Results
From March 2020 to December 2020,
-85 community members participated in gardening classes.
-Community members built 12 raised beds sourced soil.
-Participants learned to start plants from seed and transplants.
-Classes included building raised beds, sourcing soil, building compost, planting, transplanting, erecting greenhouses and rotating crops.
-Community members who had never grown food before became leaders in teaching gardening principles to their peers.

Discussion
Leaders in under-resourced communities are looking for public health solutions. Physician Assistants can take a more active role in addressing the social determinants of health in the communities they serve by collaborating respectfully with leaders using principles of CBPR.

When PAs take on opportunities to partner in communities, it can build trust in the community and enable a two-way transfer of knowledge between PA and the community at large.

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