

Public Health Committee Report

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Public Health Committee Update

- Approval of Report on PHC Meetings on Preventing Maternal mortality
- Update on local activities on Prevention Agenda



The *NYS Prevention Agenda*: Maternal Mortality

Priority: Promoting Healthy Women, Infants & Children

Focus Area: Maternal and Infant Health

Goal: Reduce the rate of maternal deaths in New York State

2018 Objectives :

- Reduce the rate of maternal mortality by at least 10%
- Reduce racial and ethnic disparities in maternal mortality rates by at least 10%

Tracking Indicators:

- Number of maternal deaths per 100,000 live births
- Ratio of Black non-Hispanic to White non-Hispanic maternal mortality rate

Moving Needle on Maternal Mortality

With leadership from NYS DOH Division of Family Health, Committee focused attention on “pre-hospital” strategies:

- Integrating preconception and interconception care in routine outpatient care for women of reproductive age
- Assessing and addressing pregnancy planning and prevention of unintended pregnancy among women with serious chronic conditions and risk factors
- Instituting systems and protocols for early identification and management of high-risk pregnancies

Moving Needle on Maternal Mortality

Led series of special meetings with invited guests to explore pre-hospital opportunities in:

1. Clinical practices

- Integrating preconception screening into routine care by asking women of reproductive age where they want to be pregnant

2. NYS health care reform initiatives

- Office of Quality and Patient Safety efforts to support women in MA
- State Health Innovation Plan efforts to improve primary care
- Health Homes that are providing comprehensive care management for MA enrollees with chronic conditions

Prevention of Maternal Mortality Report

- Report for consideration today:
 - Provides data on maternal mortality in NYS
 - Summarizes discussions with clinical providers to focus attention on importance of asking women of reproductive age at every visit about their pregnancy intentions
 - Describes opportunities to use health care reform – including SHIP, Health Homes, DSRIP to address women’s health care

Next Steps:

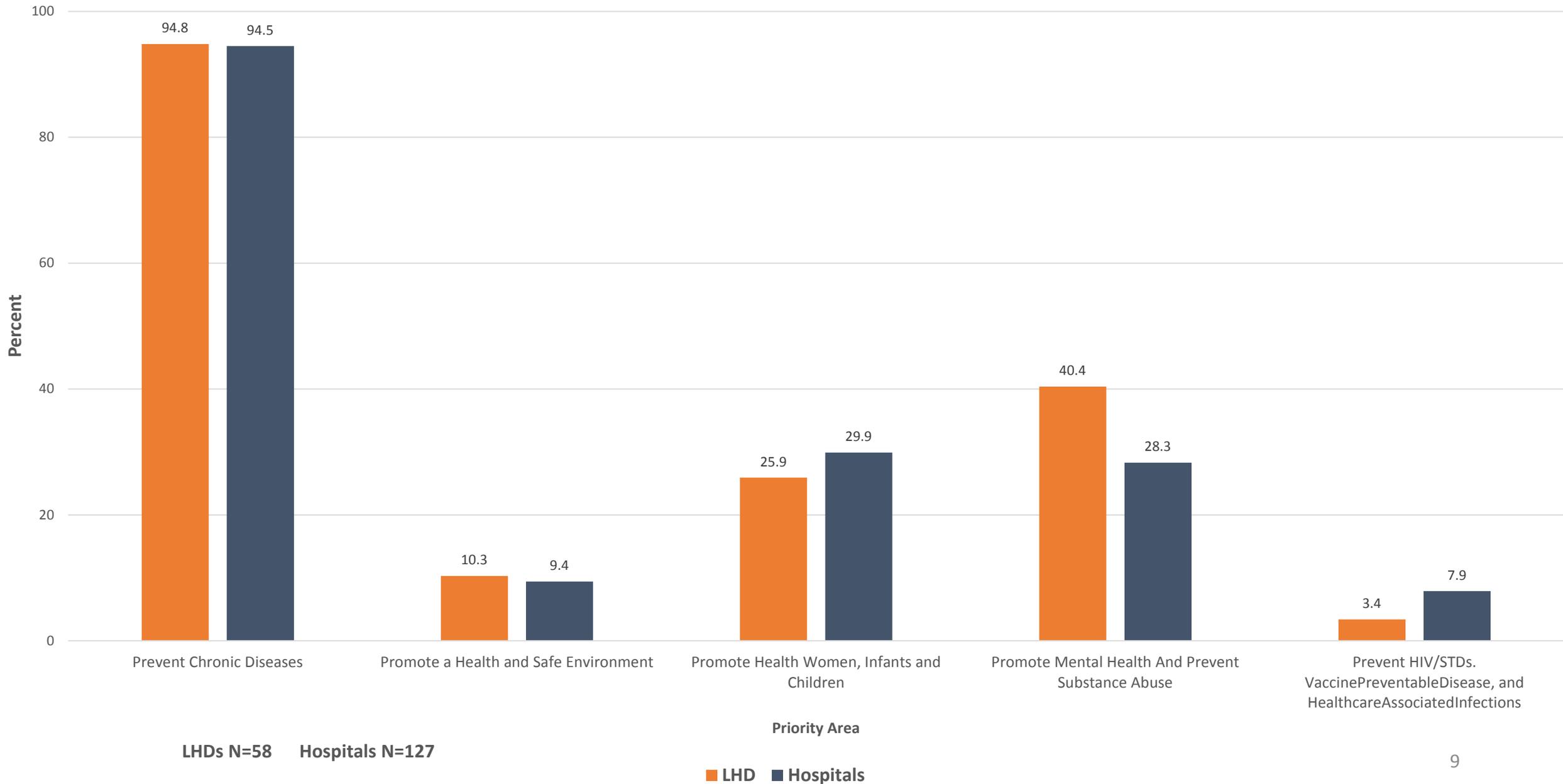
- Provide public platform to sustain attention to the issue of Maternal Mortality
- Regular follow up on progress on integrating attention to Maternal Mortality prevention in New York State health care reforms
- Support the developing partnership of **New York State Partnership for Maternal Health:**
 - New York State Department of Health
 - New York State American Congress of Obstetricians & Gynecologists
 - New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene
 - Greater New York Hospital Association
 - Healthcare Association of New York State



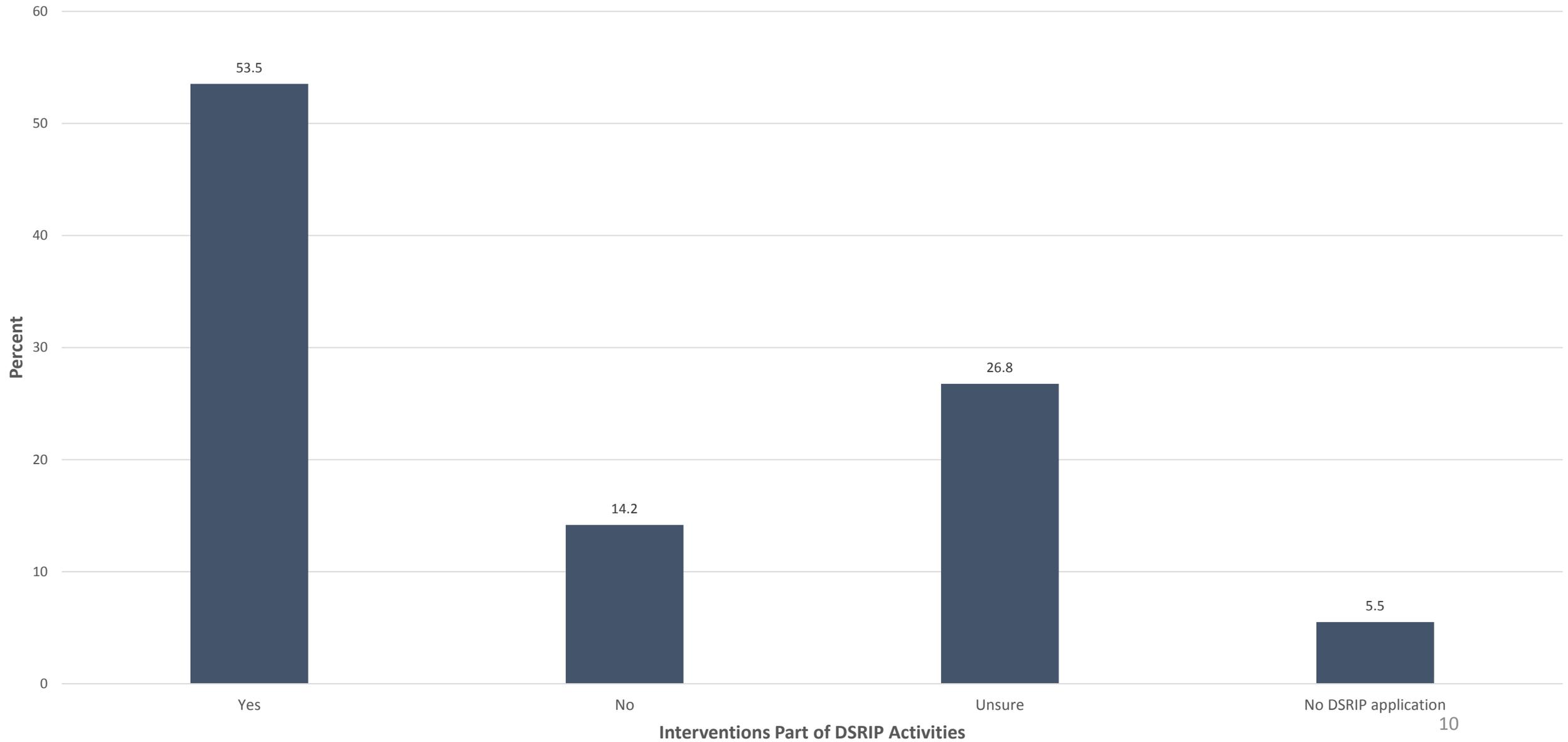
Prevention Agenda 2015 Progress

- 171 responses (as of 1/25/2016)
 - 58 out of 58 Local Health Departments
 - 127 Hospital/hospital groups out of 148 CSPs submitted in 2013
 - 370 interventions reported on (2 per survey response)
- Information on:
 - Interventions
 - Status of efforts
 - Disparities being addressed
 - Successes and challenges
- Help Ad Hoc Committee Members take appropriate action

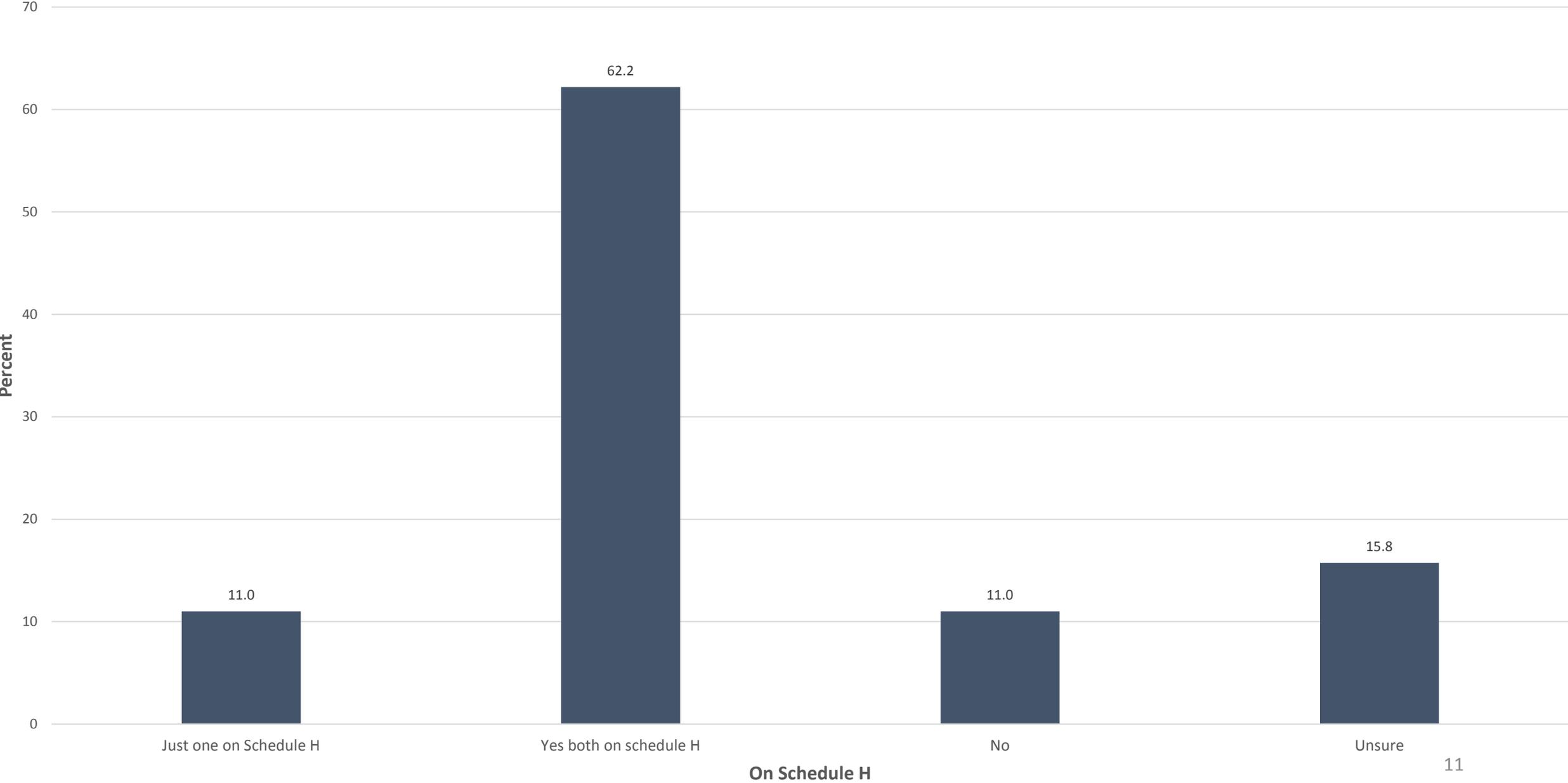
Percentage Of Local Health Departments, Hospitals Reporting On At least One Intervention* By Priority Area, December 2015



Are Any Hospital Led Prevention Agenda Interventions Part of DSRIP Activities ? December 2015 (N=127 Hospitals)



Are Prevention Agenda Interventions Included in the Community Benefit Reporting? December 2015 (N=127 Hospitals)





What's Next?

- Data will be provided by region to members of Ad Hoc Committee, Population Health Improvement Projects and others to support additional technical assistance.
- Hosting full day event on March 24: **Prevention Agenda: Translating Data into Action**
- Goal is active participation from Ad Hoc Committee, LHDs and hospitals to learn from each other on successes and challenges