

SAMPLE QUESTIONS PREPARED FOR DCA SENIOR STAFF

NEIGHBORHOOD ARTS PROFILE
SENIOR STAFF BRAINSTORM MEETING
MONDAY, DECEMBER 11 at 12:00pm

The goal of the Senior Staff Brainstorm on 12/11 is to come up with research questions that will help us determine data sources to be included in Phase 1 development of the Neighborhood Arts Profile. Well-defined research questions can help drive the design of this tool and ensure productive usage.

Sample questions below are based on past and present conversations at DCA. Please make comments or edits to existing questions, or add your own questions to this list before the Brainstorm Meeting.

SAMPLE QUESTIONS	COMMENT
Who are we serving through our programs? Are we serving those in need? How do we define community needs? How do we ensure equitable services?	
How are the communities we serve changing over time demographically?	
What is the geographical distribution of DCA's programs and services?	
Where are the arts and cultural events in the City?	
Which schools are in proximity to our community arts centers? Are we serving the same constituents? Are these areas well-served?	
How many arts organizations do we support? How many artists do we support? How many arts service providers does DCA contract? Where are they all located?	
Where are the art centers located in the City? Where are the theaters? Where are the public art projects?	
Where are our grantees (artists and orgs) located? Where are the grantees' events?	
Where are the library events that are arts and culturally focused? Which ones serve youth?	
What languages are spoken by community art center participants?	
Are arts and cultural events/programs accessible by public transit?	
Where are the high education institutions with an arts focus or arts department?	