



FOOD IS MEDICINE™
— COALITION —

Accelerator Website User Guide

1. Home Page

- <https://fimcaccelerator.org/>
- Click on the button for your cohort year (2022-2023) – this will take you to the site that's specific to your cohort year.





Welcome to the
**Food is Medicine Coalition
Accelerator**

A national training program for Medically Tailored Meal
(MTM) providers

MEMBERS LOGIN

2020-2021 Cohort

2021-2022 Cohort

2022-2023 Cohort



2. Logging in

- Click on Members Login button and enter username (email address) and password that will be emailed to you after the 1st Office Hours (September 7th).
- Once logged in, click on the **Accelerator Curriculum Modules** button to access the course main page, modules, and course materials. Click Enroll in course.
- Strongly encourage creating a new/strong password!

The screenshot illustrates the login process for the Food is Medicine Accelerator. It is divided into three numbered steps:

- Step 1:** A green button labeled "Accelerator Curriculum Modules" and a teal button labeled "Members Login" are shown. A blue arrow points from "Members Login" to the login form.
- Step 2:** The login form is displayed. It includes a header bar with "2022-2023 COHORT" and "FIMC ACCELERATOR". Below the header is the "FOOD IS MEDICINE COALITION" logo and a navigation menu with links: Home, Modules, Forum, My Account, FIMC, Resources, and Login. The main heading is "Welcome to the Food is Medicine Accelerator". The text below explains the purpose of the program: "The provision of medically tailored meals (MTM) is the only known food insecurity intervention that helps overcome four key barriers to optimal health: (1) difficulty changing dietary behaviors, (2) limited access to health-promoting foods, (3) insecurity related to food access, and (4) choosing between optimal disease management and purchase of healthy foods. The intervention targets individuals whose needs cannot be met with less intensive interventions such as non-MTM programs, food pantries, SNAP, and congregate meal sites." It also mentions that studies show MTM interventions improve health outcomes, reduce healthcare costs, and enhance patient satisfaction. The text concludes: "There are large areas across the country that do not have access to MTM services. The Food is Medicine Accelerator works to refine, replicate, and broadly scale the MTM model to ensure that people coping with food insecurity and severe illness have access to MTM, regardless of where they reside." The login form itself has fields for "Username or Email Address" (containing "lhatzenbuehler@serving.org") and "Password" (masked with dots). There is a "Remember Me" checkbox and a "Log In" button. A link for "Lost Your Password?" is also present.
- Step 3:** After logging in, the user is redirected to the "Accelerator Curriculum Modules" page. The "Accelerator Curriculum Modules" button is highlighted with a red box. A "Logout" button is also visible.

3. Course main page

- **Progress bar** – will show you how far you've progressed through the curriculum.
- **Materials** – click on this tab to find general materials for the Accelerator, namely, the schedule (this will be updated periodically).
- **Course content** (on both Course and Materials tab) – links to each module. You can also access these via the main menu bar.
 - i. Completed courses are checked off

2022-2023 COHORT

FIMC ACCELERATOR



Home Modules Forum My Account FIMC Resources Logout

Food is Medicine Coalition Accelerator

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Course

Materials

2022-2023 Curriculum Schedule

2022-2023 COHORT

FIMC ACCELERATOR

Course

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The Food is Medicine Accelerator works to refine, replicate, and broadly scale the MTM model to ensure that people coping with food insecurity and severe illness have access to MTM, regardless of where they reside.

Learning Objectives:

- **Operationalize** levers for scaling, such as kitchen expansion, distribution, meal packaging, nutrition, client services, contracting opportunities and compliance
- **Understand** policy levers that will establish coverage of MTM, particularly within the Medicare, Medicaid, and private insurance market
- **Initiate** contracts within national and state-level opportunities for healthcare contracting

Course Content

☐ Meet & Greet
1 Quiz

Expand

☐ MTM Concepts

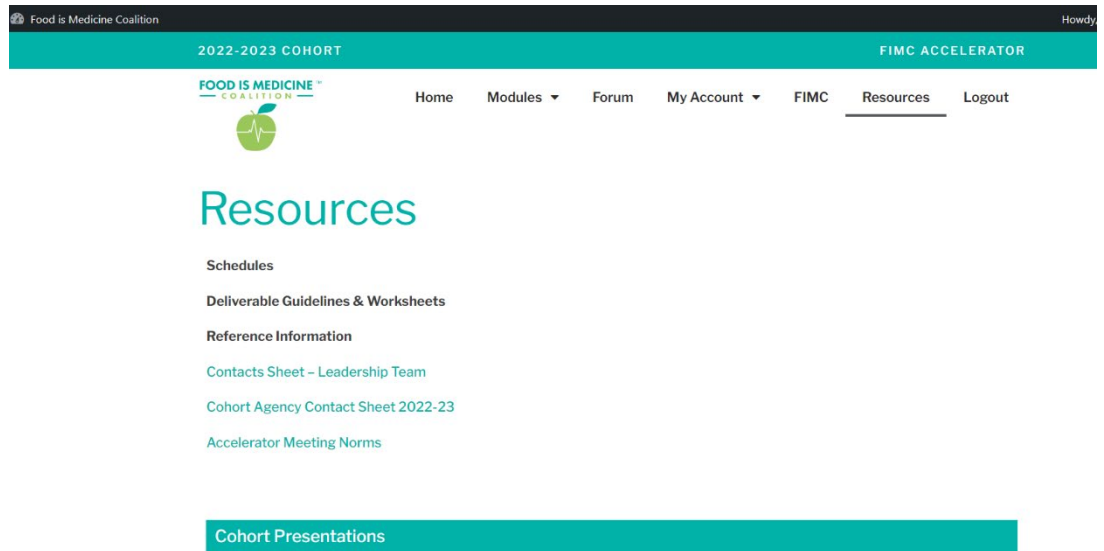
4. Module pages –

- Course materials will be added after each webinar or training sessions. These include slides, recordings, handouts, and assignments. You can access Modules from either the main menu dropdown or from the course main page.
- What can be found on the **Module** tab:
 - i. Overview of the learning goals
 - ii. **Assignment** description and due date (when applicable)
 - 1. Use the **Assignment upload bar** to upload your team's assignment (only one person per team needs to do this)
 - iii. **Module Content box** – Most modules will have a **quiz and/or survey** that's required to complete the module.
 - 1. When you complete the survey or quiz, the module will be automatically marked as Complete, you'll see the progress bar be updated, and it will take you to the next Module in the course.
- What can be found on the **Materials** tab:
 - i. Links to open/download slide decks and handouts
 - ii. Links to view webinar recordings
 - iii. Note that the Assignment and Module content boxes also appear in the Materials tab – these are the same ones that are in the Module tab, so can access quizzes and upload assignments either way

The screenshot displays the 'Food is Medicine Accelerator' web application. At the top, a teal header bar contains '2022-2023 COHORT' and 'FIMC ACCELERATOR'. Below this is a navigation bar with 'Home', 'Modules', 'Forum', 'My Account', 'FIMC', 'Resources', and 'Logout'. The 'Modules' dropdown menu is open, showing a list of modules: Business Planning, Client Relationship Management (CRM), Client Services, Communications and Branding, Contracting Pitch Deck and Scope of Work, Delivery, Finance, Fundraising and Marketing, Getting Started Referrals, Getting Started/Scaling up, Healthcare Opportunities & Contracting, HIPAA and Confidentiality, and Kitchen Operations. The 'Contracting Pitch Deck and Scope of Work' module is highlighted with a green 'COMPLETE' status and a timestamp 'Last activity on April 14, 2022 5:48 pm'. Below the navigation bar, the main content area is divided into two columns. The left column features the 'Food is Medicine Coalition' logo and a 'Course' tab. The right column shows the 'Accelerator' title and a progress bar. Below the progress bar, there is a section for 'Learning Objectives' and a list of modules. The 'Contracting Pitch Deck and Scope of Work' module is selected, and its content is displayed in the main area. The content includes a title 'Contracting Pitch Deck and Scope of Work', a progress bar, and a list of learning objectives. The bottom of the page shows a sidebar with a list of modules and a main content area with a title 'Contracting Pitch Deck and Scope of Work' and a progress bar.

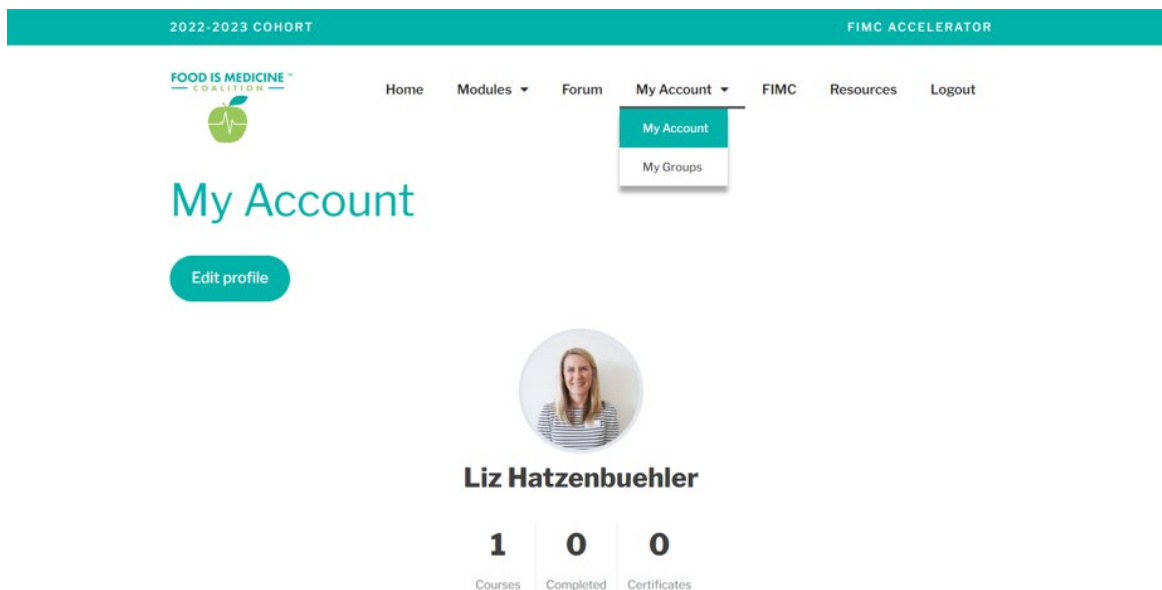
5. Resources Tab

- This tab will be populated over the course of the year with useful information such as the schedules, deliverables and checklists, office hour recordings, contact information, etc.



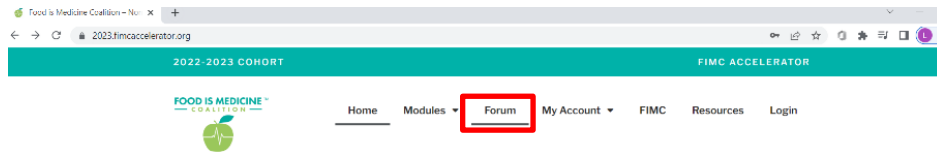
6. My Account

- Will show that you're enrolled in the Accelerator course, and your progress
- Your Groups – shows your organizational affiliation in this third cohort.
- In **Edit Profile**:
 - Can add a profile picture
 - Edit your name/display name/email address (please also let us know if the changes you make here need to be made elsewhere)
 - To **change your password**:
 - At the bottom of the page, enter a new password and then click Update



7. Forums

- The Accelerator Forum is a separate website linked to the curriculum website.
- Click on **Forum** tab from the main menu of the curriculum website to take you to the forum website.
- For your first log-in, use the username and password emailed to you by Liz. Once logged-in, we suggest that you create a new password. It can be the same password you use for the Curriculum website to make it easy on yourself.



View from Curriculum Website

Welcome to the Food is Medicine Accelerator

The provision of medically tailored meals (MTM) is the only known food insecurity intervention that helps overcome four key barriers to optimal health: (1) difficulty changing dietary behaviors, (2) limited access to health-promoting foods, (3) insecurity related to food access, and (4) choosing between optimal disease management and purchase of healthy foods. The intervention targets individuals whose needs cannot be met with less intensive interventions such as non-MTM programs, food pantries, SNAP, and congregate meal sites.

With studies showing that MTM interventions improve health outcomes, reduce healthcare costs, and enhance patient satisfaction, healthcare payers and providers are beginning to take notice and have started reimbursing for these services. Healthcare reimbursement of MTM offers the opportunity to sustainably scale the intervention, reaching more individuals who would benefit from medically optimized nutrition.

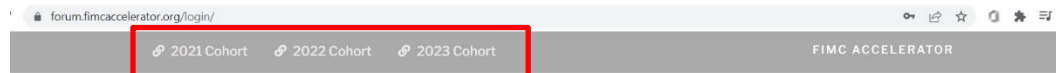
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Accelerator Curriculum Modules

Members Login



- To return to the Curriculum website, click on the chain link with your cohort year (see red box below).



View when you enter the Forum Website from the Curriculum Website



Login

Click here to log in:

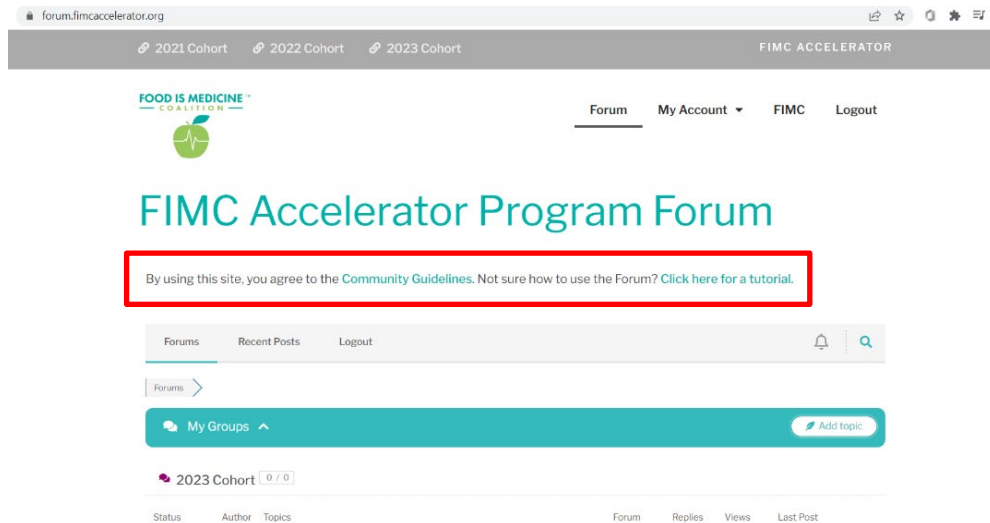
Login or Register

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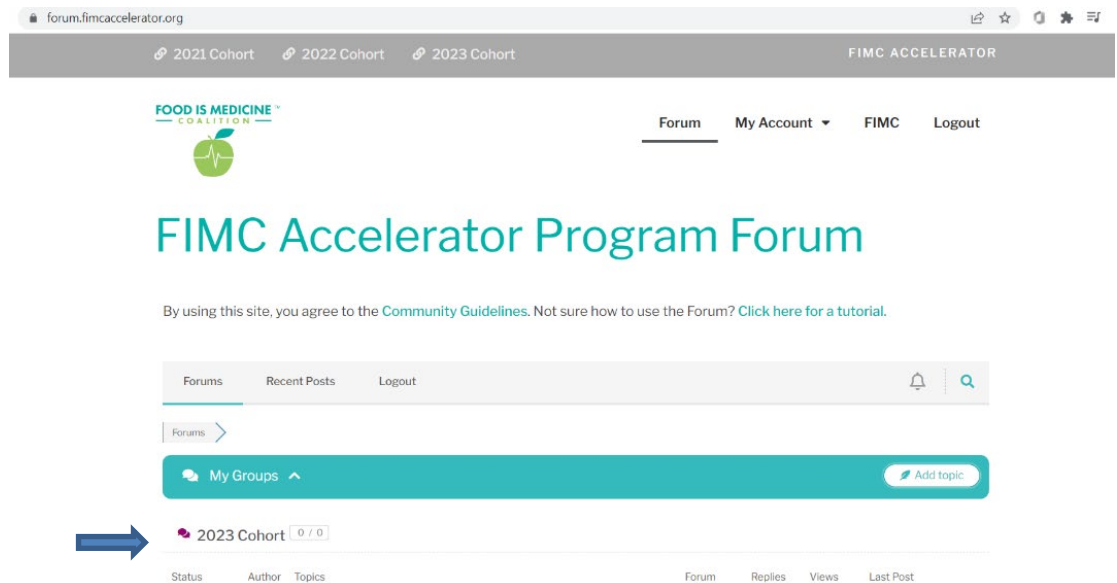
Contact the Food is Medicine Coalition

JTerranova@serving.org

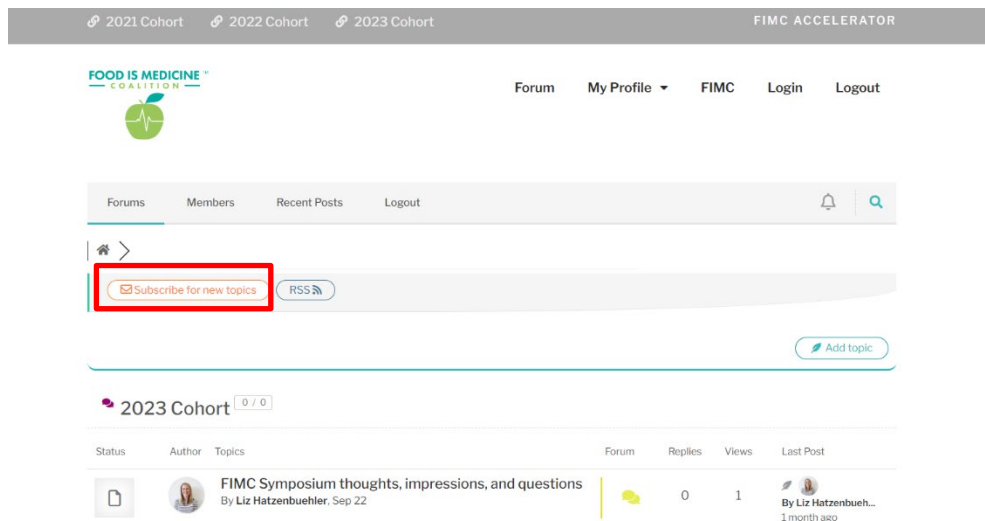
- Once you are logged in, watch the **Tutorial video** and review the **Community Guidelines** to help you get started.



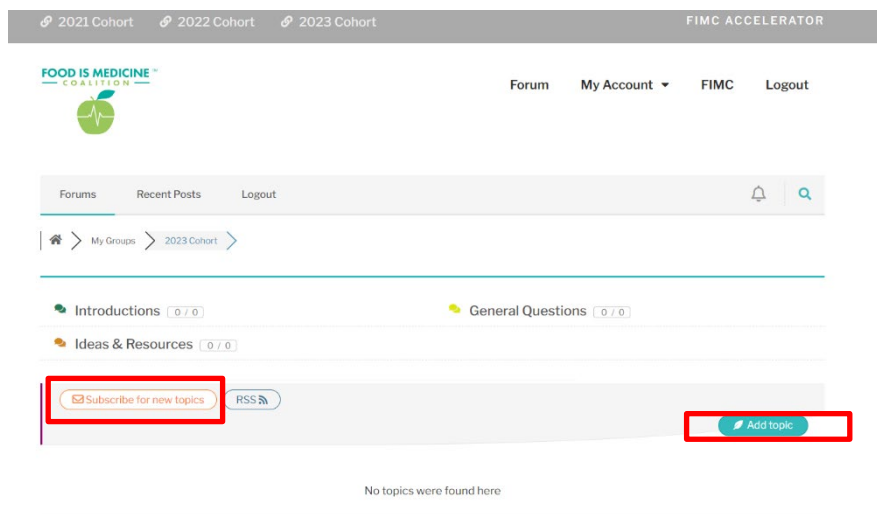
- Click on “2023 Cohort” to access your cohort’s forum to add your questions or comments.



- We've provided a few sub-forums – **Introductions**, **General Questions** and **Ideas and Resources** – to help organize your posts.
- To follow along to all posts, click “**Subscribe for new topics.**” You will receive an email confirmation acknowledging your subscription.
 - i. Leadership team members will be monitoring the forums and so we can answer your questions
 - ii. The comments/questions posted in the forum should be those that your cohort colleagues might also find helpful. However, if your comment/question is admin related or something you don't want shared with the entire cohort, please contact us by email instead.



- To add a new comment/question, click on one of the sub-forums, and click “Add Topic”
 - iii. Enter a brief title (like an email subject line) and your question/comment in the text box
 - iv. To be notified whenever someone responds to your post, you need to click “**Subscribe for New Topics**”. You will receive an email confirmation acknowledging your subscription.



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