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Operationalizing a shared vision; CME, MOC and QI

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Disclosure

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Current state

- QI; progress slow and uneven results
- MOC; evolving, cost, technical and relevance concerns
- CME; Davies research, IOM reports on CME; Macy Foundation reports, ACCME “CME as a Bridge to Quality” and Criterion 21, IOM IPE project.

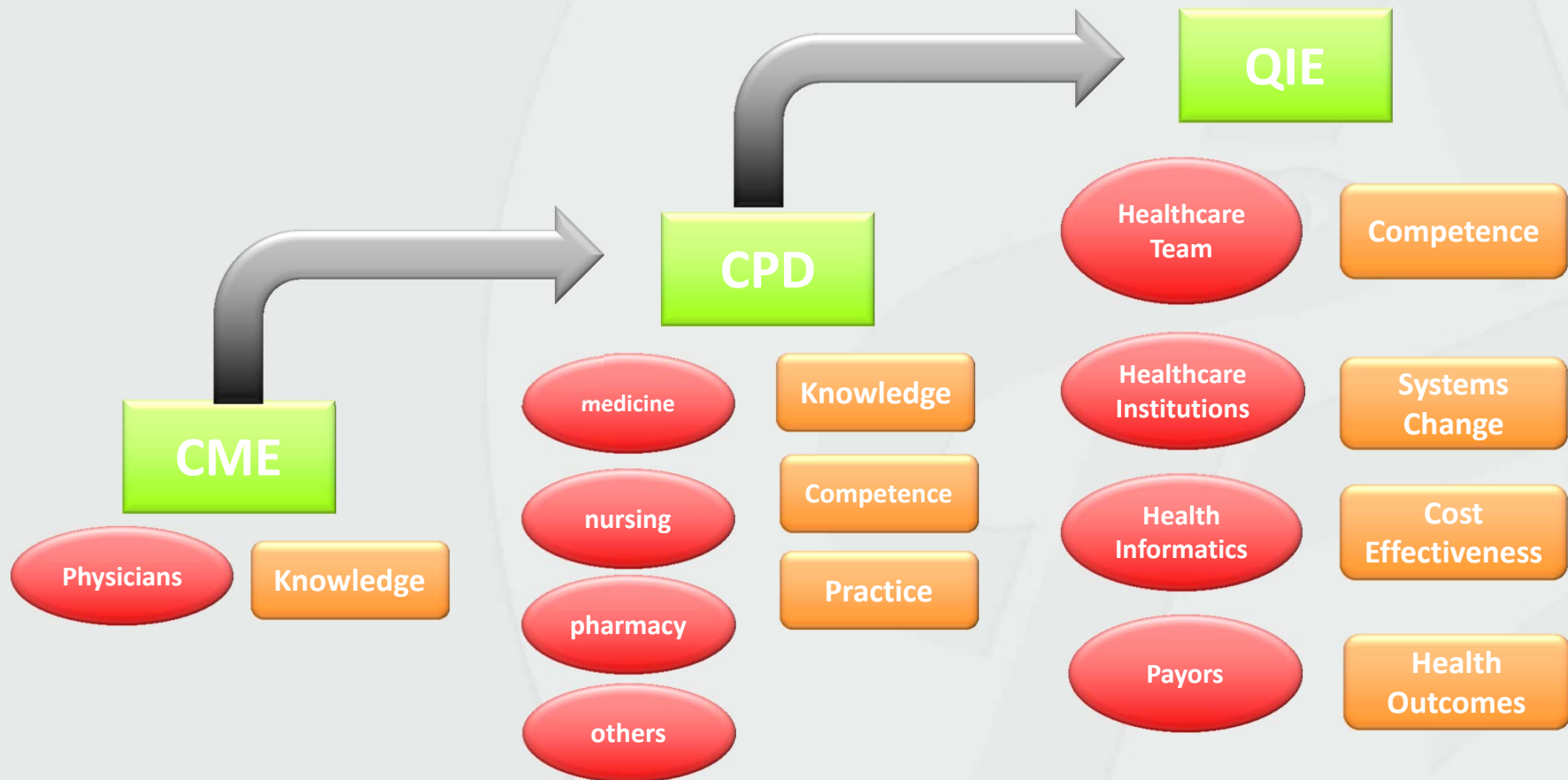


Current state; Myths (2 of 2).

- Education=lectures, conferences
- Lectures=behavioral and system change
- CME =only about MDs
- CME only about credit and the only form of education/learning
 - Ref; Davies; IOM sept 2014; genetics and education



Alliance QIE Initiative: A Transformation Shift



The QIE Initiative

What do ACEhp members say*?

Increasing QI Activity, Yet a Lack of Educators' Involvement in QI

Though 73% of members see QI activities occurring in their organizations, only 26% are actively involved in the planning / delivery of these QI activities

Increasing Need for QI Expertise, Yet Educators Have Limited Access

Though 84% of members see professional development in QI as important to their career, only 26% have an advanced level of QI expertise.

* QIE Survey of >1,700 members, >500 responses for a >30% response rate. ~30% hospital-based, ~20% medical specialty societies, ~20% inter-professional education companies, <10% each of: pharma/device companies, medical schools, & federal healthcare educators



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What is QIE?

Long-term: an effort to establish and maintain the value of education in the new healthcare ecosystem

Short-term: inserting education tools and techniques into QI activities across the U.S. healthcare delivery system and community, with measurable improvements in quality metrics and health





- **Overarching Recommendations**
 - Foster collaboration and organizational partnerships
 - Define a performance metric for the Roadmap initiative; assess the effectiveness
 - Use the SQUIRE guidelines to frame all QIE activities; teach educators to use SQUIRE within their institutions
 - Support educational activities for patients and families focused on quality improvement and the QIE initiative
- **Recommendations Mapped to Domains**





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QIE Roadmap with 10 Domains to Guide Education when Integrated in QI



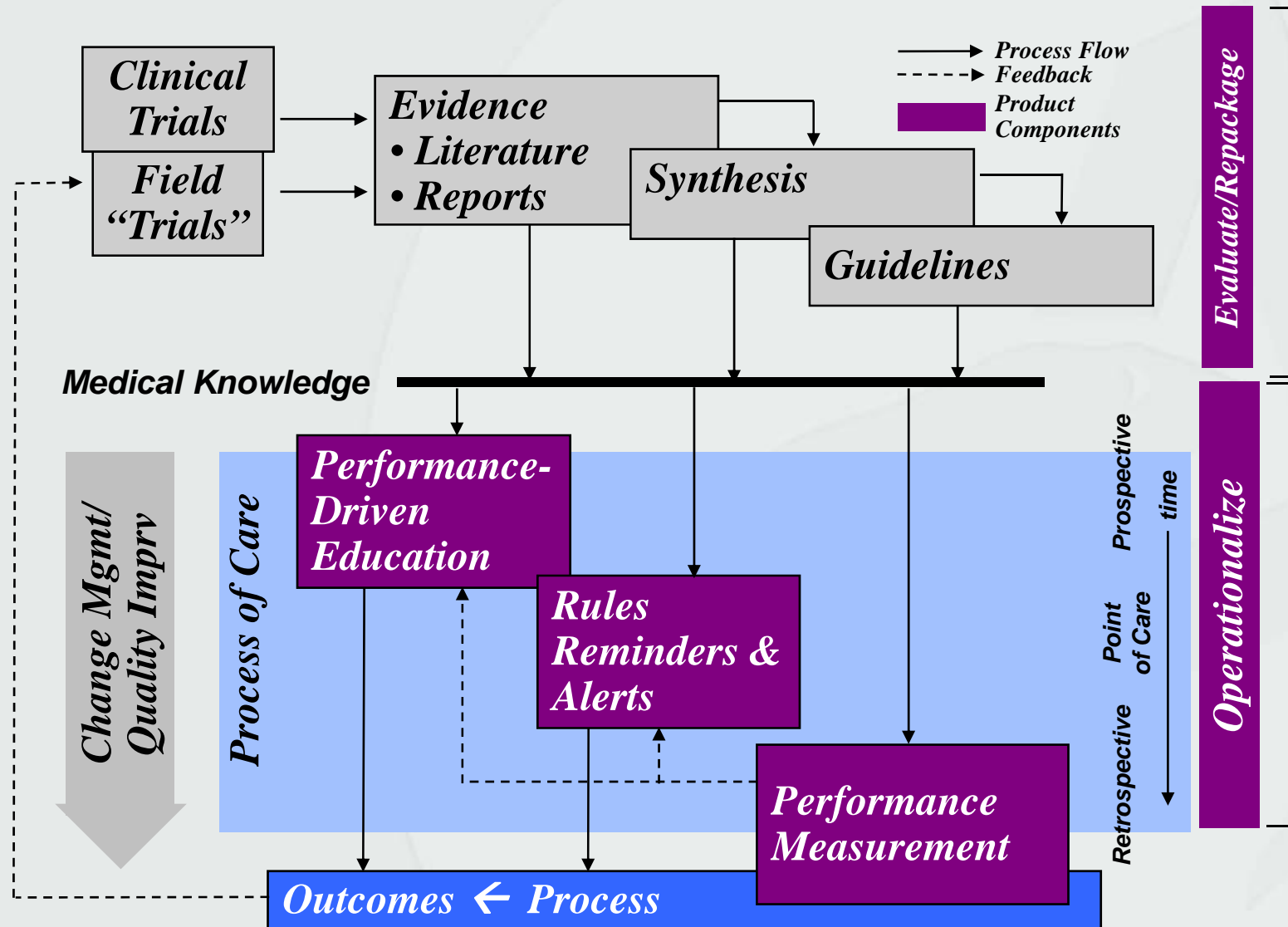
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Some additional considerations highlighted

- MD certification and accreditations systems need to evolve-take into account teams, systems and experiential learning
- Practice profiles; of the entire practice; support relevance for exam, measurement and CME
- Build an HIT infrastructure to support measurement & improvement within a Learning Health System



Convergence of CPMs, CME and Alerts



Share vision ;CME, MOC and QI; Re-balance

- Purpose; public reporting vs QI
- Motivation; P4P vs professionalism
- Leadership; maximum collaboration between Boards and Specialty Societies



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