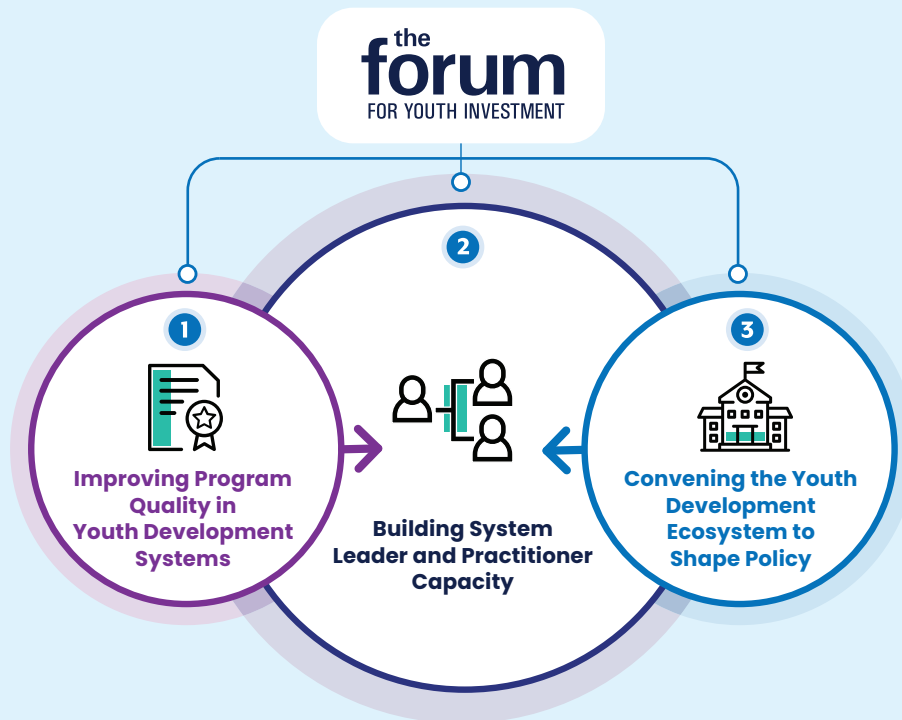




The Forum envisions a world in which...

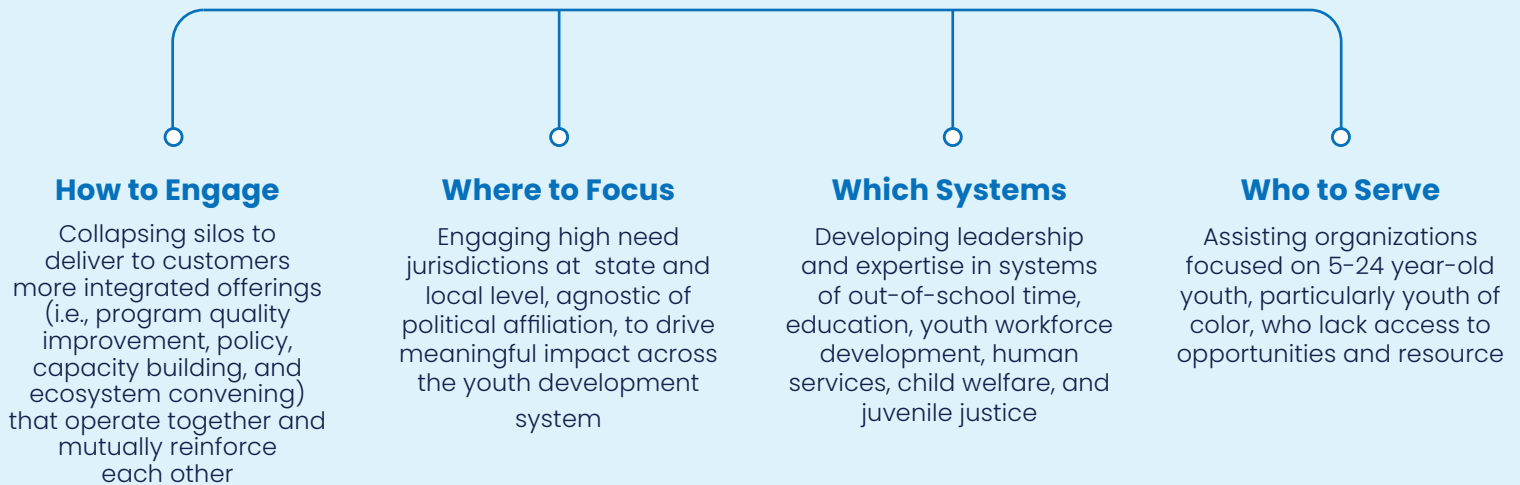
All young people reach their fullest potential – in education, work, and life

To achieve this vision, the Forum will...



The three strategic goals will work together to enable the Forum to achieve greater impact in the youth development field

In the next five years, the Forum will refine its focus to activate the strategic goals



The strategic goals will inform outputs and outcomes that help achieve the Forum’s vision in its theory of change

Strategic Goals & Sub-Activities		Outputs	Outcomes	
			First Level	Second Level
Improving program quality in youth development systems	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assess, plan, and improve youth development program quality through continuous quality improvement tools, resources, and frameworks 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High-quality, tailored tools to improve youth development programs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Youth development programs know how they are performing and where to improve 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High-quality programs that support positive youth development and uphold communities
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Leverage data assets and measurement & evaluation frameworks to advance a youth development approach within and across systems 			
Designing, building, and implementing capacity-building initiatives for system leaders and practitioners	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provide consultation, training, and technical assistance to system leaders and practitioners on improving systems and programs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Capacity building support for youth development system leaders and practitioners 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> System leaders know what reforms to implement and how to enact change and youth development practitioners know what practices to implement and how to implement them 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prepared and empowered system leaders and practitioners across the field that address the needs of all youth including youth of color
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Shape and strengthen youth development ecosystems to co-design innovative solutions that support positive youth development 			
Convening the youth development ecosystem to shape policy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Convene stakeholders and engage youth and their families to facilitate shared learnings and identify policy gaps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Convenings organized and relationships built to engage stakeholders 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Youth, families, and practitioners work together to achieve collective impact and policymakers know what policy changes are needed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Federal and state policies, legislation, and ecosystems that strengthen youth and communities
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Build relationships and promote opportunities to advance a youth policy agenda 			

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