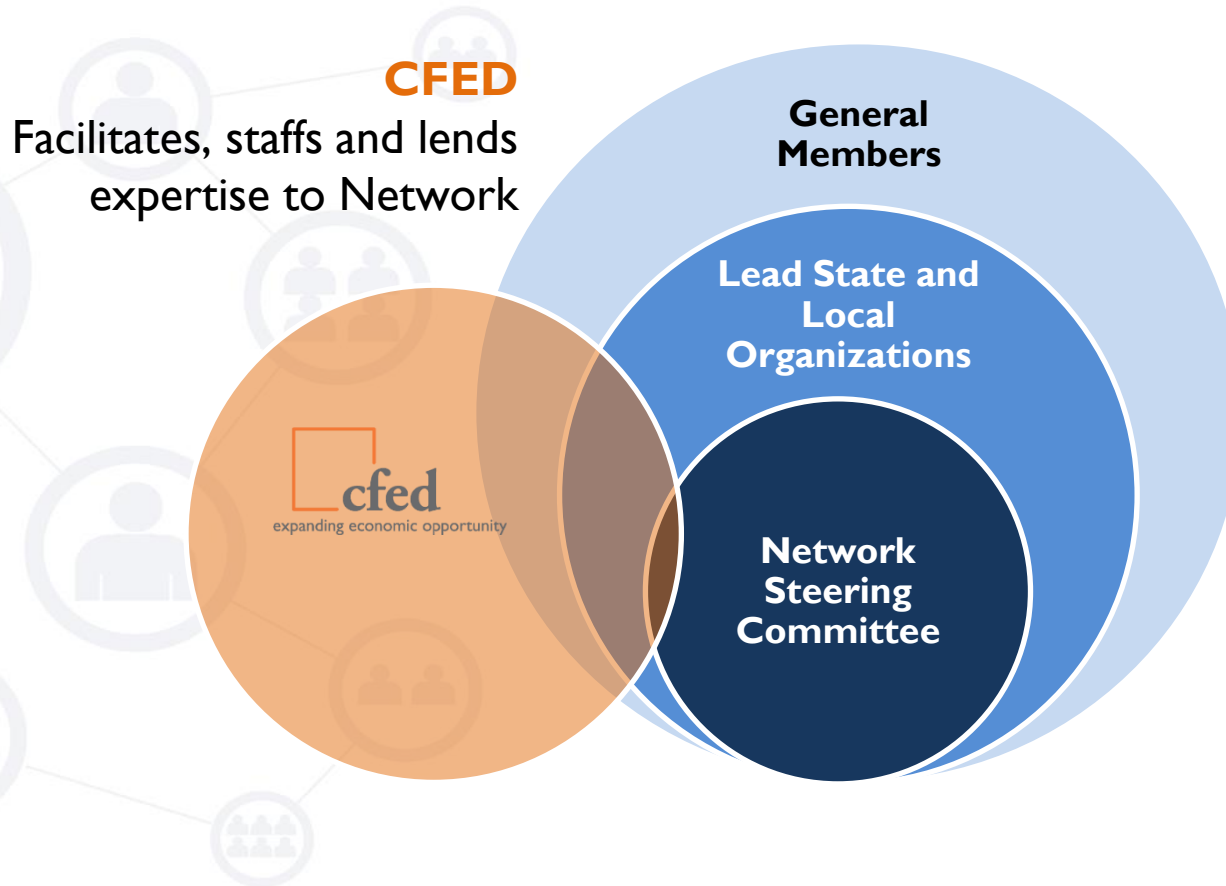
What is the Assets & Opportunity Network?

National learning and advocacy community that answers the call for ...

- More effective way to **collaborate** nationally to speed up diffusion of innovative asset building approaches
- More coordinated, effective **constituency** to advocate for policies



Network structure



CFED

Facilitates, staffs and lends expertise to Network

General Members

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1,400+ General Members nationally

Lead State and Local Organizations

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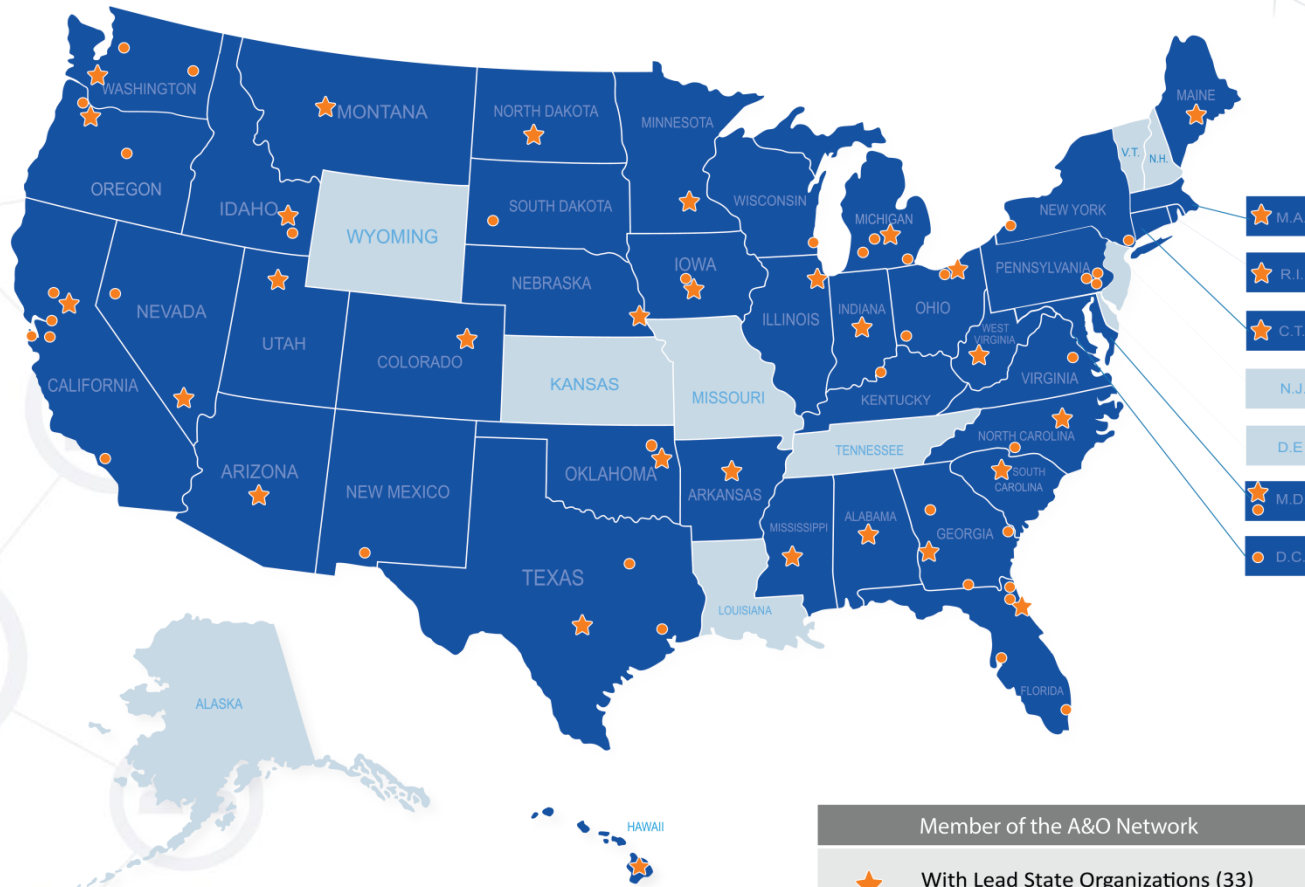
73 Lead **State** and **Local** Organizations

Network Steering Committee

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Guides direction of Network

Lead State & Local Organizations



Member of the A&O Network	
★	With Lead State Organizations (33)
●	With Lead Local Organizations (40)
□	Not yet part of the A&O Network

Lead Organizations in North Carolina



Lead State Organization: North Carolina Assets Alliance

Lead Local Organization: Crisis Assistance Ministry

Role of Network Lead Organizations

Convene

- Convene a state or local coalition
- Share with peers nationally via reporting annually on activity

Engage

- Encourage members to participate in A&O learning and advocacy opportunities
- Maintain an active web presence via A&O Network microsite

Lead

- Suggest topics for learning opportunities
- Participate in and/or lead virtual discussions, learning groups and work groups

Other ways to get involved

Join as a General Member:

www.assetsandopportunity.org/network

Access state-level outcomes & policy data:

www.assetsandopportunity.org/scorecard

Access NEW local data mapping tool:

www.assetsandopportunity.org/localdata

Takeaways from today

- For one minute, write down the top 1-2 takeaways from today that you will apply to your work
- Then, share them with your neighbor

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