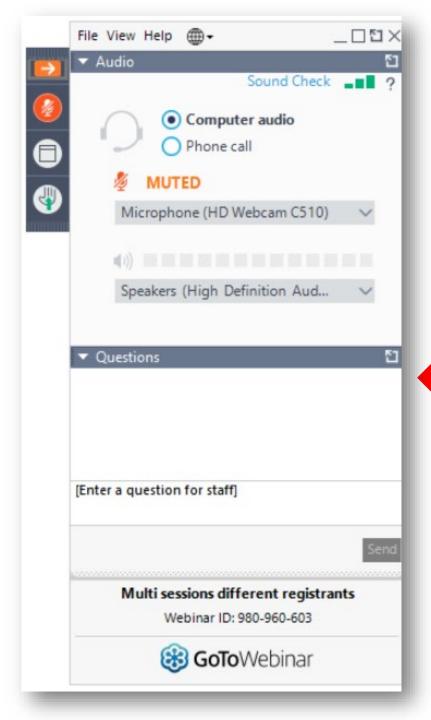


Navigation Partner Updates







Where you can make comments and ask questions

Agenda

Welcome and Introduction

Review of Community Partner Roles

Demo of Upcoming Enhancements

Utilization Data

Community Partner Resources

Q&A



Community Partners are an essential part of the success of MI Bridges.

There are 3 options for partners to engage with MDHHS and Michigan residents – they can choose to serve as in multiple partner roles!

Navigation Partner



An agency that agrees to promote MI Bridges by displaying promotional materials and providing one-on-one assistance to MI Bridges users. The assistance provided may vary from simply answering user questions to helping them complete a needs survey, finding local resources, or applying online for a MDHHS benefit program.

Referral Partner



An agency that agrees to receive referrals sent from clients using MI Bridges. When a client would like to use a resource offered by a Referral Partner, the partner organization receives an electronic referral on their MI Bridges dashboard and can contact the client to provide services.

Access Partner



An agency that agrees to promote MI Bridges by displaying promotional materials and providing a computer(s), tablet(s) or mobile device(s) for individuals to use MI Bridges.

Demo



Helping you every step of the way.

Hi <CP First Name>!

<First Name Last Name> has indicated that you will be working in MI Bridges on behalf of <Organization Name>. Start by setting up your Community Partner account.

Set Up Account

Welcome to the MI Bridges Community Partner team! If you have questions, please reach out to Anne Li at anneli@salvationarmy.org.

Thanks, MI Bridges Team

- Updated email notification language to new users to create their account
- The email lists the name of the individual who added the new user and the LPOC's contact information



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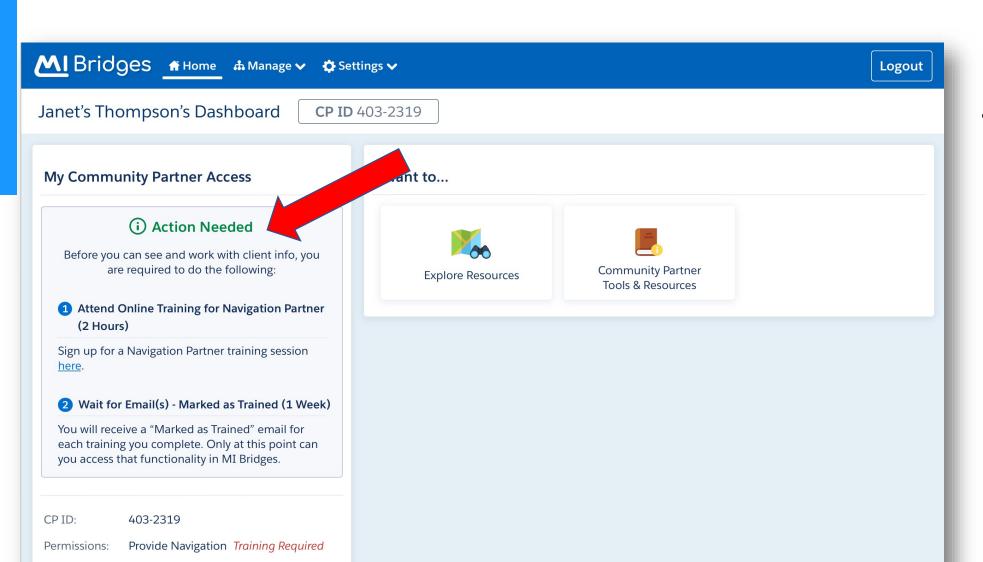
Hi < CP First Name>!

You were marked as trained to <permission> on MM/DD/YYYY.

- Login
 - Now you can log into your MI Bridges account to access the full Provide Navigation functionality.
- Check your Dashboard
 Check "Action Needed" on your MI Bridges dashboard to see if you need any further training.

Thanks, MI Bridges Team

- Updated email notification language to users once they've been marked as trained
- Note: Confirming training completion is a manual process by MDHHS and there may be a delay in between training and access to functionality



Lead Point of

Contact:

Anne Li

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View Profile

 New 'Action Needed' section on the dashboard for users who need to complete Navigation and/or Referral Partner training

My Community Partner Access

(i) Action Needed

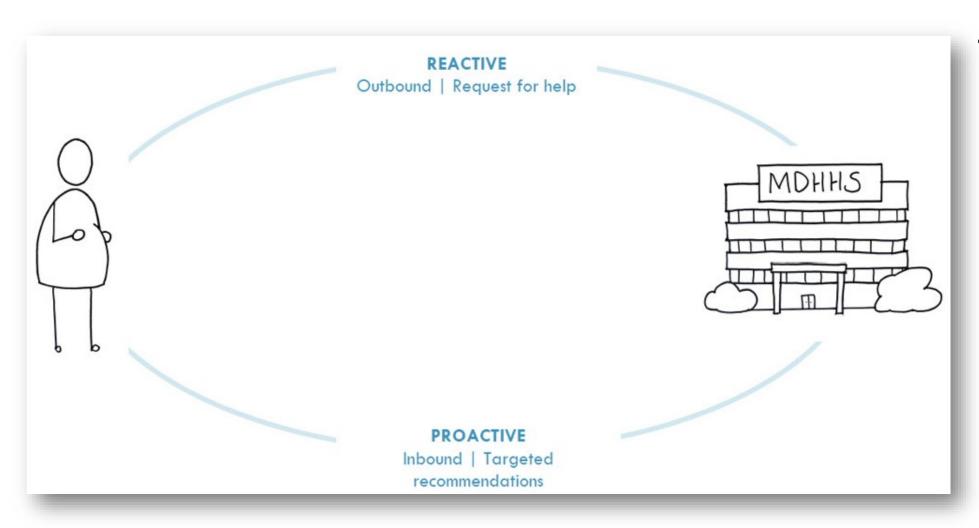
Before you can see and work with client info, you are required to do the following:

1 Attend Online Training for Navigation Partner (2 Hours)

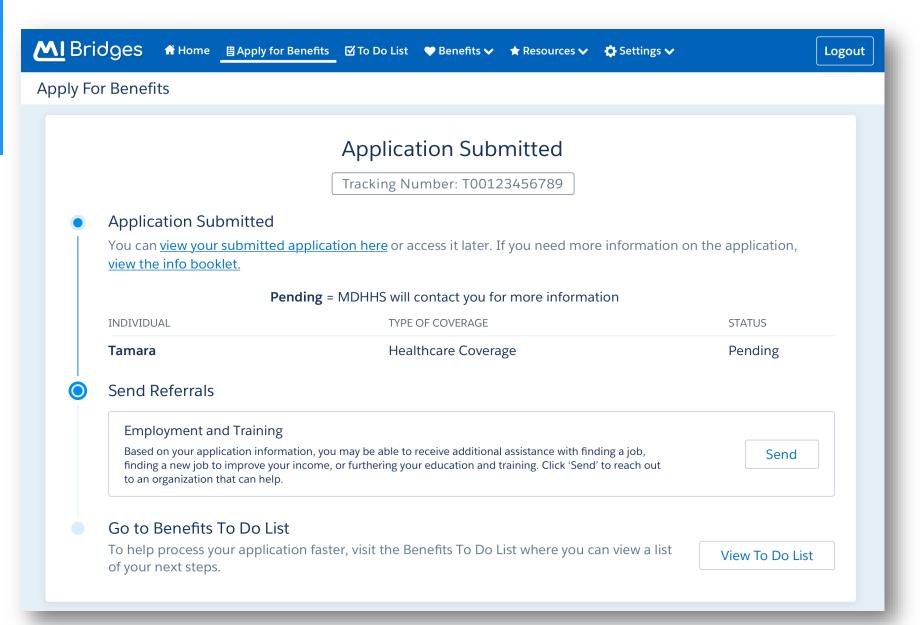
Sign up for a Navigation Partner training session here.

2 Wait for Email(s) - Marked as Trained (1 Week)

You will receive a "Marked as Trained" email for each training you complete. Only at this point can you access that functionality in MI Bridges. Training instructions
 customized based on the
 user's training
 requirements
 (Navigation vs. Referral)



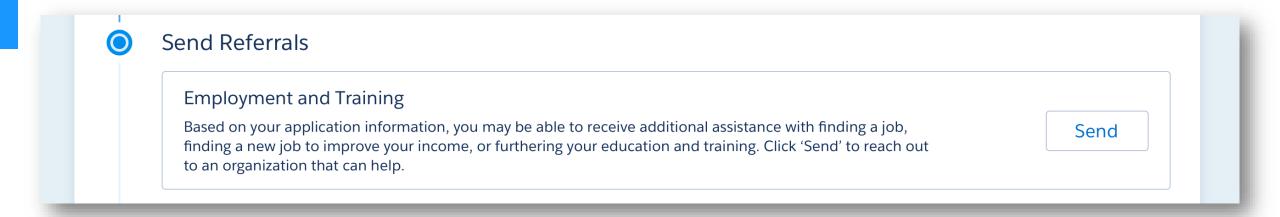
- Two new 'Proactive' referral types:
 - Michigan Works! (LEO)
 - Area Agencies on Aging (AAA)



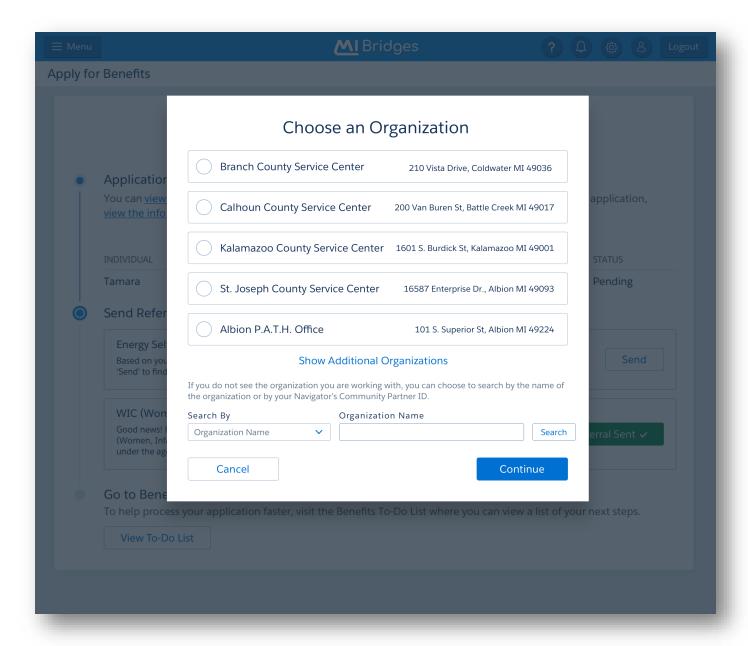
- New optional post-application referral recommendation for employment assistance through a local Michigan Works! agency
- Referrals are recommended when users submit an application and indicate they:
 - Recently lost their job

AND/OR

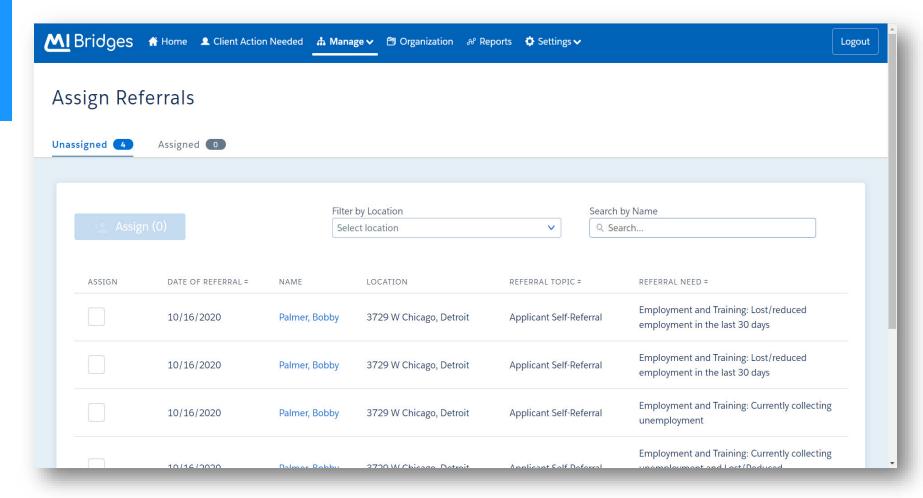
 Are currently receiving unemployment assistance



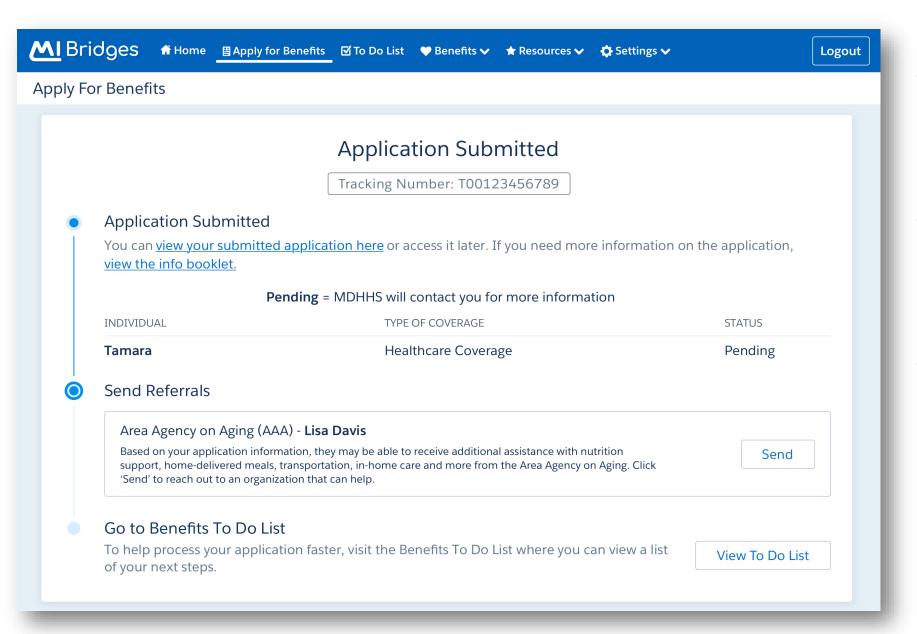
- Referral are recommended for applications for Healthcare, Child Development & Care (CDC), and State Emergency Relief (SER)
- Referrals are not recommended for Food Assistance (FAP) or Cash Assistance applications (due to existing program referrals/connections to Michigan Works! agencies)



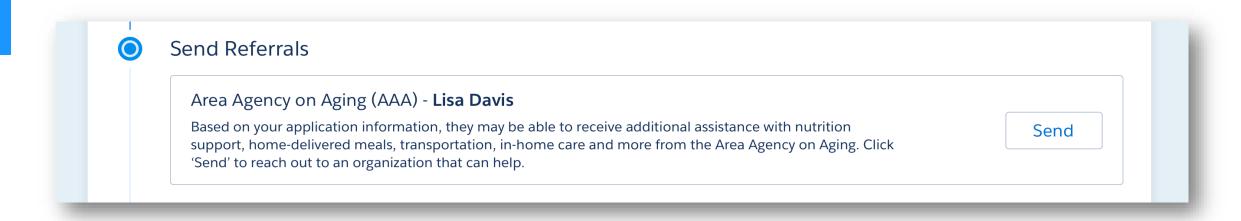
- Users will be shown Michigan Works! agencies in their area who are registered as Community Partners and are currently accepting referrals
- Users can also manually search for a Michigan Works! agencies via name or CP-ID



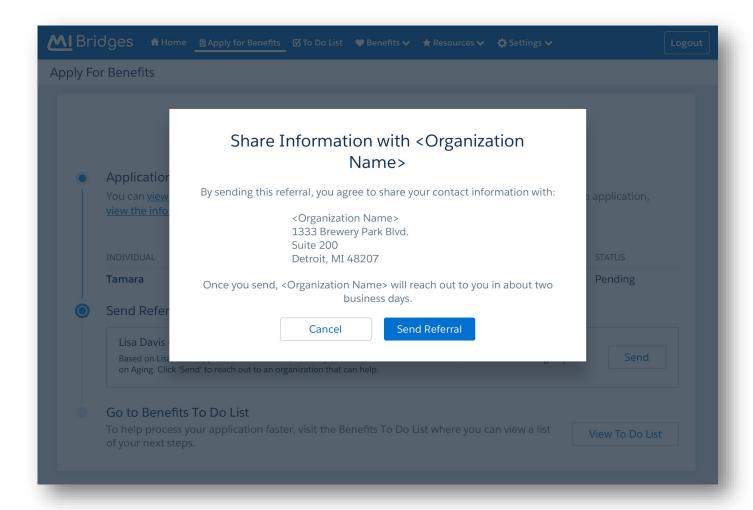
- Referral topic will display as 'Applicant Self Referral'
- Referral need as 'Employment and Training: Lost/reduced employment in the last 30 days' or 'Employment and Training: Currently collecting unemployment'



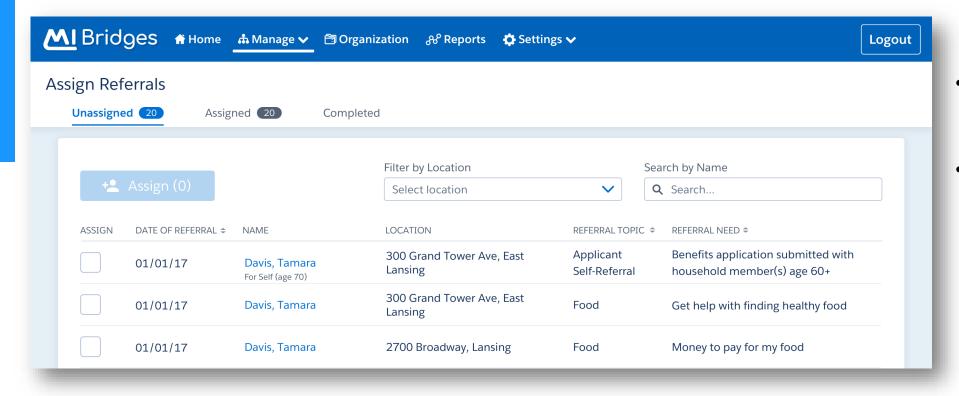
- New *optional* post-application referral recommendation for assistance through an Area Agency on Aging (AAA)
- Referrals are recommended when users submit an application with household member(s) age 60+
- Referrals are recommended for <u>all</u> program applications



The name(s) of the household member(s) age 60+ will display on the referral



- Users will be shown the Area Agency on Aging (AAA) that serves their area
- If the AAA for their area is not registered as a Community Partner or currently accepting referrals, the referral recommendation option will not display
- Note: Since only one AAA serves each county/area, users will only be shown the AAA that serves their address



- Referral topic will display as 'Applicant Self Referral'
- Referral need as 'Benefits application with household member(s) age 60+







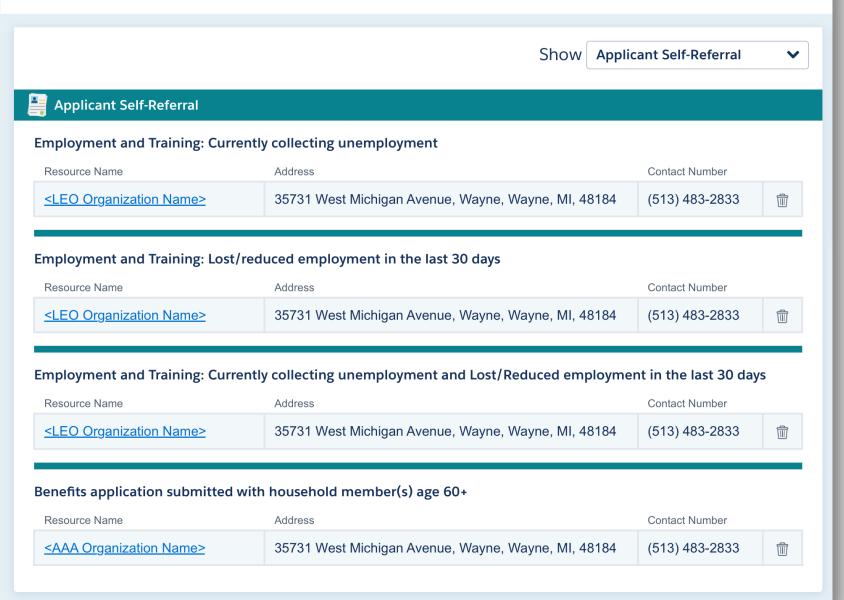








My Saved Resources



- **Applicant Self-Referrals** will now display in the 'My Saved **Resources**' as a new Topic for these proactive referrals to Michigan Works! and AAAs
- Applicant Self-Referrals will also display to Navigators by viewing a client's saved resources via the **Client Directory**
- Note: Same as current referrals, the date and status of Applicant Self-Referrals will also be available for Navigators to view in a client's saved resources

Notification Type	Text	Email
Letters from MDHHS ②		
Resource Updates ?		
Application Submission		
Reminders		
MDHHS Announcements ?		
	nis includes important r rogram recommendatio	

- New notification type added for users to receive outreach messages from MDHHS (examples: cross-enrollment campaigns, information about new programs/services from MDHHS, etc.)
- Existing users who are opted in to notifications will automatically be opted in to this new type. Users can opt out at any time.
- Note: This notification type does not include case-related notifications

A few other changes...

The following question was removed from applications and renewals:
 "Has anyone ever been convicted of a drug-related felony for conduct which occurred after August 22, 1996?"

- Starting in December, MILogin will require new resident users to use a unique email/phone number when registering a new account
 - During registration users will be asked to verify their email/phone number (if they enter them)
 - Email/phone number will still be optional for MI Bridges users
 - Note: This does not apply to MILogin Third Party users (at the moment)

Utilization

MI Bridges Utilization



2.64M Client Accounts



1.43M clients connected to MDHHS



5.5M Documents Uploaded

2.06M uploaded via Desktop

3.4M uploaded via Phone

69,000 uploaded via Tablet



Applications

440,000 CASH

2.01M FAP

752,000 SER

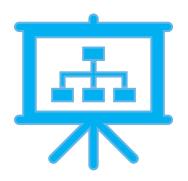
1.71M Healthcare

172,000 CDC

MI Bridges Utilization

836 Community Partner Organizations

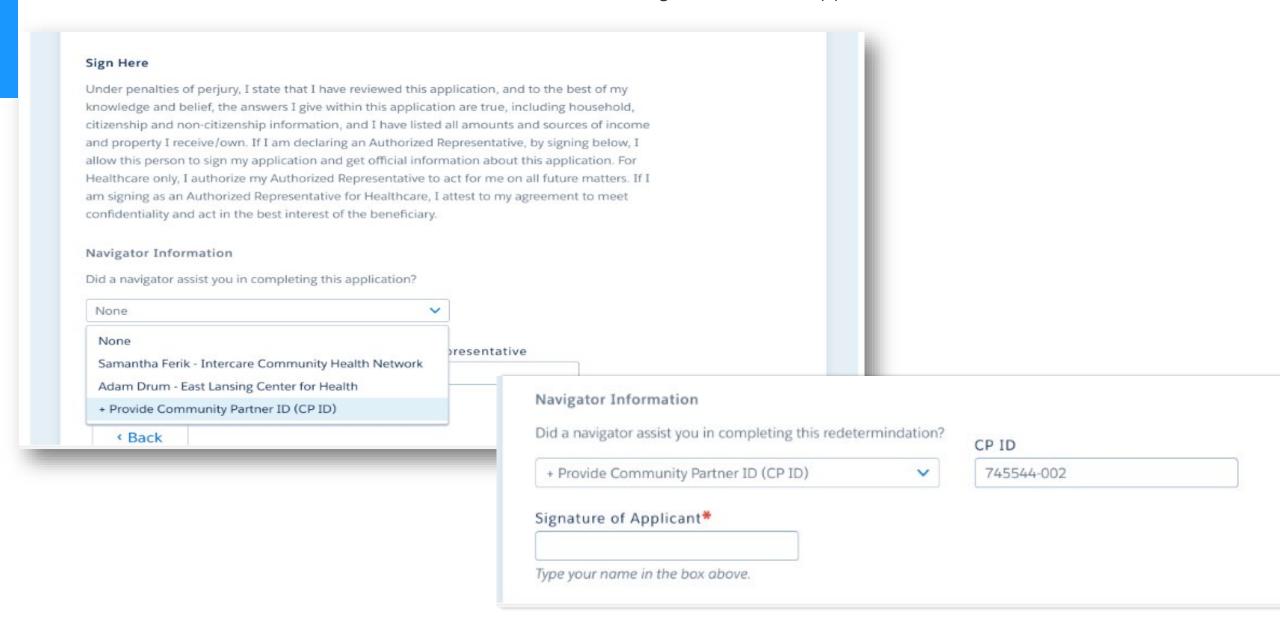
57,205 Navigator assisted applications



3,973 Community Partner Users

MI Bridges Utilization

64,191 Navigator assisted applications

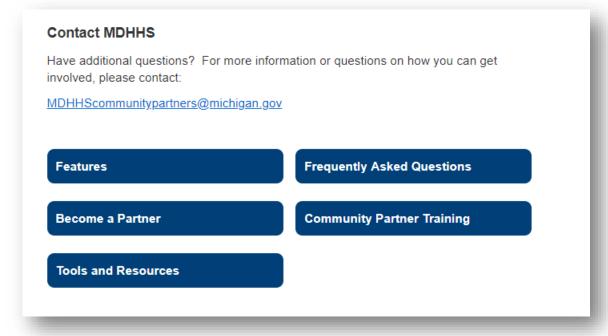


Community Partner Resources

Where to find answers

MI Bridges Community Partner Webpage

The MI Bridges Community Partner webpage (<u>www.Michigan.gov/MIBridgesPartners</u>) has information on, how-to videos, job aids, training, and MI Bridges features.



MI Bridges Community Bulletin

The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services distributes a monthly community partner bulletin to help partners stay informed on the lasted MI Bridges developments. These are uploaded on the MI Bridges Community Partner page after they are distributed. Partners can access past bulletins on the **Tools and Resources page** of www.Michigan.gov/MIBridgesPartners.

Contact Information

MI Bridges Community Partner Liaison

MDHHSCommunityPartners@Michigan.gov



Thank You for Attending!



What Questions Do You Have?

