



Lesson 24: Service Learning for Social Change

Lesson Plan

Estimated lesson time: 75 minutes

Learning objectives:

- Define teamwork, volunteerism, and service learning
- Develop capacity and skills for effective teamwork
- Engage in team-building exercises and examine the roles involved
- Examine the relationships among service learning, leadership, and social change

Key concepts:

- Community
- Service learning
- Team building
- Teamwork
- Volunteering

Lesson components:

- I. Background reading for instructors – 10 minutes
- II. Icebreaker activities – 10 minutes
- III. Service Learning and Teamwork (lecture and activity) – 15 minutes
- IV. Systems Thinking: Community Service for social change (group activities) – 30 minutes
- V. Debriefing – 10 minutes