



# Brainstorm & idea prioritization

Use this template in your own brainstorming sessions so your team can unleash their imagination and start shaping concepts even if you're not sitting in the same room.

- 10 minutes to prepare
- 1 hour to collaborate
- 2-8 people recommended

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## Before you collaborate

A little bit of preparation goes a long way with this session. Here's what you need to do to get going.

10 minutes



### Team gathering

Define who should participate in the session and send an invite. Share relevant information or pre-work ahead.



### Set the goal

Think about the problem you'll be focusing on solving in the brainstorming session.



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## Define your problem statement

What problem are you trying to solve? Frame your problem as a How Might We statement. This will be the focus of your brainstorm.

5 minutes

### PROBLEM

How might we [your problem statement]?



### Key rules of brainstorming

To run a smooth and productive session

- Stay in topic.
- Defer judgment.
- Go for volume.
- Encourage wild ideas.
- Listen to others.
- If possible, be visual.



## Brainstorm

Write down any ideas that come to mind that address your problem statement.

10 minutes

TIP  
You can select a sticky note and hit the pencil (switch to sketch) icon to start drawing!

### TL

- Accessible to the larger public
- Display the availability of the plasma type and quantity
- notification to users when plasma is needed

### TM-1

- Networking of donors and patients
- Information sent through mail too
- Storage location of plasma accounted

Notify users about the donation camps

### TM-2

- Identity of the donor must be verified
- Secure the database of the patient and the donor
- Eligible donors alone must qualify to donate plasma

Authentication  
Authorisation  
Availability must be checked

### TM-3

- Maintain Donation history and logs
- Notification email to user when plasma is available
- Expiry date of plasma must be checked



## Group ideas

Take turns sharing your ideas while clustering similar or related notes as you go. Once all sticky notes have been grouped, give each cluster a sentence-like label. If a cluster is bigger than six sticky notes, try and see if you and break it up into smaller sub-groups.

20 minutes

TIP  
Add customizable tags to sticky notes to make it easier to find, browse, organize, and categorize important ideas as themes within your mural.

### Authentication

- Verify Donor
- Verify patient's need
- Verify using email Id

### Database

- Safely store the records
- Maintain DB of donor and patients
- Fast retrieval

### Notifications

- Notify donor about the need
- Notify the patient about the donation
- Email notification

### Location

Notify users about the donation camps

### Rewards

Give the donor applicable rewards

### Eligibility

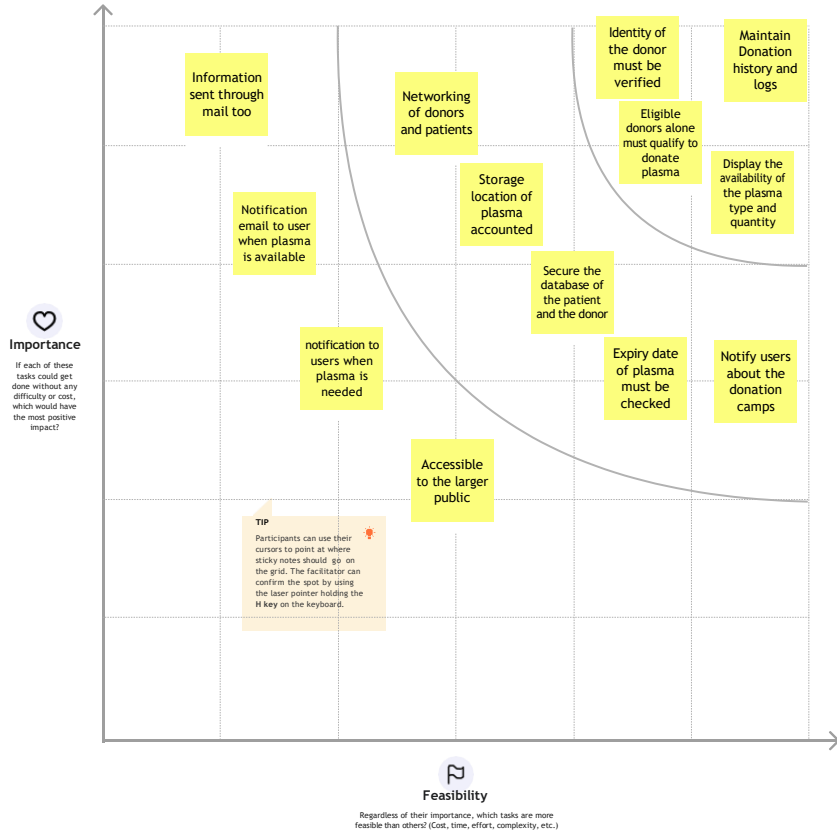
- Check the eligibility of the donor
- Check the eligibility of the patients



## Prioritize

Your team should all be on the same page about what's important moving forward. Place your ideas on this grid to determine which ideas are important and which are feasible.

20 minutes



## After you collaborate

You can export the mural as an image or pdf to share with members of your company who might find it helpful.

### Quick add-ons



#### Share the mural

Share a view link to the mural with stakeholders to keep them in the loop about the outcomes of the session.



#### Export the mural

Export a copy of the mural as a PNG or PDF to attach to emails, include in slides, or save in your drive.

### Keep moving forward



#### Strategy blueprint

Define the components of a new idea or strategy.

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#### Customer experience journey map

Understand customer needs, motivations, and obstacles for an experience.

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#### Strengths, weaknesses, opportunities & threats

Identify strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats (SWOT) to develop a plan.

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