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ONC's Programs & Policies To Achieve Widespread and Meaningful Use of Health Information Technology

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Meaningful Use:



Key features
specified in ARRA



Health IT policy
committee



Public rule
making process

Pillars of Meaningful Use

Patient &
Family
Engagement

Coordinated
Care

Quality,
Safety &
Efficiency

Privacy &
Security

Improved
Public &
Population
Health

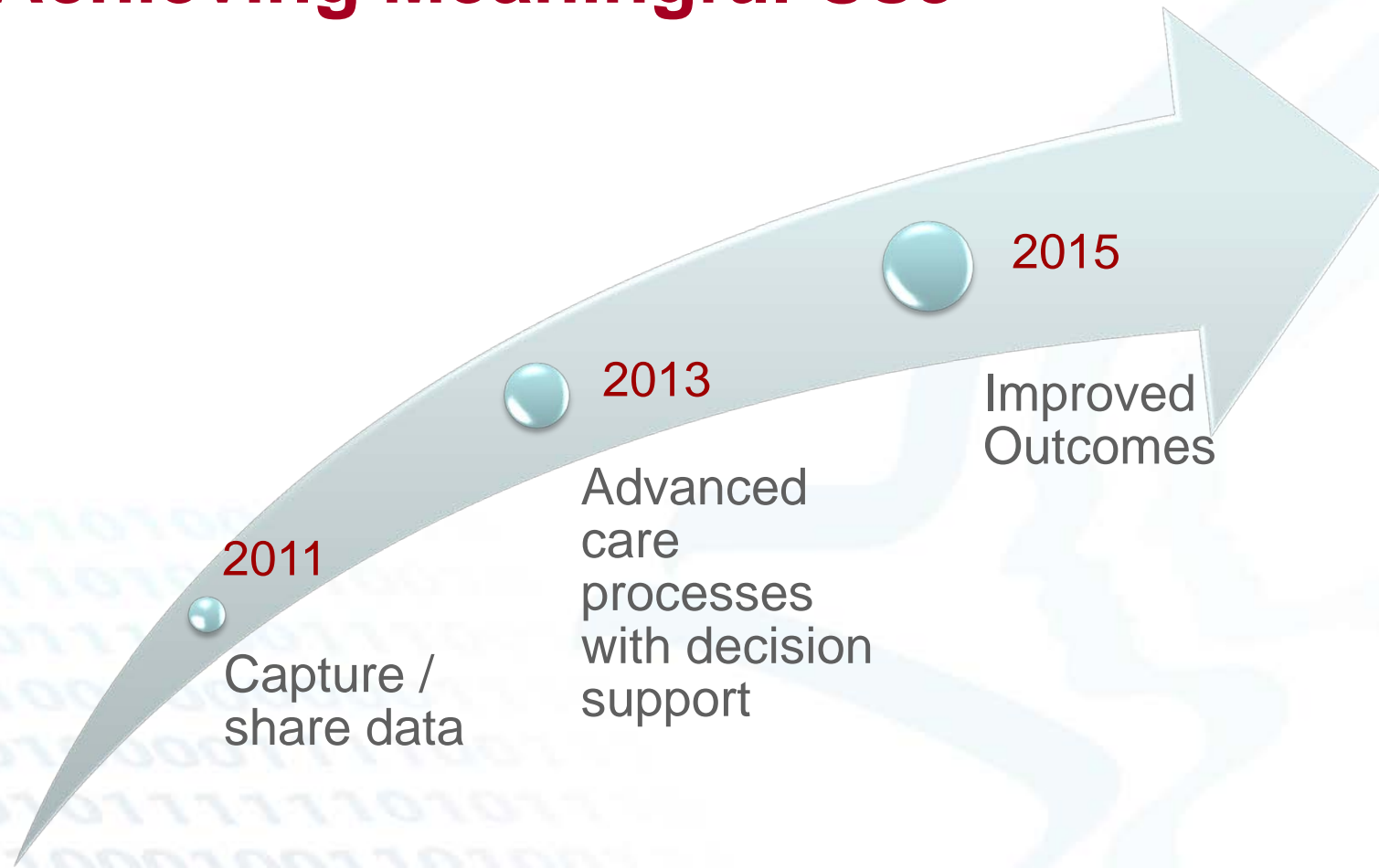


Pumpkin



Meaningful Use of a Pumpkin

HIT – Enabled Health Reform Achieving Meaningful Use



Key Features of 2011 Definition

Core Set

- Clinical documentation
- Provider order entry
- Quality measures
- Drug interaction checks
- E-prescribing

Menu Set

- Incorporation of test results into EHR
- Medication reconciliation
- Patient access to their information

Full Sets of 2011 Definition

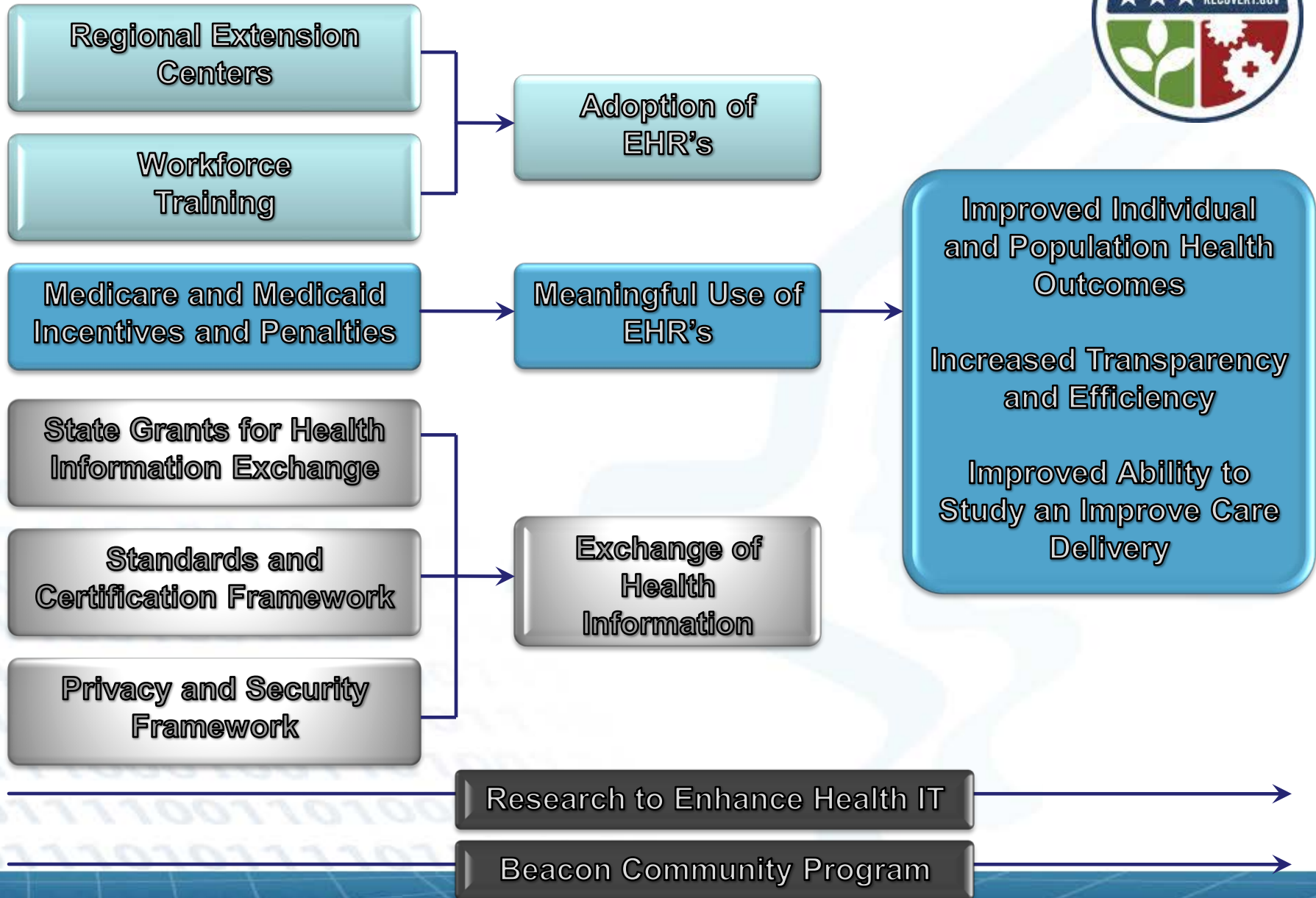
Core Set

- Clinical Provider Order Entry (CPOE)
- Drug-Drug and Drug-Allergy Checks
- E-Prescribing
- Demographics
- Problem List
- Medication List
- Medication Allergy List
- Vital Signs
- Smoking Status
- Clinical Decision Support
- Calculate and Transmit CMS
- Electronic Copy of Health Information
- Electronic Copy of Discharge Instructions
- Clinical Summaries
- Exchange Key Critical Information
- Privacy/Security

Menu Set

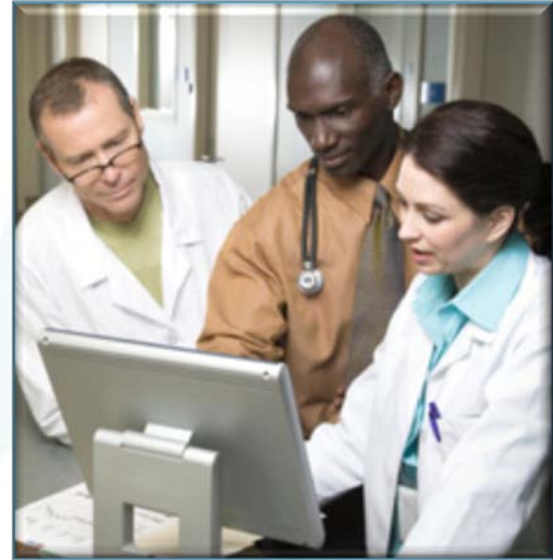
- Drug Formulary Checks
- Advance Directives
- Lab Results into HER
- Patient List
- Patient Reminders
- Timely Electronic Access to HIT
- Patient Specific Education
- Medication Reconciliation
- Summary of Care
- Immunization Registries
- Submit Lab Results to Public Health Agencies
- Syndromic Surveillance

Process to Achieve Meaningful Use



Regional Extension Centers (RECs)

- 60 Centers covering 98% of U.S. providers
- Focus on small, primary care practices and critical access hospitals
- Register and support 100,000 providers to help them achieve meaningful use
- Provide direct, individualized, onsite technical assistance



State Health Information Exchange Program

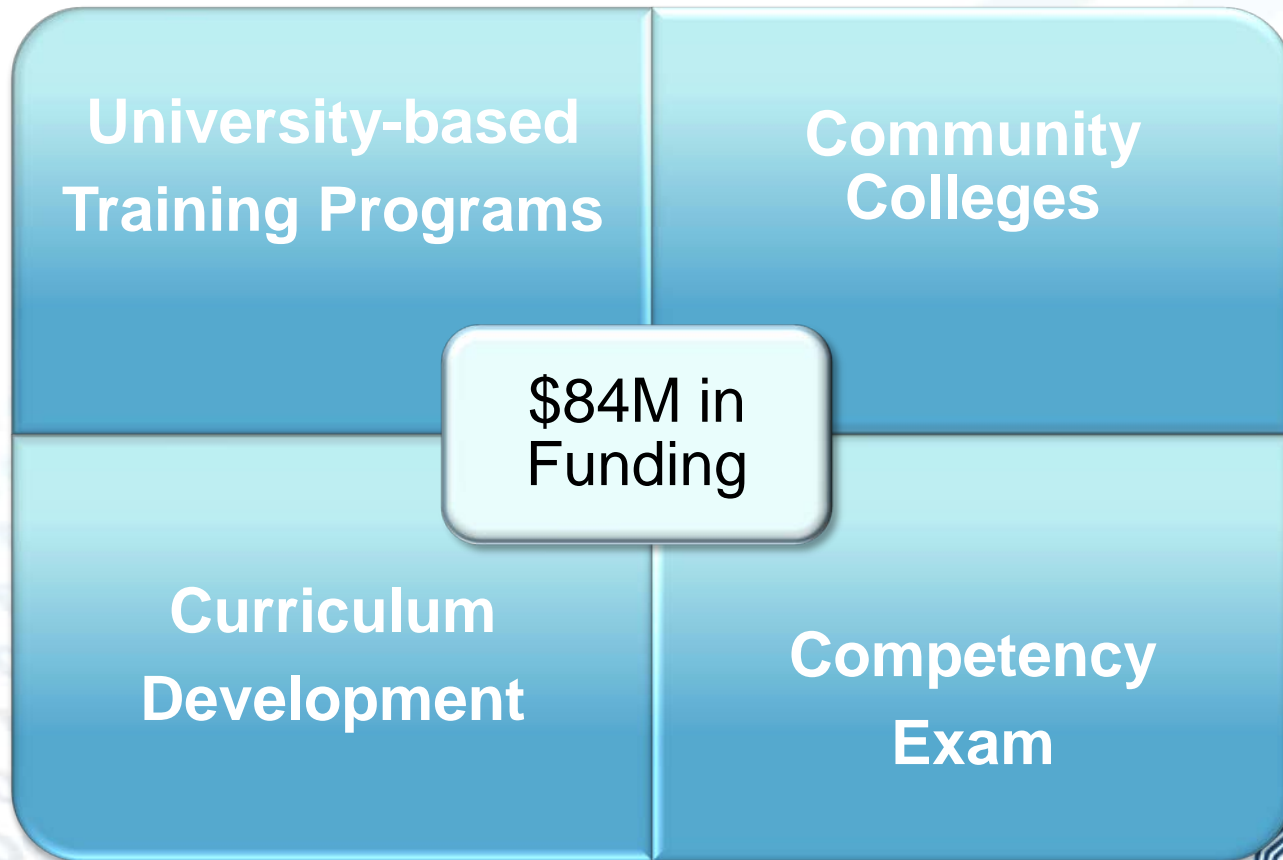
Facilitate secure, electronic movement and use of health information

Federal & state collaboration to achieve interoperability

Statewide Policy, Governance, Technical Infrastructure and Business Practices

Health IT Workforce Development

- \$84M to support training of 50,000+ new health IT professionals



Beacon Communities

Vision:

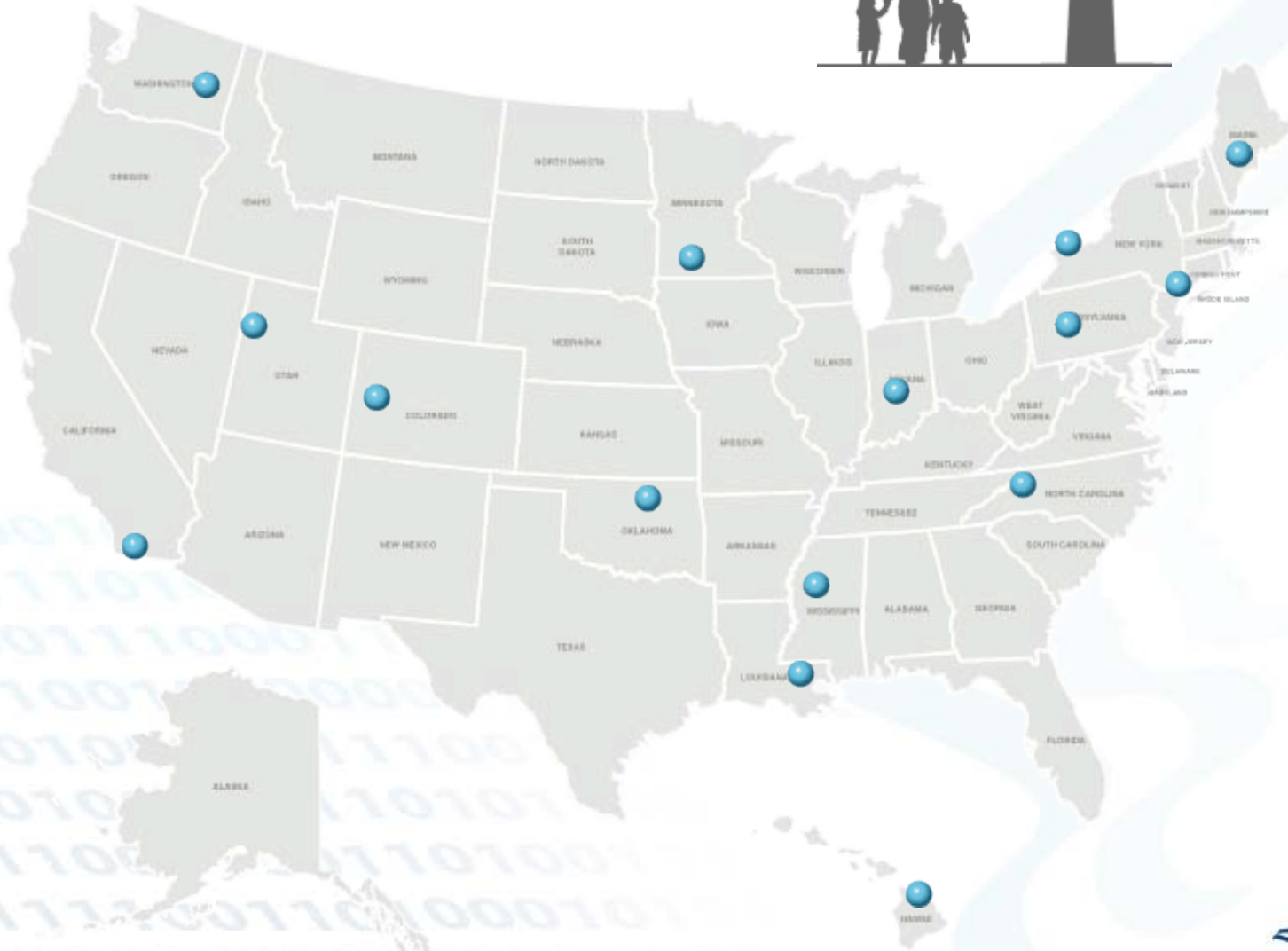
- Guide the way to a transformed health care system through demonstration communities showing how health IT-enabled quality and cost improvements are achievable, sustainable, and replicable all across the country.

Goals:

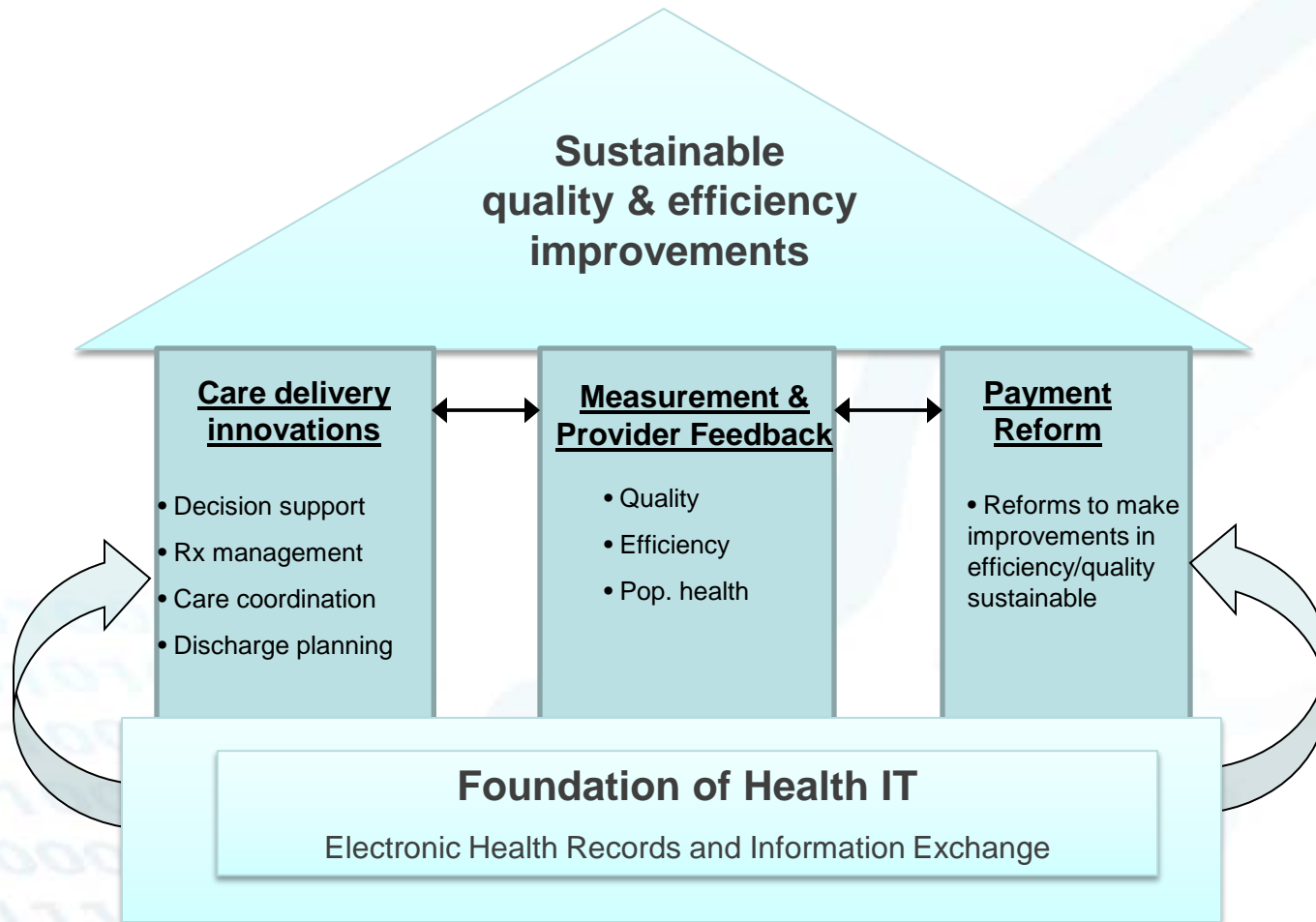
- Use health IT to bring together core health care stakeholders at the community level
- Show how health IT can support breakthrough advancements in health care quality, efficiency, and in population health



Beacon Communities



Health IT is Foundational for Health Reform



Thank you!

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