



CDC OneLab Virtual Summit 2022

Elevating Connections, Building Bridges in Adversity

Tuesday, April 19 to Thursday, April 21 EDT

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ELEVATING CONNECTIONS AND BUILDING BRIDGES

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Overview



Background



Building Bridges



Making Connections



Examples & Application

Background

- U.S. Army paratrooper and Gulf War veteran
- High School Science Teacher
- Worked for 10 years as a CDC laboratory scientist
- Served in leadership roles for 10+ years
 - National Center for Emerging and Zoonotic Infectious Diseases
 - Office of the Director, CDC
 - Office of Laboratory Science and Safety
 - Office of Science



Benefits of Building Bridges

- Knowledge sharing and communication
- Leveraging expertise
- Learning the landscape and current state
- Mitigating risks (e.g., industrial, institutional, organizational)



Benefits of Making Connections

Assessing needs

Identifying gaps

Developing standards

Establishing best practices

EXAMPLES AND APPLICATION

of Building Bridges and Collaboration

1. Transitioning from Acting Director to Permanent Director, CSELS



RADM Iademarco shared the following:

- Priorities and challenges
- Risks and opportunities
- Roles and responsibilities
- Resource management
- Current state
- Proposed next steps

A person wearing a dark jumpsuit and a helmet is flying a hang glider. The glider has a long, white wing with a blue underside. The person is suspended from the wing and is holding onto the control bar. The background shows a green field with a fence line and a line of trees in the distance under a clear sky.

Hit the
GROUND
RUNNING...

2. Partnership Engagement



Assesses need and current state



Enables broader communication



Educates staffers



Provides mechanisms to expand reach and impact

Clinical Laboratory Community Outreach

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New Schedule



Clinical Laboratory COVID-19 Response Calls

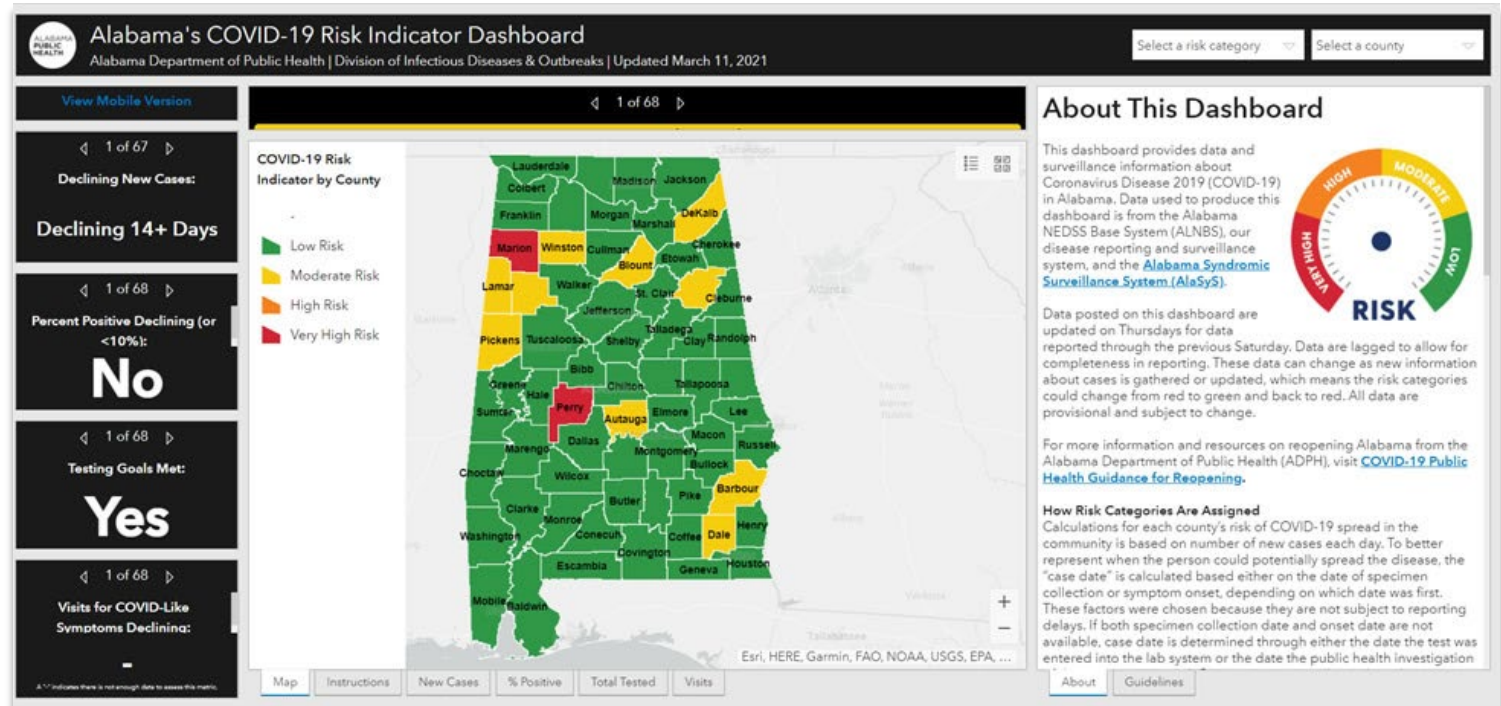
Over **3,700** organizations have participated

60% of attendees work in healthcare or
government

National Syndromic Surveillance Program (NSSP)

Syndromic Surveillance Informs Decision to Safely Reopen Alabama Schools and Businesses

Partnership Engagement Success Story



3. Interagency Engagement (CDC and CMS)

CMS Final Rule as part of Promoting Interoperability Program to require reporting for:



Electronic Case Reporting



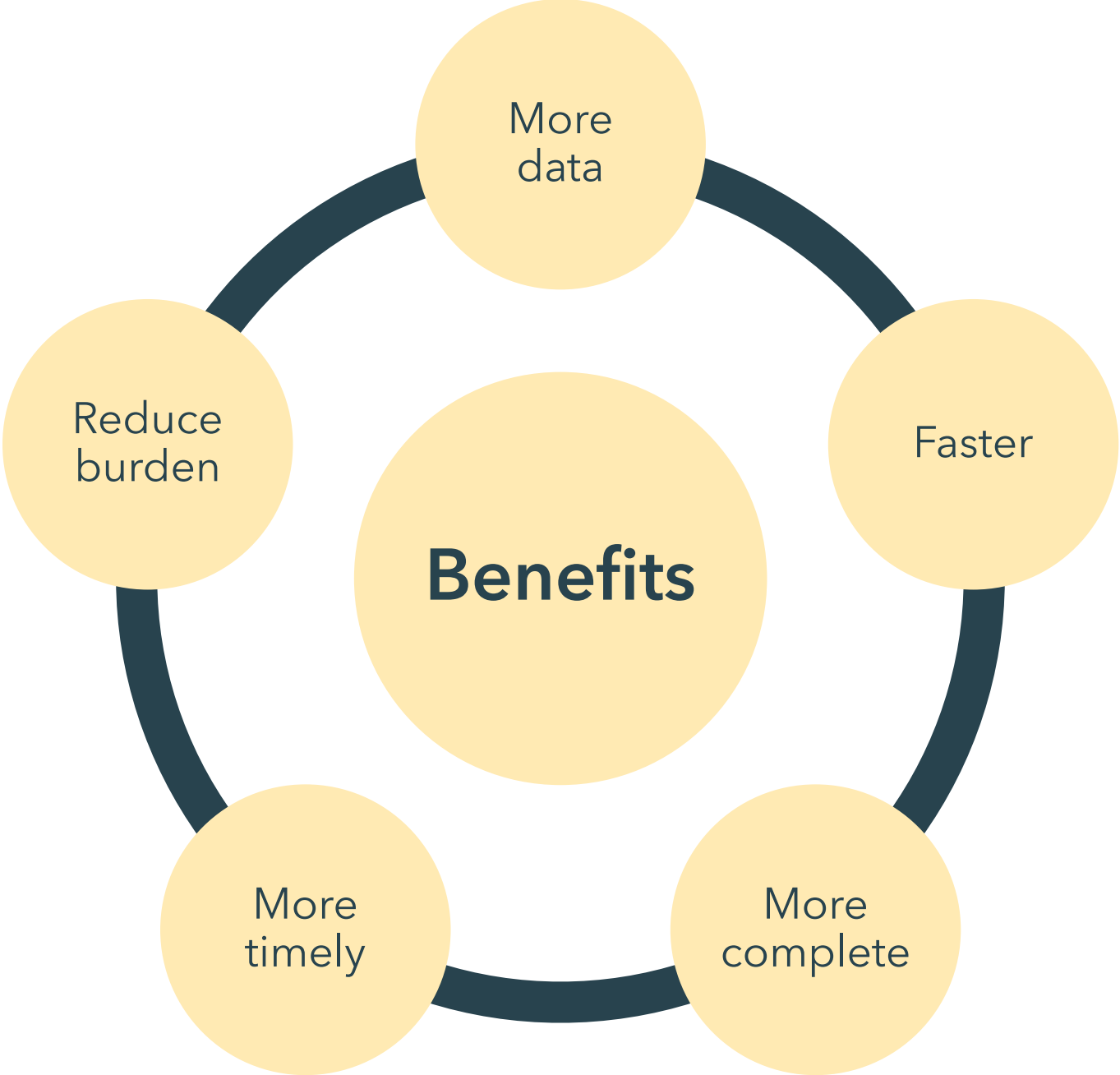
Electronic Laboratory Reporting



Immunization Registry Reporting



Syndromic Surveillance Reporting



HOW DOES THIS APPLY
to clinical and public health laboratories?

In the same way...

Knowledge sharing and communication

Leveraging expertise

Learning the current state or landscape

Mitigating risks (e.g., industrial, institutional, organizational)

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Laboratory Community

- More competent
- More prepared
- Able to face emerging threats and challenges



Summary



Building bridges is good



Connections are great



Applies broadly across public health



Thank you.

