Our Vision & Commitment to Transform

Continuum on Becoming an Anti-Racist Multicultural Organization

MONOCULTURAL ==> MULTICULTURAL ==> ANTI-RACIST ==> ANTI-RACIST MULTICULTURAL Racial and Cultural Differences Seen as Deficits ==> Tolerant of Racial and Cultural Differences ==> Racial and Cultural Differences Seen as Assets					
Exclusive	2. Passive	3. Symbolic Change	4. Identity Change	5. Structural Change	6. Fully Inclusive Anti-Racist Multicultural
An Exclusionary Institution	A "Club" Institution	A Compliance Organization	An Affirming Institution	A Transforming Institution	Organization in a Transformed Society

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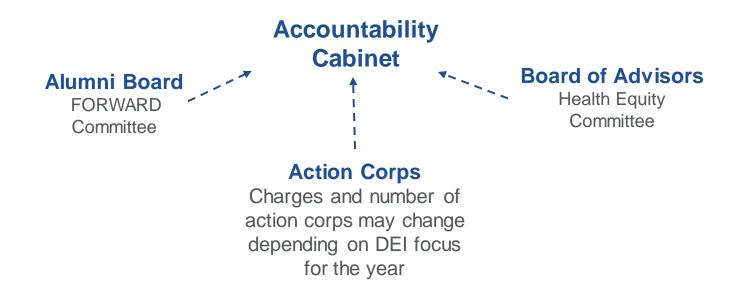
COLUMBIA PUBLIC HEALTH FORWARD

FIGHTING OPPRESSION, RACISM AND WHITE SUPREMACY THROUGH ACTION, RESEARCH AND DISCOURSE

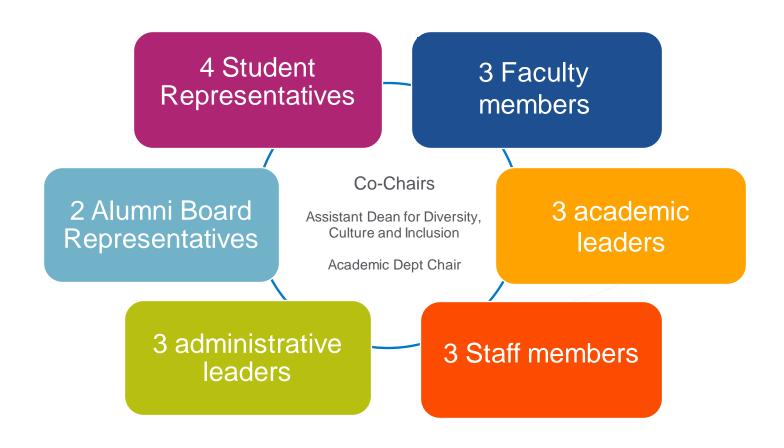
Permanent structure through which our full community can drive ongoing progress toward our vision:

- Permanent structure: work continues from year-to-year
- Full community: students, faculty, staff, alumni & Board of Advisors are engaged through FORWARD
- Ongoing progress: driven by successive waves of innovation and investments

FORWARD Structure



Accountability Cabinet Membership



2020-2021 "Fast Forwards"

- Full curriculum review to identify opportunities for increasing anti-racist and equitable curricular content and instructional practice.
- Additional support for RISE and MOSAIC student mentoring programs.
- FORWARD summer practicum program to provide funded placements for 5 students to work on advancing health equity in the local community to satisfy practicum requirements.
- Creation of a vehicle to deepen authentic, mutually-beneficial partnerships with the local community to advance community health.