

Priority Questionnaire

National Public Health Performance Standards Program**State Public Health System Assessment Supplemental Questionnaire - Priority of Model Standards**

OVERVIEW: This optional questionnaire is made available so that states may consider the priority of each model standard to their system. States choosing to complete this supplemental questionnaire will receive an additional component to their reports which will depict their performance scores in relation to how they have prioritized model standards. This information may serve to catalyze or strengthen the performance improvement activities resulting from the assessment process.

INSTRUCTIONS: Using a scale of 1 to 10 (with 1 being the lowest and 10 being the highest), please rate the priority of each model standard without regard to performance scores or rank order. In considering this questionnaire, the following questions may be helpful for participants. Example A: "On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard to our public health system?" Example B: "On a scale of 1 to 10, how important is it to improve our performance in this activity (e.g., through a quality improvement process, increased emphasis or resources)?" States may complete this questionnaire in a single group, either at the same time of the assessment or shortly thereafter, so that there is a consistent approach to responding to the questions across the model standards.

Model Standard Number	Question	Response <i>(please circle)</i>
Essential Service #1 - Monitor health status to identify health problems		
P1.1	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Planning and Implementation around Essential Service #1 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P1.2	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - State-Local Relationships around Essential Service #1 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P1.3	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Performance Management and Quality Improvement around Essential Service #1 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P1.4	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Public Health Capacity and Resources around Essential Service #1 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Essential Service #2 - Diagnose and investigate health problems and health hazards		
P2.1	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Planning and Implementation around Essential Service #2 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P2.2	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - State-Local Relationships around Essential Service #2 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P2.3	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Performance Management and Quality Improvement around Essential Service #2 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P2.4	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Public Health Capacity and Resources around Essential Service #2 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Essential Service #3 - Inform, educate and empower people about health issues		
P3.1	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Planning and Implementation around Essential Service #3 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P3.2	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - State-Local Relationships around Essential Service #3 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P3.3	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Performance Management and Quality Improvement around Essential Service #3 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P3.4	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Public Health Capacity and Resources around Essential Service #3 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Essential Service #4 - Mobilize partnerships to identify and solve health problems		
P4.1	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Planning and Implementation around Essential Service #4 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P4.2	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - State-Local Relationships around Essential Service #4 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

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P4.3	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Performance Management and Quality Improvement around Essential Service #4 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P4.4	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Public Health Capacity and Resources around Essential Service #4 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Essential Service #5 - Develop policies and plans that support individual and statewide health efforts		
P5.1	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Planning and Implementation around Essential Service #5 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P5.2	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - State-Local Relationships around Essential Service #5 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P5.3	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Performance Management and Quality Improvement around Essential Service #5 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P5.4	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Public Health Capacity and Resources around Essential Service #5 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Essential Service #6 - Enforce laws and regulations that protect health and ensure safety		
P6.1	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Planning and Implementation around Essential Service #6 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P6.2	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - State-Local Relationships around Essential Service #6 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P6.3	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Performance Management and Quality Improvement around Essential Service #6 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P6.4	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Public Health Capacity and Resources around Essential Service #6 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Essential Service #7 - Link people to needed personal health services and assure the provision of health care when otherwise unavailable		
P7.1	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Planning and Implementation around Essential Service #7 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P7.2	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - State-Local Relationships around Essential Service #7 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P7.3	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Performance Management and Quality Improvement around Essential Service #7 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P7.4	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Public Health Capacity and Resources around Essential Service #7 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

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Essential Service #8 - Assure a competent public health and personal health care workforce		
P8.1	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Planning and Implementation around Essential Service #8 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P8.2	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - State-Local Relationships around Essential Service #8 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P8.3	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Performance Management and Quality Improvement around Essential Service #8 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P8.4	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Public Health Capacity and Resources around Essential Service #8 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Essential Service #9 - Evaluate effectiveness, accessibility, and quality of personal and population-based health services		
P9.1	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Planning and Implementation around Essential Service #9 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P9.2	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - State-Local Relationships around Essential Service #9 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P9.3	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Performance Management and Quality Improvement around Essential Service #9 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P9.4	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Public Health Capacity and Resources around Essential Service #9 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Essential Service #10 - Research for new insights and innovative solutions to health problems		
P10.1	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Planning and Implementation around Essential Service #10 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P10.2	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - State-Local Relationships around Essential Service #10 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P10.3	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Performance Management and Quality Improvement around Essential Service #10 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
P10.4	On a scale of 1 to 10, what is the priority of this model standard - Public Health Capacity and Resources around Essential Service #10 - to our state public health system?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10