

# Maryland Center for Developmental Disabilities



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at Kennedy Krieger Institute



**PROPOSED:**  
Maryland Data Collaborative



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# What is the MD Data Collaborative?

- The proposed Maryland Data Collaborative is a collaborative public-private effort to enhance the efficiency of how data is collected and to improve the utilization of data in Maryland, thus impacting health outcomes.



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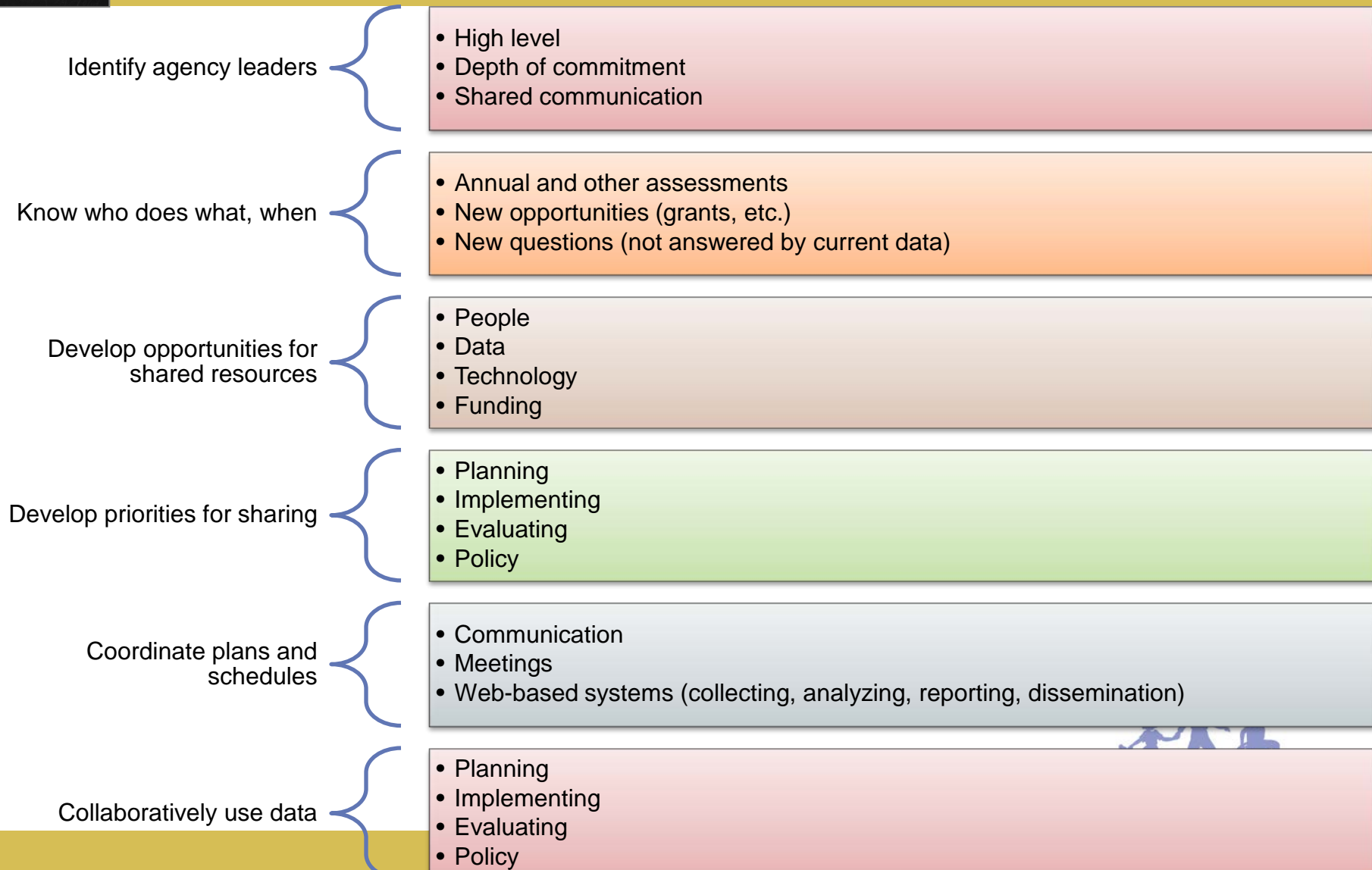
# Why a data collaborative?

- Develop a collection of data/information for participating partners to use in various aspects of their work: MD stakeholder information, regulatory needs assessments, program evaluation, training, grant writing, publications, and etc. (ensuring data security, use, retention and management)





# Goals of the Data Collaborative



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# Interested Partners

- DHMH, Office for Genetics and People with Special Health Care Needs (MD Title V)
- Parents' Place of Maryland (PPMD)
- Maryland Center for Developmental Disabilities (MCDD)
- Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE)
- DHMH, Developmental Disabilities Administration (DDA)
- Maryland Department of Disabilities (MD DoD)
- Maryland Developmental Disabilities Council (DD Council)
- Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health (JHSPH)





# Where we are now?

## Next steps.....

- Establish a data collaborative calendar
- Create a central repository of currently used data to see what is out there, what data sources we commonly use
- Conduct a self-assessment
- Review best practices
- Develop a structure for the collaborative

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# Questions?

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