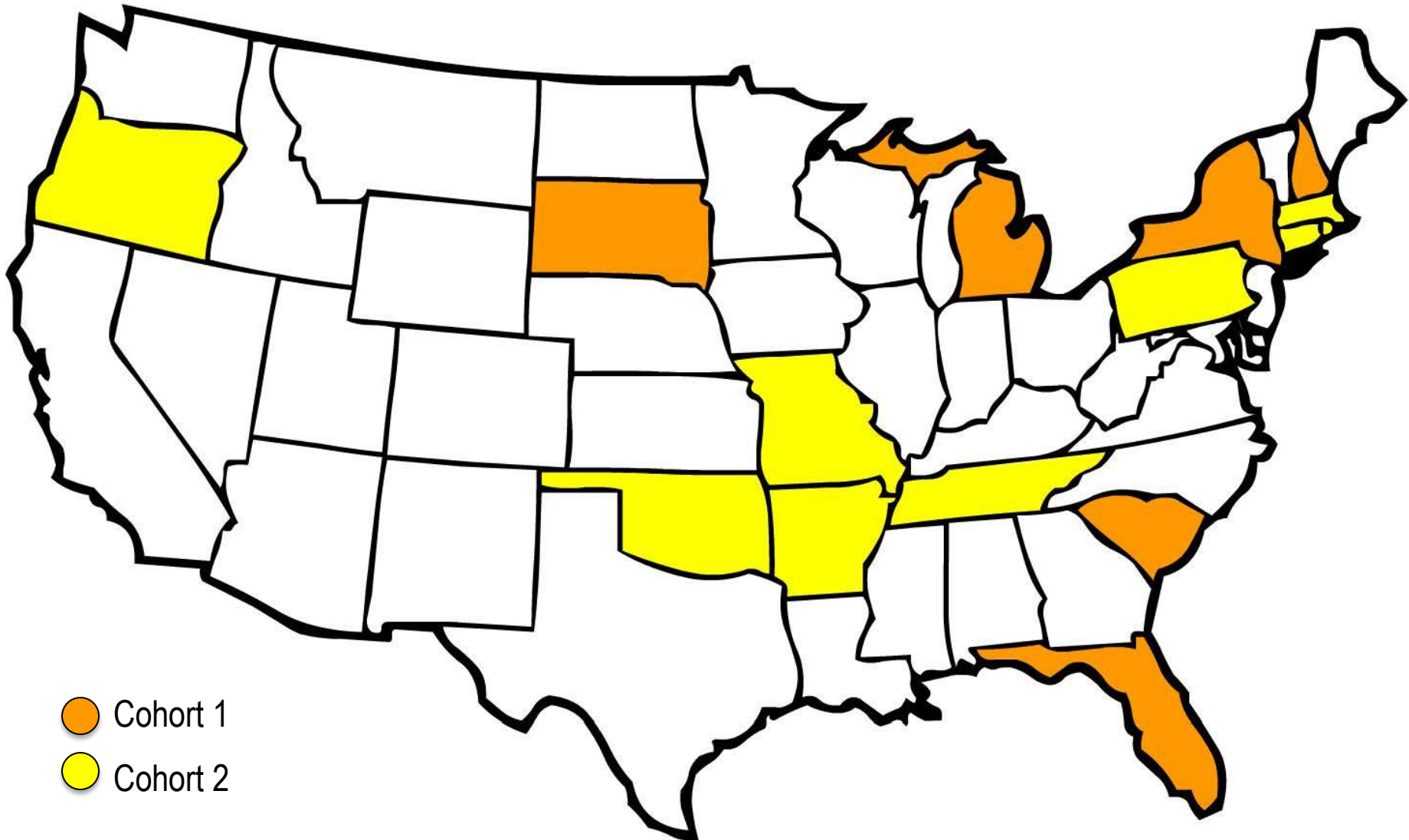




AHRQ Safety Program for Long-Term Care: CAUTI Cohort 2

Welcome to the National Project

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Welcome New Cohort



-  Cohort 1
-  Cohort 2

Why are we here?

GOALS

- Reduce CAUTI in participating long-term care facilities; and
- Improve safety culture

Why This Project Matters

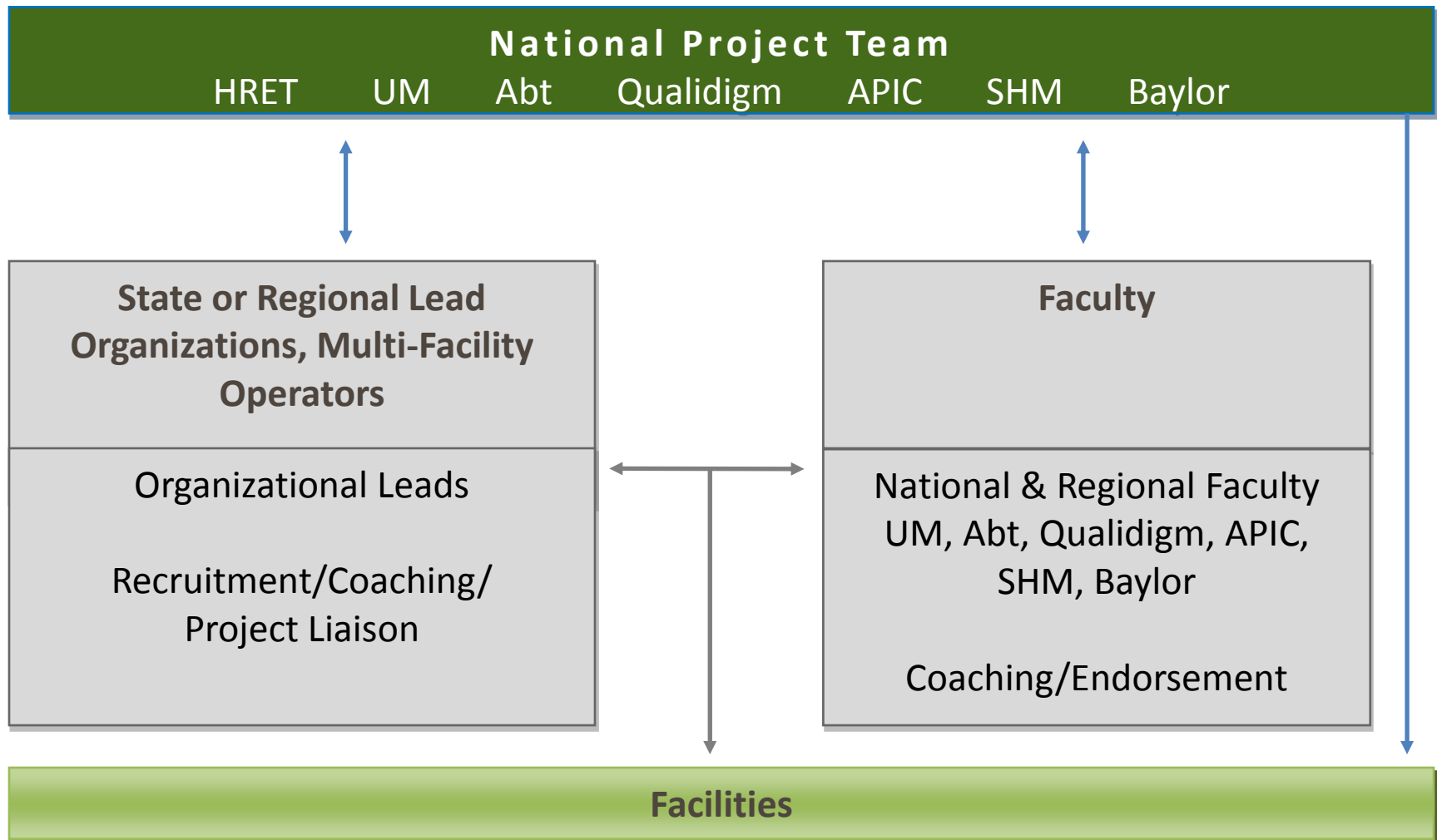
- **1-3 million** serious infections annually in LTCFs
- Approximately **380,000 residents die** of these infections
- Urinary Tract Infection is **one of the most common** HAIs in LTCFs
- **Infections** are among the **most frequent causes of transfer & readmissions** from LTCFs to acute care hospitals
- High prevalence of urinary catheters in hospital patients transferred to LTCFs

Improving safety and quality of life for residents and their families is our overall aim!

What's in it for LTCFs?

- Improved care and resident/family satisfaction
- Align other infection prevention efforts - CMS
- Strengthen infection prevention knowledge & skills
- Avoid penalties for violations of F 315 (unnecessary urinary catheter) and F 441 (infection prevention and control)
- Reduced staff workload burden (readmitting, and caring for patients with infections)
- Higher census from lower mortality, hospitalization
- Benchmarking against other LTCF performance

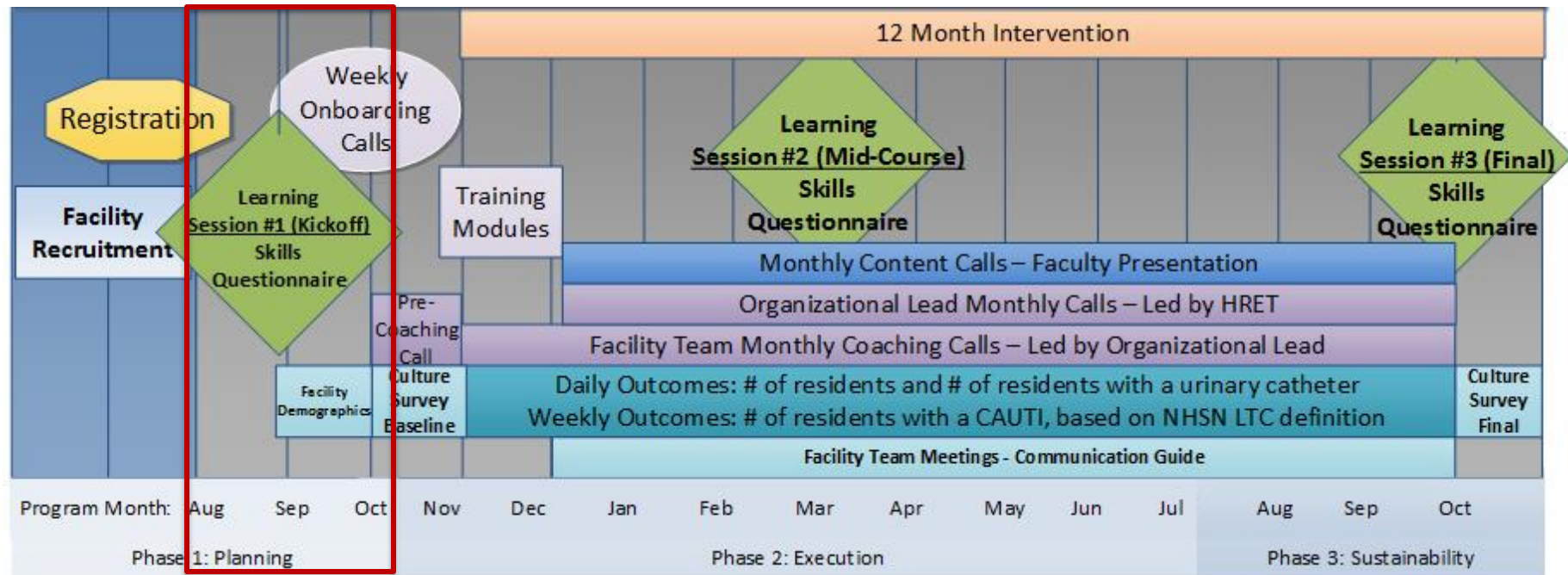
Partnerships & Dissemination



Cohort 2 Project Timeline

Clinical and cultural interventions: 14 months

- 2 months of kickoff meeting, 5 onboarding and 4 training module webinars
- 12 months of data collection, content webinars & coaching webconferencing



Support and Services

- **Educational events**
 - 3 Learning Sessions (in-person)
 - 5 Onboarding Webinars
 - 4 Training Module Webinars
 - Monthly Content Webinars
- **Materials:** Facility Implementation Guide and LTC Toolkit (coming later this year)
- **Coaching support:** Project implementation experts and faculty on your webconferences
- **Data:** Secure, online data collection and reporting of clinical and cultural outcome measures, user's manual

Next Steps

1. Identify facility team members
2. Mark upcoming training events and data-related due dates on team calendars
3. Complete Facilities Demographics Assessment and Baseline Safety Culture Survey
4. Participate in Onboarding Webinars (5)
 1. ***Building Your Team***
Tuesday, September 23, 3:30 – 4:15pm ET/2:30 – 3:15pm CT/1:30 – 2:15pm MT/12:30 – 1:15pm PT
 2. ***Understanding Definitions and Surveillance for LTC CAUTI***
Tuesday, September 30, 12:00 – 12:45pm ET/11 – 11:45am CT/10:00 – 10:45am MT/9:00 – 9:45am PT
 3. ***Data Collection Training***
Tuesday, October 7, 12:00-12:45pm ET/11:00am-11:45am CT/10:00-10:45am MT/9:00-9:45am PT
 4. ***Enhancing Your Resident Safety Culture***
Thursday, October 23, 1:30-2:15pm ET/12:30-1:15pm CT/11:30am-12:15pm MT/10:30-11:15am PT
 5. ***Onboarding Webinar #5 Infection Prevention Skills Training***
Date to be determined

Your Role in Reducing CAUTIs

- Team members are the agents for change
- Communication of project
- Project promotion
- Project implementers

You can be the change that you want to see