



# HELP! How Do We Get The Data?

Beginning to Work with Health  
Systems

# Eight Heads are Better than One



- Getting Started
  - Forming your team
    - Consider the following members:
      - Epidemiologists
      - Health program specialists
      - Cross-program staff

# Starting with the People You Know



- Center for Health Data and Informatics
- State Medicaid Office
- Reportable Disease Epidemiologist



# Honing in on the Data



- Selecting Clinical Quality Measures
- Conducting a Data Scan
  - HEDIS
  - Uniform Data System
  - Physician Quality Reporting System
  - All Payer Claims Database
  - Medicaid Meaningful Use & ACO Data
- Identifying the Gaps

# Developing Relationships



- Who are the data stewards?
  - Stakeholders and partners
- Why do we want the data?
- Why would our stakeholders want to give us the data?
- Starting a win/win conversation

# Developing the Data Plan



- Determine Plan Components
  - List of Indicator
  - Data sources
  - Obtaining the data (who, when, where, how?)
  - Reporting
- Share the Findings

# Looking for Opportunities



- What We Found in Utah
  - Department strategic planning
  - Medicaid Quality Committee
  - Bureau integration planning
  - Utah Partnership for Value
- Invite Yourself to the Table

## Next Steps



- Review the Data Scan Results
- Develop Talking Points
- Meet with Stakeholders
- Write Bureau Data Plan
- Explore Integrated Department Data Plan



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