**Inputs**

- **Staff** (including contract and in-kind for)
  - Epidemiological support
  - Data management
  - Information Technology (IT) support
  - Oral health policy leadership
  - Data collection

- **Data Sources**
  - National data sources
  - State data sources
  - Community data sources

- **Equipment**
  - IT hardware and software

- **Other**
  - Funding
  - Community support
  - Support for partners

**Activities**

- Develop surveillance plan including flow chart of data systems and data collection methods to support oral health program
- Establish surveillance objectives
- Select and develop case definitions and indicators using standard health indicators whenever possible
- Link existing data sources
- Identify gaps in data
- Obtain community IRB approval
- Collect data to obtain community-level indicators and meet other important needs
- Develop quality assurance methods to assure accuracy
- Develop and test methods for data analysis
- Analyze data and interpret findings
- Develop and write surveillance report
- Disseminate surveillance results
- Ensure data security and confidentiality
- Develop strategies for sustaining surveillance system
- Evaluate state surveillance system

**Intermediate Outcomes**

- Ongoing monitoring of trends in oral health indicators
- Increase in evidence-based interventions, planning, and evaluation
- Increase in programs for populations most in need

**Long-term (Distal) Outcomes**

- Improved oral health