

# Kentucky's Strategic Action Plan

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# OUTLINE

- The state & the need
- The organization of a response
- The action plan

# THE STATE AND THE NEED

# KENTUCKY

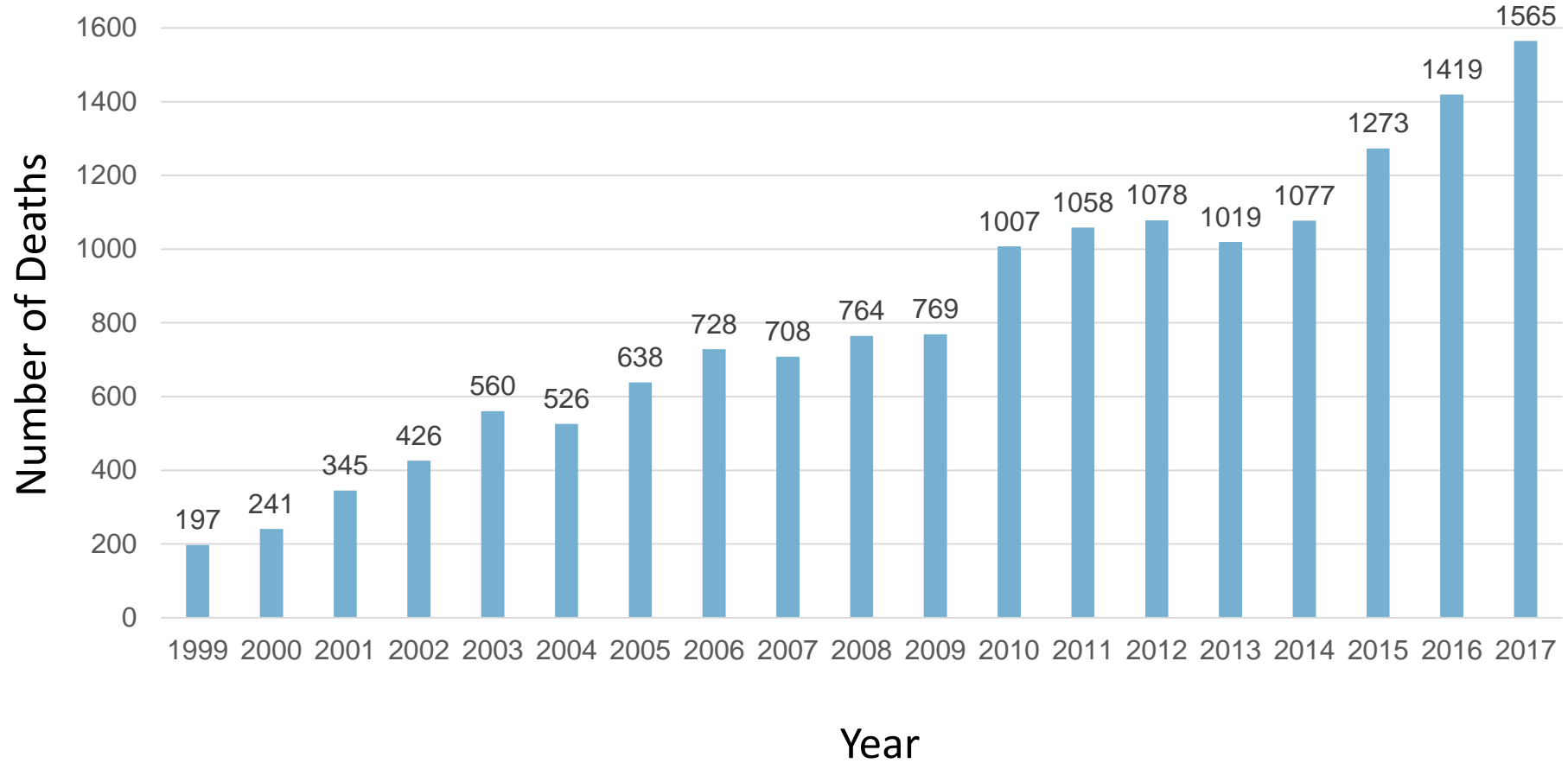
- 4.4 million people
- 35 urban counties
- 85 rural counties
- 4% unemployment
- Medicaid expansion in 2014



# AGE-ADJUSTED OVERDOSE DEATH RATE BY STATE, 2016

State	Deaths	Population	Age-Adjusted Rate per 100,000
West Virginia	884	1,831,102	52.0
Ohio	4,329	11,614,373	39.1
New Hampshire	481	1,334,795	39.0
Pennsylvania	4,627	12,784,227	37.9
Kentucky	1,419	4,436,974	33.5
Maryland	2,044	6,016,447	33.2
Massachusetts	2,227	6,811,779	33.0

# KY RESIDENT DRUG OVERDOSE DEATHS



# OVERDOSE DEATH TOXICOLOGY REPORT

- Fentanyl – **69%** (↑ 22%)
- Alprazolam – **34%**
- Gabapentin – **29%**
- Methamphetamine – **28%** (↑ 57%)
- Oxycodone – **13%** (↓ 6%)
- Hydrocodone – **13%** (↓ 3%)

(Kentucky Injury Prevention Research Center, 2018)

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
JUSTICE & PUBLIC SAFETY CABINET



2016 Overdose Fatality Report

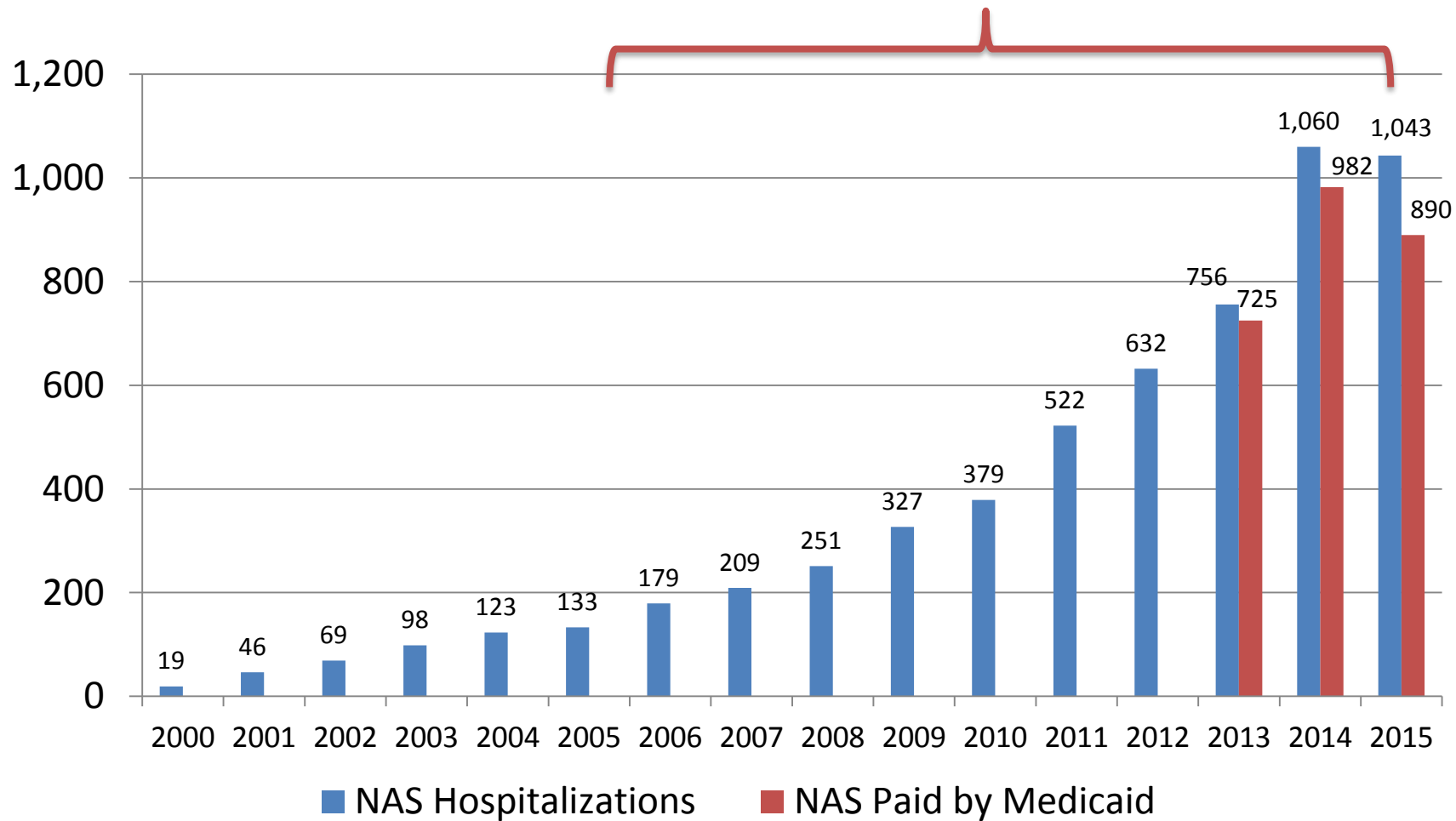
KENTUCKY OFFICE OF DRUG CONTROL POLICY

John C. Tilley, Secretary  
Justice & Public Safety Cabinet

Van Ingram, Executive Director  
Office of Drug Control Policy

# NAS HOSPITALIZATION OF KY NEWBORNS

600%

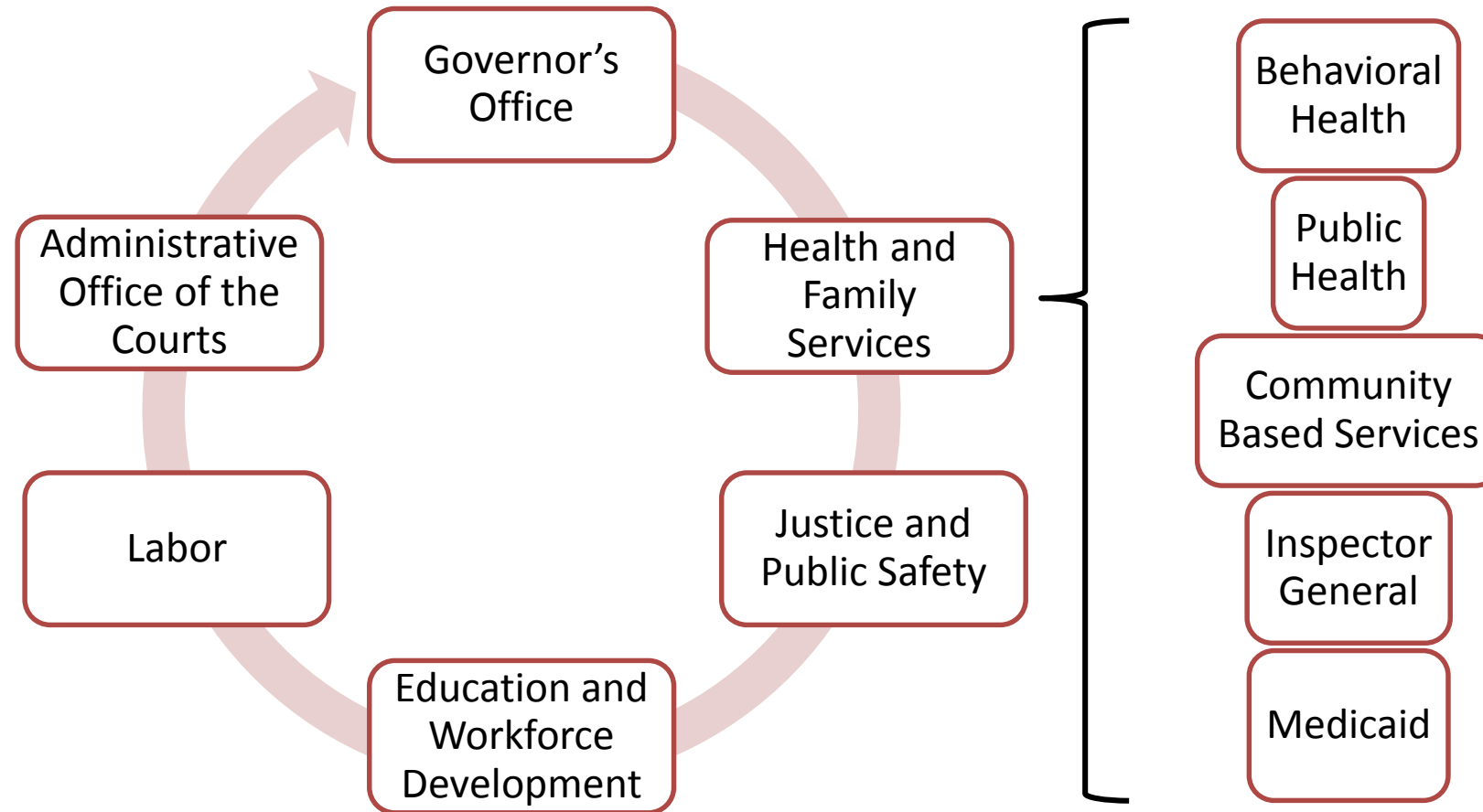




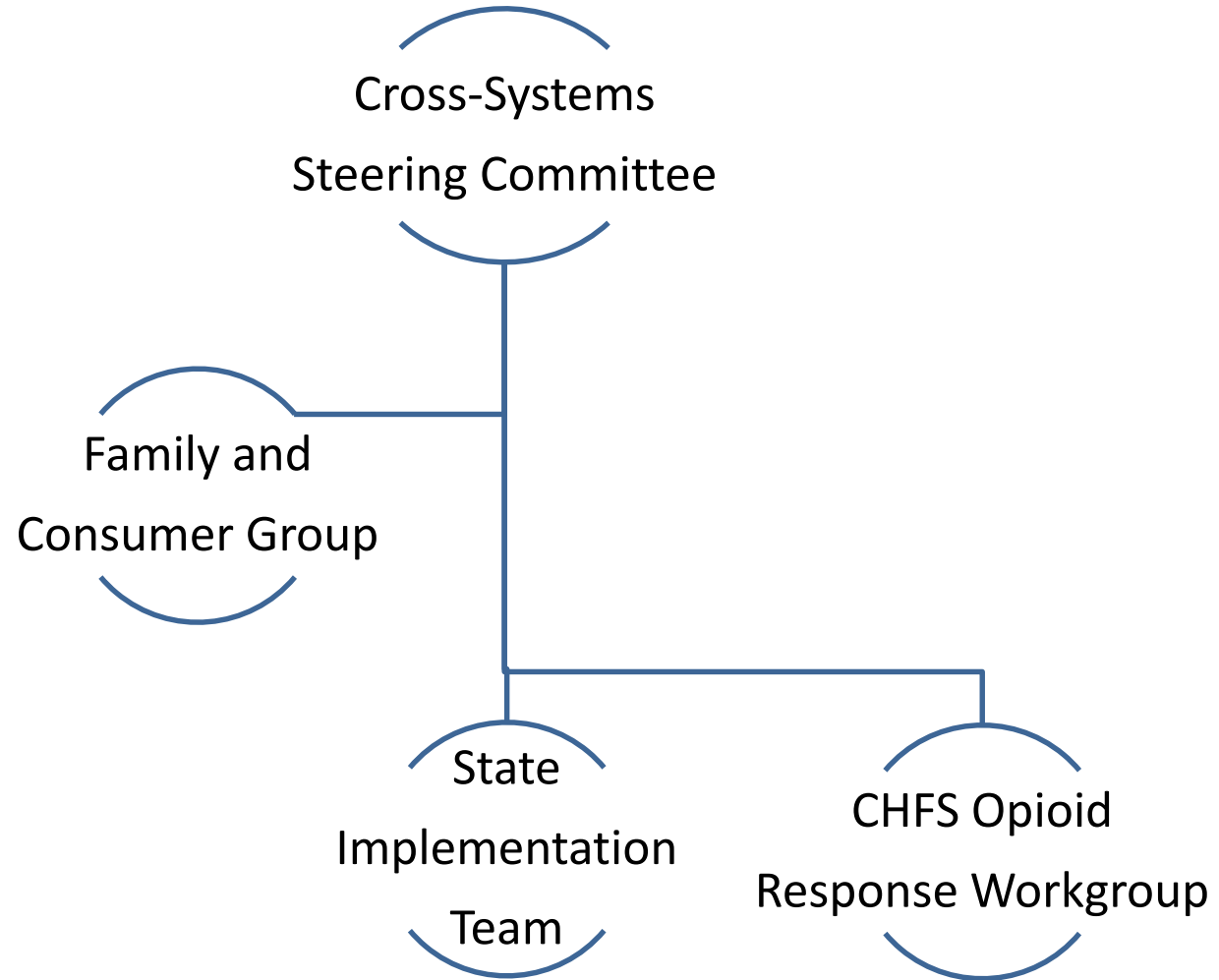


# THE ORGANIZATION OF THE RESPONSE

# STATE INTERAGENCY PARTNERS



# ACTION PLAN OVERSIGHT STRUCTURE



# DATA-DRIVEN NEEDS ASSESSMENT

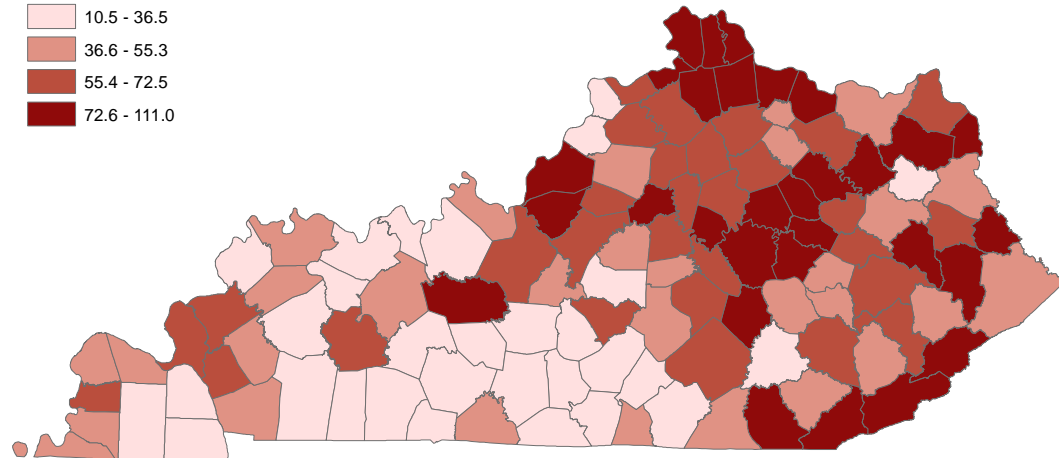
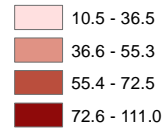


Kentucky Opioid Overdose Index Score, 2017



Kentucky Public Health  
Prevent. Promote. Protect.

## Opioid Overdose Index



- 1) Fatal opioid overdoses
- 2) Opioid overdose ED visits
- 3) Opioid overdose hospitalizations
- 4) MME  $\geq$  100

Data sources: Kentucky Inpatient and Outpatient Hospitalization Claims Files, Frankfort, KY; Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Office of Health Policy; Kentucky Death Certificate Database, Kentucky Office of Vital Statistics, Cabinet for Health and Family Services; KASPER Quarterly Trend Report, Third Quarter 2015, Kentucky Department for Public Health. Data are provisional and subject to change.

# GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- Availability – available in sufficient quantity
- Accessibility – accessible without discrimination
- Acceptability – person-centered, culturally appropriate, and gender sensitive
- Quality – scientifically and medically appropriate and of good quality
- Supports a Recovery-Oriented Systems of Care

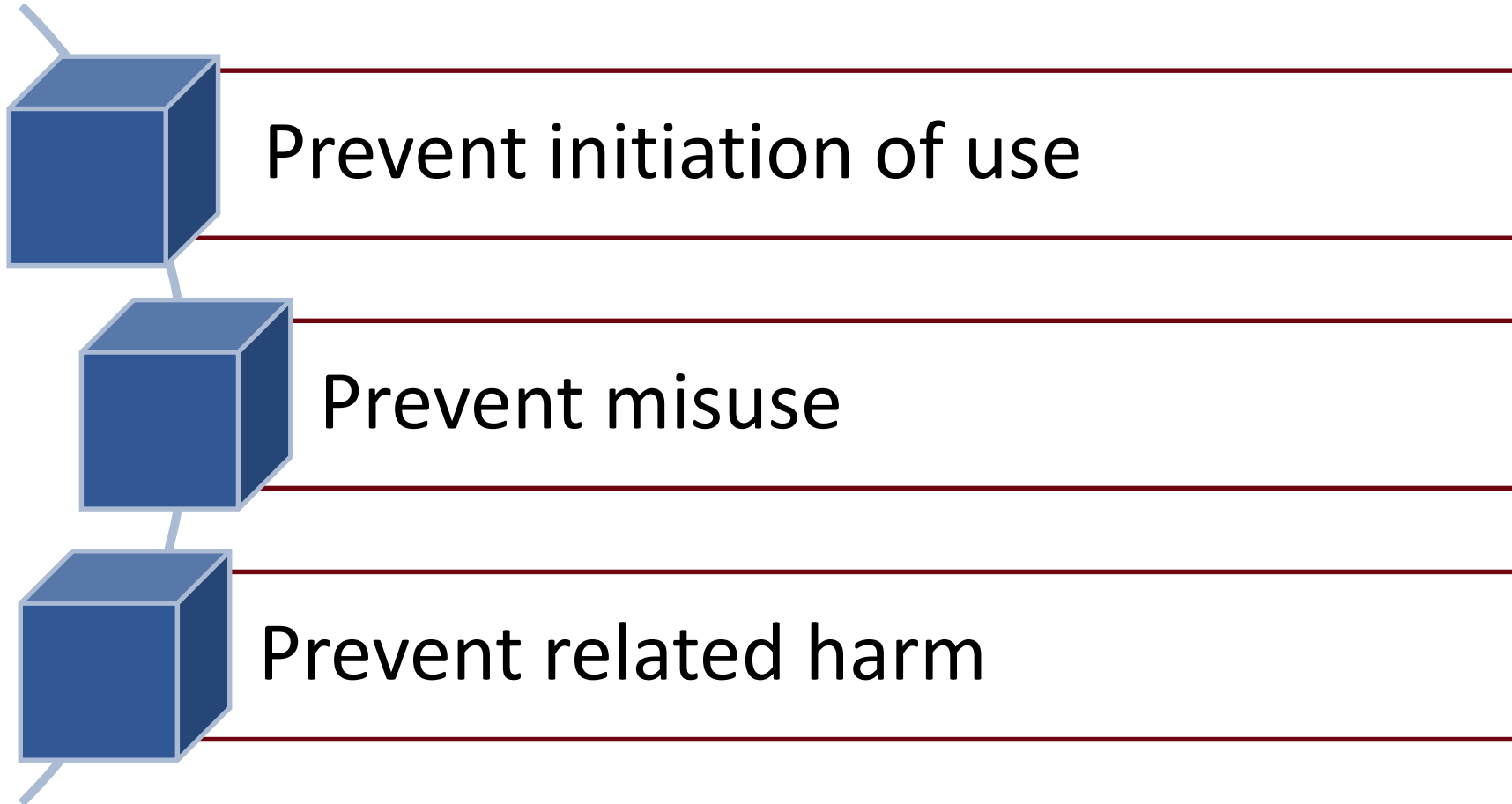
# THE STRATEGIC ACTION PLAN

# ACTION PLAN BUILDING BLOCKS





# PREVENTION



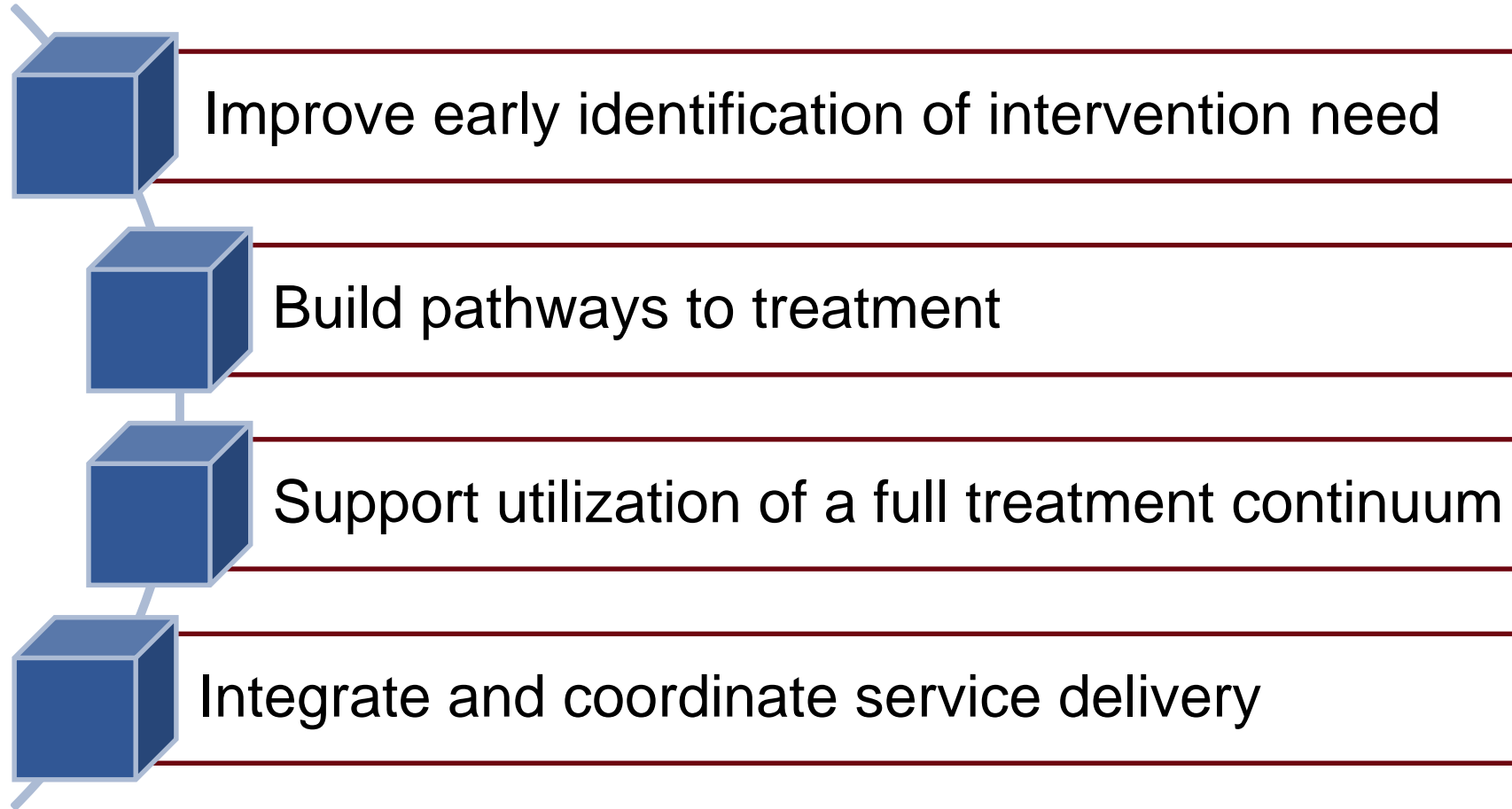
# PREVENT RELATED HARM

- Overdose prevention training
- Save lives through naloxone
- Decrease transmission of infectious disease and other consequences

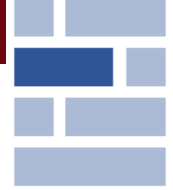
# PREVENT INITIATION OF USE AND MISUSE

- Opioid stewardship
- Universal prevention
- Public safety-based programs
- Appropriate treatment for chronic pain

# TREATMENT

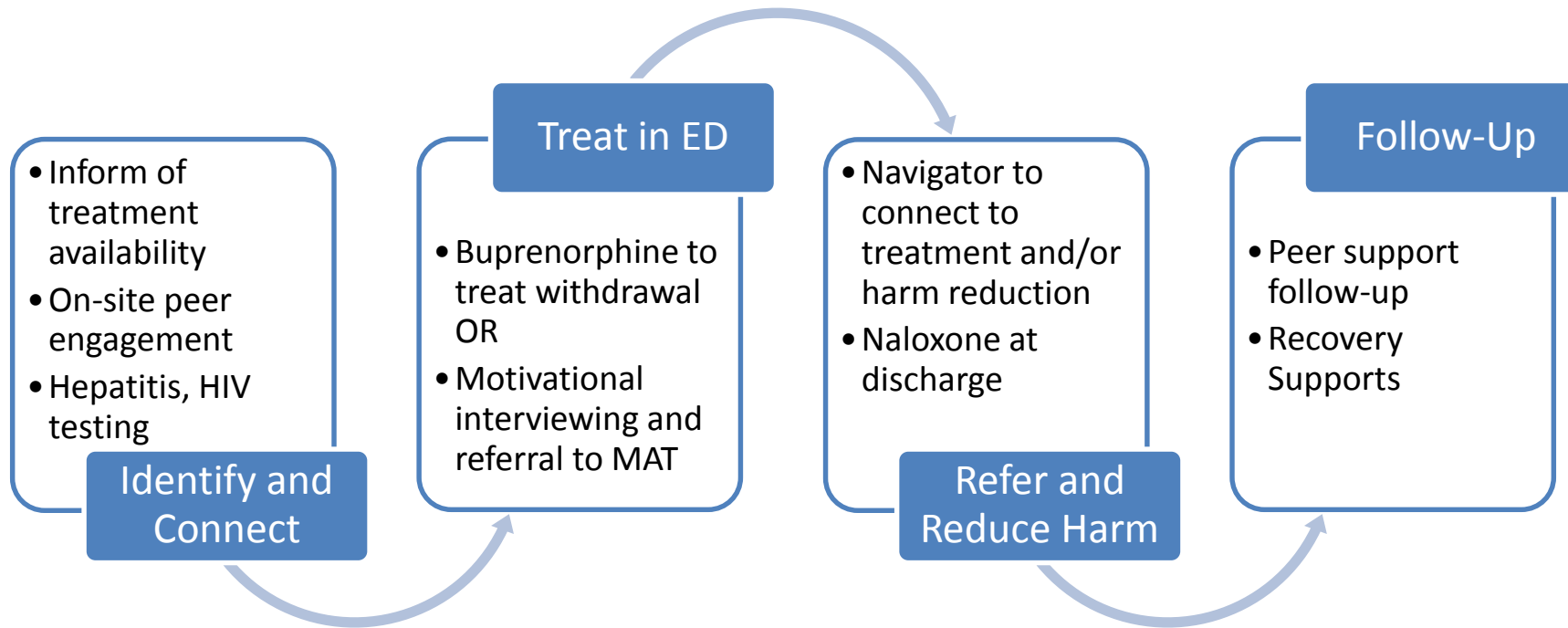


# IMPROVE EARLY IDENTIFICATION AND BUILD PATHWAYS TO TREATMENT

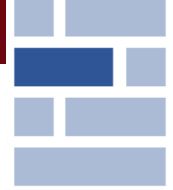


- Universal screening
- Clinical assessment and service planning
- Access and awareness of treatment resources for clients and providers
- Treatment initiation and engagement through behavioral health and other partners

# ED Bridge Clinic Model

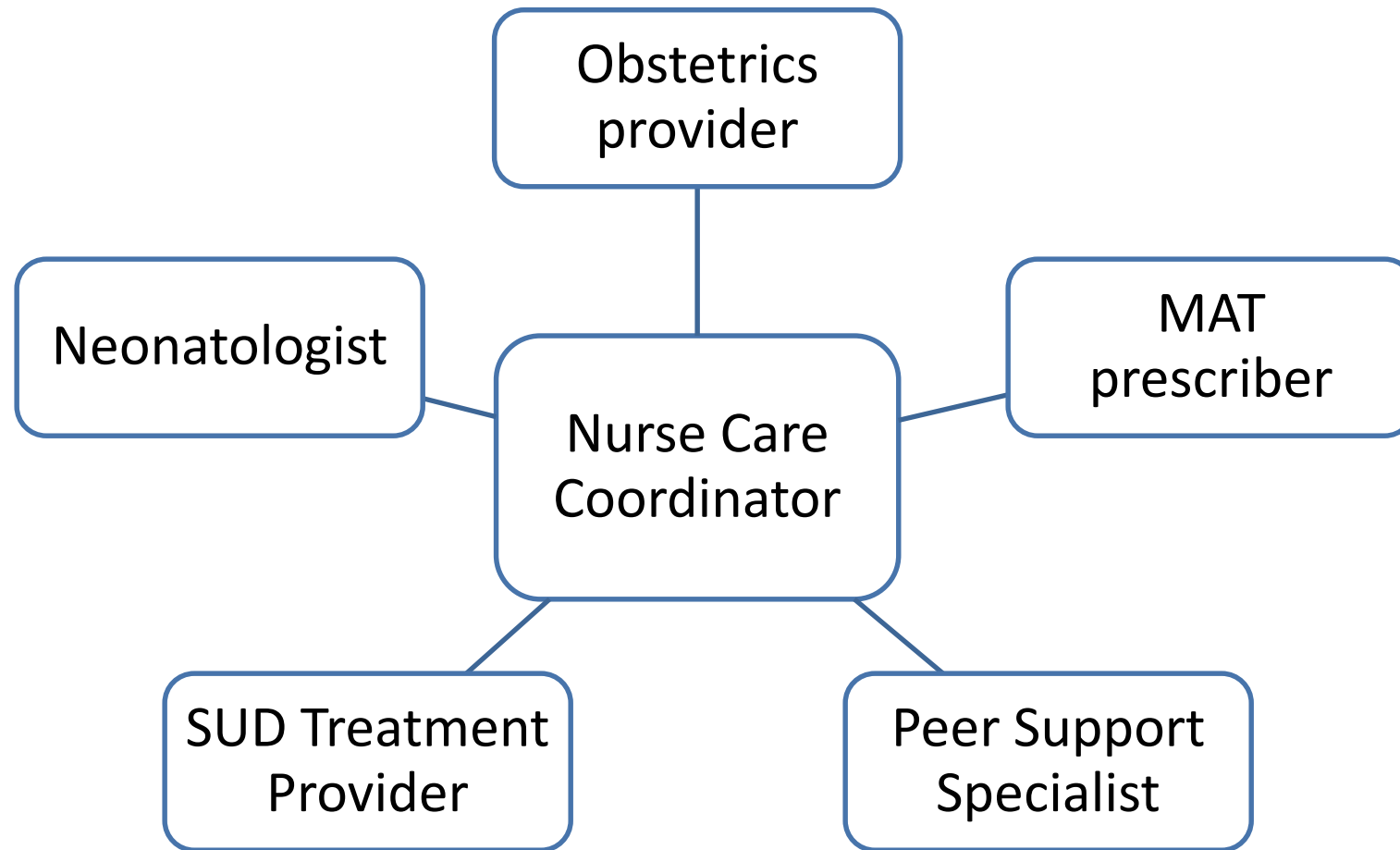


# INTEGRATE AND COORDINATE SERVICE DELIVERY MODELS



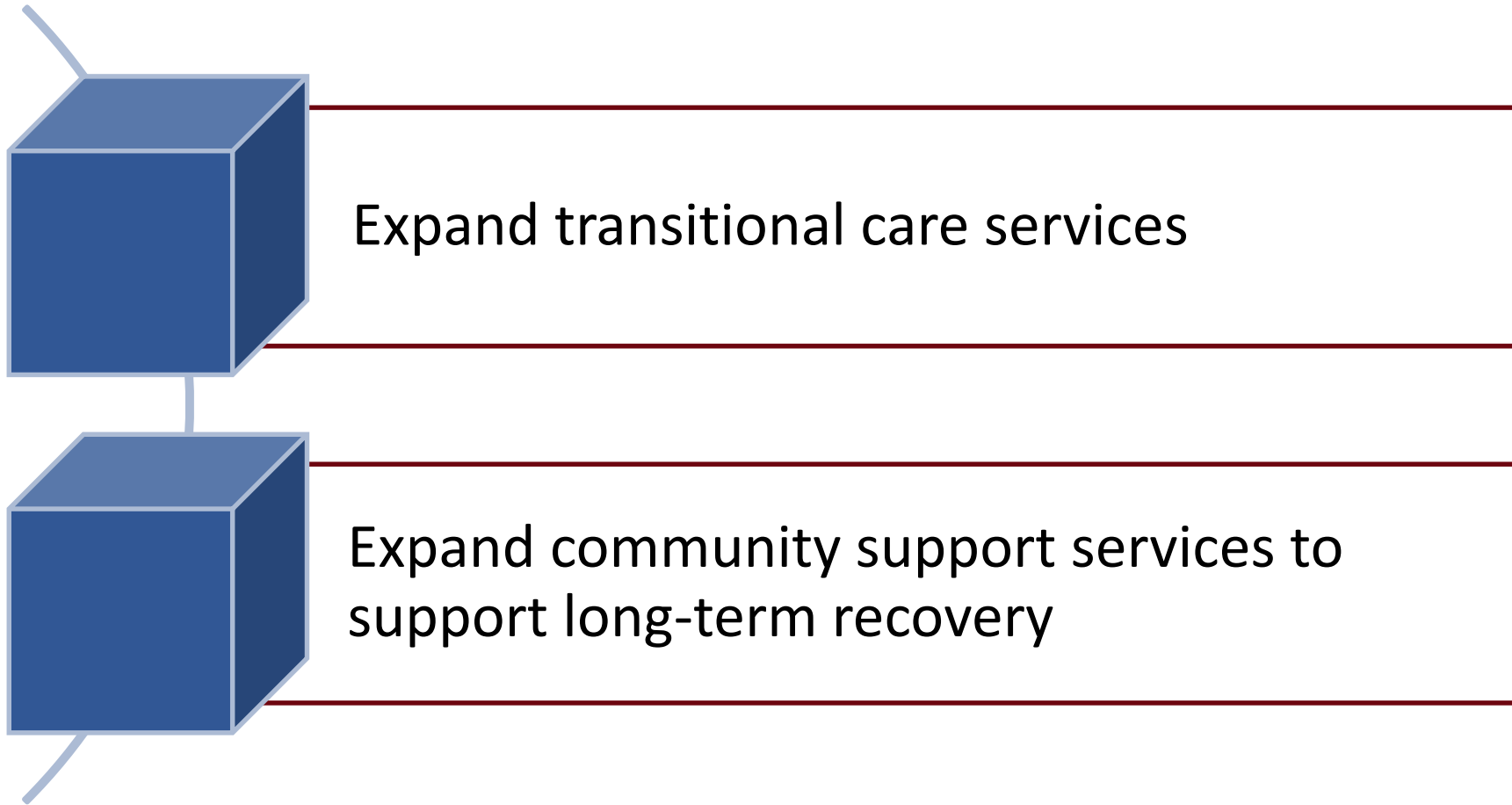
- Integrate healthcare with SUD services
- Implement coordinated systems of care targeting special populations
- Strengthen treatment and recovery engagement by integrating peer support
- Increase utilization of case management to coordinate service delivery

# INTEGRATED AND COORDINATED CARE





# RECOVERY



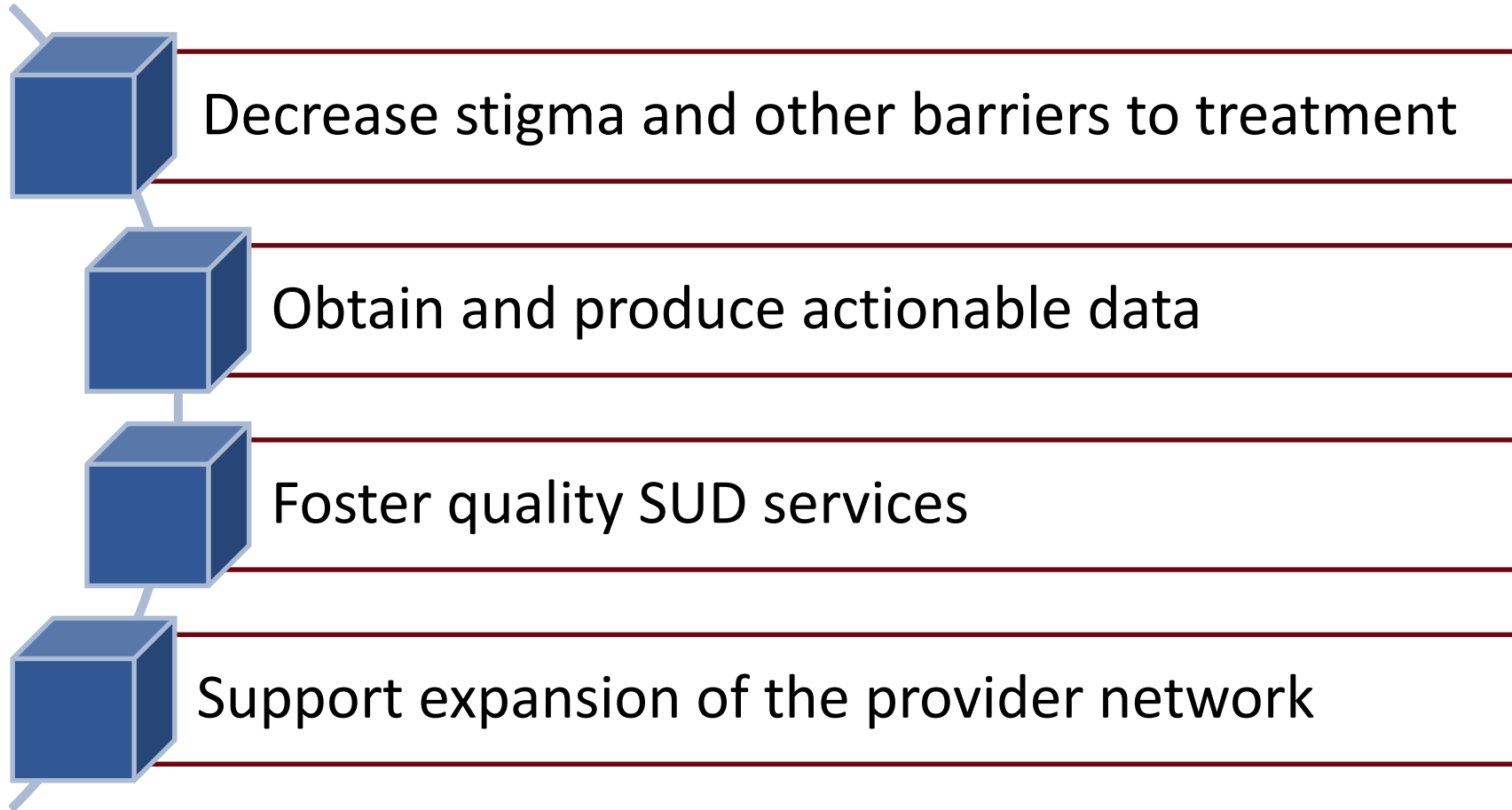
# EXPAND TRANSITIONAL CARE SERVICES

- Expand recovery support including case management and peer support through recovery community centers
- Grow, diversify, and increase access to the recovering community
- Integrate and coordinate treatment of co-occurring disorders

# EXPAND COMMUNITY SUPPORT SERVICES

- Access to all levels of structured, supportive housing
- Employee and employer readiness and support
- Education support
- Child and family welfare
- Remove environmental obstacles to recovery

# INFRASTRUCTURE



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