



# CDC Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity Cooperative Agreement

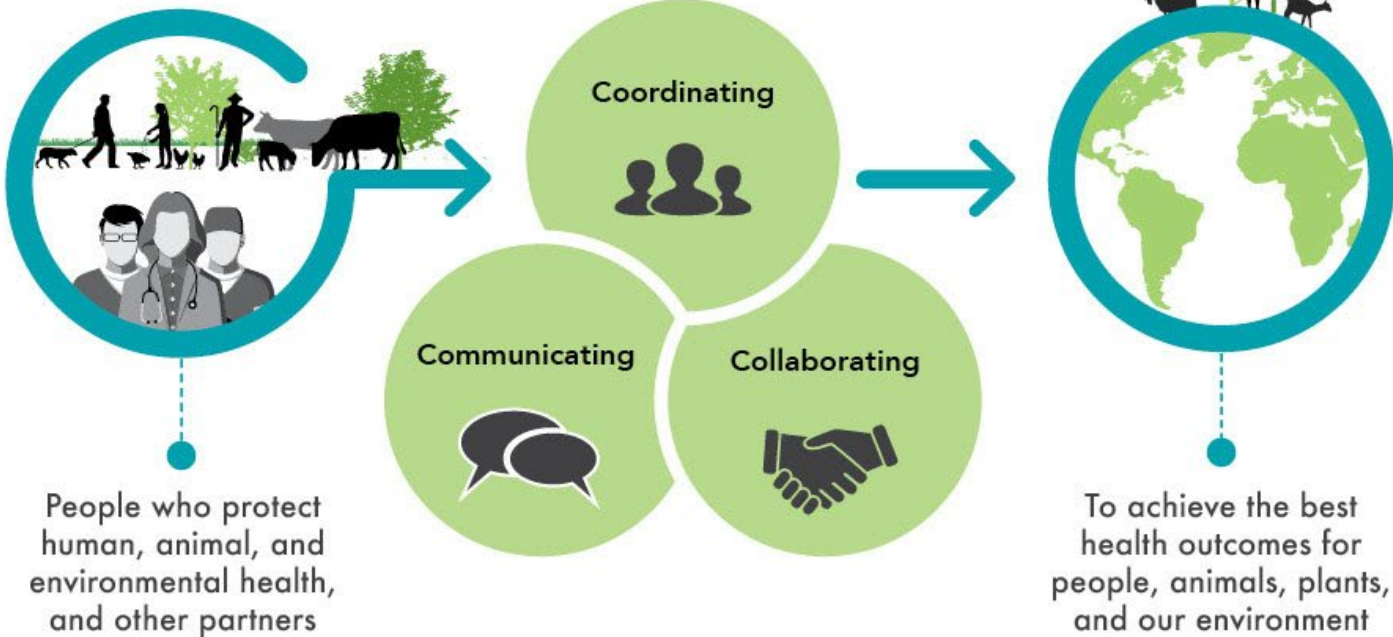
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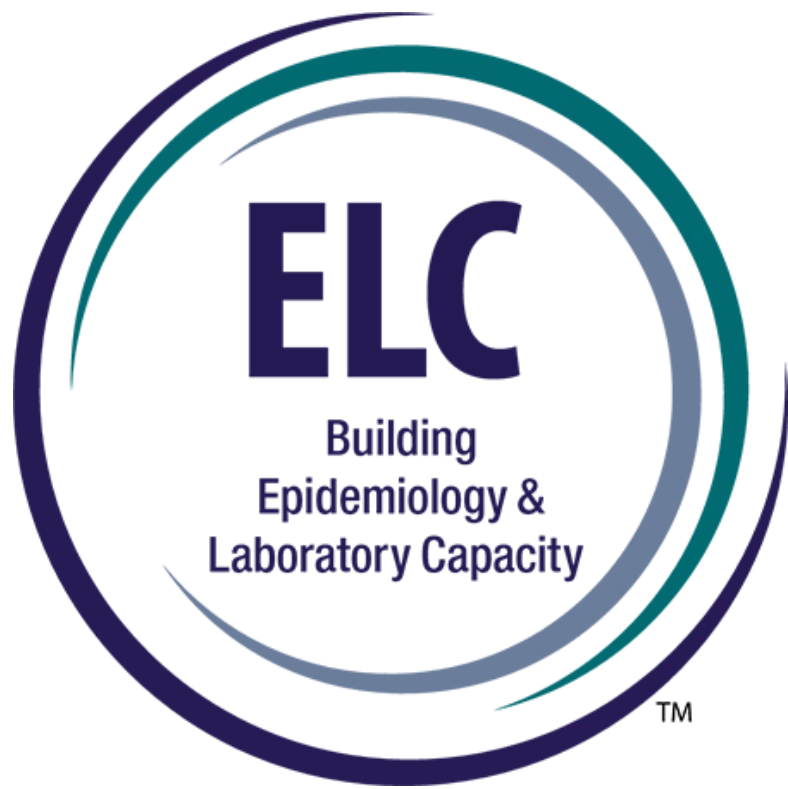
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Session 3: Federal funding for HAB work

# One Health





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# Types of supported public health activities

- Dedicated staff for investigation and reporting
- Resources to transmit surveillance data
- Training of state and local public health staff
- Supplies and equipment for surveillance and outbreak reporting

## GOALS:

- **Support a more effective and prepared state/local workforce**
- **Improve surveillance**
- **Improve use of public health data for response and prevention**

# ELC's general timeline

- 5-year competitive cooperative agreement cycle
- Annual budget periods (August 1-July 31)
- New 5-year cycle begins August 2024
- Budget period 1 timeline (estimated)
  - January/February—Guidance published
  - April—Applications due
  - August 1—Notice of Awards

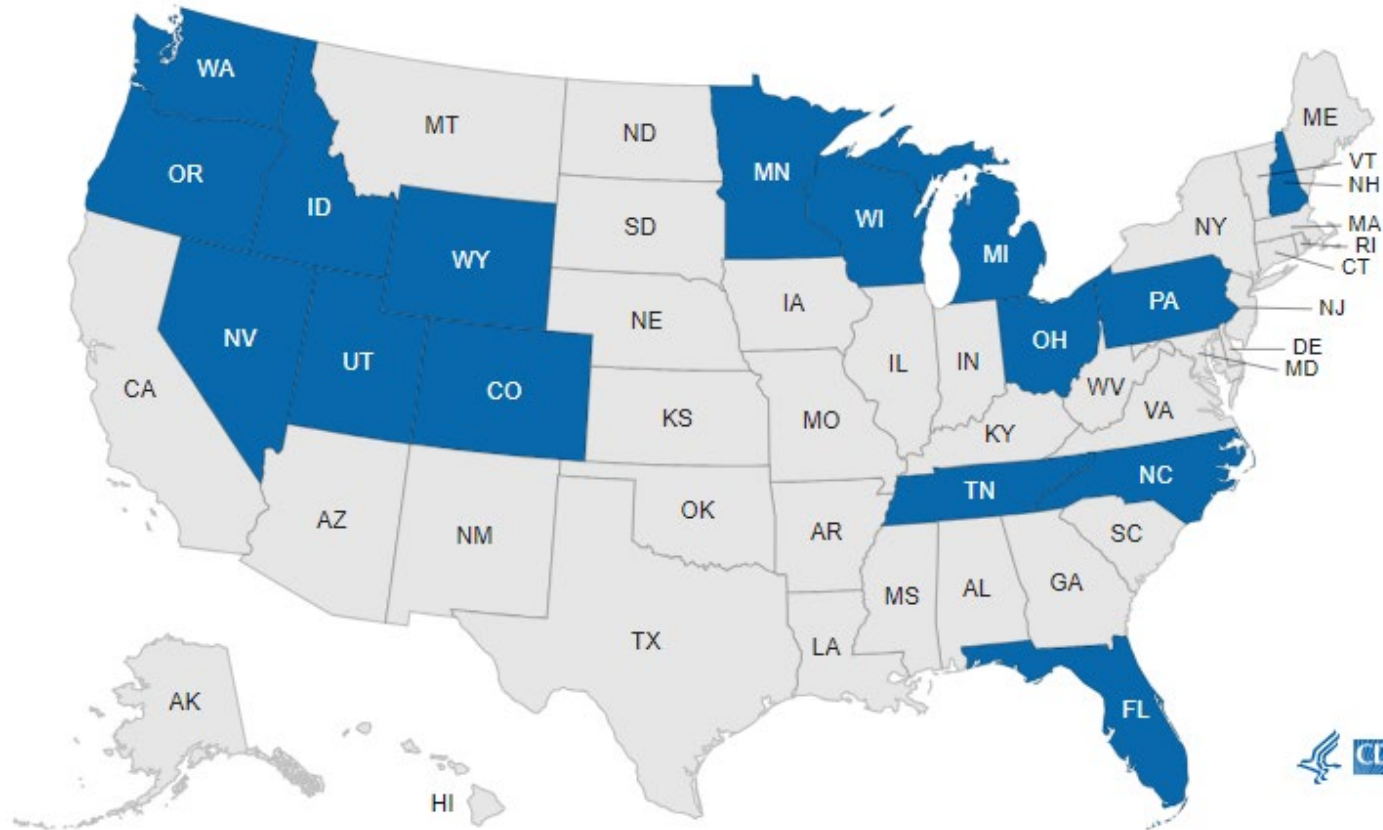
## There are 4 program areas—HABs are currently in "Program" F

- Cross-cutting Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity Program
- Foodborne, Waterborne, Enteric, and Environmentally Transmitted Diseases Program ("Program F" in current cooperative agreement)
- Healthcare-associated Infections and Antimicrobial Resistance Program
- Vector-borne Diseases Program

# Program F: Foodborne, Waterborne, Enteric, and Environmentally Transmitted Diseases Program

- Tier 1
  - General public health surveillance and response activities
- Tier 2
  - Enhanced project areas that build upon Tier 1 activities
    - HAB activities included here
- Tier 3
  - Integrated Food Safety Centers of Excellence

# In 2023, >\$1.5M awarded across 16 states for HAB activities







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