

## Integration Equity into Quality Improvement Science to Advance Competency in Disparity Reduction

### Background

- ◆ Top 5 List
- ◆ 1. Safe
- ◆ 2. Effective
- ◆ 3. Patient-centered
- ◆ 4. Timely
- ◆ 5. Efficient



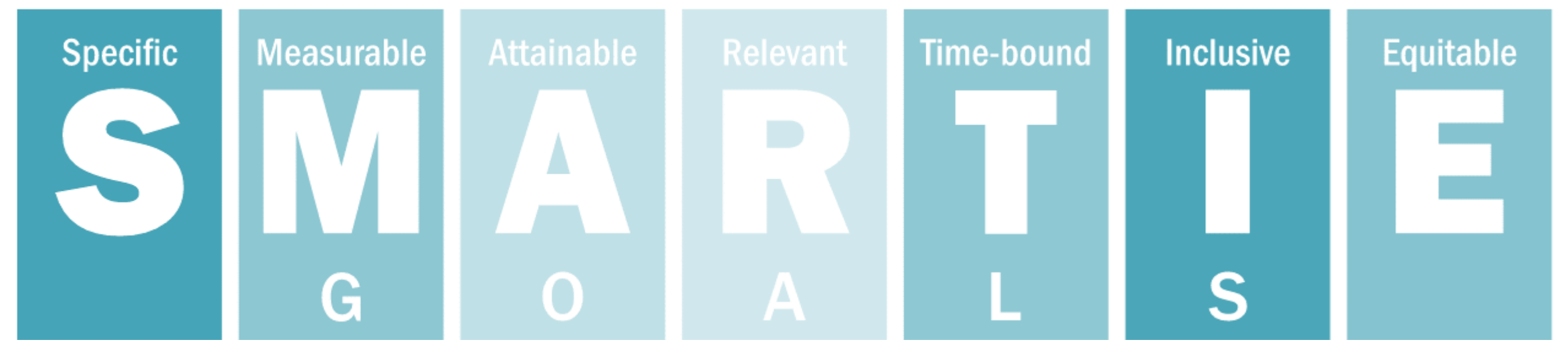
Many improvement practitioners do not feel confident in their ability to integrate an equity lens into their current quality improvement efforts in clinical outcomes.

### Current State



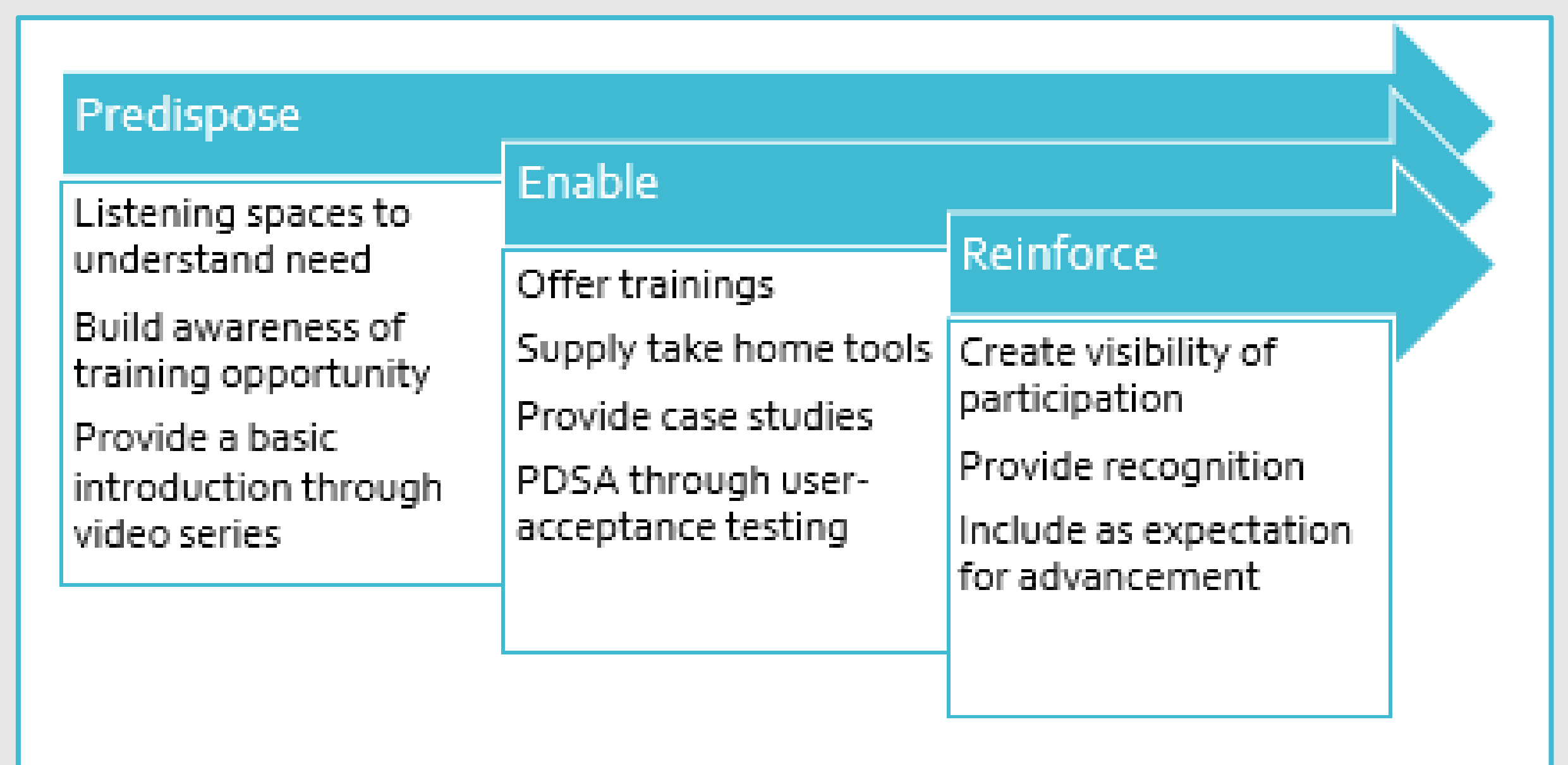
- DEIB has often been seen as an HR focused activity
- Quality infrastructures do not consistently integrate equity
- Increasing pressure to advance health equity and achieve disparity reduction

### Future State



- Improvement practitioners at UCSF Health see themselves as a part and responsible to health equity efforts.
- They have the skills to integrate equity into their approach to quality improvement and the systems that they uphold.

### Experiments



We work to support the identification and reduction of health care disparities in access, experience, and clinical outcomes to advance the achievement of health equity.