

Assessing Quality of VA Out-of-Network Care: Key Frameworks for Conceptual Approach

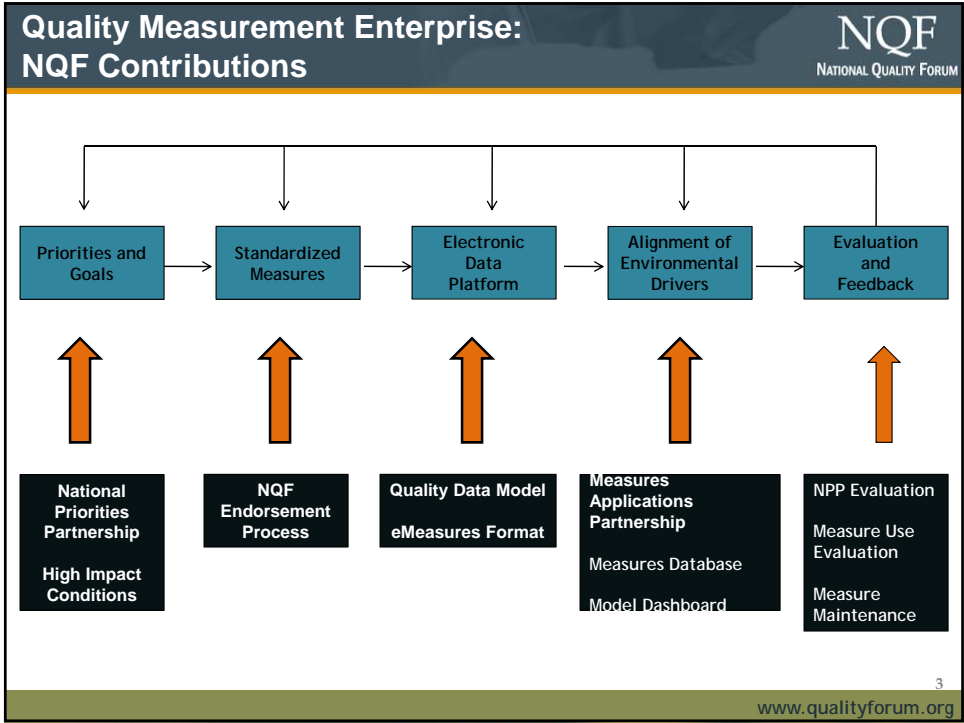
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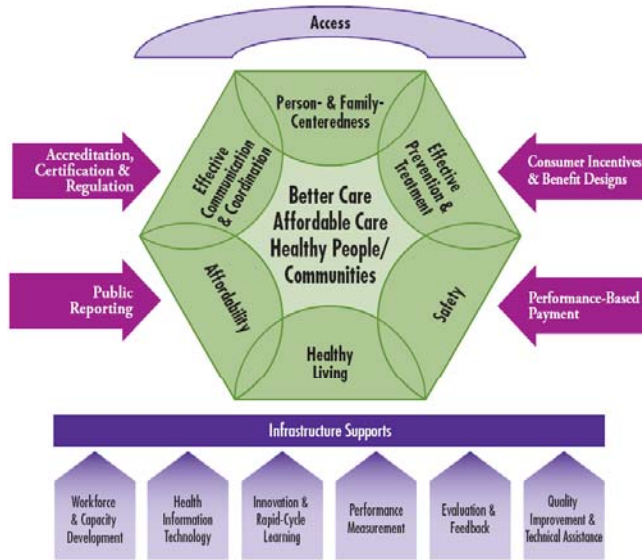
NQF's Mission

To improve the quality of American healthcare by:

- **Building consensus on national priorities and goals** for performance improvement and **working in partnership to achieve them**;
- **Endorsing national consensus standards** for **measuring and publicly reporting** on performance; and
- Promoting the attainment of national goals through **education and outreach** programs.

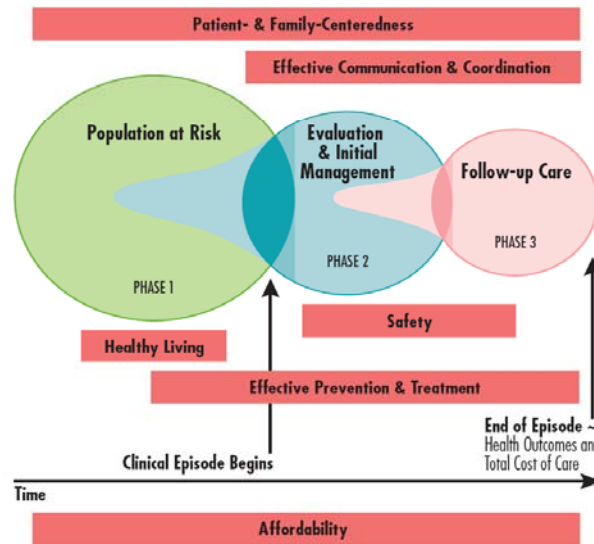


HHS National Quality Strategy



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Patient-Focused Episodes of Care Model



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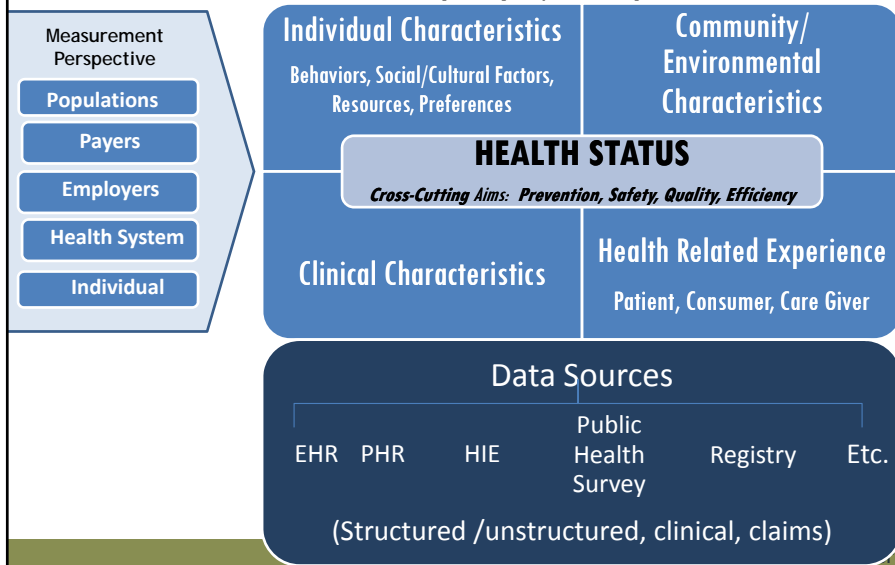
FRAMEWORK FOR MEASURING
CARE COORDINATION

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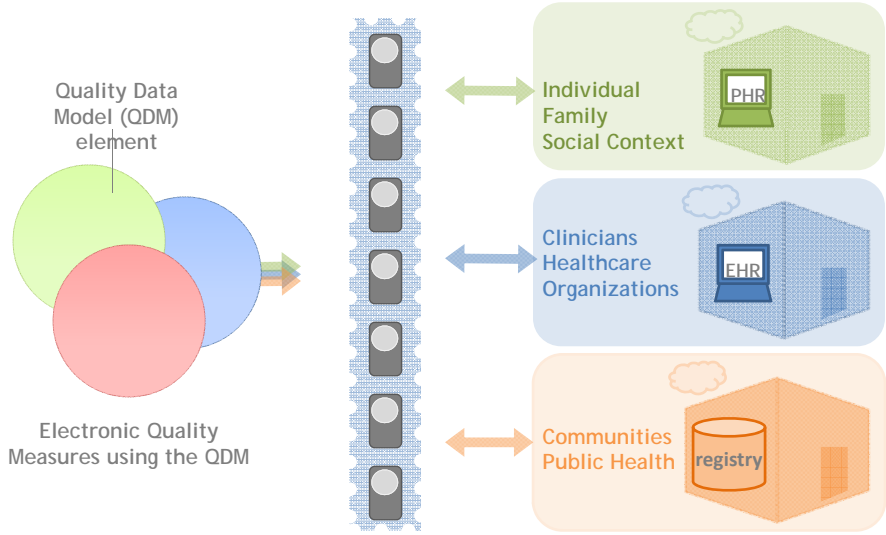
1. Healthcare "home"
2. Proactive plan of care and follow-up
3. Communication
4. Information systems
5. Transitions or "hand-offs"

Performance Measures and Information
Requirements Will Change Over Time

HEALTH INFORMATION FRAMEWORK
Healthy People / Healthy Communities



Quality Data Model Is Working to Define the Data



Universal Interoperable Health IT Standards using the QDM

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Thank You

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