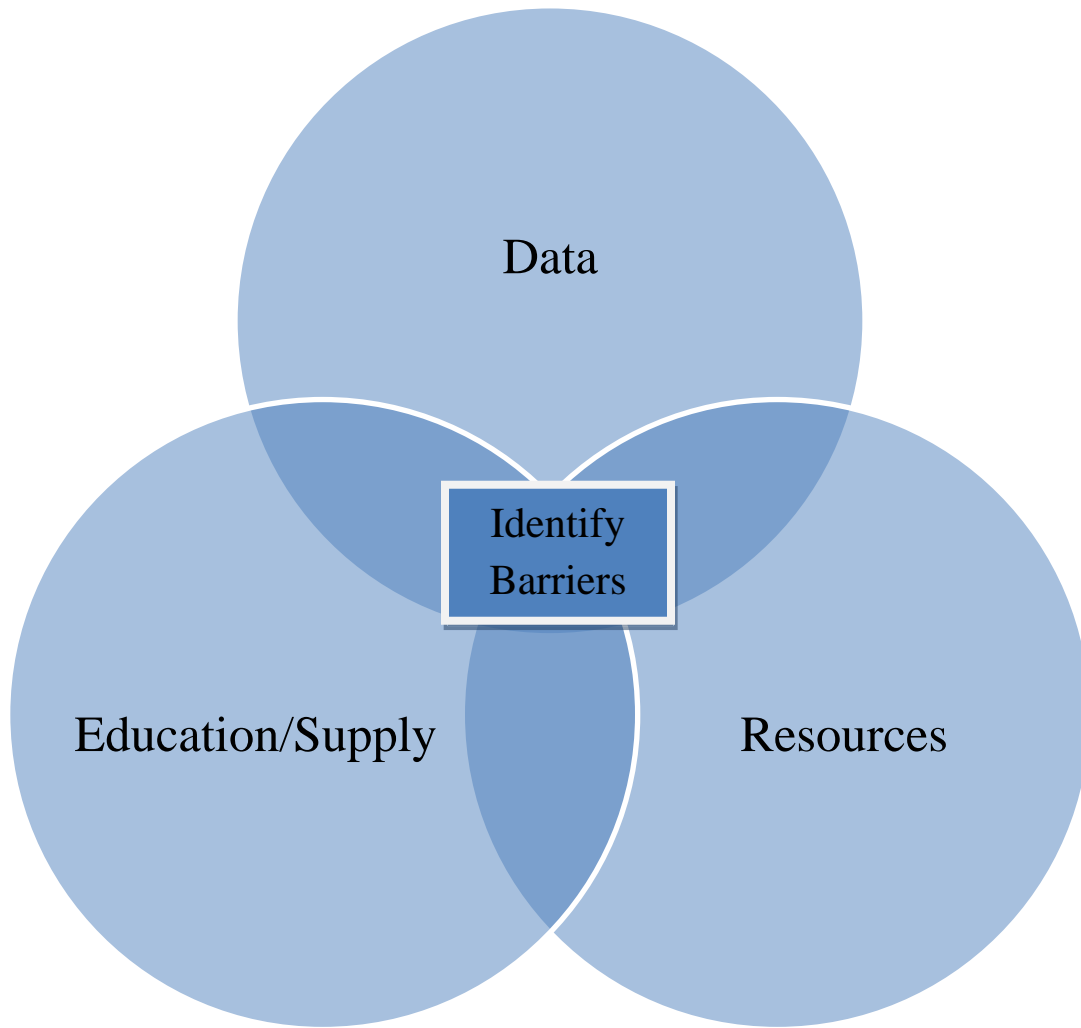


KANSASWORKS State Board
Health Care Workforce Partnership Objectives



Data: Analyze state labor market information in order to create health care career pathways for students and adults, including dislocated workers
 Identify current and projected high demand state or regional health care sectors for purposes of planning career pathways

Resources: Identify existing federal, state and private resources to recruit, educate or train and retain a skilled health care workforce and strengthen partnerships

Education: Describe the academic and health care industry skill standards for high school graduation, for entry into postsecondary education and for various credentials and licensure
 Describe state secondary and postsecondary education and training policies, models or practices for the health care sector, including career information and guidance counseling

Identify Barriers: Identify federal or state policies or rules to developing a coherent and comprehensive health care workforce development strategy and barriers and a plan to resolve these barriers
 Participate in programmatic evaluation and reporting activities

Primary care definition clarified: a clinician who provides integrated, accessible healthcare services (i.e. able to diagnose and write a prescription). HRSA's focus: doctors, physician assistants or advanced registered nurse practitioners. {Source: HRSA 11/23/10 TA Call}