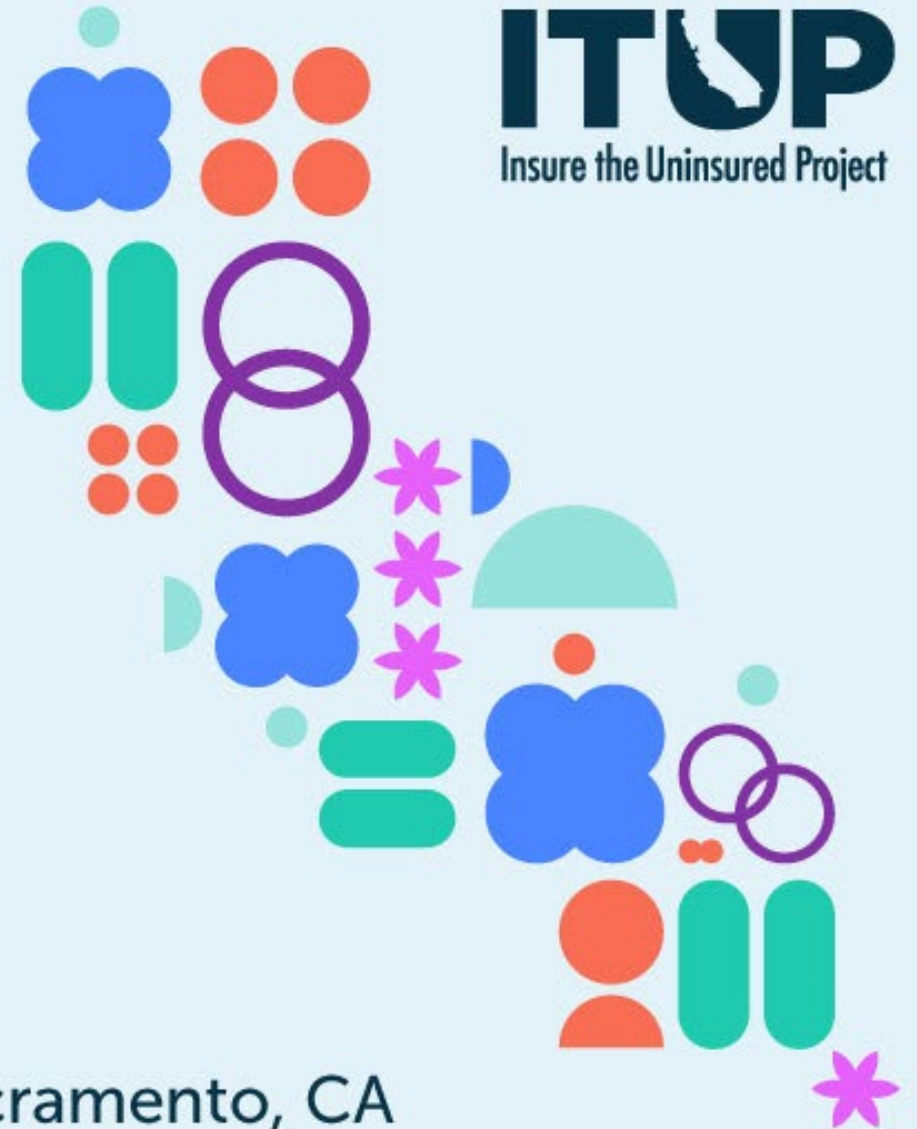


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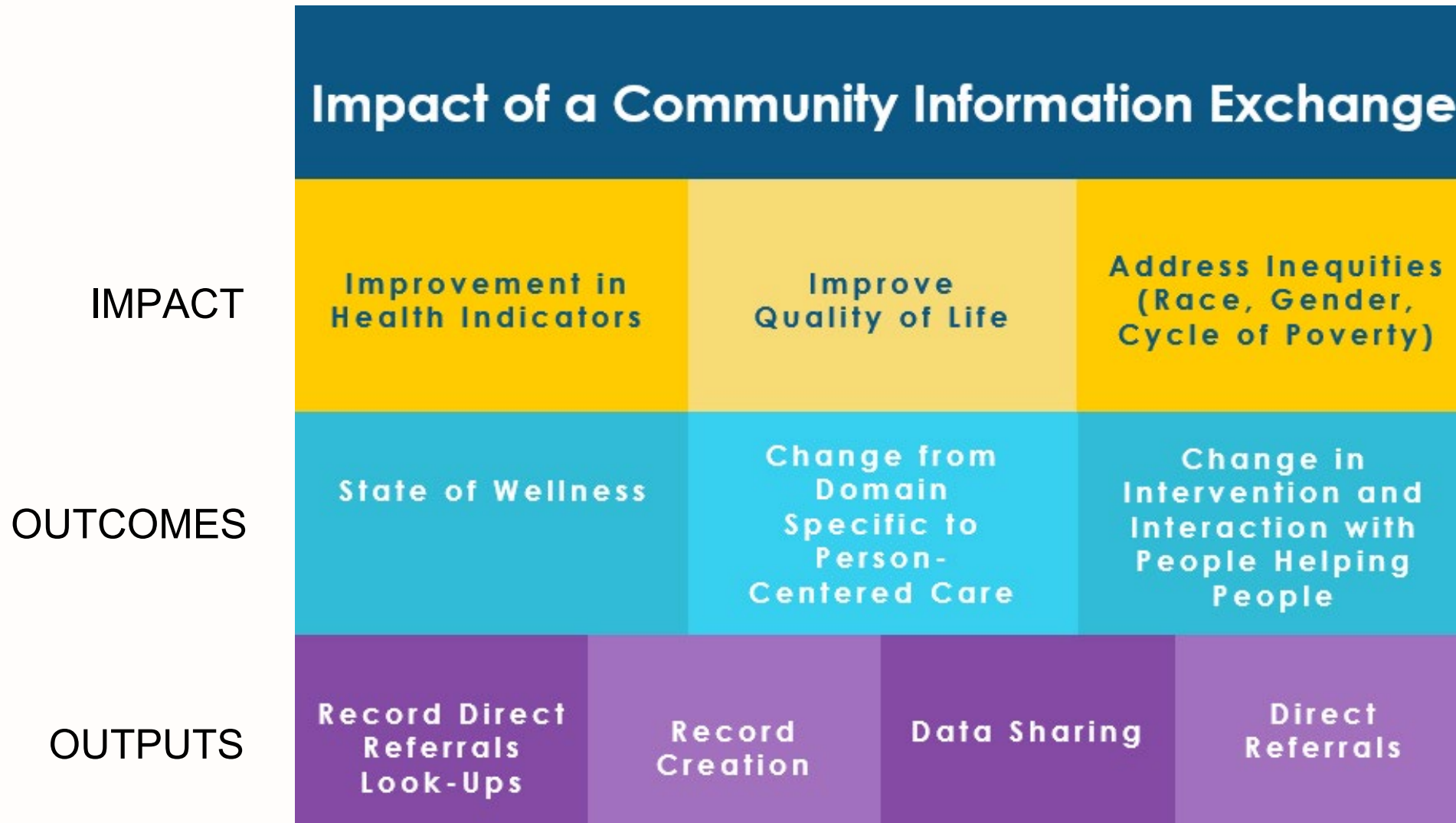
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# Why the Need for Community Data Exchange?



# Takeaways on Data Sharing Needs of CBOs and Social Service Organizations from Recent C4BH Workshops



Lack of Access to  
Necessary Information



Data Scattered Across  
Multiple Platforms



Duplication of Data  
Entry



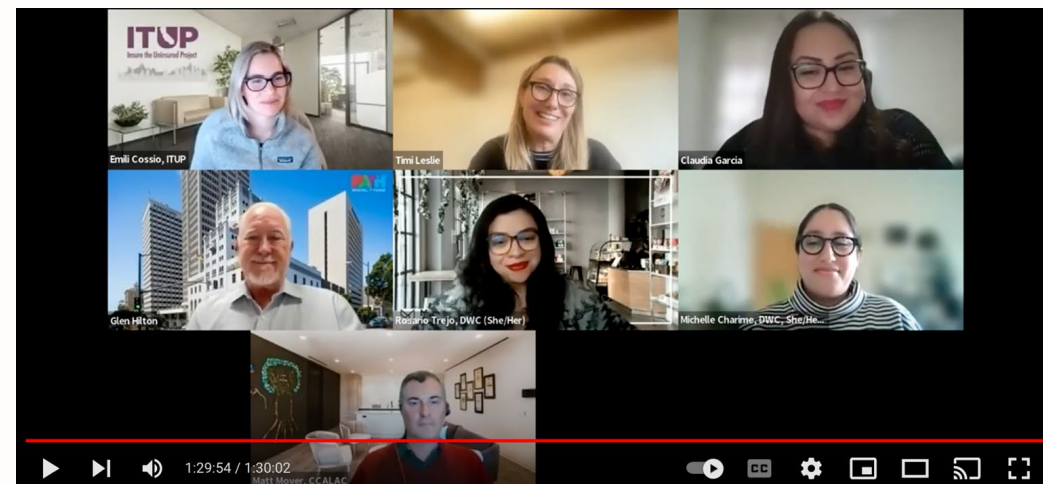
MCP Providers and CBOs  
Learning to Work Together



Systemic Barriers between  
Health and Social Service  
Agencies within Counties



Varying Data Submission  
Requirements for Different  
Programs



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# Roadmap to Support Community Data Exchange

- Utilize and scale health and social information sharing efforts
- Bring together managed care health plans (MCPs) to align programs and standardize data requirements
- Direct necessary funding toward solving for CalAIM and building technical assistance and infrastructure
- Build trust and meaningful partnerships; ***start by signing the Data Sharing Agreement***

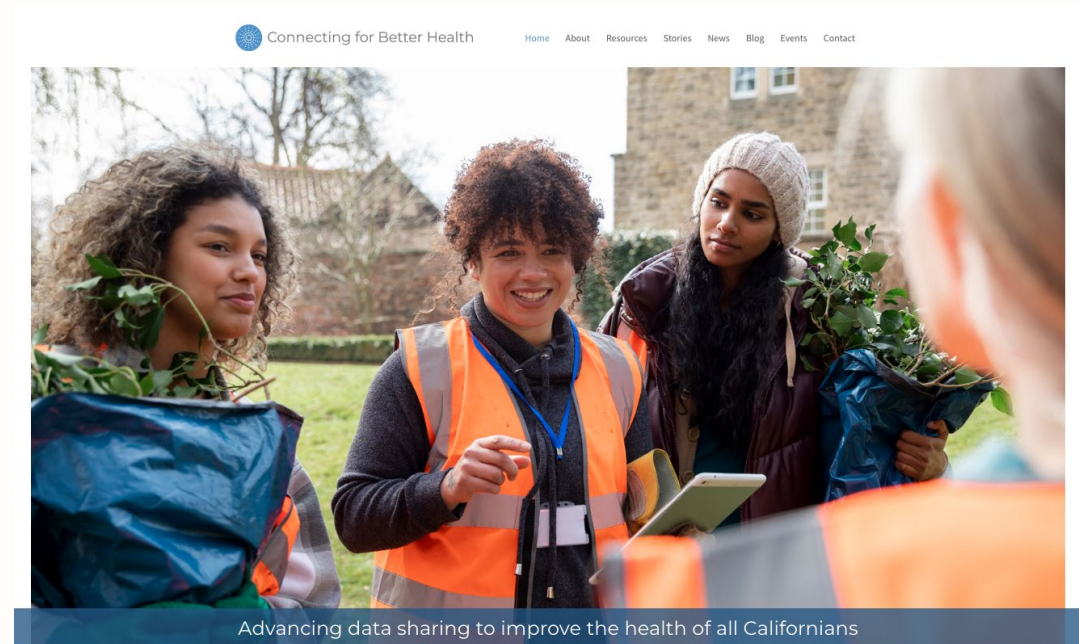


# Connecting for Better Health - Join Us!

**Connecting for Better Health (C4BH)**, founded in 2021, is a coalition of diverse stakeholders including providers, caregivers, health plans, patient advocates, innovators, and community-based organizations. We strive to improve the state's data sharing infrastructure with a shared goal of transforming health and social outcomes for all Californians.

## Policy priorities:

- Cement an ongoing source of funding for data sharing
- Define the data sharing requirement using high-priority health and social care data sharing scenarios
- Build needed statewide infrastructure while leveraging regional efforts
- Hold state leadership and data sharing participants accountable to AB 133 and the Data Exchange Framework (DxF)



Visit [www.connectingforbetterhealth.com](https://www.connectingforbetterhealth.com) to sign up for coalition meetings and our Weekly Round-Up of curated news and events!





# Going Above and Beyond WITH COMMUNITY HEALTH DATA-EXCHANGE

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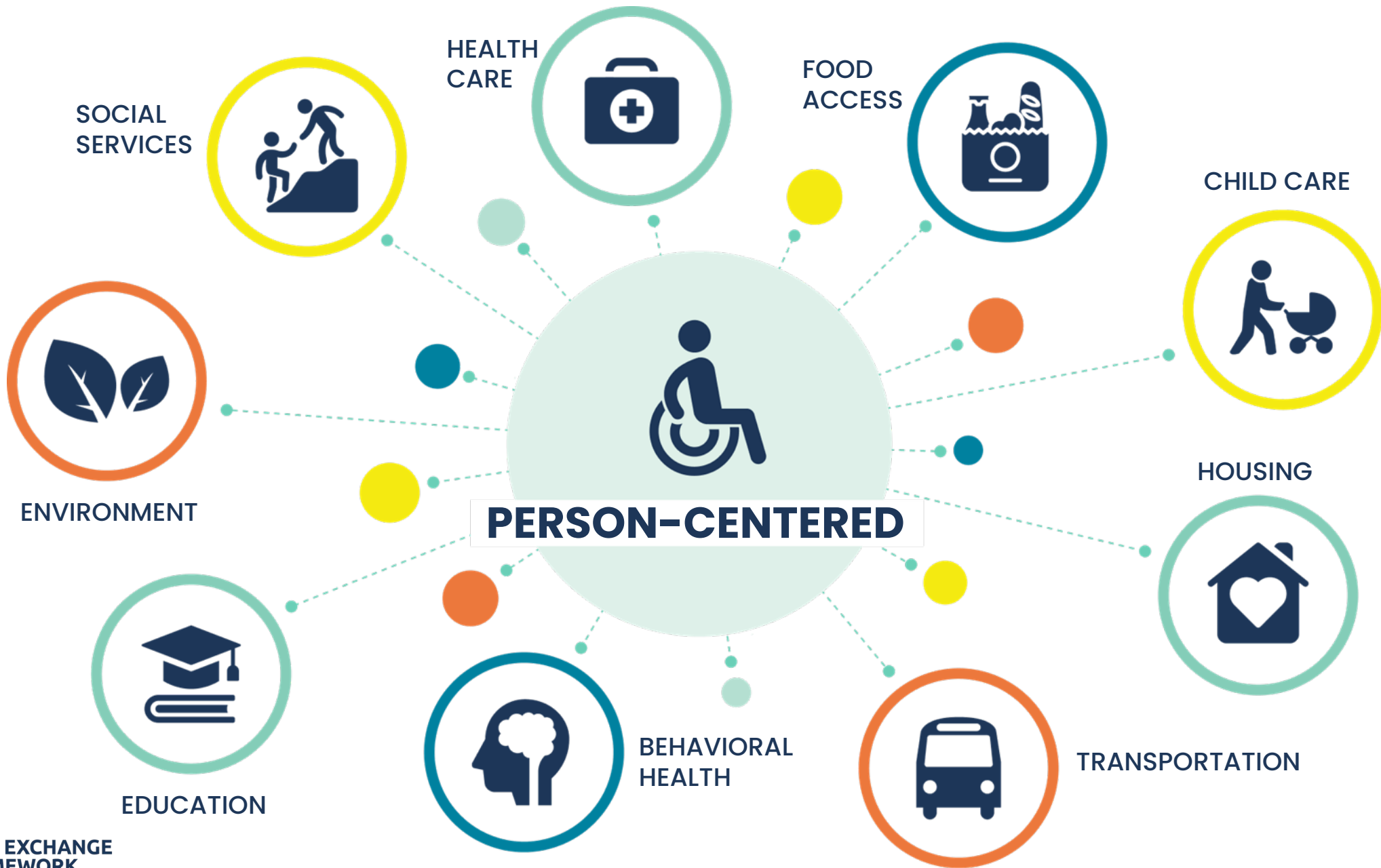
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# The Vision for Data Exchange in California

Once implemented across California, the Data Exchange Framework (DxF) will create new connections and efficiencies between health and social services providers, improving whole-person care.

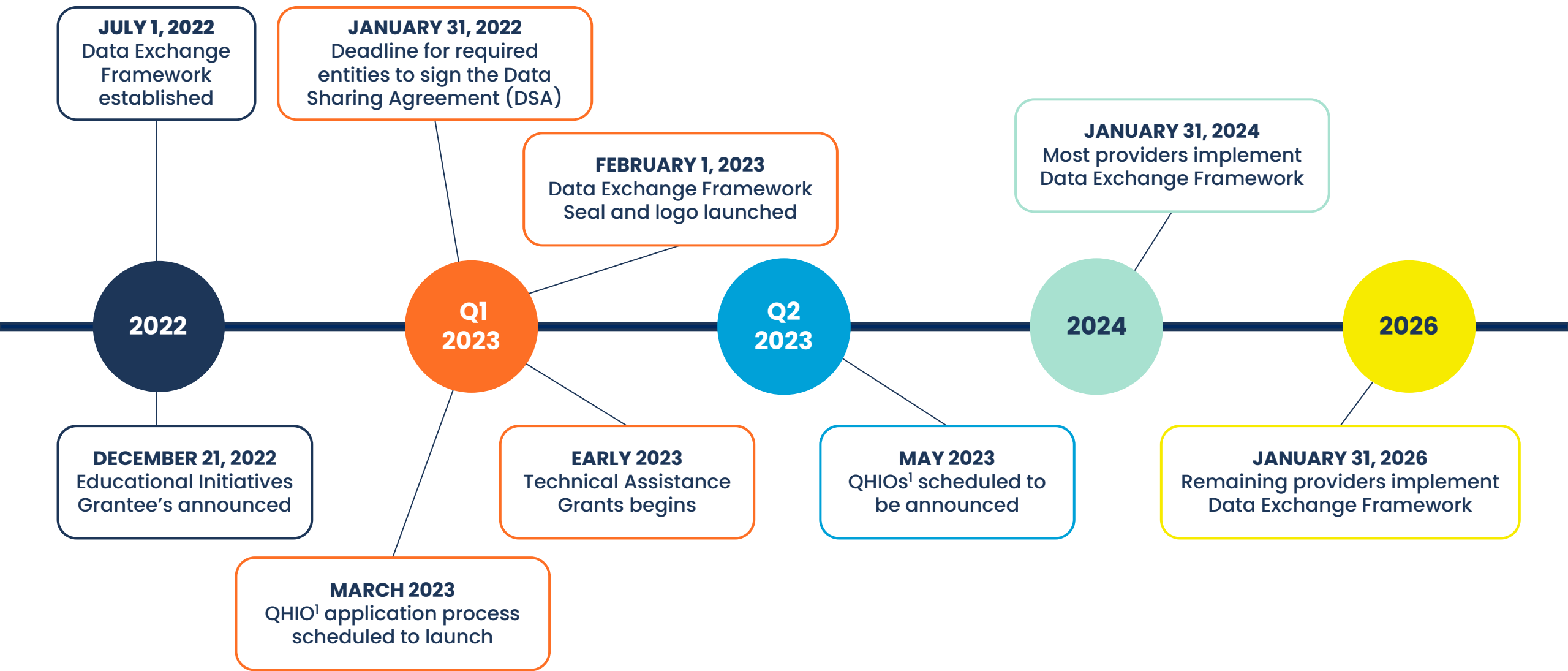
The DxF is California's first-ever statewide Data Sharing Agreement (DSA) that requires the secure and appropriate exchange of health and human services information to enable providers to work together and improve an individual's health and wellbeing.











# DxF Seal

The DxF Seal is a tech-forward design, highlighting California's movement to modernize the patient experience through the secure exchange of data.

The logo symbol of intersecting arrows that combine to form an "X" evokes exchange, cutting-edge technology, and collaboration.

Signatories of the Data Sharing Agreement can use the DxF Seal on materials to indicate their commitment to the secure and appropriate exchange of health and social services information to advance equity and improve health outcomes across California.



# Questions?



# Going Above and Beyond with Community Health Data Exchange

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# The Juncture of CalAIM and DxF

- **Tremendous Opportunity** Mission driven to whole person-centered care - can go above and beyond at the community level
- **Requires essential health information** (social services/human services information) at the person and community level – information must be shared and available



# The Juncture of CalAIM and DxF

Both initiatives directed at the entire ecosystem though skewed to a population and a few key players in the community

Every entity is challenged in prioritizing and directing resources to make both programs successful – manage conflict and change

More coordinated, consistent, tangential, parallel and complementary – be equitably balanced in implementation

# HIOs Central to Both Initiatives

## HIOs By Design:

- Support federated health services delivery
  - HIOs can uniquely bridge state, county, health services, human services and community services
- Support diversity and equity
- Support policy levers – national, state and local
- Consist of broad stakeholder participation
  - Governed by multistakeholder data/network governance
- Adhere to high standards of privacy and security
  - While being technology and vendor agnostic

# CalAIM and DxF Implementation

Utilize HIO as an interoperability front end and data hub

Convene CBOs, individually and collectively, as part of the HIO

Strive for balance

Drive for equilibrium in HIO funding and sustainability

# CalAIM and DxF Implementation

Utilize HIO as an interoperability front end and data hub

- Connectivity, interoperability, data quality, access, control and reporting
- Identity, consent the value of real time demographics and outreach
- Individual access
- Whole person data summary as a pushed data set

The value proposition of an HIO is the near real-time, complete presentation of the status of a person's health and well being

# CalAIM and DxF Implementation

## Convene CBOs, individually and collectively, as part of the HIO

- Totally inclusive – Inform on right data, right time and right person access as appropriate with all the social players and the respective workflows
- Information is a social driver of health
- Recognition that equity is both opportunity and outcome, must be linked
- Bridge CBOs with MCOs – focused workflow, eligibility, outreach, CBO claims submission, referral status and sustainability

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# Thank You



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