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# Why Collaborate?

- Learning
- Range and reach
- Increased impact
- Better for those we want to support
- Keeps us fresh

# What did we learn?

- Time
- Trust
- Traction
- Tenacity

# Resources we needed to collaborate

- A lead funder with time, energy and patience to coordinate work
- Funding – but not necessarily equal donations and some funders may bolt on elements later
- Shared thinking and approach – genuine co-production at all stages; ideas, evidence collection, procurement, monitoring
- Supporters on the sidelines
- Patience – the partnership will need to work at the pace and through the processes of each funder

**Any questions for us?**

**Anyone like to share how you have worked on a collaboration of funders and what you have learnt?**