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1. What has the team accomplished since the last time you met with the instructional team?

Since our last team meeting, we have successfully finalized the scope of our project. Leading up to our client meeting we faced some uncertainty regarding our deliverables. Specifically the exact type of resource platform the client envisioned, whether our direction aligned with the intended user personas, and the overarching goals they expected us to meet. Fortunately, these concerns were clarified during our recent discussion, and we now understand that the client is seeking two key components: well-defined user personas and a centralized information hub.

To move forward efficiently, our four-person team has been divided into two subgroups. Sid and CJ are focusing on developing the user personas, while Matt and Rohan are working on the structure and content of the information hub. While each team member has a primary focus, we are maintaining a collaborative approach, regularly supporting one another across all areas of the project to ensure cohesion and shared accountability.

2. What is the team hoping to accomplish in the next two week sprint?

In the next two weeks, we're aiming to finish six user-centered personas so our resource hub can be accessible to everyone, no matter their background or needs. Once that's done, we want to finalize what specific resources will be included.

One interview pointed out that transportation is a big need, so we're focusing on that along with legal aid, food access, and housing help. CJ and Sid are working on the personas, and Matt and Rohan are working on a resource guide or Linktree. We're also considering printable materials or QR codes with directions and accessibility in mind. We plan to connect with Lisa at the College Park Food Bank to understand how many community members have phones, which will help shape our approach. Our next group meeting is Thursday the 10th at 7pm.

3. What barriers or challenges has the team encountered?

During previous meetings we had come across the challenge that the platform 211 Maryland already exists. So we have changed our idea to be a resource platform for the people of the community and have the necessary steps needed to allocate our resources and complete our project. We are not projected to have any more challenges or barriers. But many challenges come up unforeseen, so we are planning on making risk assessments soon, for our resources in the resource hub.