



TRANSLATING COLLABORATIONS INTO ACTIONS

Texas Oral Health Summit

San Antonio, Texas

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Background

- Oral health is integral to overall health and well-being
- A transformative movement focused on systems level change
- Our values:

COMMUNITY

COLLABORATION

CONSENSUS BUILDING

COMMUNICATION

COLLECTIVE WISDOM

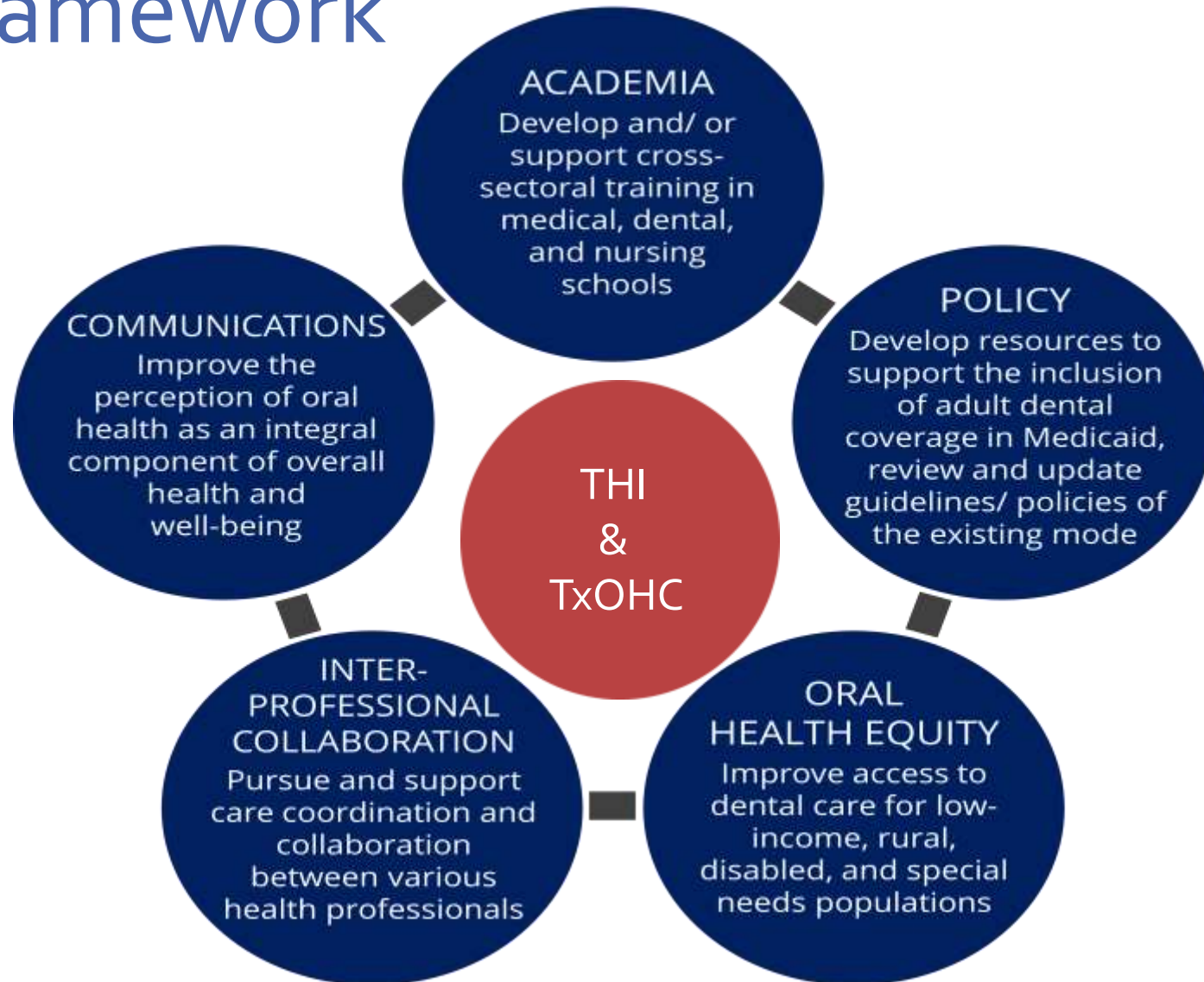
- Advancing the Oral Health Movement in Texas
- With support from the DentaQuest Foundation, a collaborative initiative between the Texas Health Institute and the Texas Oral Health Coalition
- Our Vision – In the spirit of empowerment and transparency, building a collaborative, data-driven movement to achieve system improvements in the oral health landscape in Texas



Objective

- Develop a shared understanding of our problems,
- Develop mutually reinforced shared solutions
- To achieve what none of us can achieve alone!

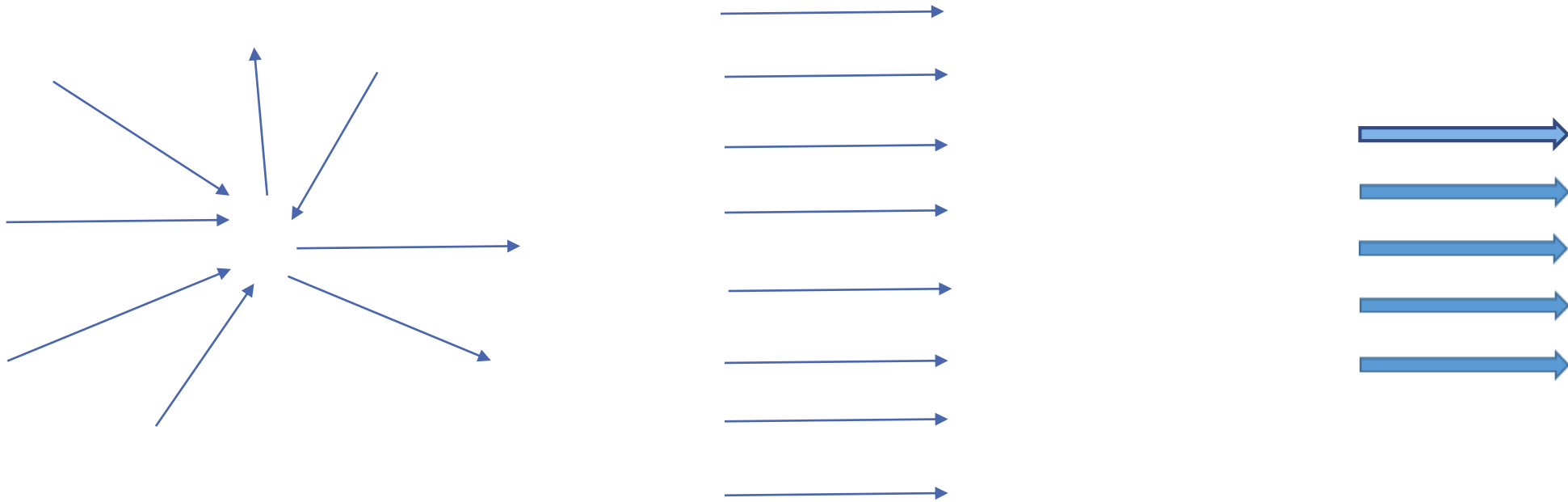
Our Framework



Successes

- A policy success
- Best practice approach on oral health integration in other health curricula
- A data-based fact sheet on oral health disparities in Texas
- A resource for interprofessional collaboration
- A communications campaign

Translational Collaborations



Questions??

Thank You!

- To join the movement and/or questions:

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