PEARS



Impact Success Stories (covering 10/1/20-9/30/21) DUE BY NOV 30, 2021

General Information

Story Title_

Program Area(s) / Team(s)

4-H Youth Development
 Administration
 ANR (use for AAB/NREE)
 Community and Economic Development

Cook County Initiative
 Family Consumer Science
 EFNEP
 SNAP-Ed

Site or Organization_____

Unit / County_____

Program Activity_____

Link this Success Story to one of your Program Activities.

Action Plan

Link this Success Story to one of your Action Plans.

Keywords_

Comments

Collaborators

User	ACCESS: 🗖 View only	🗖 View & edit
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Story

Story Narrative

Use the following template to organize your summary. This is the same format as we use to submit impact summaries to National Institute for Food and Agriculture (NIFA) in our annual report of accomplishments.

<u>Situation:</u> What is the issue or need? Why is it important to address the issue? Who cares and why? [1-2 paragraphs]

<u>Response:</u> What has been done in the form of outreach to address the issue or need? Summarize your programmatic response to the issue. Be sure to include the full array of outreach including direct education, indirect activities/channels, collaborations/partnerships/coalitions, expert assistance, applied research relevant to the issue. Include who and how many were reached when possible. [1-2 paragraphs]

<u>Results/impact:</u> How has your response affected the users/ stakeholders involved with this issue (e.g. private benefits)? That is, what outcomes were demonstrated in knowledge, attitudes, behavior, practices, policies, or environments? If possible, include both quantitative (numbers, %, etc.) and qualitative (comments, observations, etc.). What are the benefits or potential benefits beyond those who participated (e.g. what are the public benefits) [1-2 paragraphs]

External Collaborators: If relevant, list all non-Extension partners, organizations or community groups that contributed to the success/impacts of the outreach delivered. If a collaborator is affiliated with a UIUC campus department, please include the department affiliation.

Favorite Quote

Impact Success Stories (instructions for data entry)

Each educator should contribute to or individually submit at least one Impact Success Story for outreach conducted during the 2021 reporting year (October 2020-September 2021) by November 30, 2021.

General Information

Story Title	Create a title or "headline" for the Impact Success Story. Be sure to include FY2021 IMPACT/ at the beginning of your title to differentiate from other types of success stories.	
Program area	PEARS allows you to select only one program area. Collaborators (see below) may span multiple program areas and will be represented as contributors to the impact summary.	
Site or organization	Not required. If it applies, select a site that relates to the impact summary. If the specific site is not listed, submit a new site request to <u>uie-inepdocs@illinois.edu</u> . Put ATTN: New PEARS Site" in the subject line. Put the organization name, address, city and zip code in the body of the email. You will be contacted when the site has been added.	
Unit	Select the option that best represents the catchment area for participants (e.g. county, unit, Illinois).	
Program Activity	Not required. If the summary relates to a single program activity, you may select that program activity from the drop down list.	
Action plan	Select the state action plan (issue) that aligns most closely with the impact summary.	
Keywords	Not required. PEARS includes a pre-defined list of keywords to select. Scroll through the drop down and select any keywords that are relevant to the impact summary.	
Comments	Not required.	
File attachments	Not required. You can upload/attach a Word or PDF version of your Impact Success Story.	

Collaborators

Enter the following information for **each individual** who contributed to the Impact Success Story. Note that the person who enters the impact summary is automatically included as a collaborator.

User	Search and select the name of the collaborator. Check the box "Was this user involved in performing the work described in this record?"
Access	If you want the collaborator to be able to edit information in the Impact Success Story, then select View & Edit .
What role or contribution did this user offer in this record?	Not required.

Story	
Story Narrative	 Use the following template to organize your summary. This is the same format as we use to submit impact summaries to National Institute for Food and Agriculture (NIFA) in our annual report of accomplishments. If you uploaded a Word or PDF document as a file attachment in the previous section, follow the same template as provided below and enter "See attached file" in the Story Narrative field. Situation: What is the issue or need? Why is it important to address the issue? Who cares and why? [1-2 paragraphs] Response: What has been done in the form of outreach to address the issue or need? Summarize your programmatic response to the issue. Be sure to include the full array of outreach including direct education, indirect activities/channels, collaborations/partnerships/coalitions, expert assistance, applied research relevant to the issue. Include who and how many were reached when possible. [1-2 paragraphs]
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	External Collaborators : If relevant, list all non-Extension partners, organizations or community groups that contributed to the success/impacts of the outreach delivered. If a collaborator is affiliated with a UIUC campus department, please include the department affiliation.
Favorite Quote	Not required.

Mark as Complete

Select the "Mark as Complete" button after you have entered all Impact Success Story data. If you need to edit a record after you have marked the record complete, you can use the "Mark as Incomplete" link in the Progress bar and select the red "Mark as Incomplete" button.