# **QI MATURITY AND ACCREDITATION READINESS REPORT**

for Pine County Public Health Department (sample)

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#### INTRODUCTION

In late 2014 and early 2015, local public health agencies (LPHAs) in Colorado were surveyed about their interest in and readiness for national, voluntary public health accreditation and about the extent to which they were using quality improvement in their work. The questions were answered by the LPHA Director and 36 LPHAs participated. The results of the survey are presented here along with the individual results from Pine.

## **QI MATURITY**

## **DEFINITION OF QUALITY IMPROVEMENT MATURITY**

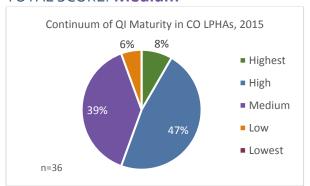
Quality Improvement Maturity is a concept that encompasses an agency's culture, capacity, and alignment of ongoing and systematic improvement efforts (Joly, 2013). The concept aligns with the Quality Improvement Roadmap, www.qiroadmap.org, a resource that helps guide LPHAs through creating a culture of quality improvement throughout their agency. For this report, QI Maturity is separated into three subsets: Organizational Culture, Capacity and Competence, Alignment and Spread.

QI IS MORE THAN JUST A STATE OF MIND

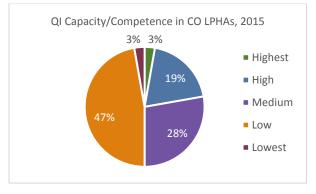
### **OVERALL ORGANIZATIONAL QI MATURITY**

Pine: Overall QI Maturity = Medium

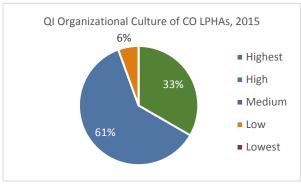
#### TOTAL SCORE: Medium



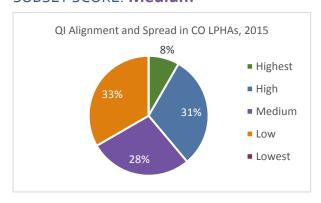
### SUBSET SCORE: Low



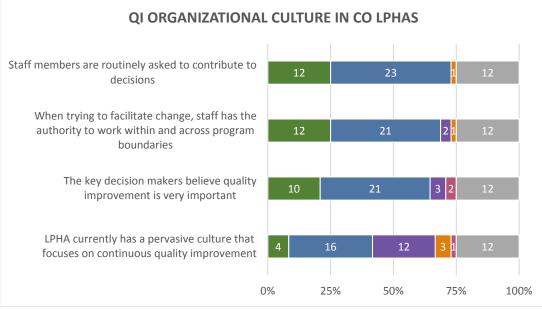
# SUBSET SCORE: **High**



#### SUBSET SCORE: Medium



## COMPONENTS OF QI MATURITY: COLORADO



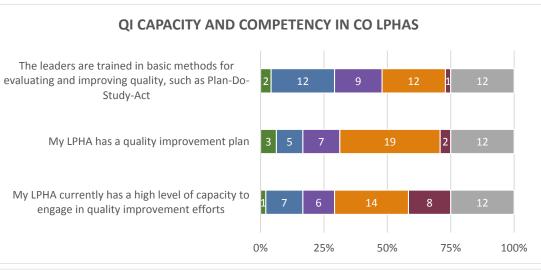
**PINE** 

**Strongly Agree** 

**Agree** 

**Agree** 

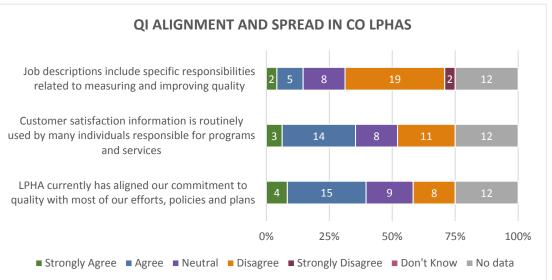
**Strongly Agree** 



**Neutral** 

**Disagree** 

**Strongly Disagree** 

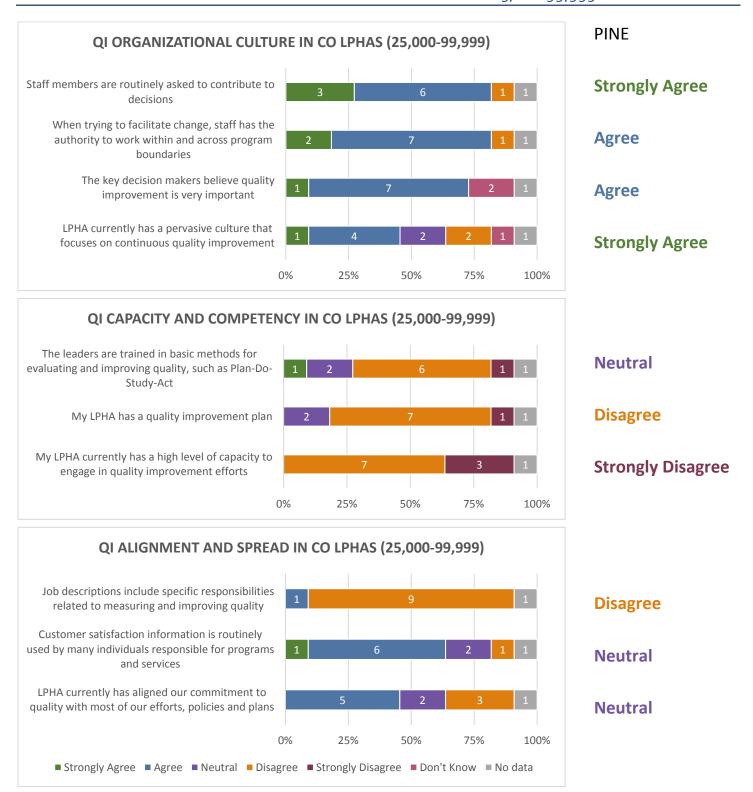


**Disagree** 

**Neutral** 

**Neutral** 

# COMPONENTS OF QI MATURITY: LPHAs with Jurisdiction Size of 25,000-99,999



## QI MATURITY STRENGTHS AND OPPORTUNITIES

Pine is strongest in the area(s) of Organizational Culture
Pine has an opportunity to strengthen in the area(s) of Capacity and Competence

# **ACCREDITATION READINESS**

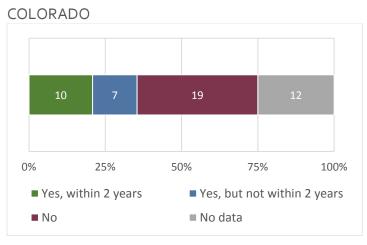
### **DEFINITION OF ACCREDITATION READINESS**

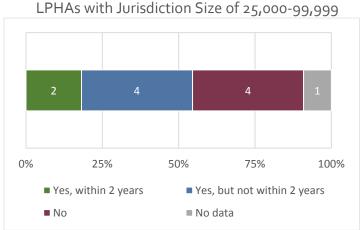
For the purposes of this report, Accreditation Readiness is measured in categories of Intent to Apply, Use of Standards, Completion of the Accreditation Prerequisites, Leadership Support, Technical Capacity, Partnership and Policy and Initial Steps Toward Accreditation.

ACCREDITATION: YOU ARE FURTHER THAN YOU THINK!

### COMPONENTS OF ACCREDITATION READINESS

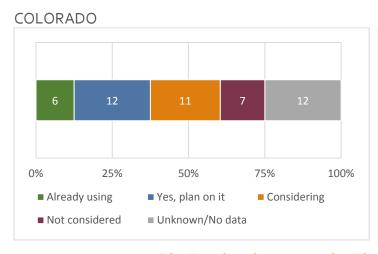
### **INTENT TO APPLY: DOES YOUR AGENCY INTEND TO APPLY FOR ACCREDITATION?**

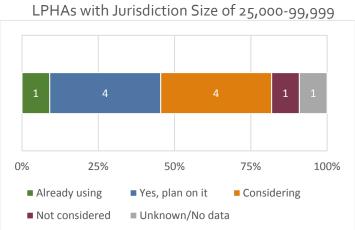




Pine RESPONSE: No

**USE OF STANDARDS:** DOES YOUR AGENCY PLAN TO USE PHAB STANDARDS TO IMPROVE YOUR WORK, REGARDLESS OF YOUR INTENT TO FORMALLY SEEK ACCREDITATION?



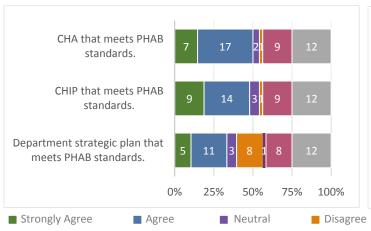


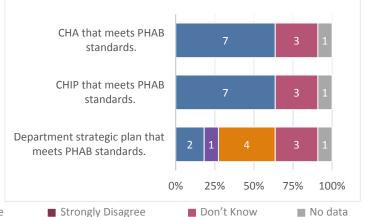
Pine RESPONSE: Considering, but have not decided

### **ACCREDITATION PRE-REQUISITES**

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## LPHAs with Jurisdiction Size of 25,000-99,999

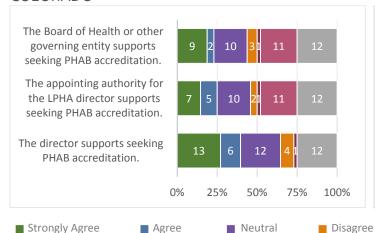




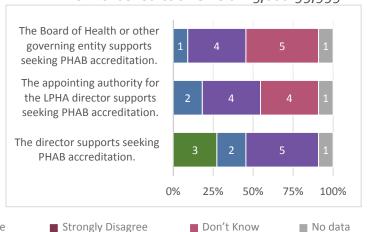
Pine RESPONSE: Agree - Agree - Disagree

## **LEADERSHIP SUPPORT**

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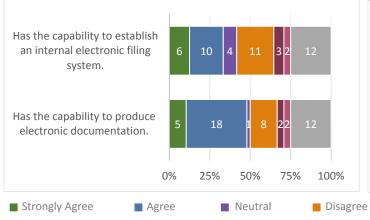
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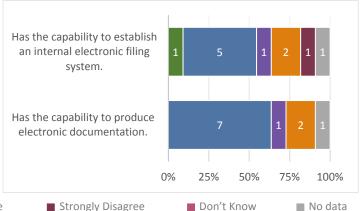
Pine RESPONSE: Don't Know • Don't Know • Neutral

#### **TECHNICAL CAPACITY**

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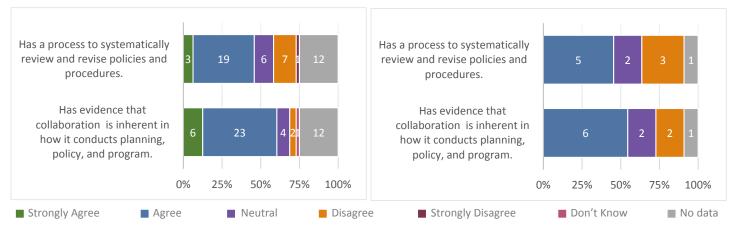


Pine RESPONSE: Strongly Disagree • Disagree

#### PARTNERSHIP AND POLICY

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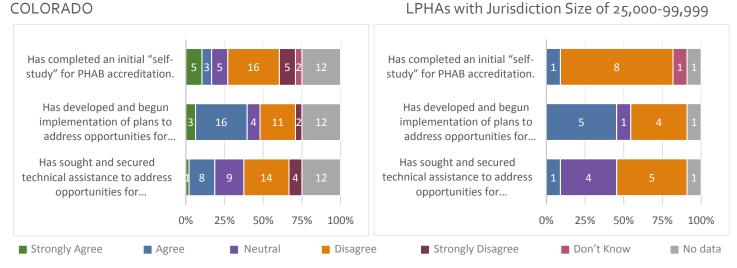
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Pine RESPONSE: Disagree • Disagree

## INITIAL STEPS TOWARD PHAB ACCREDITATION

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Pine RESPONSE: Disagree • Disagree • Disagree

# ACCREDITATION READINESS STRENGTHS AND OPPORTUNITIES

Pine is strongest in the area(s) of Prerequisites for Accreditation.

Pine has an opportunity to strengthen in the area(s) of in finding out more in the area of Leadership Support for Accreditation.

### FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THIS REPORT

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