

## Social Cohesion Index (SCI)

The index measures three things that arts organizations usually already track.

Formula

SCI = Geographic Reach + Community Partnerships + Inclusive Programming

Each category receives a score.

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### 1. Geographic Reach (0–40 points)

Measures whether people are coming from or organization is going to different parts of the county.

<b>What percentage of program attendees reside outside your organizational zip code and reside in Milwaukee County?</b>	<b>Score</b>
0–10%	10
11–25%	20
26–40%	30
41%+	40

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### 2. Community Partnerships (0–30 points)

Measures collaboration across organizations.

<b>Number of community partners</b>	<b>Score</b>
1–2	10
3–5	20
6+	30

Partners could include:

- neighborhood organizations
- cultural groups
- schools

- libraries
- social service organizations

### 3. Inclusive and Accessible Programming (0–30 points)

Measures whether programs intentionally bring communities together.

Organizations can report:

- multicultural programming
- free public events
- community festivals
- youth or intergenerational programs
- Accessibility of programming to different types of persons, such as those w/ disabilities, staff representation, accessible marketing, programming in different languages

#### Programs with accessibility as a component

	Score
1–2 programs	10
3–5 programs	20
6+ programs	30

*include a place to provide a description of the programs and the ratio of these programs to the total programs offered by the organization)*

#### Final Score

**SCI = total points (0–100)**