# **Innovations in Nutrition Grantee Summit**

## **Community of Care Guidelines**

These guidelines help create a positive and respectful environment during our short time together. We are so excited to have you here, and we want this Summit to be meaningful and engaging for all!



### 1. Arrive Prepared and Engaged:

- · Come to all sessions prepared and ready to actively engage in the discussion or work at hand.
- Bring your business cards to make connections and network.
- Be punctual and show respect for presenters and colleagues by arriving on time.

#### 2. Minimize Distractions:

- Refrain from using computers, phones or other electronic devices during sessions unless taking notes or if it is necessary for the task at hand.
- If you must use electronic devices for other reasons than mentioned above, step outside the meeting room to do so, ensuring that your actions do not disrupt the proceedings.
- We understand your day-to-day responsibilities do not stop while at this summit. Organizers have set aside work time each day to allow you to address anything, if needed.

### 3. Active Listening:

- Practice active listening during presentations and discussions.
- Avoid side conversations or distracting behaviors that may hinder your ability and others' to engage with the content and colleagues.

### 4. Respect for Diverse Perspectives:

- Encourage a welcoming and inclusive environment by respecting and valuing diverse perspectives and ideas
- Be open to constructive criticism and different viewpoints, fostering a culture of collaboration and mutual respect.

## 5. Participate Constructively:

- Contribute to discussions in a constructive and meaningful manner.
- Share your insights, experiences, and expertise to enrich the collective learning experience

#### 6. Feedback and Continuous Improvement:

- Provide feedback and suggestions for improving sessions or processes in a respectful and constructive manner.
- Be open to receiving feedback and use it as an opportunity for personal and professional growth.

#### 7. Professional Conduct:

- Always maintain professionalism, both in your interactions with colleagues and in your contributions to the INNU community.
- Assist and support other INNU Grantees in a positive way.

#### 8. Rest and Fun:

- Make time to rest and rejuvenate.
- · Have fun together with other INNU Grantees!