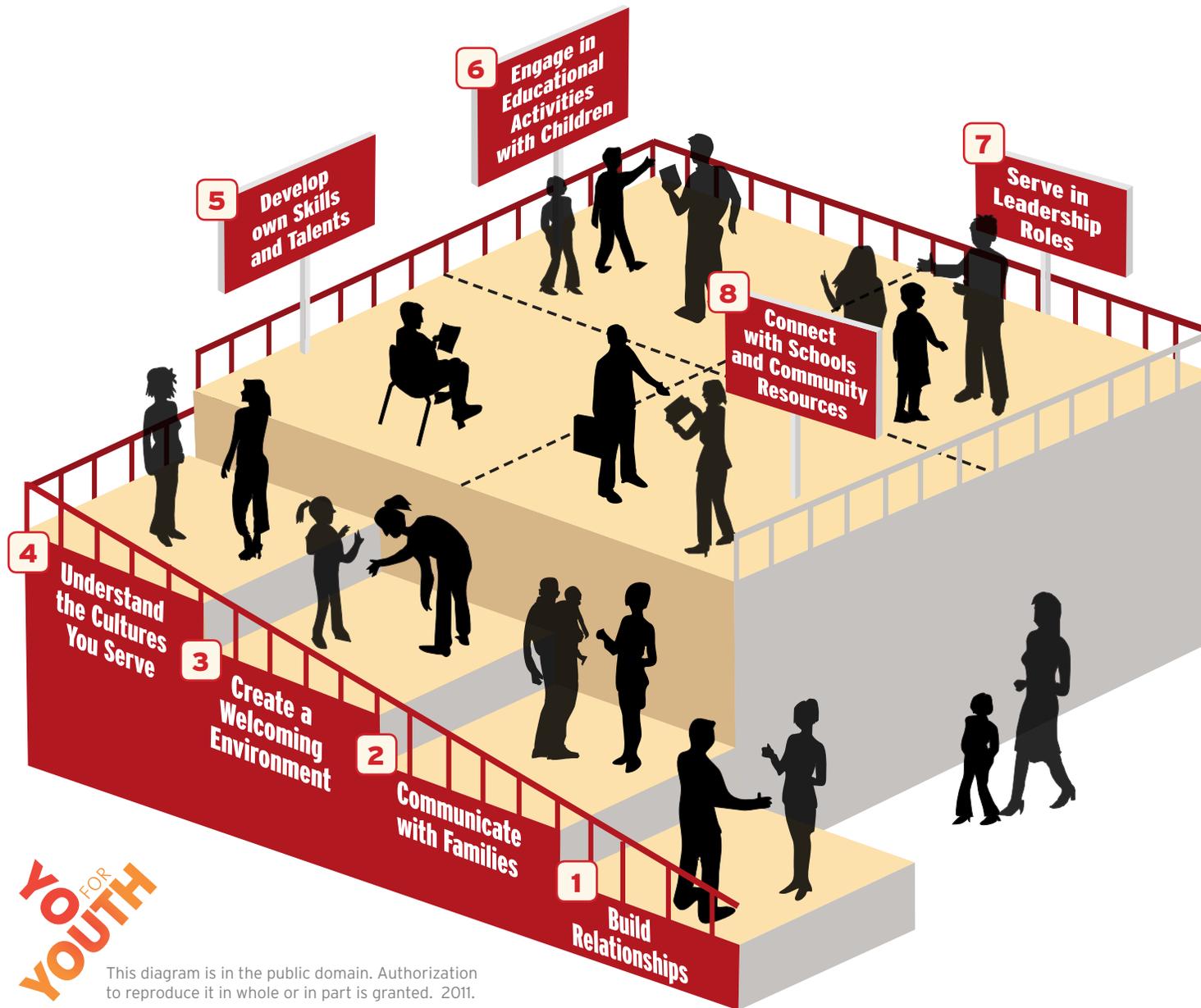


Family Involvement



Tips for Family Involvement

- 1** Get to know family members to make them feel a part of your program.
- 2** Use formal and informal communication to connect with the families you serve.
- 3** Let families know they are welcome at your program.
- 4** Honor family diversity by translating materials for non-English speaking families. Have events that celebrate all cultures. Hire staff who reflect the families you serve.
- 5** Offer activities where caregivers learn new skills.
- 6** Offer enjoyable learning experiences where the whole family can learn together.
- 7** Invite caregivers to play a role in program decision making or lead activities.
- 8** Connect families to schools and services available in the community.

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