

# **UNDERSTANDING CHANGES TO MBQIP**

**Quality Improvement Infrastructure**

QUALITY  
 INFRASTRUCTURE  
 DATA SOURCE: ANNUAL  
 SUBMISSION NATIONAL  
 CAH QUALITY  
 INVENTORY

Measure Name – CAH Quality Infrastructure	
MBQIP Domain	Global Measures
Measure Description	<p><b><u>Specification for CAH Quality Infrastructure Measure will be released in 2024 and are dependent on data collection via the National CAH Quality Inventory and Assessment.</u></b></p> <p>Structural measure to assess CAH quality infrastructure based on the nine core elements of CAH quality infrastructure:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Leadership Responsibility &amp; Accountability</li> <li>2. Quality Embedded within the Organization’s Strategic Plan</li> <li>3. Workforce Engagement &amp; Ownership</li> <li>4. Culture of Continuous Improvement through Behavior</li> <li>5. Culture of Continuous Improvement through Systems</li> <li>6. Integrating Equity into Quality Practices</li> <li>7. Engagement of Patients, Partners, and Community</li> <li>8. Collecting Meaningful and Accurate Data</li> <li>9. Using Data to Improve Quality</li> </ol>

# What is it?

**MBQIP Topic Area - Global Measure**

**Attestation much like antibiotic stewardship**

**Focused on 9 core elements of CAH quality infrastructure**

**Annual submission to FMT – administered Qualtrics platform**

**Hospital score will be zero to nine points**

# Why this survey?

**Provide national comparison information**

**Assist with planning of quality improvement activities**

**Provide information on different CAH service lines**

**Help inform state-level technical assistance**

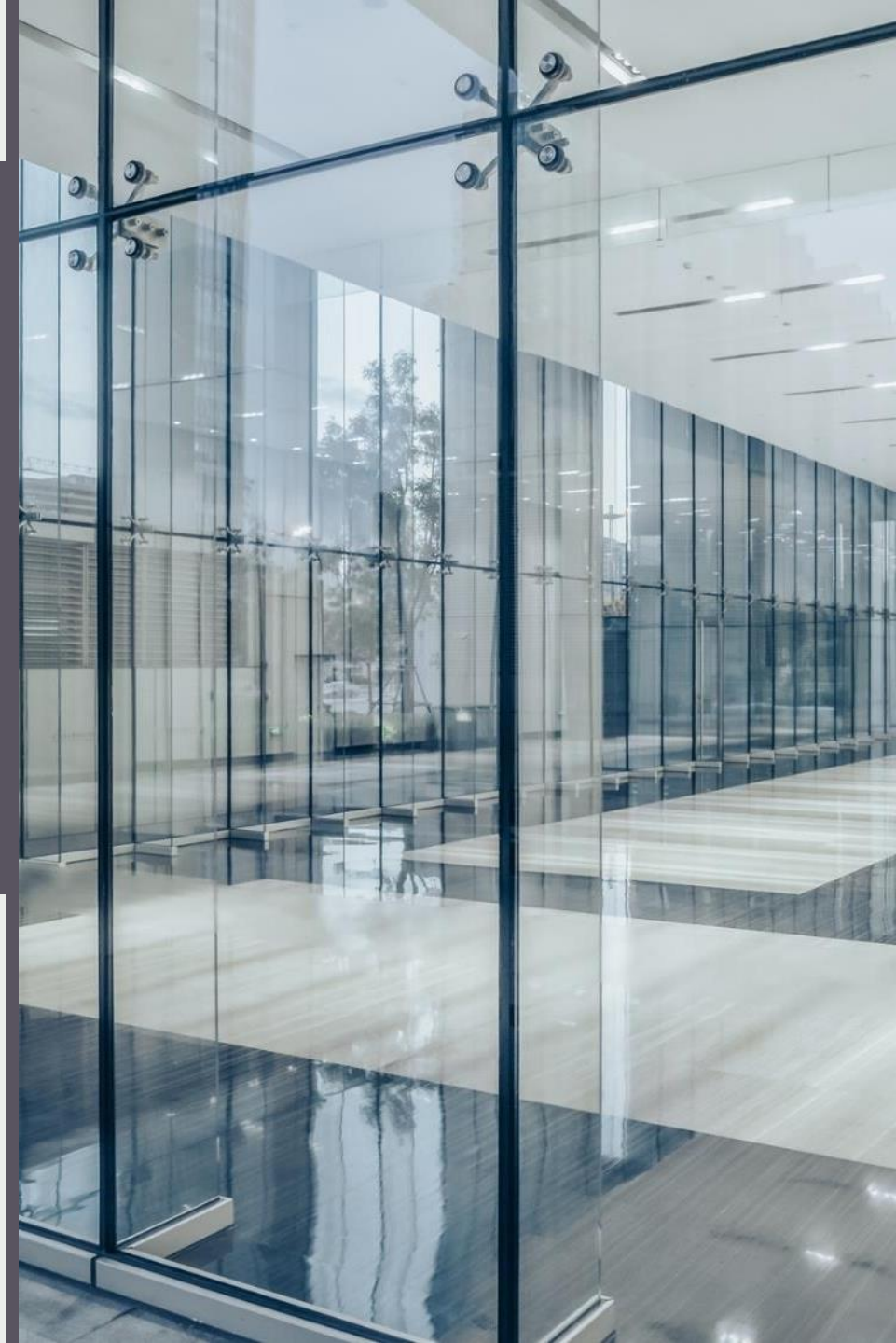
**Comparison data on service line general characteristics (patient volume, EHR vendor, etc)**

**Hospital / State specific information to help inform future of MBQIP at federal level**

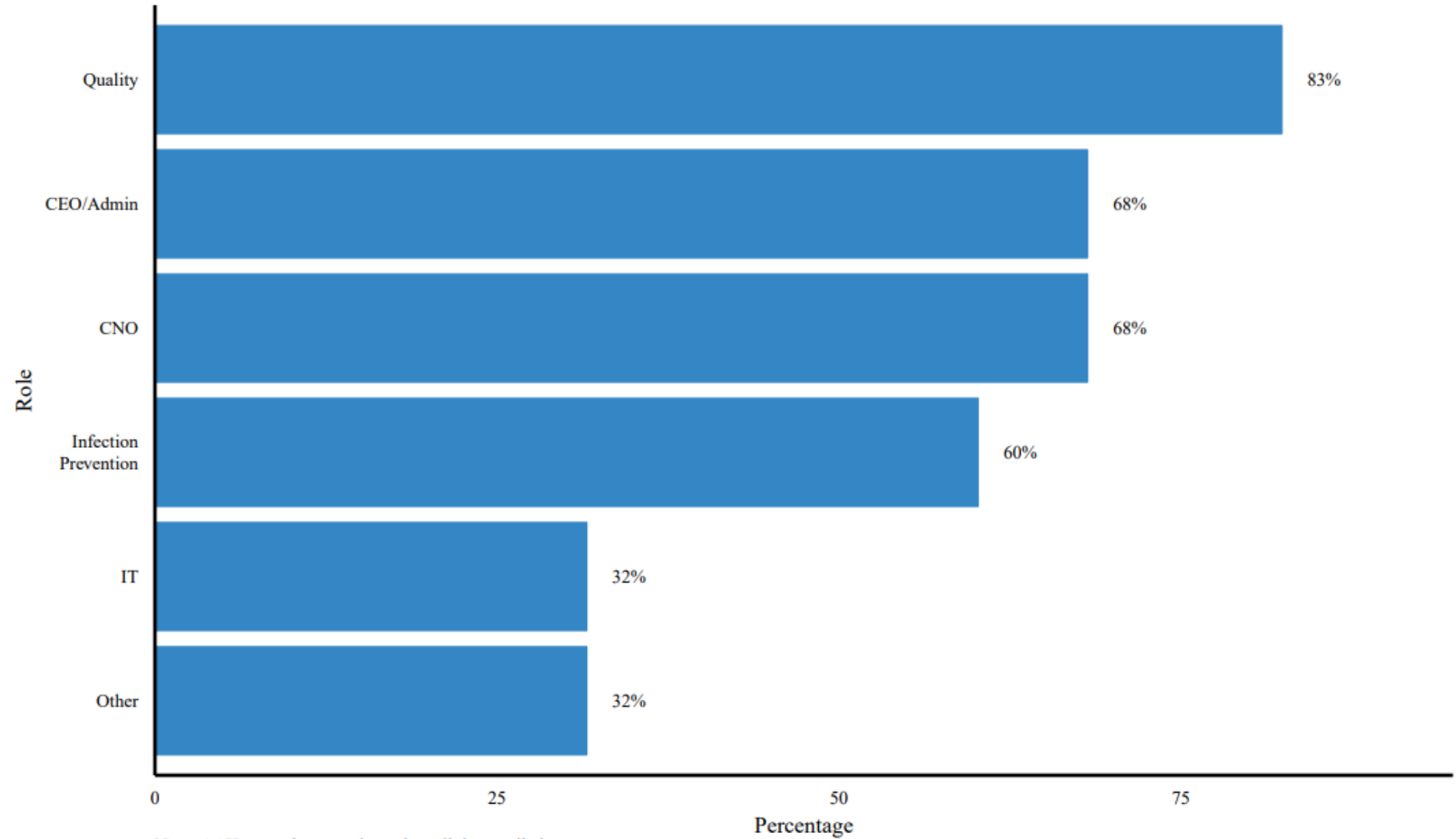
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**HOW DID WE DO**

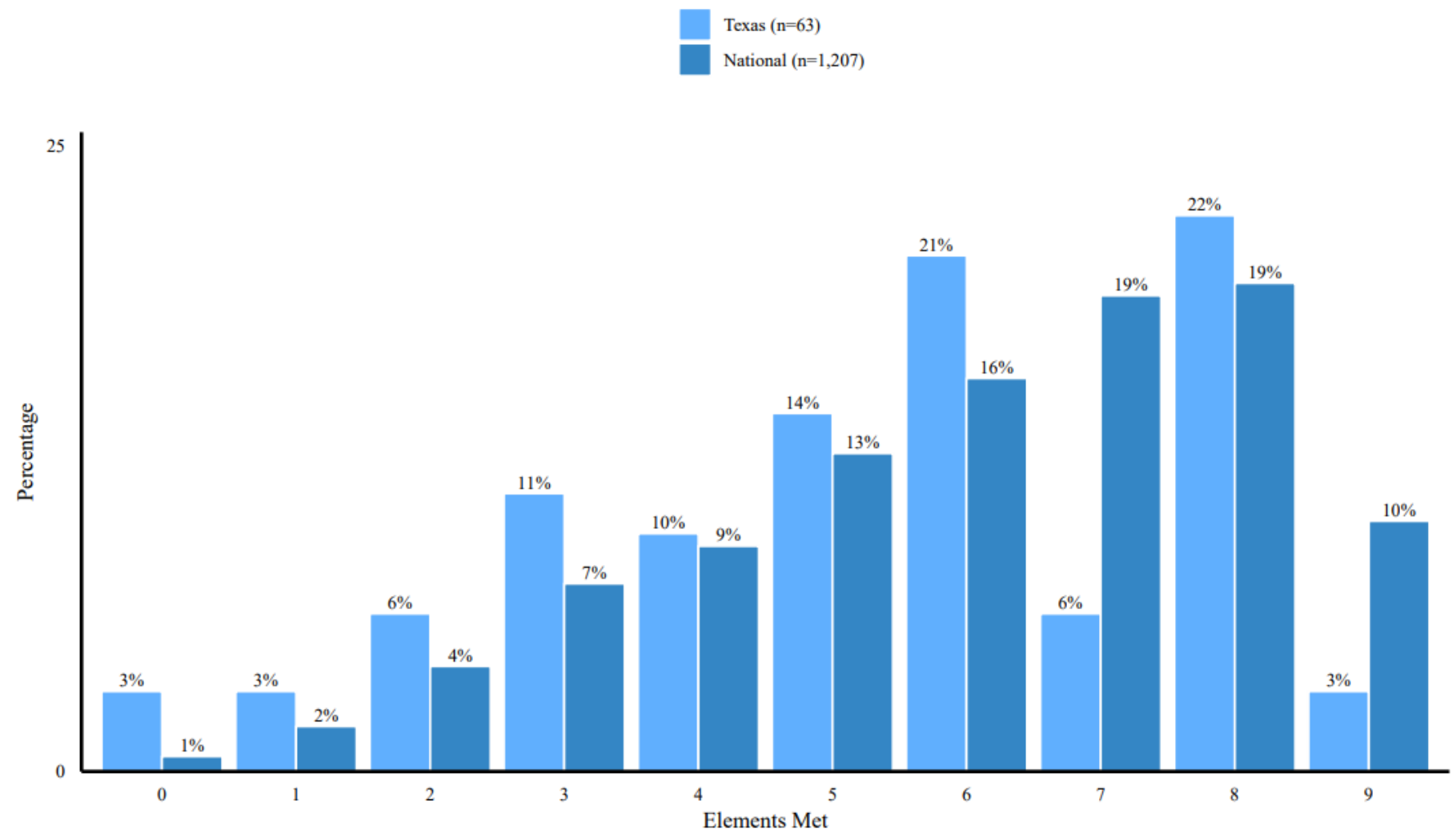


Description	Texas (n = 85)	National (n = 1,345)
Assessment Response Rate (Reponse Rate %)	63 (74.1%)	1,207 (89.7%)



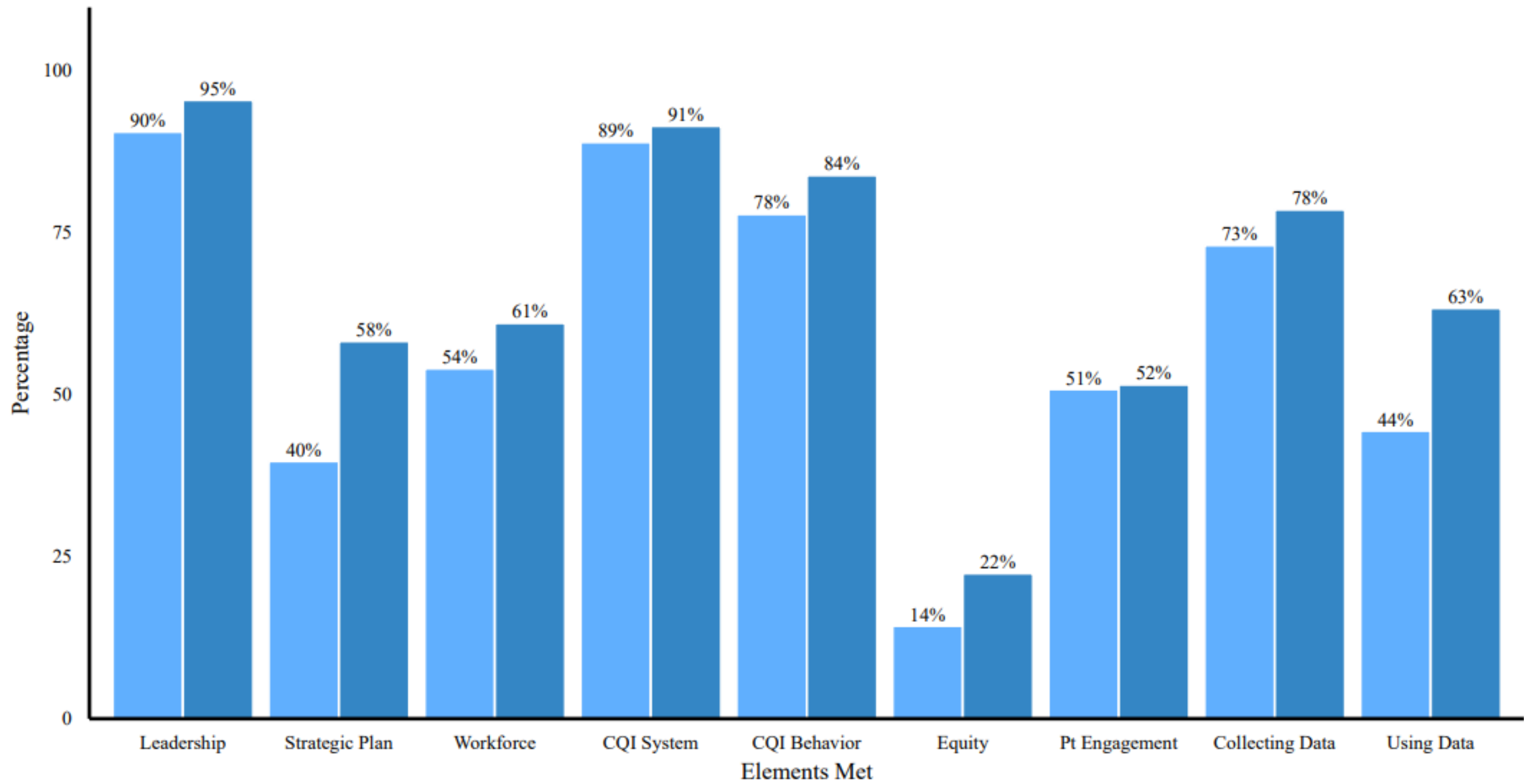
Note: CAHs were instructed to select all that applied

Number of Elements Met	CAHs in Texas (n=63)	CAHs Nationally (n=1,207)
All 9 Elements	3.2%	10.0%
Median Number of Elements Met	6.0	6.0
Median Number of Criteria Met (of 32 Total Criteria)	27.0	28.0



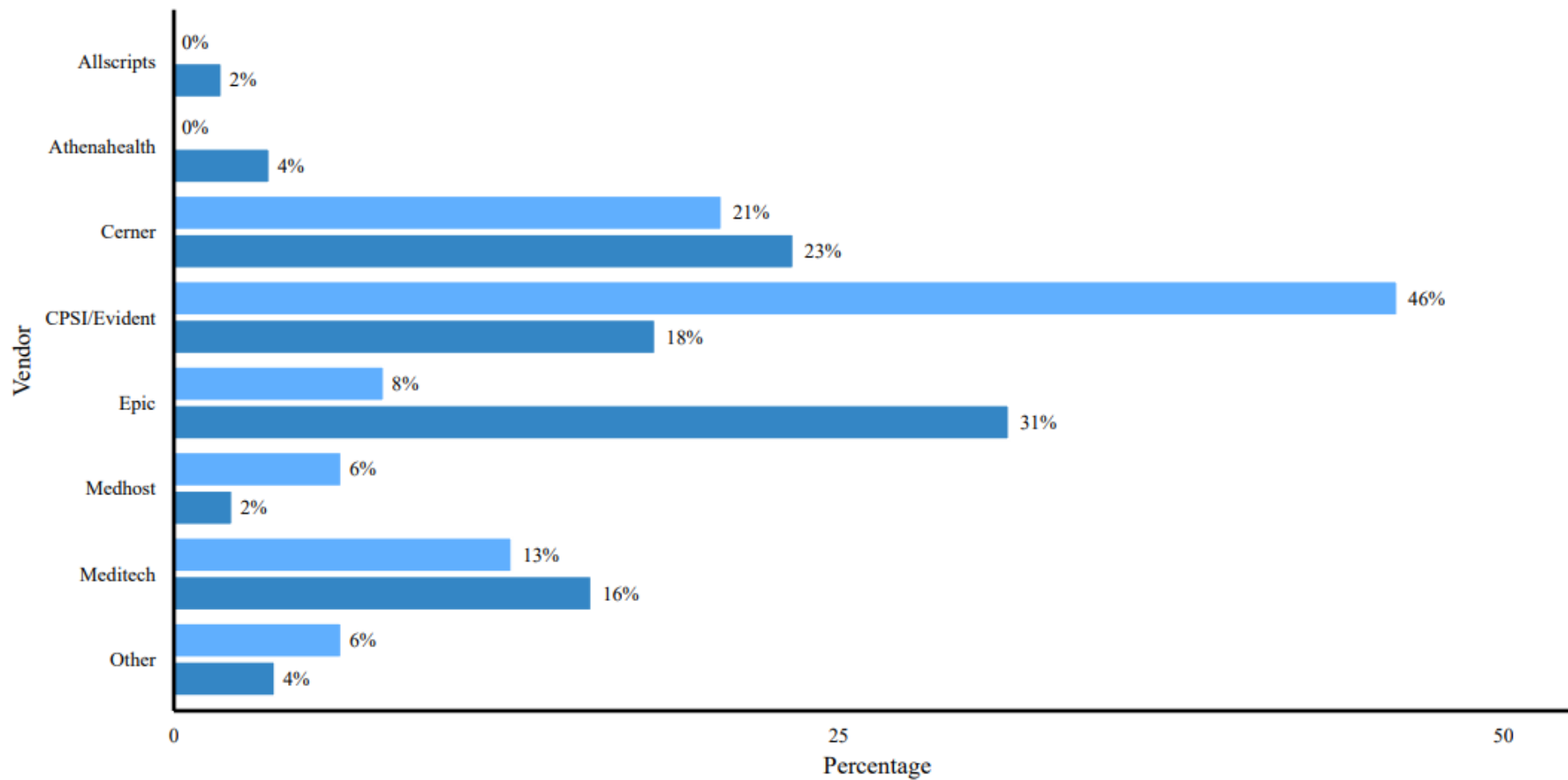


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Service Line	Texas (n=63)	National (n=1,207)
Ambulance Services	49.2%	33.3%
Inpatient Surgery	49.2%	59.4%
Labor & Delivery	22.2%	30.5%
Obstetrics/Gynecology	30.2%	45.2%
Oncology	14.3%	35.0%
Outpatient Substance Use Services	6.3%	20.6%
Psychiatric Outpatient Counseling	33.3%	39.9%
Rural Health Clinic (RHC)	81.0%	73.5%
Skilled Nursing Facility/Long-Term Care	25.4%	30.7%
Swing Beds	95.2%	95.9%

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**CAH Facility Data Summary - Infrastructure**

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Total State CAHs	90	Leadership Responsibility and Accountability	Quality Embedded within the Organization's Strategic Plan	Workforce Engagement and Ownership	Culture of Continuous Improvement Through Systems	Culture of Continuous Improvement Through Behavior	Integrating Equity into Quality Practices	Engagement of Patients, Partners, and Community	Collecting Meaningful and Accurate Data	Using Data to Improve Quality
State CAHs Meeting Element: Count		60	28	37	59	52	10	35	49	31
State CAHs Meeting Element: Percentage		67%	31%	41%	66%	58%	11%	39%	54%	34%
National CAHs Meeting Element: Percentage		85%	52%	55%	82%	75%	20%	46%	70%	56%

# 9 CORE ELEMENTS

# Leadership Responsibility & Accountability

	Texas	National
<b>The hospital board engages in and supports QI</b>	90.5%	96.1%
<b>Organizational resources are adequately allocated to support QI</b>	98.4%	99.0%
<b>Executive leadership oversees design and functionality of QI program</b>	96.8%	99.7%

# Quality Embedded within Organization's Strategic Plan

	Texas	National
Quality leaders participate in organizational strategic planning	71.4%	76.9%
Quality is a core component of the organization's strategic plan	68.3%	82.5%
Quality is reflected in all core components of the organization's strategic plan	57.1%	70.7%

# Workforce Engagement & Ownership

	Texas	National
<b>Organization has formal onboarding and orientation that embed quality as priority</b>	74.6%	81.9%
<b>Organization has regular and ongoing professional development opportunities for staff related to quality</b>	84.1%	87.0%
<b>QI is incorporated into standard work</b>	88.9%	88.6%
<b>Organization imbeds diversity, equity and inclusion in workforce development</b>	73.0%	85.3%



# Culture of Continuous Improvement Through Systems

	Texas	National
<b>The organization uses standardized methods for improvement processes</b>	93.7%	97.5%
<b>Leadership incorporates expectations for QI into job descriptions and department/committee charters</b>	95.2%	94.3%
<b>Organization has processes in place for continuous reporting and monitoring of QI data</b>	96.8%	98.9%

# Culture of Continuous Improvement Through Behavior

	Texas	National
<b>Organization monitors adherence to best practices such as evidence-based protocols/order sets in all areas</b>	98.4%	99.4%
<b>Organization intentionally develops strong peer relationships with internal / external partners including those at local, state, federal levels</b>	96.8%	99.5%
<b>Employees demonstrate initiative to achieve goals and strive for excellence</b>	82.5%	84.9%
<b>Managers and leaders regularly evaluate behaviors to ensure they align with organizational values</b>	98.4%	99.1%

# Integrating Equity into Quality Practices

	Texas	National
<b>Mangers use collected data and other available resources to identify inequities</b>	46.0%	59.7%
<b>Leaders routinely assess quality interventions and processes to address identified inequities</b>	38.1%	36.0%
<b>Units and departments implement specific health equity projects to improve care and lessen inequities</b>	30.2%	45.7%

# Engagement of Patients, Partners, and Community

	Texas	National
Organization collects feedback from patients/families beyond patient experience surveys	81.0%	84.7%
Organization collaborates with other care providers using closed-loop referrals processes to ensure quality of care	93.7%	96.9%
Organization uses a variety of mechanisms to share quality data with patients/families/community	79.4%	77.1%
Leaders synthesize and develop action plans in response to patient/family/community feedback	69.8%	71.1%

# Collecting Meaningful and Accurate Data

	Texas	National
Organization has multidisciplinary process for identifying key quality metrics	79.4%	87.2%
Leaders identify risks and opportunities based on analyses of key performance metrics	96.8%	99.5%
Organization leverages health information technology to support complete and accurate data collection	93.7%	94.2%
Organization collects and documents race/ethnicity/language/sexual orientation/gender identify and health relation social needs data	93.7%	93.6%

# Using Data to Improve Quality

	Texas	National
<b>Organization shares data transparently both internal and externally</b>	93.7%	96.1%
<b>Organization incorporates external data sources to inform QI efforts</b>	50.8%	74.0%
<b>Leaders act on and clearly communicate the data results from quality initiatives</b>	71.4%	82.4%
<b>Organization uses benchmarking to identify where quality can be improved</b>	96.8%	97.2%

# Final tips & takeaways

Seek feedback

- go over survey results

- complete survey if you didn't do it before

Reflect on performance

- find opportunities for improvement

Explore new ways of doing things

- change is good – improve upon current QI processes

Set goals

- Setting goals increases success

Consistency!!!

QUESTIONS???





# Upcoming Events

## **CNO Bootcamp**

**August 1-2, 2024 – Austin, Tx**

## **Frontline / Physician Documentation Workshop**

**Date TBD**

## **Frontline webinar series on Quality Improvement**

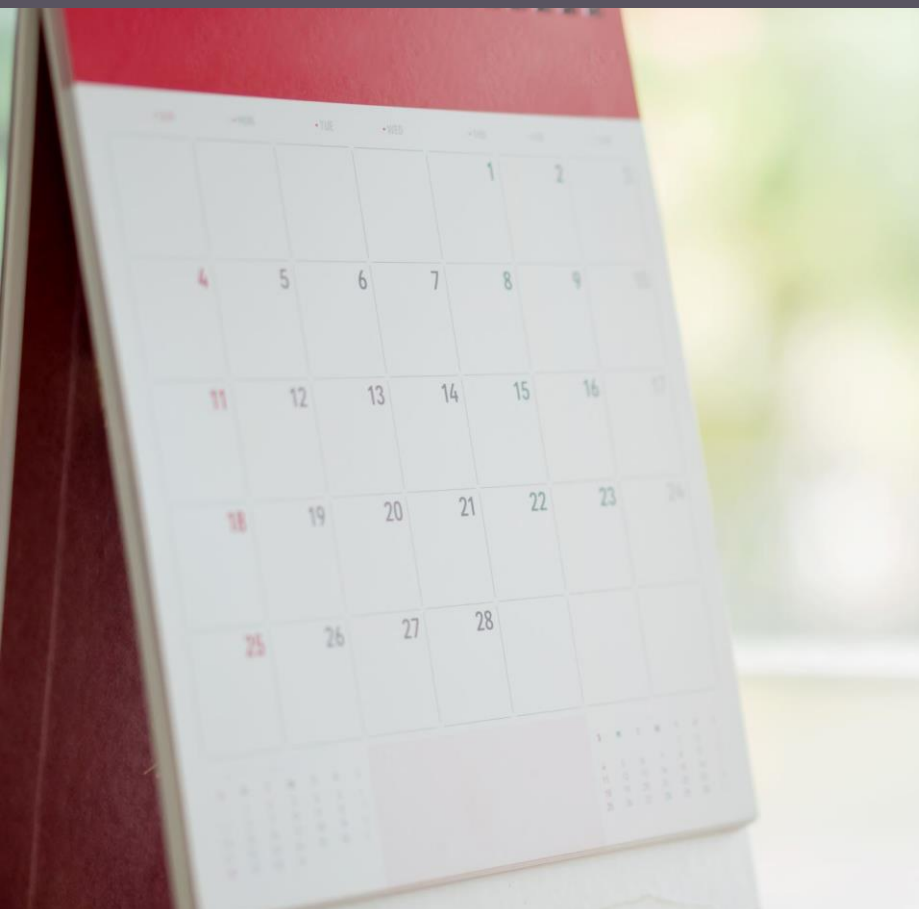
**July 24 – Social Determinants of Health / Health Literacy**

**July 31 – Basics of Quality Improvement**

**Aug 7 – Healthcare Mistakes and Their Impact**

**Aug 14 – Trauma Informed Care**

**Aug 21 – Workplace Violence**



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