

ACTION

A Call To IntegratiOn Now

Working Together for Better Health Care



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Local Health Integration Network

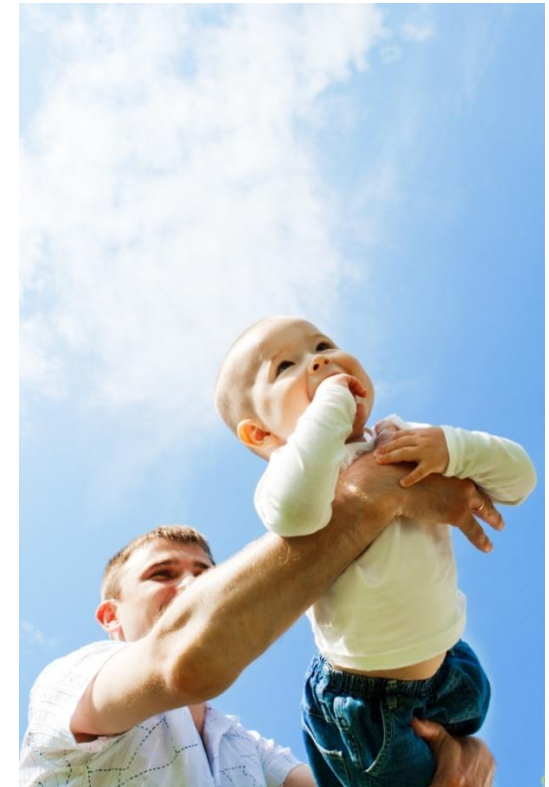
HNHB LHIN – Vision and Mission

Vision

A health care system that helps keep people healthy, gets them good care when they are sick, and will be there for our children and grandchildren.

Mission

To ensure availability of and access to linked services in order to improve the health of the population and the continuity of health care.



The HNHB LHIN Landscape

- 1.4 million people live in the HNHB LHIN, making it the third largest population of all 14 LHINS
- 18 municipalities, two regional governments, two federal reserves, 18 mayors, 12 Ontario MPPs, and 13 Federal MPs
- More than 200,000 seniors live in the HNHB LHIN, which is the largest number of seniors of all Ontario LHINs
- Small rural communities and large urban centres, with a residential population that displays cultural and linguistic diversity

The HNHB LHIN Landscape (cont'd)

- There is considerable diversity including Aboriginal and Francophone populations, immigrants, refugees and seasonal migrant workers
- About one in seven residents live below the poverty line
- There is a lower percentage of adults with post-secondary education than the Ontario average
- Low income and low education levels are associated with higher rates of illness, use of health care services and premature death
- Relative to the province, there is a higher prevalence of daily or occasional smoking, heavy drinking, and obesity and higher rates of arthritis, high blood pressure and asthma

ACTION Overview

- The HNHB LHIN is pursuing an integrated health system that supports a person-centred care delivery model
- Developing a five year Strategic Health System Plan (SHSP) with an overall objective to:
 - Achieve a local health system where individuals will experience care that is coordinated, of the highest quality, and results in better outcomes for the population
- The SHSP is not a plan to plan. It is a plan to **ACTION**.
- **ACTION** is **A Call To IntegratiOn Now**.

ACTION: A Call To IntegratiOn Now

- **ACTION** is about creating a system that serves patients, clients and families best, and about getting the best value for tax payer dollars
- **ACTION** is aligned with the Institute for Healthcare Information's (IHI) Triple Aim Framework which balances three health system goals: improving the health of the population, enhancing the experience of care, and fiscal sustainability
- **ACTION** will inform the HNHB LHIN's third Integrated Health Strategic Plan (IHSP)

Why is ACTION Needed?

- We must make fundamental improvements to create the sustainable health care system we all expect
- There is no new money for health care. We must change the way health care is delivered to ensure a better coordinated plan of care while getting better value from the system.
- Future demand for health services will exceed current capacity.
- **ACTION** supports Ontario's Action Plan for Health Care
- The recent Drummond Report delivered a clear message regarding health care that included modest spending, a shift from acute care to one of mainly chronic care, and a model of increased quality and efficiency in our future.

An Integrated System

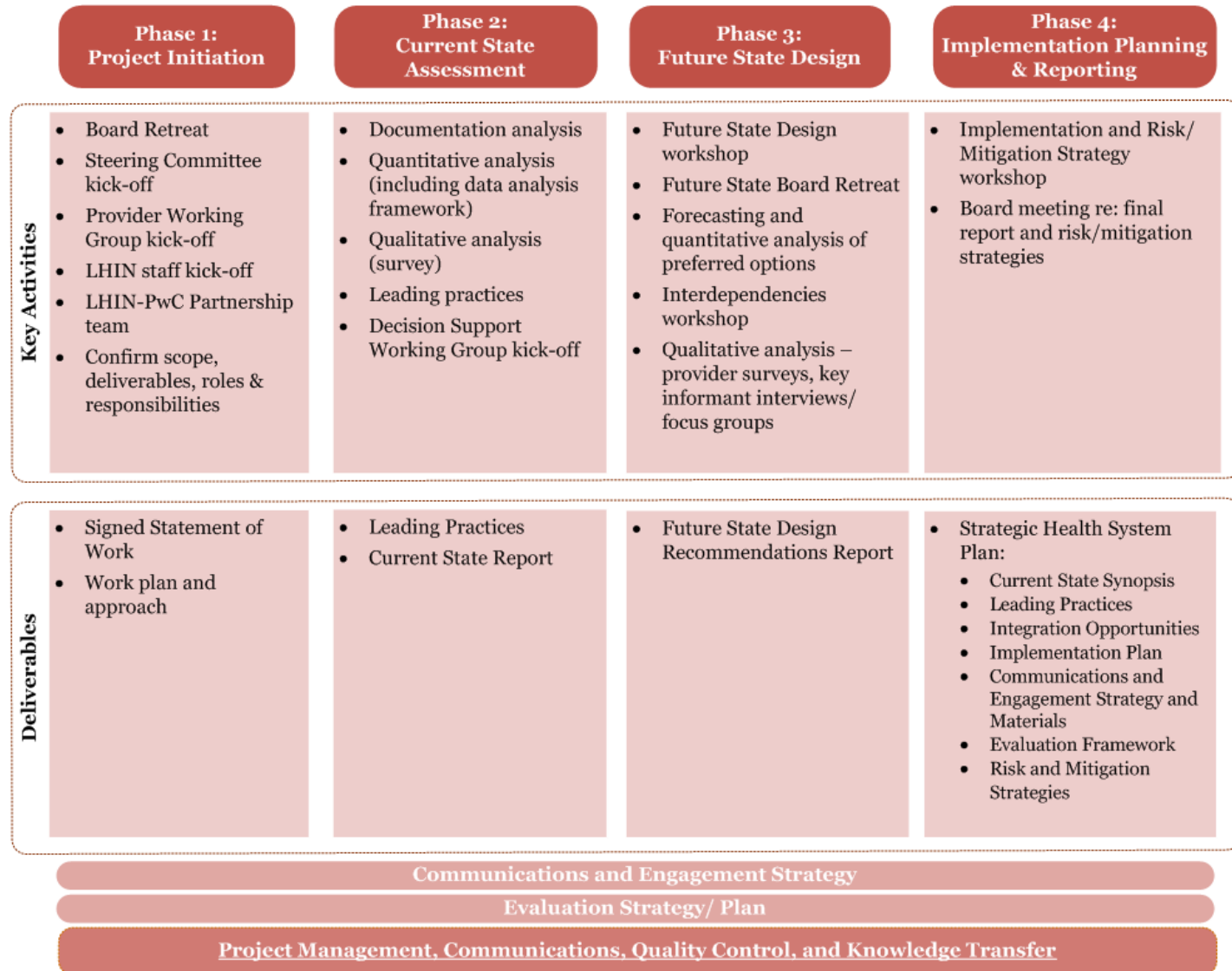
- Inherent in the design is the HNHB LHIN's vision of:
 - Patient-centred care
 - Quality outcomes
 - Better transitions of care
 - Equitable access
 - Accountability
 - Sustainability and value for money



Who's Involved in ACTION?

- The process is being led by a Steering Committee comprised of health system representatives and partners, as well as HNHB LHIN Staff
- Engagement with multiple working groups, residents and health care providers will occur at various stages
- HNHB LHIN has also engaged the international expertise of Pricewaterhouse Coopers (PwC) to assist in the research, design and evaluation

ACTION: A Phased Approach



What Can You Do?

- Understand and support the pressing need to transform our health system
- Share details about **ACTION** with your organization
- Provide your input, feedback and concerns throughout this process (see contact info on next slide)



For More Information...

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