

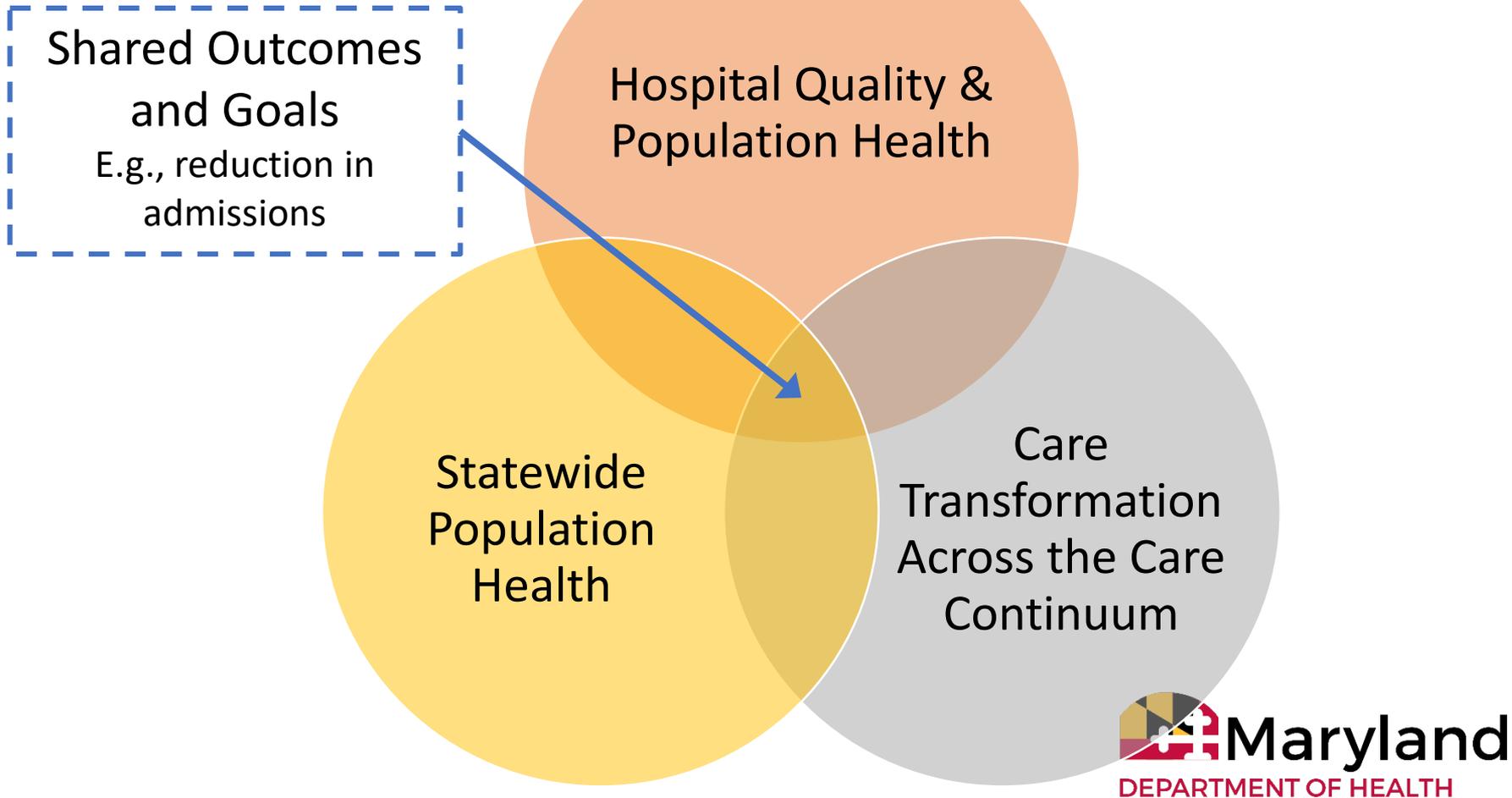


Maryland Health Benefit Exchange Board Meeting

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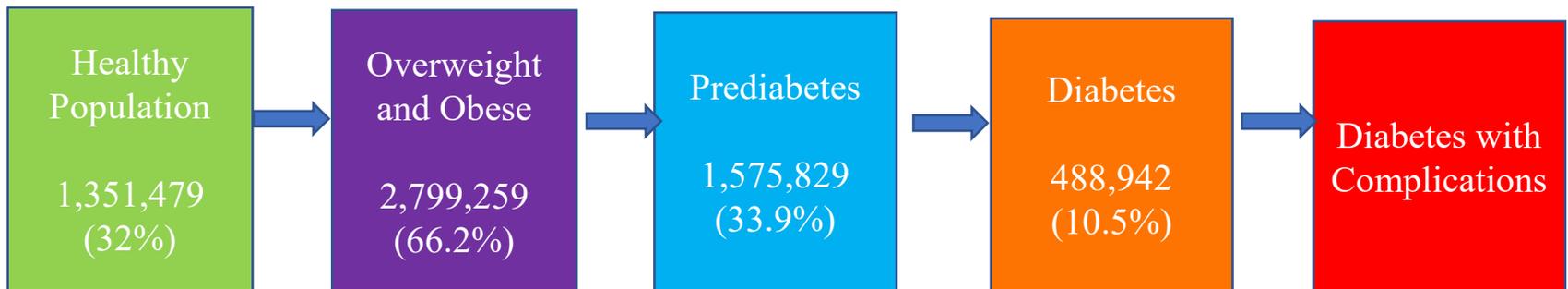
Diverse Approaches for Integrated Health Improvement



Diabetes: Maryland's First Population Health Improvement Goal

- Leading cause of preventable death and disability
- Increasing prevalence reflecting significant racial, ethnic and economic disparities
- EBIs can prevent or delay onset and improve outcomes
- MD Medicaid launched DPP coverage this Fall
- Diabetes/obesity cited as a top priority by every jurisdiction's LHIC
- Strong private sector support for a sustained statewide initiative

Diabetes in Maryland



Maryland Adult Population, 4,648,466

Data from: US Census; 2017 Maryland BRFSS, and for Prediabetes, CDC Fact Sheet for NHANES US prediabetes estimates applied to Maryland adult population.



WHAT'S NEXT FOR DIABETES?

ALIGN RESOURCES, MESSAGES AND ACTION

- Disseminate State Diabetes Plan
- Develop and Implement a Statewide Communication Plan
- Convene Local Health Improvement Coalitions
- Convene Hospital Population Health Team Leaders
- Launch an Interactive Online Inventory of Diabetes Resources
- Engage Academia in Building Evidence around Effective Strategies
- Engage Providers Through MDPCP, Medicaid MCOs, Newly Certified CHWs
- Engage Commercial Payers
- Engage Businesses and Residents in Why and How
- Report to CMMI on Progress

Questions

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