



National Center on Advancing Person-Centered Practices and Systems

Culture and Person-Centered Practice Video Series

Collective Conversations

NCAPPS made a video series called [Culture and Person-Centered Practices](#). The videos are posted on the NCAPPS YouTube channel. In these short videos, people tell their stories about what culture and person-centered practices mean to them. This is a summary of their stories.

[Danyetta, Kachelle, and Julia](#)

Danyetta is a community builder. Julia is a business owner. Kachelle is an artist and business owner. They all live in the same neighborhood. They are part of the [Artist's Collaborative](#). Kachelle had a passion for art. This led to the start of the Artist's Collective. It grew over time. Now it has an artist-in-residence program.

They had an idea to place stickers around to ignite the neighborhood that said, "I wish this was..." and people could fill in the sentence. For example, they could say, "I wish this was a coffee house."

The Artist's Collective brings people together from different backgrounds. A big part of the culture at the Collective is how you get and give respect. They take time to get to know each other. Julia says, "We all have knowledge and wisdom that we can bring to the table." They invite everyone in and build partnerships. This led to Collective Makers, which is a local makers and farmers market.