

# Summit Level Set

Objectives, assumptions, and guidelines to create an environment that facilitates open and meaningful discussion.



## Objectives:

1. Share information about food insecurity, personal experiences, and ongoing programs and services.
2. Gain awareness of other food security programs in and around Atlanta.
3. Reinforce and grow a community focused on the many different dimensions of food insecurity.
4. Collectively decide on one to two unifying actions Sci4Ga will carry forward

## Assumptions

1. Assume all present are acting with positive intent.
2. Everyone's lived experience is different; everyone's ideas and stories add unique and valuable perspectives.
3. During this summit we will all have the opportunity to be both learners and teachers.

## Guidelines

1. Be present in the moment.
2. Listen to understand, not to respond.
3. Remember W.A.I.T. "Why Am I Talking?" Ensure everyone has a chance to be heard. Do not interrupt. Be mindful of how long you are talking.
4. Use "I" statements.
5. Explain your acronyms and jargon.
6. Value people - time, talent, expertise, experience, position, opinions.
7. Assume positive intent. Remember - we are all human and are all trying our best to do the right thing.



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