### **Progress & Challenges of Pathway Programs**

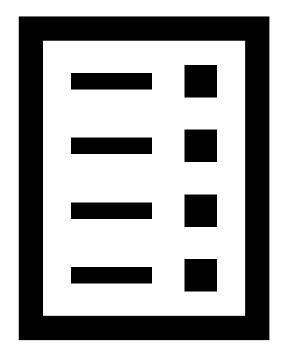
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- The need for pathways
- Pathways in education
- Progress
- Considerations
- Opportunities





### Imbalanced landscape

**Stem Careers** 

Race & Ethnicity

SES

Residence

Health access/care Disparity

Marginalized communities

Social Justice

Opportunities

**US** Population





## Pathways & Pipelines

#### • K-12

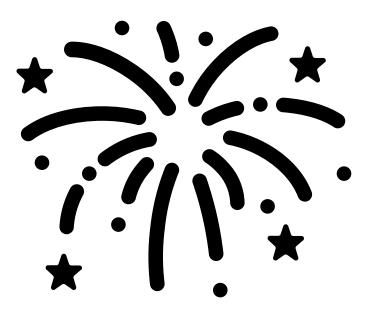
- 50 (Institute for Broadening Participation)
- 24.4% (AAMC MSQ 2022)
- Community College
  - **314** (Institute for Broadening Participation)
  - 33.9% (AAMC MSQ 2022)

- University
  - 600+ (Institute for Broadening Participation)
  - 33.9% (AAMC MSQ 2022)
- Medical School
  - Combined Baccalaureate MD  $\underline{\sim}45$
  - Post bacc & Masters
- Residency
  - Direct access



## Progress

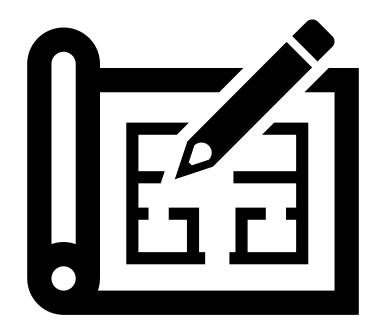
- Acknowledgement
- Community
- Skill development
- Graduate
- Specific needs are met





## Considerations: Long term investments

- Mission
  - Global vs specific
- Funding
  - Teaching, student support, soft skills
- Staffing
- Tracked?
- Size
- Sampling





# **Opportunities**

- K-12 Teacher training Inclusive science pedagogy
- Financial Support 
  Reliable & Federal
- Rigid >>>>> Fluid (location, specialty)
- Data 
  Link efforts to successes



