Cities Connecting Children to Nature Implementation Plan Logic Model For a world in which all children play and learn and grow with nature in their everyday lives.				
	Inputs/Resources	Activities	Outputs	Outcomes
City of Austin	Long Range Plan updated Department master plans (CHA, CHIP, etc.) Imagine Austin/CodeNext Full time staff person lead Marketing plan Leadership Committee	 Pass COBOR Data collection/analysis of green space Nature deficiency score Increase trails Activate park spaces 	 Increased use of parks and green spaces by children and families CCCN Project creates funding opportunities for PARD Higher use of parks Higher support of funding for parks and natural spaces Increased multi-partner planning 	 Healthier Families & Communities & Higher Quality of Life Policies and planning reflect increase prioritization of use of parks and green spaces.
Education	 Shared property agreements with ISDs ESAC/SHAC Sustainability Office COA Texas Rising Star/Nature Learners Learn all the Time afterschool network AISD and other ISDs School Garden Networks 	 Align programs Teacher training Refine shared property agreements Identify school programs for outdoor learning Facility maintenance agreement with PARD Integrating garden produce into cafeteria offerings 	 Increased Title I Schools students being served Increase # School Gardens Increase # Outdoor Classrooms Increase in amount of Outside Time per Week Higher Green Grades for Schools Increased field trips and presentations of environmental educational 	 Increased Cognitive Development Reduced stress levels Improved Social & Emotional Learning Happier, Healthier & Smarter Children More Active kids & Vigorous Outdoor Play Kids chose play
Health	Sprouts Program UT Public Health research	Participate in healthy equity policy council Support health Implementing nature prescription	 Increased activity & Vigorous Outdoor Play Increased Rx for Park Use Dr. clinic referrals requesting info on Park Use increased 	 Improved Mental Health / Psychological Wellbeing for Children Lower rates of chronic disease
Nonprofits and Community	 Nature NPS Trusted Leaders Youth leadership Westcave / CiNCA staff time 	Advocacy by NGOs Lead program alignment Create online program directory	 CCCN Project creates funding opportunities for PARD Baseline for future measurement of program service demographics 	 Increased Nature stewardship & Community Service More Active kids & Vigorous Outdoor Play