National Public Health Performance Standards Program (NPHPSP) Connections with Environmental Health Performance Standards

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NPHPSP

■ Three Assessment Instruments

- -State public health system
- -Local public health system
- Local governance

■ History

- -Began in 1998
- -Instruments released in 2002
- -Instrument update 2005-07

NPHPSP

A partnership effort to improve the quality of public health practice and performance of public health systems

Partners

-CDC, APHA, ASTHO, NACCHO, NALBOH, NNPHI, PHF

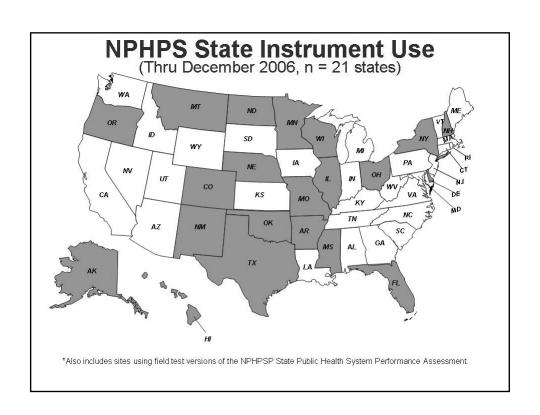
Four Concepts Applied in NPHPSP

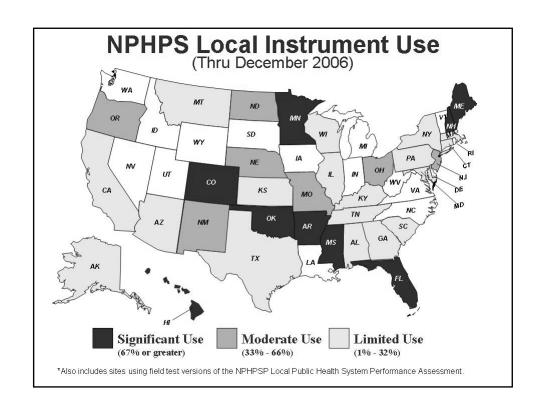
- Based on the ten Essential Public Health Services
- Focus on the overall public health system
- Describe an optimal level of performance
- Support a process of quality improvement

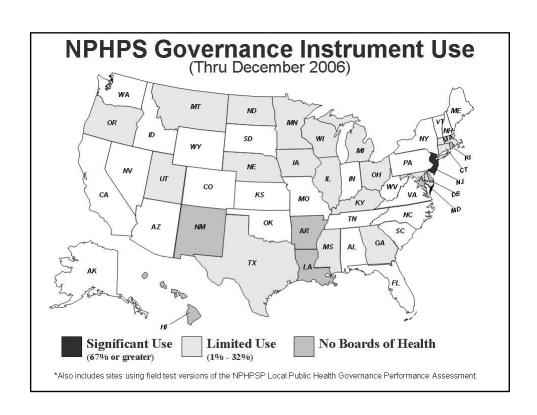


NPHPSP Use in the Field

- Coordinated statewide approach
- Individual System / Board Use
- Common Catalysts for Use
 - -Interest in performance improvement
 - -Bioterrorism planning
 - -Use within the MAPP process
 - -Interest in accountability







NPHPSP Strategic Linkages

Policy support

- -Healthy People 2010 Objective 23-11
- Institute of Medicine reports
- State legislation that provide for or mention use of NPHPSP



NPHPSP Strategic Linkages

Related initiatives

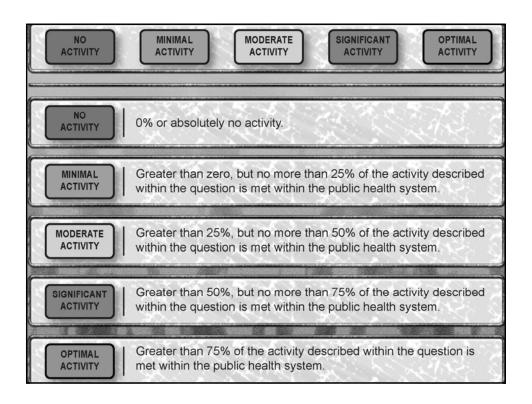
- Turning Point Performance Management Collaborative
- Mobilizing for Action through Planning and Partnerships
- Operational Definition of a Local Health Department
- Accreditation

NPHPSP Version 2 Instruments

- Updates guided by peer-driven work groups and limited field test input
- Anticipated national launch of updated instruments, Fall 2007
- Training Workshop June 26-27, 2007
- Preview the instruments online at: www.cdc.gov/od/ocphp/nphpsp/

NPHPSP Version 2 Instruments

- Key changes:
 - Modernized and updated content
 - -Streamlined and more user-friendly
 - -Added "discussion toolbox" feature
 - Included optional priority and agency contribution questionnaires
 - -Slightly revised the response options



"Modules" of the NPHPSP-How can it work?

- Conceptually
 - -Based on same four concepts
 - Illustrate linkage between broad public health and specific areas
- Opportunities for an EH module to:
 - Identify national consensus around the practices of EH
 - Illustrate the linkage with overall public health performance through connection to the NPHPSP instruments

"Modules" of the NPHPSP-How can it work? Overall NPHPSP State and Local Instruments O D U L E

"Modules" of the NPHPSP-How can it work?

- Operationally
 - -Similar principles for development
 - -Joint use, analysis, and improvement
 - -Learn from each other
 - -Mutual support



For more information...

- NPHPSP Website: www.cdc.gov/od/ocphp/nphpsp
 - Includes Version 1 and 2 instruments,
 User Guide, FAQs, sample reports, online toolkit, and much more.
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