Guidelines for Dialogue

• Be present and listen deeply
• Step up, step back
• Try both/and statements
• Use “I” statements
• Take care of yourself
• Hold confidentiality
• Identify assumptions

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Peer Consultation

- Present the challenge
- Clarifying questions
- First thoughts
- Dialogue
- Planning
Individual reflection

• Consider:
  • What is the challenge?
  • What strategies have you tried to address this?
  • What has worked well? What has not?
  • What puzzles you about how to move forward?
  • How are stakeholders engaged in your problem solving?
  • What are you most worried about? What keeps you up at night?

• If you’d like to be considered for group consultation, write your name and challenge on a sticky note and add it to the white board.