



iowacollaboration
for youth development

Vision: “All Iowa youth will be safe, healthy, successful, and prepared for adulthood.”

[Legislation in 2009 - Iowa Code §216A.140](https://www.legis.iowa.gov/docs/code/216a.140.pdf)

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“By 2020, Iowa will increase the graduation rate to 95%”

CURRENT MEMBERSHIP

- **Education**
- **Human Rights**
- **Human Services**
- **Public Health**
- **Workforce Development**
- **Office of Drug Control Policy**
- **Child Advocacy Board**
- **Commission on Volunteer Service**
- **Iowa State University Extension – 4-H Youth Development**
- **Early Childhood Iowa**
- **Juvenile Court**
- **State of Iowa Youth Advisory Council (SIYAC)**

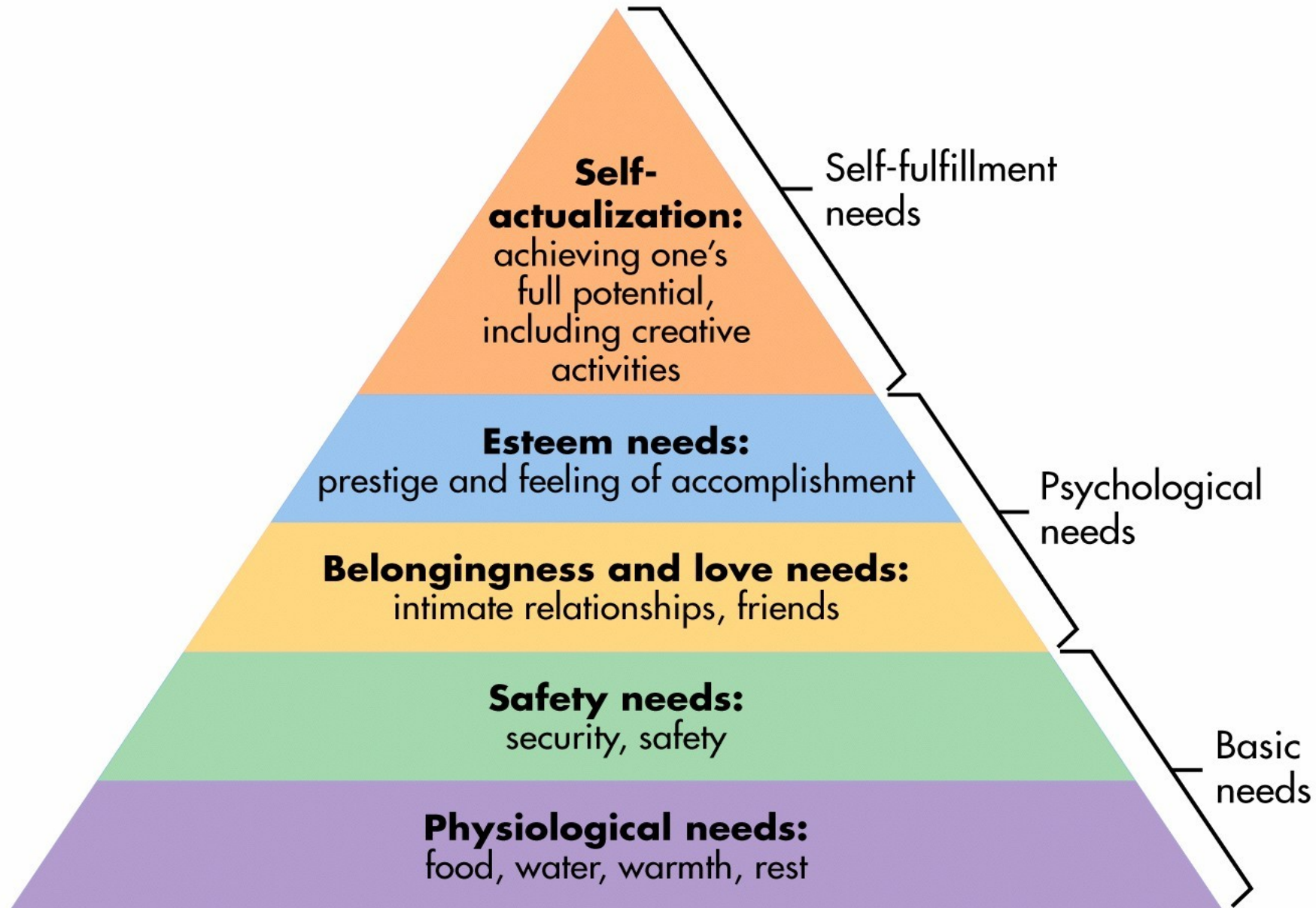
STRATEGIES

- Focus on Underperforming Schools and Communities
- Assess Current State Initiatives and Maximize Existing Resources
- Investigate Research-Based Approaches and Effective Strategies
- Coordinate Across Systems to Identify and Support Vulnerable Students
- Engage Additional Stakeholders

IMPORTANT THINGS TO REMEMBER:

- 3 C's and 1 M in Collaboration
 - Cause
 - Commitment
 - Coordination
 - Messy
- Buy-in – Target messages
- $2 + 2 = 5$
- Embed at ALL Levels
- Council has no ego

Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs





<https://www.communitiesthatcare.net/how-ctc-works/social-development-strategy/>. University of Washington, Center for Communities that Care. 2018.

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