#### 2015 ACHE-SETC Conference on Healthcare Leadership

### **Navigating Excellence!**

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#### **INSIGHTS FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS**

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### **Ever Feel Like This?**



Core Measures HCAHPS Standard Work Improve patient/customer satisfaction Population Health Employee training and development Innovate Improve reward & recognition **LEAN Six Sigma** Improve leadership Magnet Improve competitiveness Improve supplier performance Improve employee High Reliability Better Meetings! Improve safety Improve cycle time









### Our Challenge...

"What leaders lack is a habit of thinking about their organization's capabilities as carefully as they think about individual people's capabilities...To succeed consistently, good leaders need to be skilled not just at assessing people but also assessing the abilities and disabilities of their organization as a whole."

Christensen and Overdorf 2000







### **Learning Objectives**

- How high performing leaders navigate their organizations to excellence
  - LASER model for building capabilities
  - Popular tactics, context to use
- Leadership attributes of high performers







#### Performance Excellence is...

- Delivery of ever-improving value to customers and stakeholders
- Well designed & managed key processes
  - Leadership, management, and daily work
- Organizational capability to improve <u>all</u> key processes and results
- Organizational and personal learning







### Improved Quality, Lower Health Care Costs

### Baldrige Users with National Award Site Visits

- 83% more likely to be among Thomson Reuters' 100
  Top Hospitals®
- Outperformed non-Baldrige hospitals on 6 of 7
   100 Top Hospitals measures
- Faster five-year improvement than peers

**Source:** Foster, D. A., and Chenoweth, J. 2011, October. *Comparison of Baldrige Award Applicants and Recipients with Peer Hospitals on a National Balanced Scorecard.* Thomson Reuters (now Truven Analytics).







### **Adoption of Baldrige Practices**

- "Top 100" hospitals winners extensively use Baldrige practices (80%)
- Highest formal use: Teaching hospitals (nearly 70%)

**Source:** Shook, J., and Chenoweth, J. 2012, October. *100 Top Hospitals CEO Insights: Adoption Rates of Select Baldrige Award Practices and Processes.* Truven Health Analytics.







### Adoption of Baldrige Practices (2)

### By 2018, hospitals likely to

- Use the Baldrige Criteria for improvement or assessment: 65%
- Apply for the Baldrige Award or a state-level Baldrige-based award: 41%

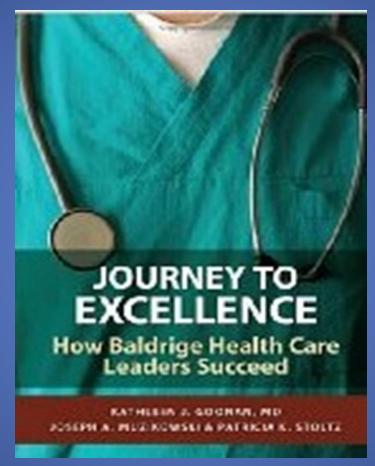
**Source:** Futurescan 2013: Healthcare Trends and Implications 2013-2018. American Hospital Association, Society for Healthcare Strategy & Market Development.







#### **Our Contribution...**



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### **Journey to Excellence**

Stage 0 "Reaction"

Regulatory and external compliance only

& Assessment Score

Progress

Stage 1 "Projects"

Project mentality, characterized by individual tactical improvement activities

Stage 2 "Traction"

Alignment of projects to strategy; Focus on leadership and management processes, systems approach

Stage 3 "Integration"

Integrate across key leadership and management processes and key operational processes

Stage 4 "Sustain"

> **Continued improvement** as methodologies are embedded into the organization's culture

**Transformation** start

Recognition Worthy

Decline, as the organization loses discipline and changes course

Give up on the process when managed as a delegated project

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### Where Poudre Valley Started, 1997

Community hospital serving Fort Collins, Colorado

1,500 employees, 300 independent physicians & 575 volunteers

24% annual employee turnover

5 CEOs in 4 years

\$250 million in annual revenue

Changing healthcare market

Demand for physician integration







## World-Class Results, 2008

Top 10% for inpatient mortality

Top 10% for patient satisfaction

Top 3% for employee satisfaction

Top 1% for physician loyalty

Thomson Reuters Top 100 Hospital for last 5 year

Top 100 Best Places to Work, Modern Healthca

Magnet designation maintained since 2000

NDNQI Best-Performing Hospital for Nursing C

Competitively priced in regional market

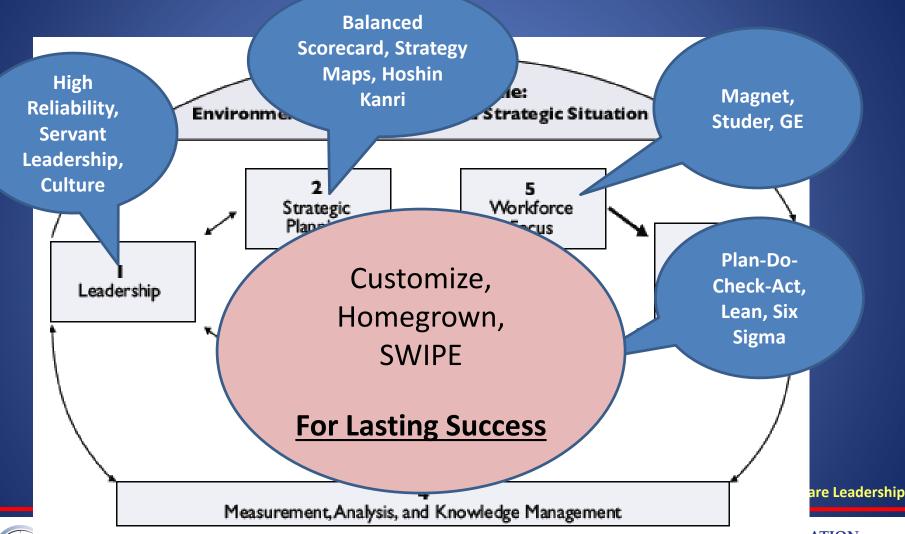
\$1 billion in annual revenues







### **Baldrige = Blueprint & Scaffold for Tactics**





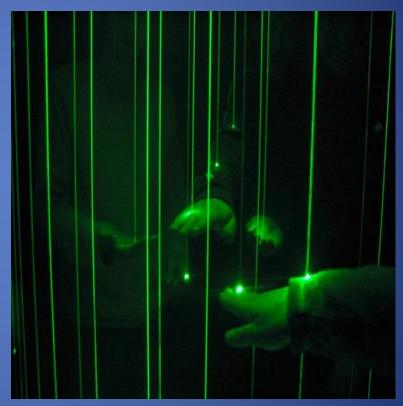
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### **LASER**: Roadmap for Transformation

Leadership Assessment **S**ensemaking Execution Results









### **LASER** – Leadership

- Make a personal commitment to lead a transformation
- Align people with purpose
- Build a culture of learning & improvement







### **Commit to Organizational Transformation**



"We started our journey in 1997... We've been on the road for a long time...What did we learn through the Baldrige Process? That's almost too hard to answer. We learned about how to [build capabilities] into every part of our organization. We've learned and hardwired excellence into every aspect of how we work."

> Rulon Stacey, PhD, FACHE Former CEO, Poudre Valley Health System 2008 Baldrige Recipient





#### **LASER** – Assessment

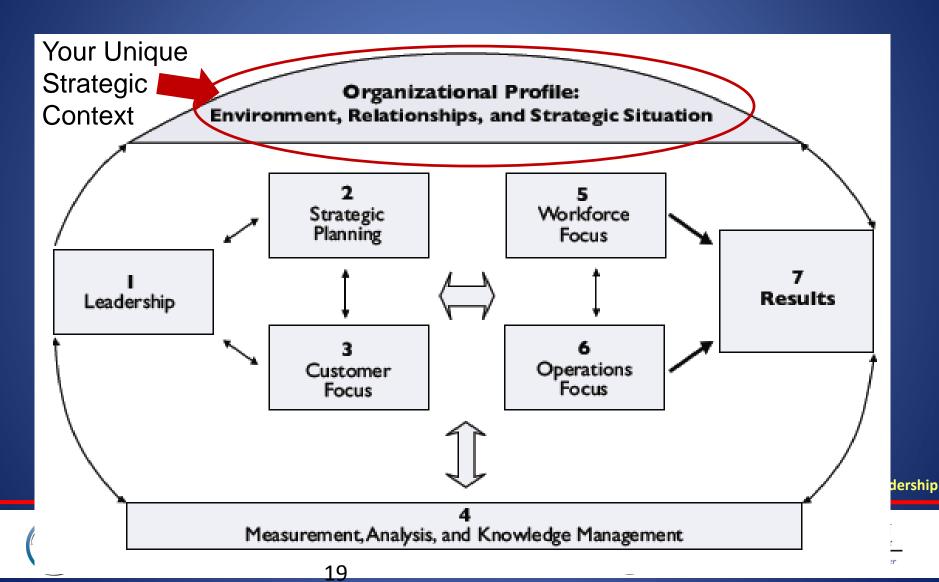
- ✓ Select an assessment framework
  - We favor Baldrige
- ✓ Perform the assessment
- ✓ Leverage the power of assessment



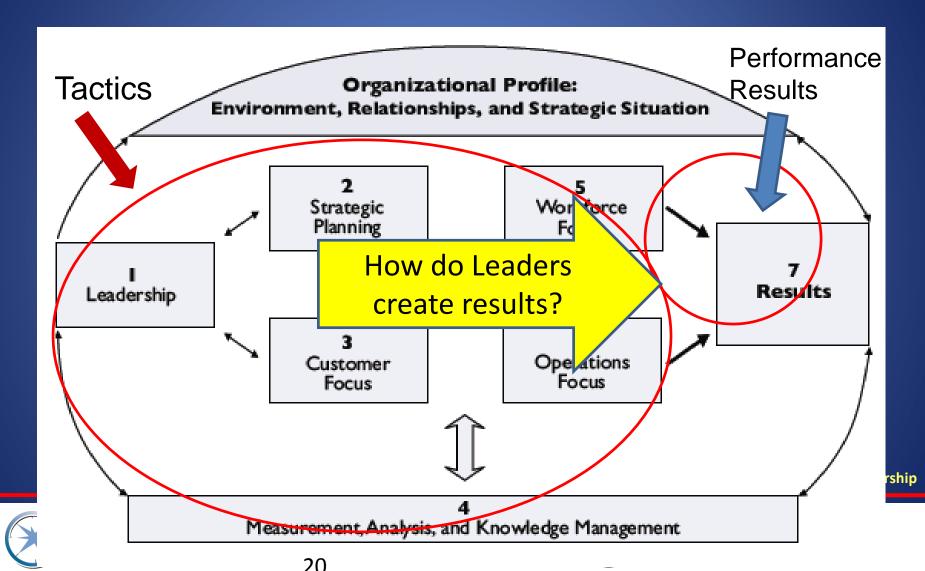




## Blueprint for Performance Excellence



### **Blueprint for Performance Excellence**



### LASER – Sensemaking

- Build process knowledge
- ✓ Identify high-leverage required capabilities and build them
- Communicate the focus for improvement





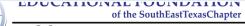


### **Key Organizational Processes - 1**

Baldrige Process	36 High-level Critical Processes
Category	
1: Leadership	Senior Leader Direction-setting and Culture Development
	Senior Leader Creation of Organizational Sustainability
	Senior Leader Communication with and Engagement of Workforce
	Senior Leader Focus on Action
	Organizational Accountability
	Leadership and Governance Improvement
	Legal/Regulatory Compliance, Accreditation, and Ethics
	Societal Responsibilities and Community Health
2: Strategic Planning	Strategy Development
	Action Plan Development and Implementation
	Projection of Future Performance
3: Customer Focus	Listening to Current and Potential Customers
	Customer Satisfaction/Engagement Determination
	Determination of Customer Service Requirements
	Customer Access and Support
	Customer Relationship Management
	Complaint Management
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## **Key Organizational Processes - 2**

Baldrige Process Category	36 High-level Critical Processes
4: Measurement, Analysis,	Performance Measurement
and Knowledge	Performance Analysis and Review
Management	Performance Improvement
	Knowledge Management and Organizational Learning
	Data and Information Availability and Quality
5: Workforce Focus	Workforce Capability and Capacity
	Workplace Health, Safety, and Security
	Workforce Support
	Motivation and Engagement
	Performance Management
	Workforce Engagement Determination
	Workforce and Leader Development
6: Operations Focus	Process Design
	Process Management
	Process Improvement
	Cost Control
	Supply-Chain Management
	Safety and Emergency Preparedness
	Innovation Management 23

#### **LASER** – Execution

- Make visible changes from Day One
- Establish accountability and action plans
- Review progress and drive change
- ✓ Spread improvement, transfer & hardwire knowledge













Baldrige is the questions...

Lean, Six Sigma may be part of your answers

- A very popular current option
- Remember TQM?

**Key Takeaway:** High Performers use both







#### **LASER** – Results

- Create standard leader work for organizational performance reviews
- ✓ Understand levels, trends & comparisons
- ✓ Plan and act on your results







### ThedaCare SNR Leadership Visual Room









## **Objective is to Thrive!!**









### LASER Roadmap

Leadership

Commit to humility, truth-telling

**A**ssessment

Diagnose the current state

Sensemaking

Understand your system and gaps

**E**xecution

Deploy robust processes and culture

Results

Prove it to yourselves and others







### **LASER** – Leadership

- Make a *personal* commitment to lead a transformation
- Align people with purpose
- ✓ Build a culture of learning & improvement







### **LASER** – Leadership Actions

- ✓ Make a personal commitment to change
  - Commit to personal <u>and</u> organizational transformation
  - Identify a transformational approach and build your leadership "narrative arc"
- ✓ Align people with purpose
- ✓ Build a culture of learning & improvement







### **Commit to Personal Transformation**



"As we embarked on our journey, I found that my behavior modeled every [old way] activity and policy for the organization. The journey required that I behave differently. Humility...curiosity... and significant personal sacrifice and hard work."

John Toussaint, MD CEO, ThedaCare Center for Health Care Value Frontiers in Health Services Management, 2013







### Leadership System

#### **Our Foundation for Growth**



# Servant Leadership Culture

- Open door, open communication, no secrets transparency
- Results oriented
- "No excuses" accountability
- Leader rounds
- CEO Weekly email
- Listening and learning



### **LASER** – Leadership Actions

- ✓ Make a personal commitment to lead a transformation
- Align people with purpose
  - Build a supportive coalition to lead change
  - Establish strategic line of sight
- ✓ Build a culture of learning & improvement







# Get the Bus Right









## **Strategy Map**

**VISION: WHERE WE ARE HEADED - ATLANTICARE BUILDS HEALTHY COMMUNITIES** 



## standards. con

compassion.

WE DELIVER HEALTH AND HEALING TO ALL PEOPLE THROUGH TRUSTING RELATIONSHIPS.







## **Strategy Map**

#### **VISION: WHERE WE ARE HEADED - ATLANTICARE BUILDS HEALTHY COMMUNITIES**



How my area can support performance excellence:



performance excellence:

How my area can support performance excellence:



How I can support performance excellence:



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#### 5 Bs (PERFORMANCE EXCELLENCE COMMITMENTS): HOW WE DO IT

### BEST PEOPLE & WORKPLACE

Our work and practice environment attracts and retains the best people.

### BEST CUSTOMER SERVICE

We earn customer loyalty by delighting all those we serve.

#### **BEST QUALITY**

We have exceptional clinical and performance outcomes.

#### **BEST GROWTH**

Expansion sustains our organization.

### BEST FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

We have the resources to pursue the fulfillment of our Mission and Vision.





## **Strategy Map**

**VISION: WHERE WE ARE HEADED – ATLANTICARE BUILDS HEALTHY COMMUNITIES** 



- Follow 3 Ps when rounding on patients
  Use AIDET with each patient and family
  Manage Up my unit



- Achieve 7 Harmony's Goal of 53.3% Excellent
  Implement AIDET and Hourly Rounding

5 Bs (PERFORMANCE EXCELLENCE COMMITMENTS): HOW WE DO IT

#### **BEST CUSTOMER SERVICE**

We earn customer loyalty by delighting all those we serve.







# **LASER** – Leadership Actions

- Make a personal commitment to lead a transformation
- Align people with purpose
- ✓ Build a culture of learning & improvement
  - Welcome the "brutal truth" → "true sense of urgency"
  - Conduct systematic organizational performance reviews







# Care to Join Our Measuring Club?



# Are You Measuring Whatever Moves?



## Invite the "Brutal Truth"

- Assessments & feedback
- Benchmarking site visits
  - Role models in health care, other industries
  - Regular scrutiny and feedback
    - Senseis or other outsider experts
    - Baldrige feedback process







Systematic Organizational Performance Review

 System-level dashboard and monthly review of measures at Performance Council (PC)

 Continuous search for best measures and comparators / databases

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 Semi-annual review of all pillars and business unit





# Improved Measurement and Analysis Capabilities

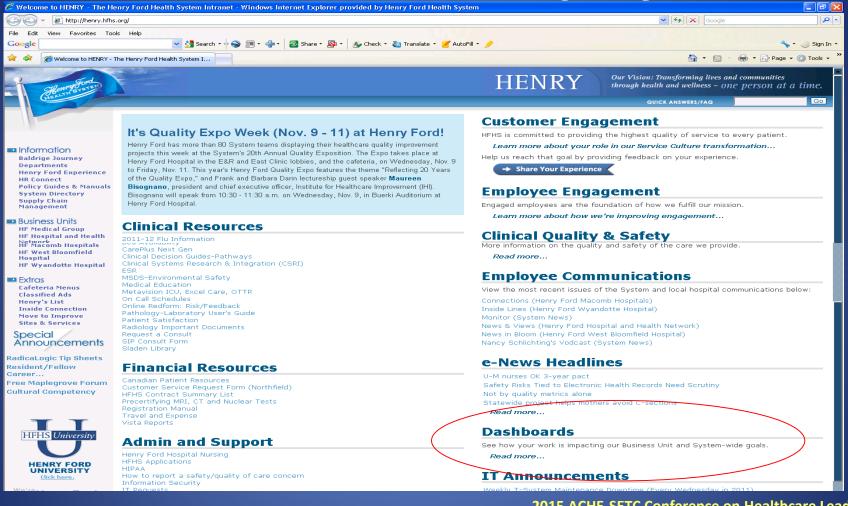
- Metrics Committee
  - operational, financial, and pillar leaders who provide oversight and expertise to pillar teams and the Performance Council on the best way to define, display (dashboards), compare, and analyze <u>transparent</u> organizational performance
- Performance Analytics and Improvement
  - Measurement and Comparator Selection
  - Enterprise Data Warehouse
  - Dashboards / Organizational
     Performance Review
  - Knowledge Management
  - Performance Improvement / Process
     Engineering / Project Management







# **Available to All Employees**



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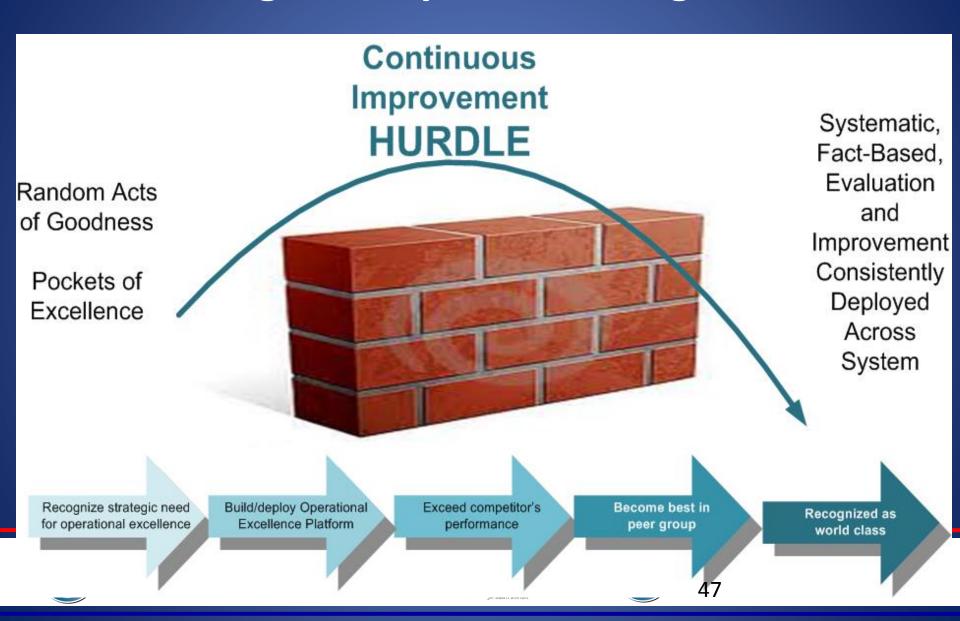




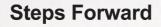
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# **Getting the Important Things Done**







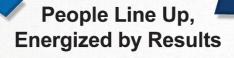


Flywheel Builds Momentum



Accumulation Of Visible Results











# **APPENDIX**

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Kate is a former senior vice president of the Institute for Healthcare Improvement, senior vice president of Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts, vice president and chief quality officer at UMass Memorial Health Care, and director of the Clinical Indicators Program at Harvard Community Health Plan. She has served on the judges' panel for the Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award (1999-2002), the Joint Commission Codman Award (1996-99), the American Hospital Association Quest for Quality Award (2004-present), and the Massachusetts Excellence Award (2005-07). She is faculty for the executive and senior executive programs of the American College of Healthcare Executives, where she teaches transformational change and leadership.

She is lead author of *Journey to Excellence: How Baldrige Health Care Leaders Succeed* (ASQ Quality Press, 2009). She and her team conducted a four-year study of the first nine health care recipients of the Baldrige Award and distilled the critical elements of a successful performance excellence journey. They continue to study successful business practices and the application of those practices to health care organizations and related businesses.

Kate is a graduate of the University of California at Davis Medical School and a member of the Alpha Omega Alpha Medical Honor Society. She received her postgraduate training in internal medicine at the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston. She did her undergraduate studies at Stanford University and University of California at Santa Cruz.







# **LASER**

- Commit to personal <u>and</u> organizational transformation
- 2. Align people and purpose
- 3. Create processes for accountability
- Understand your organization's core competencies and other strategic fundamentals
- 5. Engage and motivate the workforce
- Continually evaluate and improve key leadership, management, and work processes







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