

# Survey of States

Public Health Leadership and Practice Team

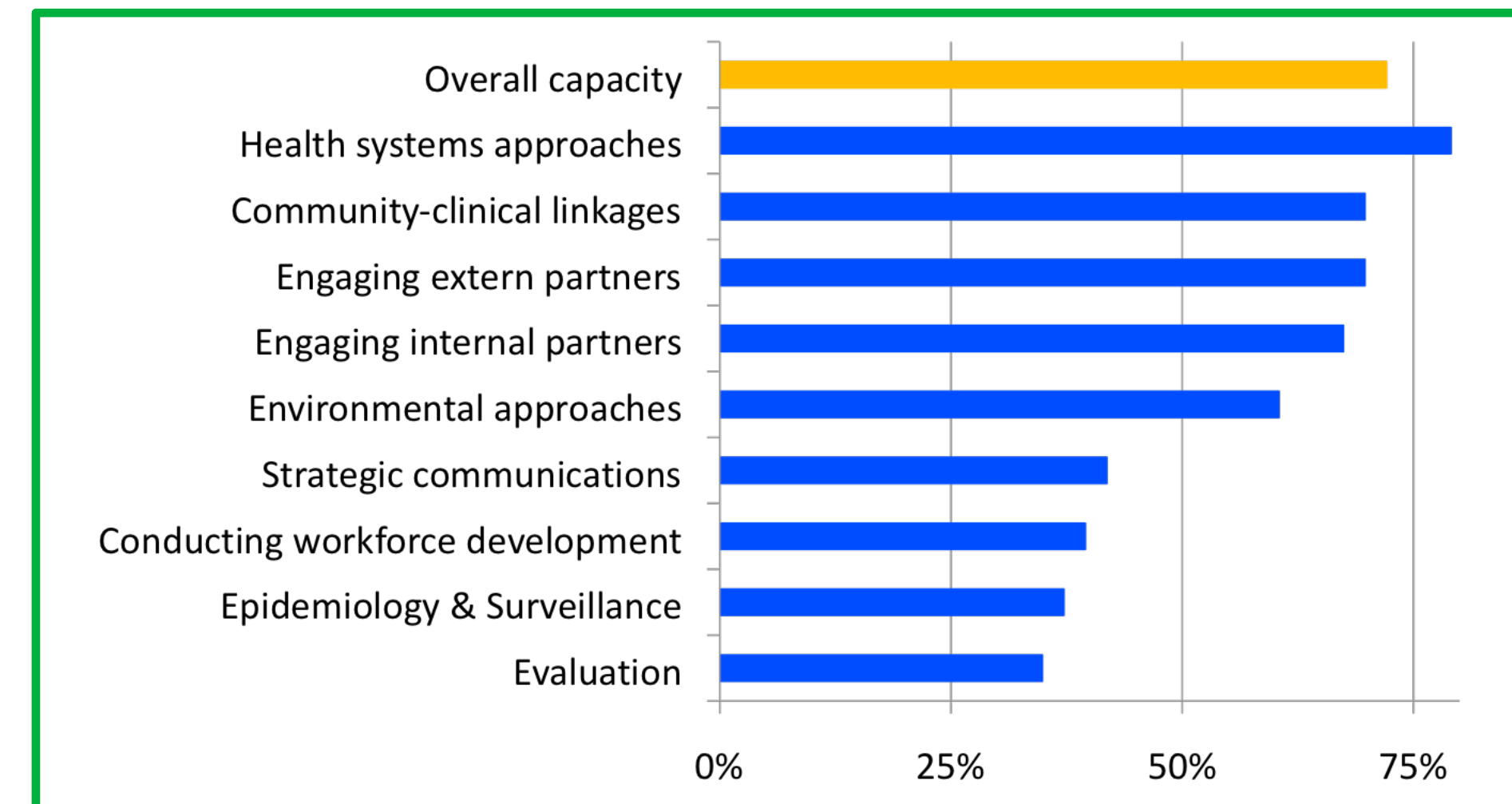
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## INTRODUCTION

The Survey of States documents the evolution of states' organizational capacity for chronic disease prevention practice. Areas of capacity assessed include:

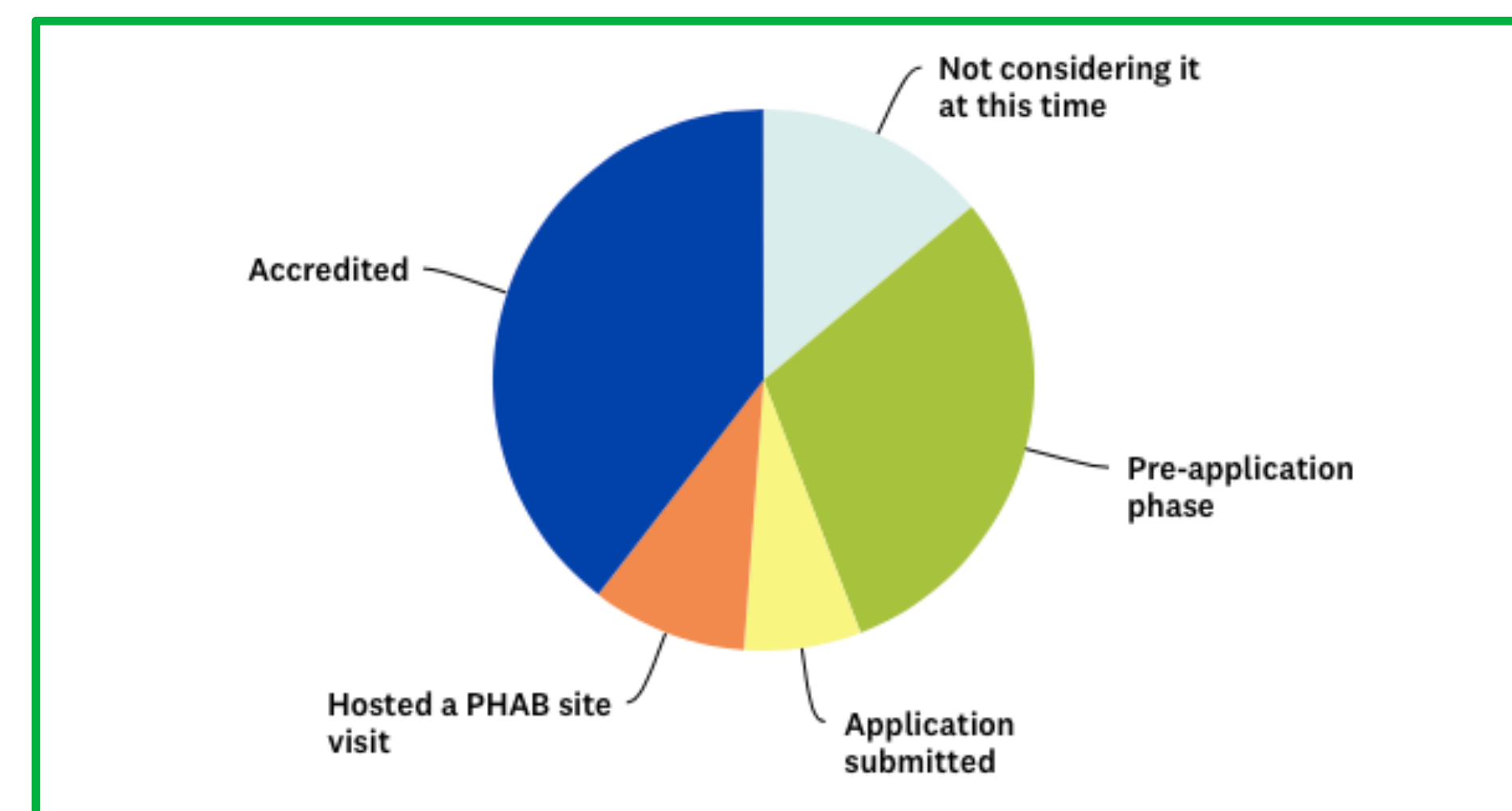
- Engaging partners within the state health department
- Engaging external partners such as other public agencies, private sector organizations, non-profits, etc.
- Conducting workforce development activities for chronic disease unit staff
- Conducting evaluation to inform, prioritize, deliver, monitor, and improve programs
- Gathering, analyzing, and disseminating epidemiology and surveillance data to monitor population health
- Planning and implementing strategic communications that translate data for stakeholders, decision makers, partners, funders, and the public
- Planning and implementing environmental approaches to promote health and support and reinforce healthful behaviors
- Planning and implementing interventions that strengthen community-clinical linkages to ensure that communities support and clinics refer patients to programs that improve management of chronic conditions



Percent of states reporting an increase in capacity during the last year, 2016 Survey of States



Program areas contained within state chronic disease units, 2016 Survey of States



PHAB accreditation status for state health departments, 2016 Survey of States

## GOALS & OBJECTIVES

- Annually monitor organizational capacity markers
- Query leadership and practice development needs
- Examine emerging chronic disease prevention and health promotion issues and their impact on state-level public health practice

## IMPACT

- Informs development of NACDD programming
- Documents state-level public health practice capacity over time
- Identifies best practices in chronic disease prevention leadership and practice for further study

## OUTLOOK

First Quarter 2018

- New data available
- 5 year review