



Building an HAI/AR Staff Competency & Training Workbook

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Who WE Are

If we want to make progress on the things that matter, women must have the opportunity to lead, on their own terms, in their own voice.

40 independent consultants with a variety of skills and experience...

Who have come together in a shared leadership collective to...

Create powerful teams that...

Support people & organizations to create a more just, equitable world.





What WE Do

WE believe the how is as important as the what. WE offer a broad range of services, but always focus on partnering with clients, walking hand in hand to tackle complex health and social challenges.

01 | Adaptive Strategic Planning

02 | Workforce Development

03 | Health Equity

04 | Facilitation & Coalition Building

05 | Evaluation

Project Snapshot

NACCHO is developing a Competency & Training Workbook for LHD staff engaging in HAI/AR work.

The workbook will:

- Identify health department roles and staff-level competencies for various HAI/AR activities
- Provide a road map to build those competencies among staff

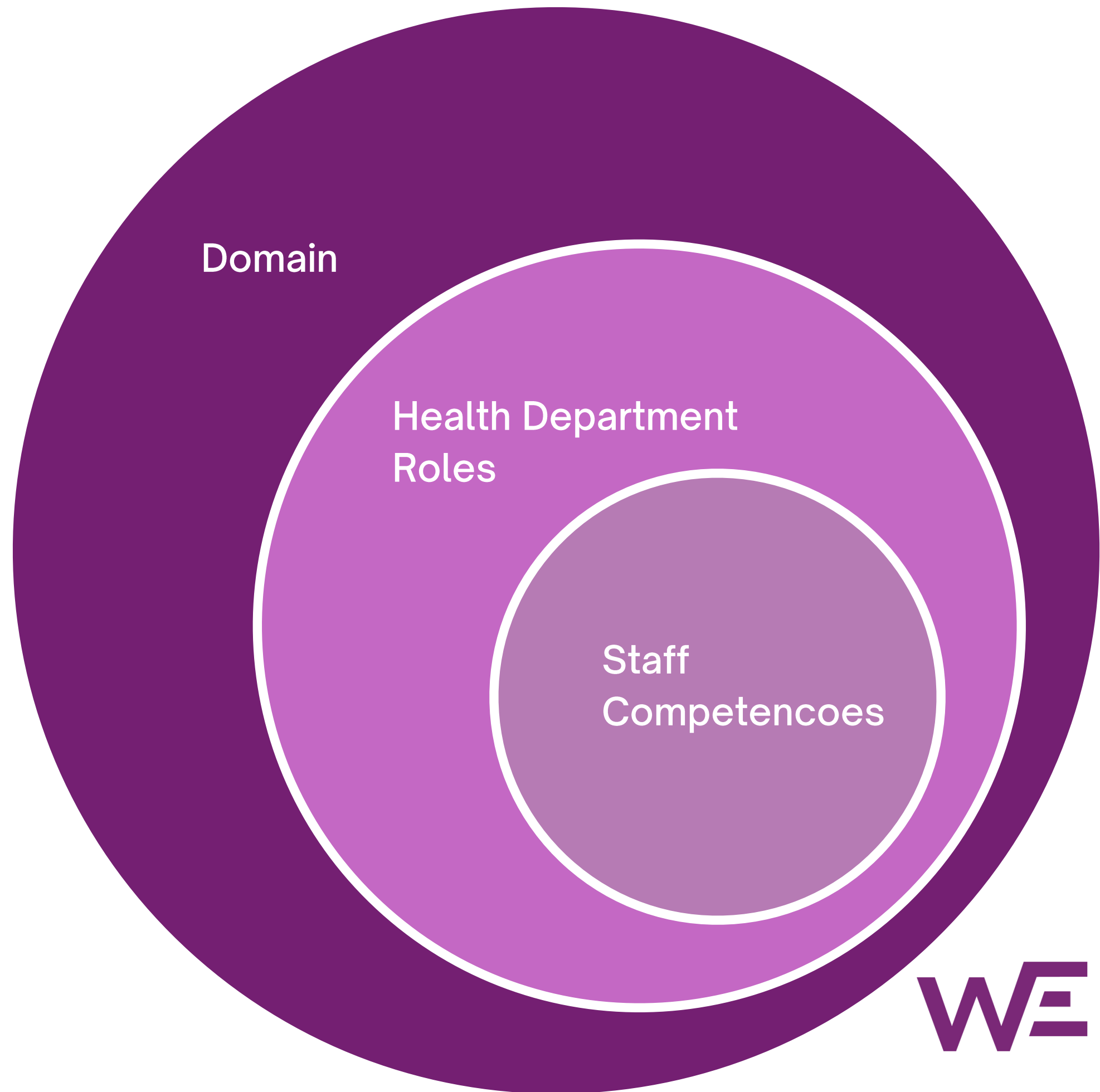
Our Session Goals

- Share the first draft of the Competency and Training Workbook
- Review the Workbook in groups using our review/discussion questions as a guide
- Gather feedback and suggestions

Your input will be incorporated into the next iteration of the Workbook.



Organizing the Workbook



11 Domains

01 | Antimicrobial Stewardship

02 | Collaboration, Coordination, & Partnerships

03 | Data & Informatics

04 | Education & Communication

05 | Health Equity

06 | Outbreaks & Investigation

07 | Laboratory Diagnostics

08 | Leadership

09 | Facilitation & Coalition Building

10 | Program & Budget Management

11 | Surveillance

Domain Structure

Domain Overview

Skills & Attributes

Pre-Assessment

Health Department Roles
& Staff Competencies

Take Action

Knowledge Check

Post-Assessment



Breakout Groups

Review & Discussion Questions

- 1 Are the health department roles and staff competencies what you would expect to see for the domain you're reviewing?
- 2 Do you know of any tools or resources that you'd recommend for building competency in this domain, aside from what we've included?
- 3 Are there health department roles or competencies you think are missing?
- 4 What questions would you recommend for the Knowledge Check & Pre/Post Assessments? Is there anything there that you would remove?
- 5 How can we make this most useful for health department staff who support HAI/AR activities, from entry-level to leadership?
- 6 Do you have any other feedback or suggestions?



WE appreciate
your input!

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Please get in touch if you have
any questions or other thoughts.



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