



VALUE

Community Strength

The story you're telling

Communities are stronger when we address the root causes of stress and adversity.

Strategically redirects thinking away from patterns such as:

- Solution = “get out”
- Fatalism
- Individualism

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Concepts included in this frame element:

- Addressing toxic stress is a **foundation for strong, healthy communities**.
- Communities are **stronger and more vibrant** when all members are supported, especially in the face of social stressors.
- **Resilient communities do what it takes** to buffer people from the impacts of toxic stress.
- **Community members can work together** with local policymakers and others to address challenges in people's lives.