

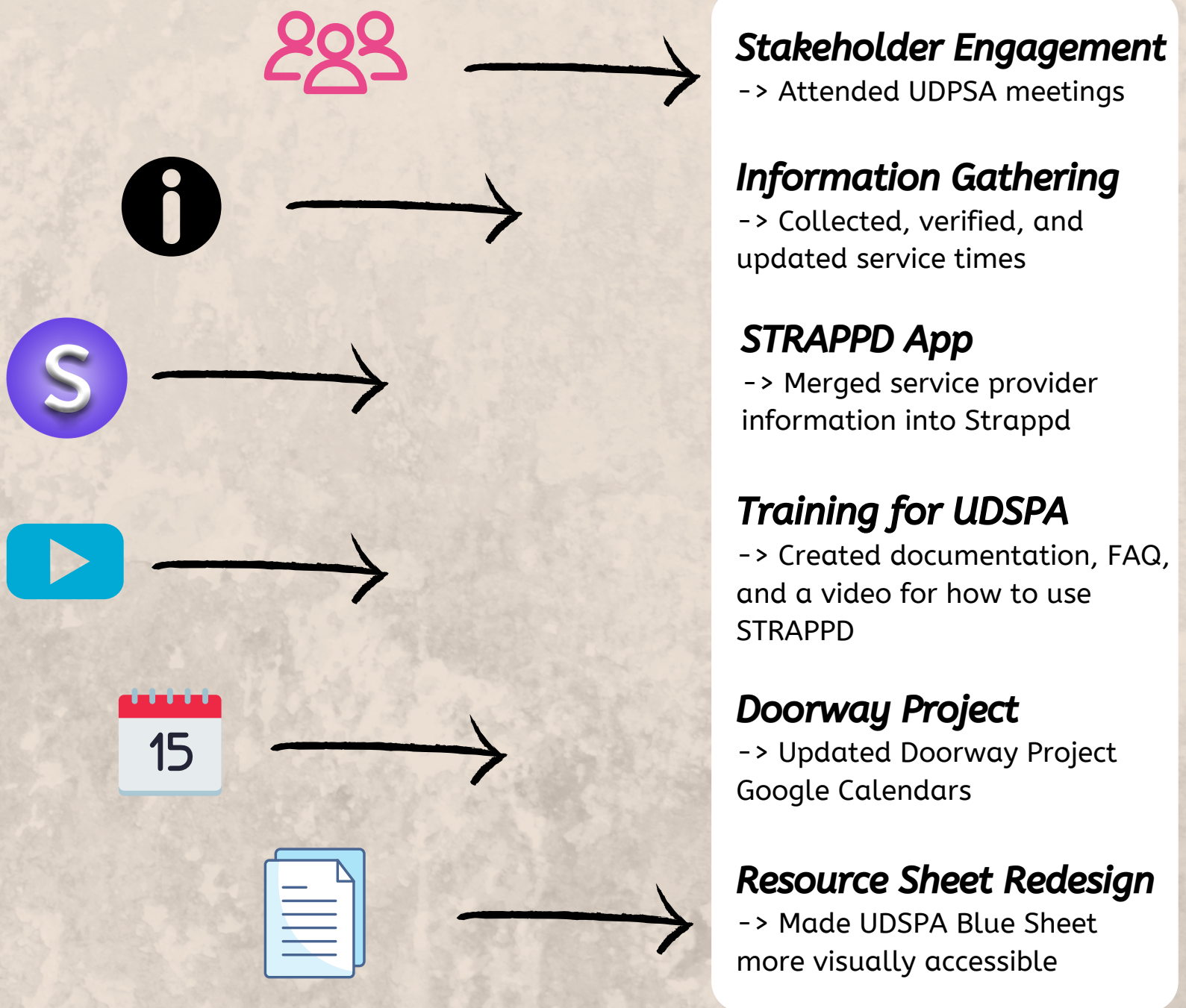
# Information Verification & Sharing: Service Providers and Homeless Youth in the University District, Seattle, WA

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## Information Need

Access to up-to-date service information is key to providing the best assistance to youth experiencing homelessness. Prior to this project, there were multiple locations where University District service provider information was collected and shared, making it difficult to know what information was current. In order to ease this information finding process for youth, we tackled this need in the following ways:



## Impact

Team members collected, verified, and updated information on multiple existing platforms. Service provider information was also merged into Strappd (an existing resource-finding app for those experiencing homelessness). A universal provider login was created for select UDSPA members.

## Outcome

Resources are now uniformly up-to-date, and the introduction of Strappd allows youth experiencing homelessness in the University District to access information anywhere they have internet. Service providers also have the ability to own and change their information in real time in the Strappd app.