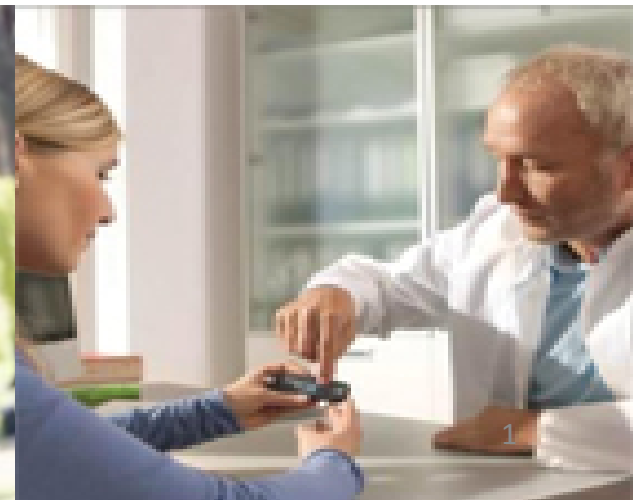


# Better, Smarter, Healthier:

## Delivery System Reform

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Care

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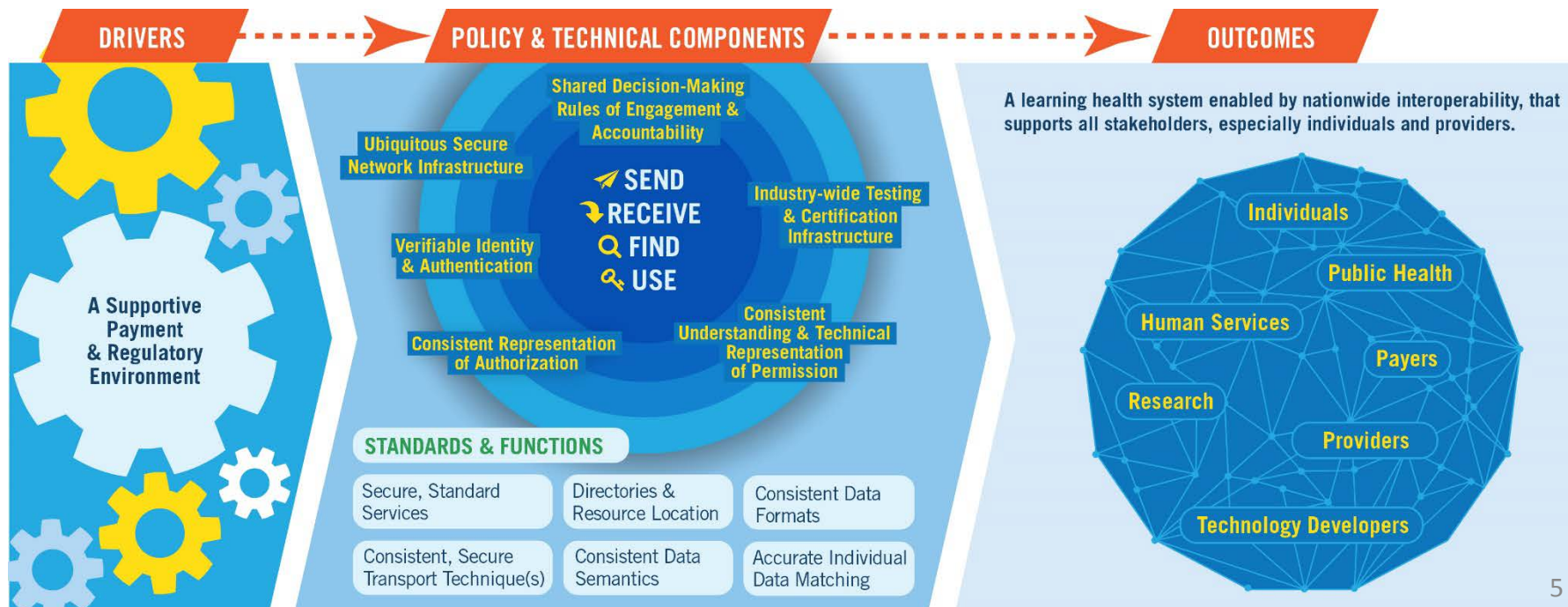
# Nationwide Interoperability Roadmap

## Goals:

**2015-2017:** Send, receive, find and use priority data domains to improve health care quality and outcomes.

**2018-2020:** Expand data sources and users in the interoperable health IT ecosystem to improve health and lower cost.

**2021-2024:** Achieve nationwide interoperability to enable a learning health system, with the person at the center of a system that can continuously improve care, public health, and science through real-time data access.



# Commitments and Call to Action

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**Consumers** easily and securely access their electronic health information, direct it to any desired location.

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Share individual's health information for care with other providers and their patients as much as permitted by law and refrain from **blocking** electronic health information.

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Implement **federally recognized, national interoperability standards**, policies, guidance, and practices for electronic health information and adopt best practices including those related to privacy and security.