

Promoting Well-Being, Finding Cures Agenda

Afternoon Breakout Sessions

Topic 1. Strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats to KU's standing among research universities, as related to the theme of finding cures and promoting well-being

Moderator introduces existing SWOT analysis, and indicates that the group at the table should discuss the following questions with the goal of completing, refining, and prioritizing the SWOT analysis

- What internal strengths does KU possess toward improving its standing among research universities related to this strategic initiative of finding cures and promoting well-being?
- What internal weaknesses within KU currently hinder improvement in its standing among research universities and relating to this strategic initiative?
- What external opportunities exist for KU to improve its standing among research universities and relating to this strategic initiative?
- What external threats exist to KU's goal to improve its standing among research universities and relating to this strategic initiative?
- What is the single most important strength, weakness, opportunity, and/or threat relevant to KU's efforts to improve its standing among research universities related to the initiative of finding cures and promoting well-being?

Topic 2. Institutional supports necessary for KU to succeed in finding cures and promoting well-being

Moderator indicates that the group at the table should discuss the following questions with the goal of making KU a world-class institution in the area of finding cures and promoting well-being.

- What organizational changes are necessary to move KU to the next level of addressing this strategic initiative of finding cures and promoting well-being?
- What infrastructural changes are necessary to move KU to the next level of addressing this strategic initiative?
- What changes to faculty or staff are necessary to move KU to the next level of addressing this strategic initiative?
- What informational support changes are necessary to move KU to the next level of addressing this strategic initiative?
- What can we learn from current models of leadership and funding for establishing, developing and funding research, leadership, and institutional agility related to this strategic initiative?
- What is the single most important change necessary for KU to move to the next level of addressing the strategic initiative of finding cures and promoting well-being?