

# APHA Annual Meeting ATOD Scientific Section November 10, 2010

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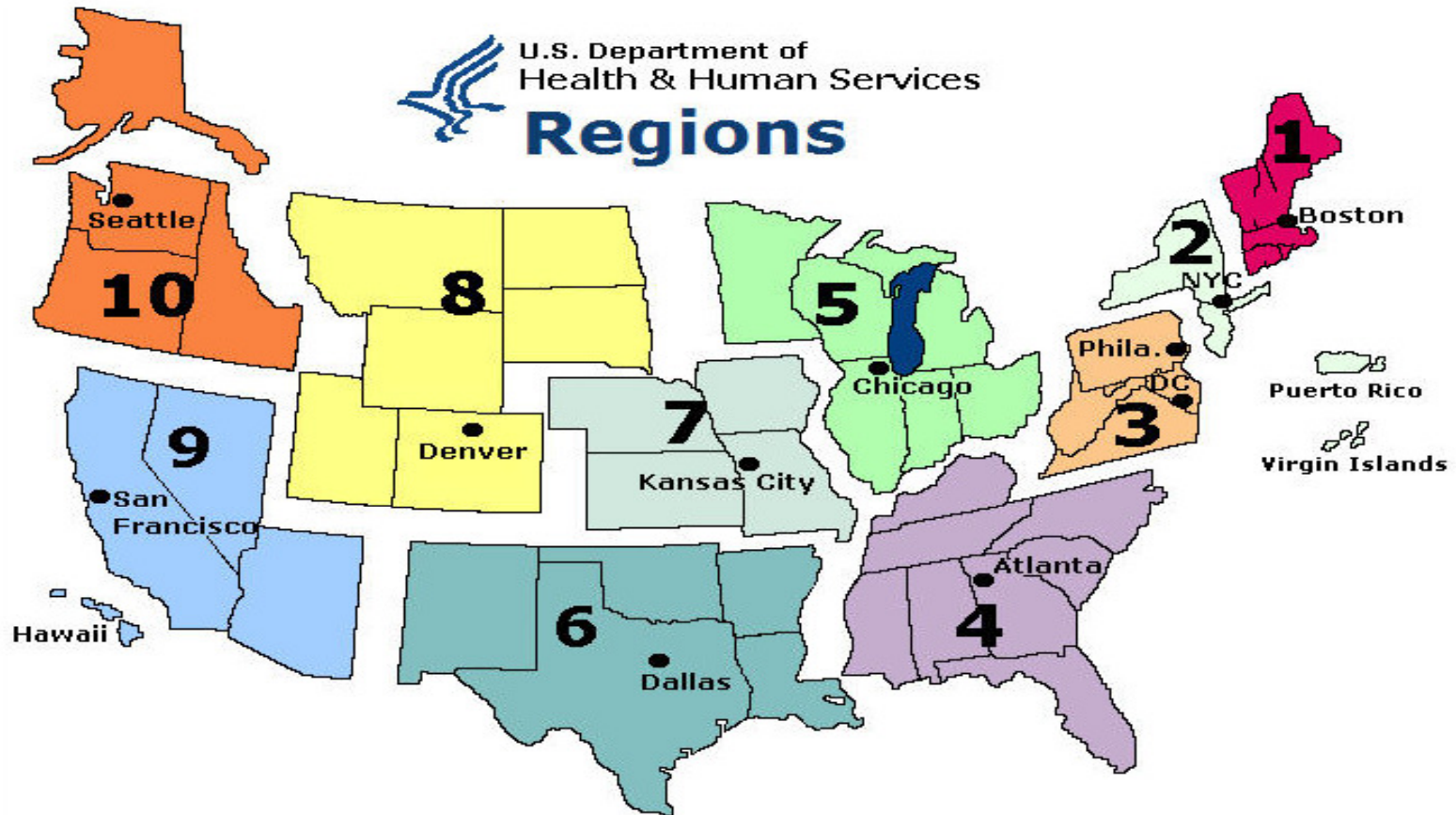


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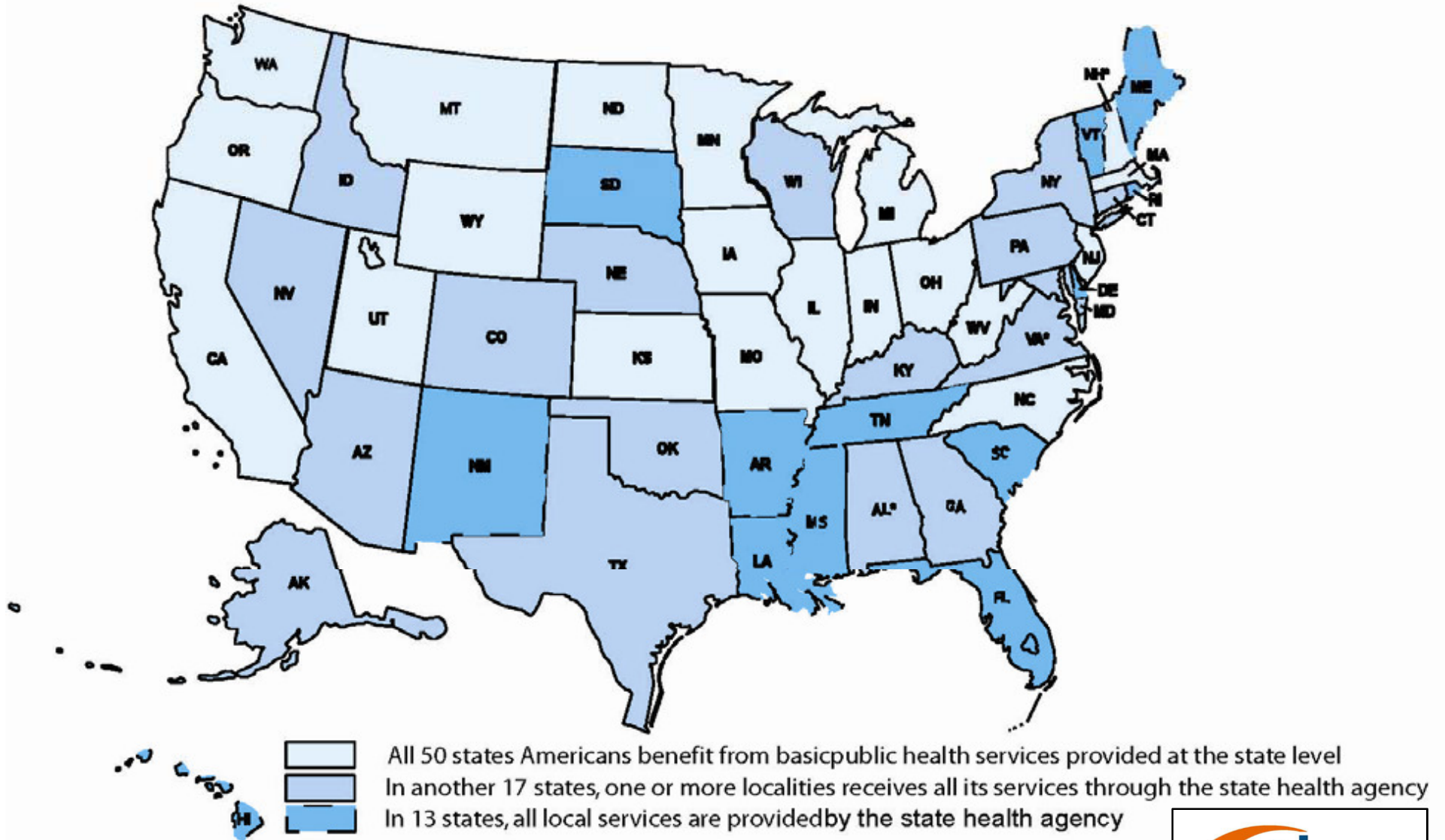
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**30 State Health Agencies - Representing 55% of the U.S. Population  
Directly Provide All or Some Public Health Services at Local and Community Levels**



\*AL, NH & VA have one or two large metropolitan areas that are locally governed



# Presidential Challenge 2009 - 2010



As president of ASTHO I have challenged state health leaders to study the data, assess their state, and consider adopting at least one policy strategy this year that could lessen the burden of preventable injury and death in their home state



# Presidential Web Page Schedule Technical Support

Translating  
Data into  
Policy



Injuries  
Due to  
Motor  
Vehicle  
Crashes



Child  
Maltreatment



Falls  
Prevention



Teen Dating  
and  
Violence  
Prevention



Home and  
Recreational



Nov 2009	Dec 2009	Jan 2010	Feb 2010	Mar 2010	Apr 2010
May 2010	June 2010	July 2010	Aug 2010	Sep 2010	Oct 2010




Traumatic  
Brain Injury




Child Safety



Elder  
Maltreatment



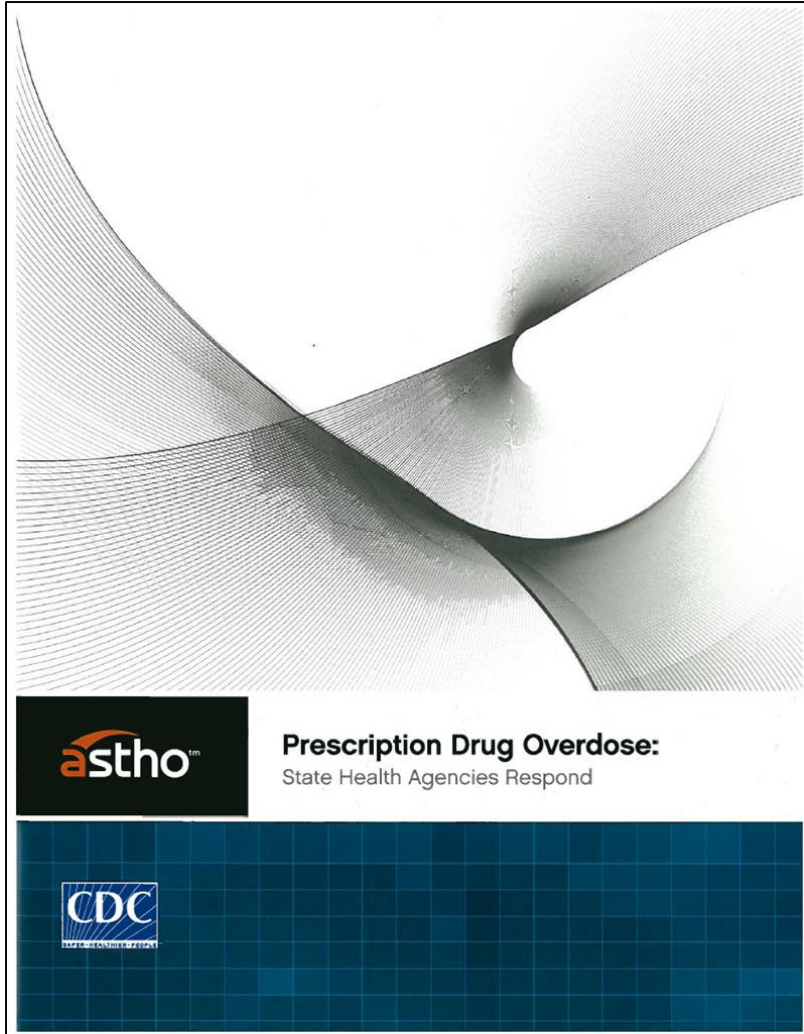
Substance  
Abuse and  
Suicide



Unintentional  
Poisonings

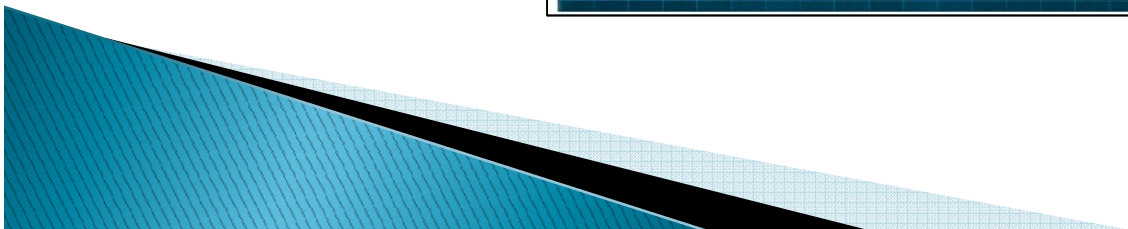


Equity &  
Social  
Determinants



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**Prescription Drug Overdose:**  
State Health Agencies Respond



# ASTHO/SAMHSA/NASADAD

- ▶ Conduct an environmental scan
- ▶ Convene an expert panel
- ▶ Consult with health literacy experts
- ▶ Gather input from patients and families
- ▶ Consult with multiple stakeholders
- ▶ Develop a tool kit for patients, family, caregivers & OTP Staff

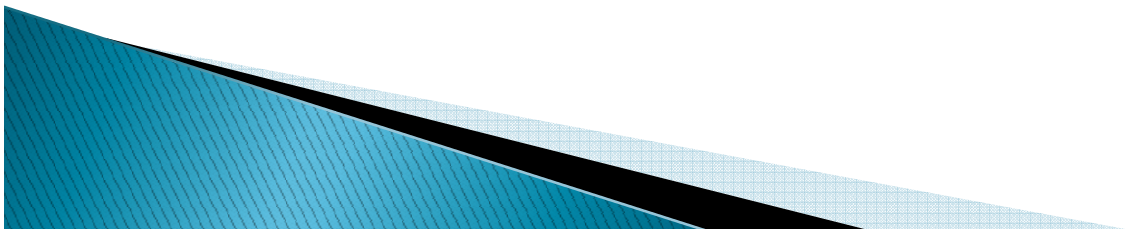


# Expert roundtable Sept. 17th

- ▶ Thirty experts convened in Arlington, VA
- ▶ SAMHSA, ATOD, NASADAD, DEA, FDA, health officials, patients, family members & academia
- ▶ Didactic presentations, personal testimonies, a review of existing educational materials, structured brainstorming and group discussion
- ▶ Health literacy expert provided advice

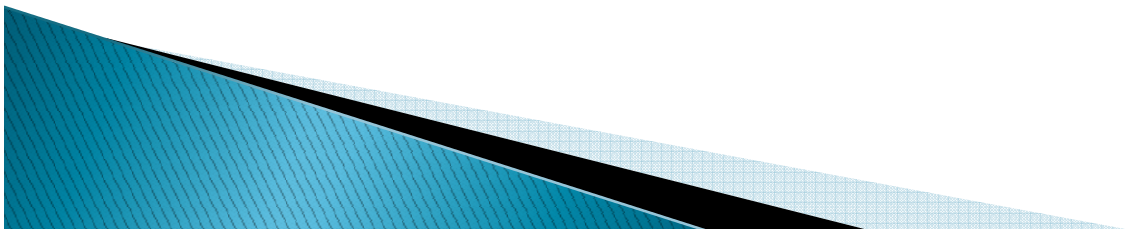
# Tool kit

- ▶ Improve knowledge about opioid overdose in the following way
  - Address opioid pharmacology
  - Describe risk factors
  - Explain signs and symptoms of overdose
  - Highlight how to prevent an overdose
  - Discuss management approaches



# Looking toward the future

- ▶ Track the data with SAMHSA and others
- ▶ Continue to identify successful interventions
  - Stay abreast of evaluation results
- ▶ Engage advocates at the local, state and federal level
- ▶ Build infrastructure for interventions
- ▶ Value and nurture partnerships
- ▶ Involve the patient community
- ▶ Address stigmas & barriers



# Thank You!

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