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Immunization Information Systems: Connect, Exchange, Advance

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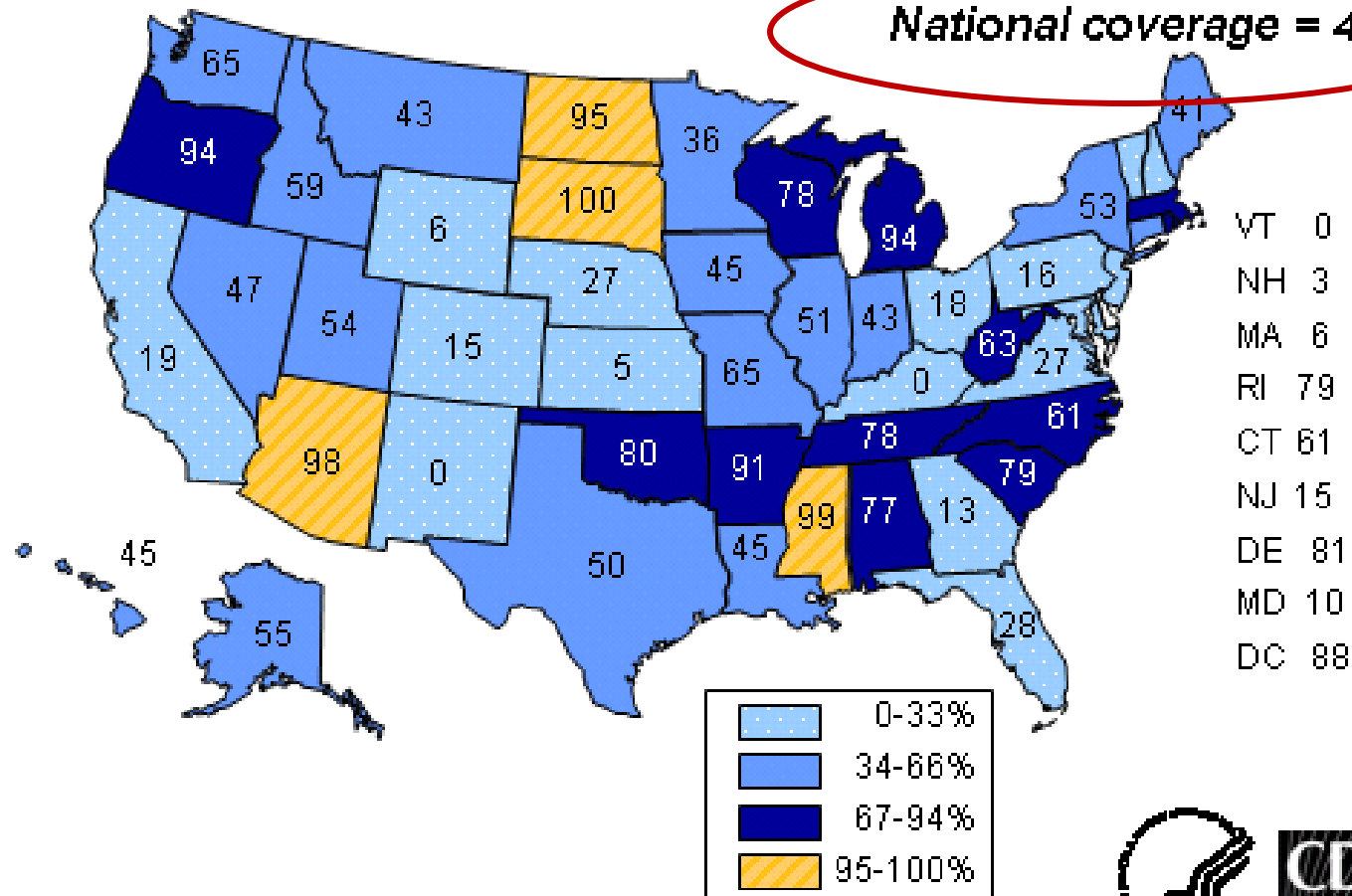
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The Landscape of Today



Children < 6 years with 2+ Immunizations in a Registry, 2002

National coverage = 43%

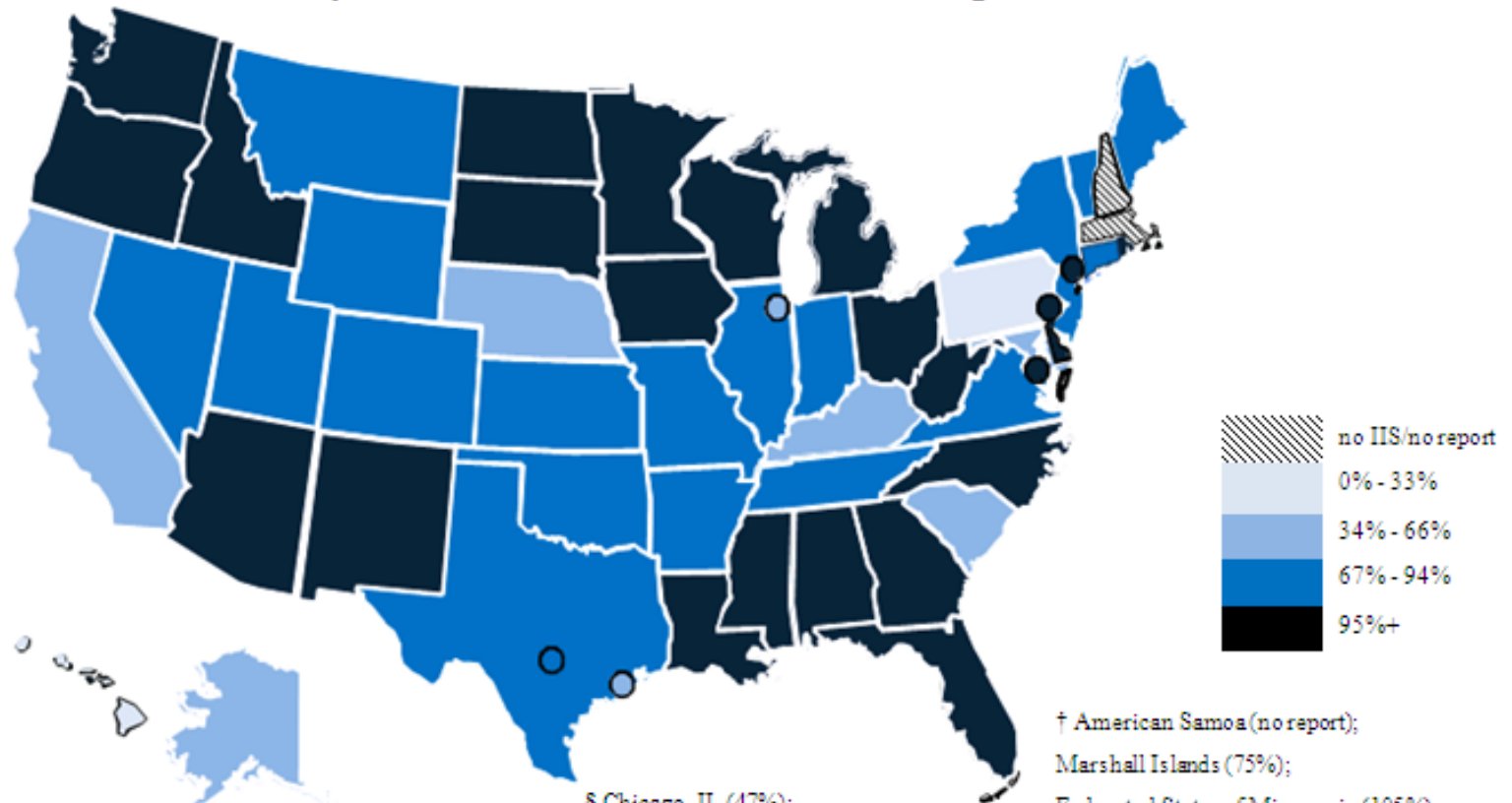


Source: Immunization Registry Annual Report, CY2002





Percentage of children aged < 6 years participating in an immunization information system -- United States, five cities[§], DC, and eight Territories[†], 2010

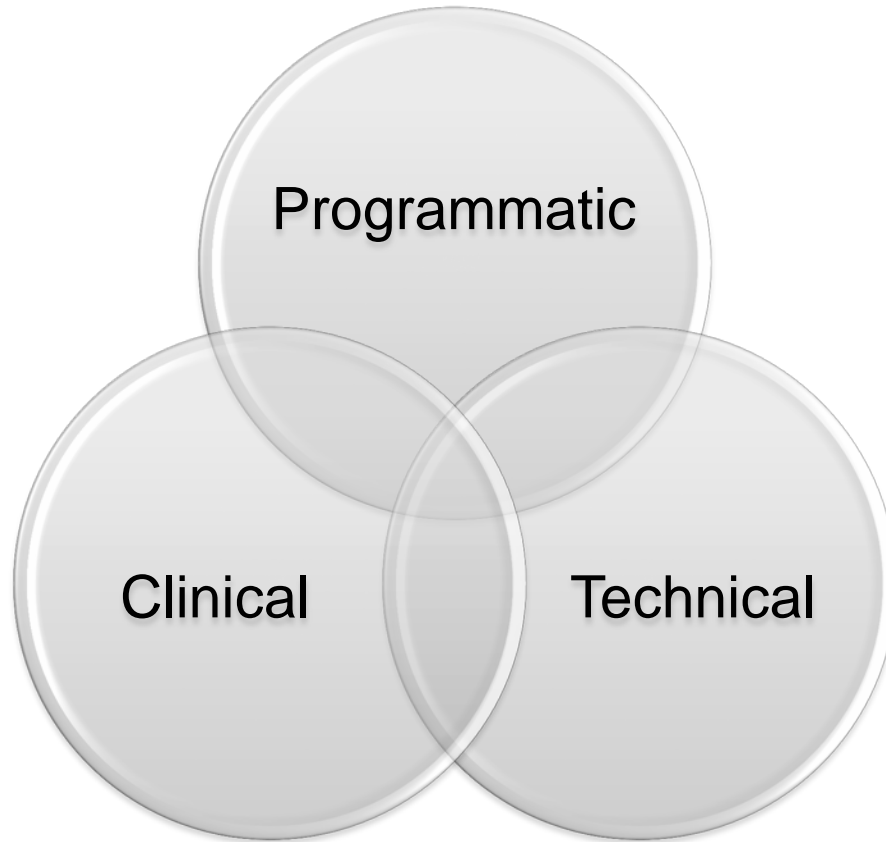


National Coverage: 82% (excluding Territories)
Source: CY2010 IISAR

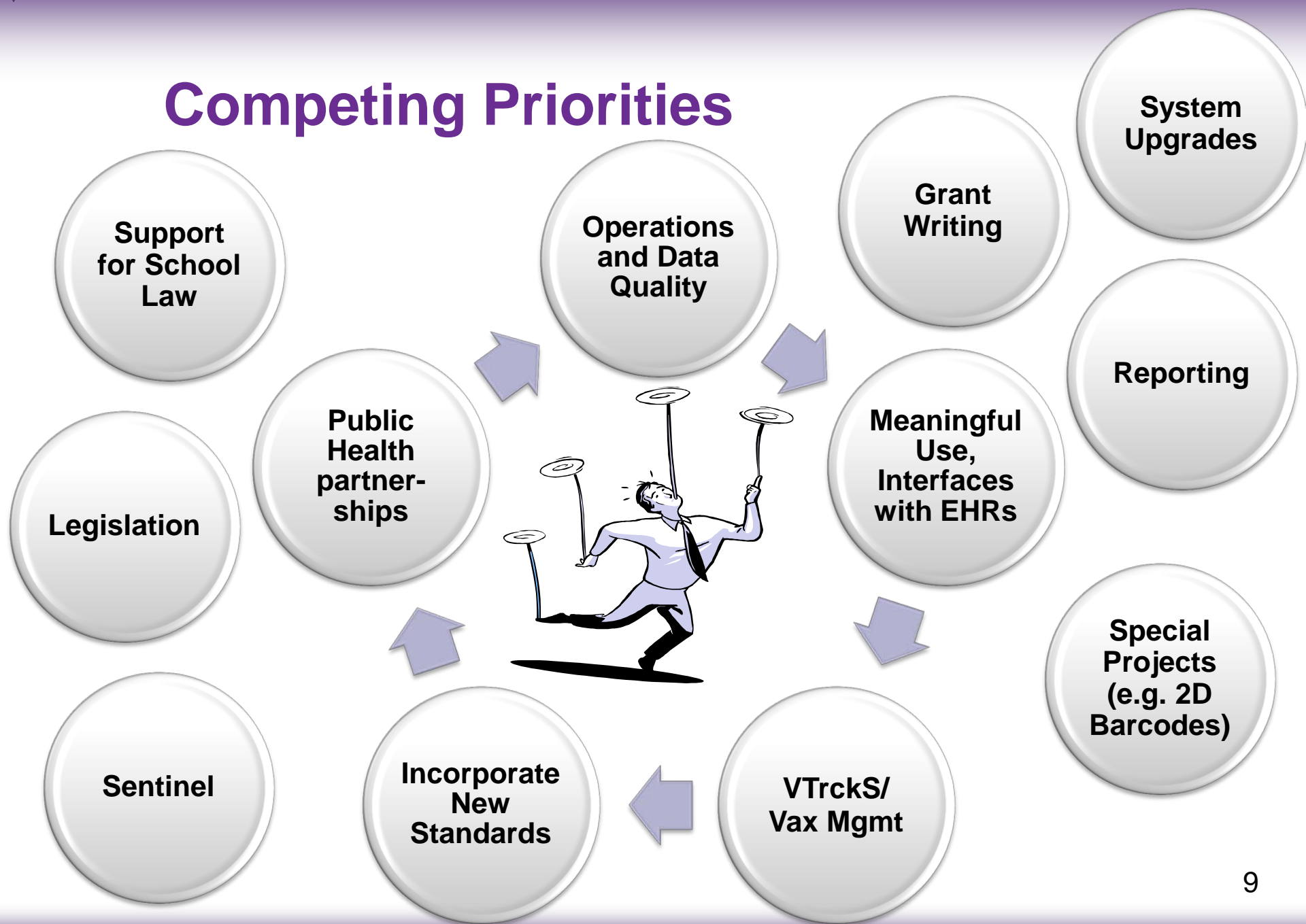
§ Chicago, IL (47%);
District of Columbia (120%);
Houston, TX (62%);
New York City, NY (121%);
Philadelphia, PA (115%);
San Antonio, TX (88%).

† American Samoa (no report);
Marshall Islands (75%);
Federated States of Micronesia (105%);
Guam (52%);
N. Mariana Islands (113%);
Palau (no report);
Puerto Rico (93%);
Virgin Islands (No IIS).

IIS Intersections of Knowledge



Competing Priorities





So how do we manage?

- ***AIRA can help***
- **AIRA's Purpose:**

To support and promote the development, implementation and interoperability of IIS through partnerships, peer and professional education/training, and resource development.

A Brief History of AIRA

- **All Kids Count Project from 1992-1999**
 - Robert Wood Johnson grant funded the start-up of several state IIS
 - Provided conferences & technical assistance
- **IIS teams recognized the need for continuation of this type of mutual support**
- **AIRA, as a membership-based non-profit organization, began in 1999**



Vision & Mission

- **Vision: A healthy, fully immunized community supported by the electronic sharing of information.**
- **Mission: to promote the electronic use, tracking and sharing of complete immunization records for people of all ages.**

Key Partnerships

- **CDC/NCIRD/IISB**
- **Public Health Informatics Institute (PHII)**
- **Association of Immunization Managers (AIM)**
- **Every Child by Two (ECBT)**
- **Indian Health Services (IHS)**
- **American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP)**
- **Public Health Data Standards Consortium (PHDSC)**
- **HL7 Organization**
- **American Health Insurance Plans (AHIP)**

Membership

- **AIRA has over 64 dues paying organizational members representing:**
 - 42 state or regional public health agencies
 - 7 Businesses (vendors & private consultants)
 - 5 Affiliates (other non-profit agencies)
 - 2 Sponsors
 - 8 Individuals

But are we “population-based”?



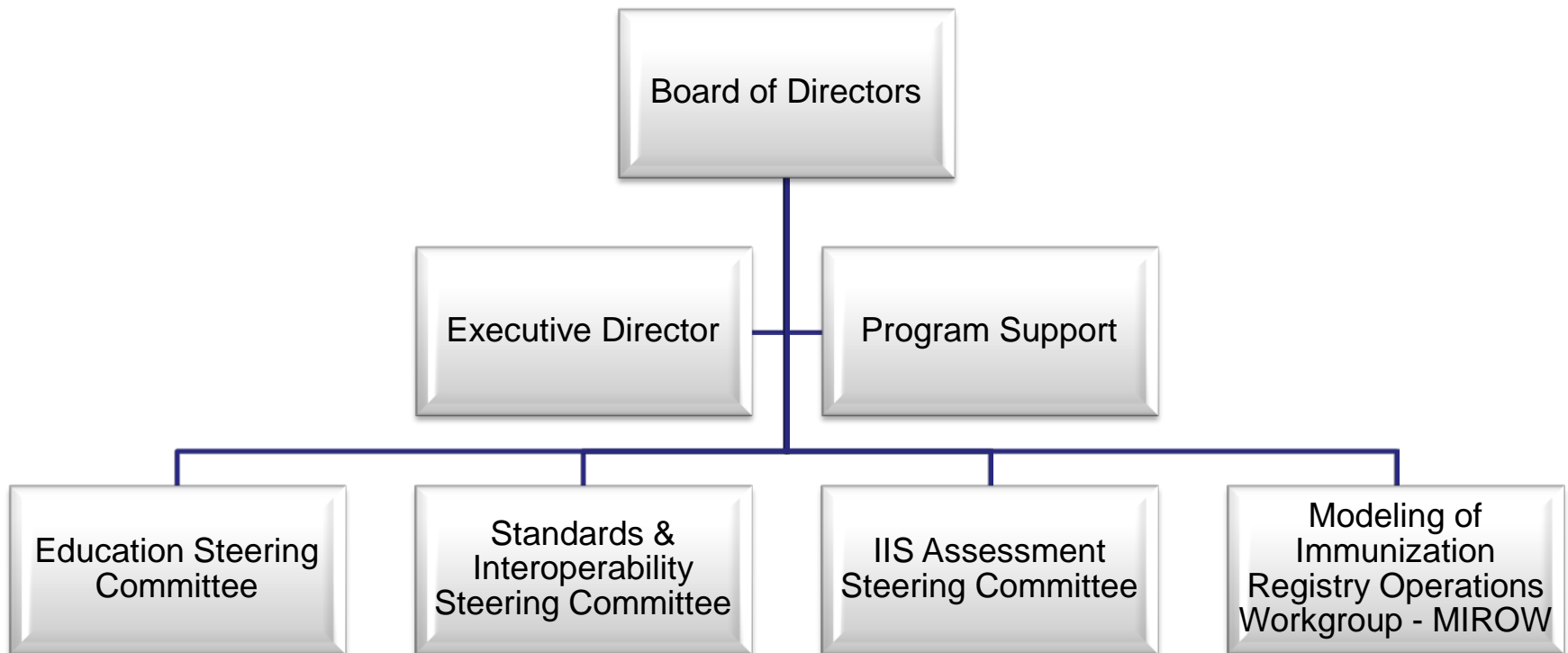
Organizational Structure

- **Volunteers – the cornerstone of the organization**
 - Board of Directors
 - Steering Committees
- **Staff**
 - Executive Director, Program Coordinator
- **Additional Administrative Support**
 - Association Management Company
- **Expert Consultants**
 - Hired (or drafted) as needed

Board of Directors Structure



Current Committee Structure



How can AIRA work for you?

- Visit our website www.immregistries.org to find useful materials and information
 - SnapSHOTS, MIROW guides and other key publications
- Join AIRA as a member and participate in our activities
- Join a Steering Committee or Workgroup
- Volunteer on the Board of Directors

Membership Opportunities

- **AIRA's Membership Drive is kicking off in the coming weeks**
 - You'll receive invitations to join or to renew your current membership
 - Revenue from dues and other funds allow AIRA to keep most services free for the IIS community and partners

Nominations/Elections Opportunities

- **AIRA is currently accepting nominations for the Board**
 - **Deadline is September 25th, 2012**
 - **Voting will close October 25th, 2012, with new terms beginning November 1st, 2012**
- **Opportunities:**
 - **President Elect – three year term (President Elect, President, Past President)**
 - **Secretary – 1 or 2 year term**
 - **Treasurer – 2 year term**
 - **Five Board Positions – 1 and 2 year terms**

What's on the AIRA Horizon?

- The start of a new Cooperative Agreement, effective October 1
- A new website, with more dynamic sharing capabilities to come
- Roll out of the Assessment Tool



What to Expect over the Next Two Days

- **Sessions and Plenaries**
- **Roundtables**
 - Wednesday lunch
 - Thursday breakfast (with vendors present)
- **Networking Breaks**
- **Reception**
- **Evaluations**

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In Closing...

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AIRA's Open Door

“Whatever we possess
becomes of double value
when we have the
opportunity of sharing it
with others.”

Jean-Nicolas Bouilly
(1763-1842);
Writer, Politician

