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Collaborative Methodology in ATC@scale

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## *What is the collaborative methodology?*

The collaborative approach requires groups to come together periodically to learn change ideas and quality methods, and to exchange their experiences with making changes.



Stimulates rapid improvement



Disseminate good ideas



Boost learning skills

# Key elements of collaborative methodology

1. Topic selection
2. Purpose and expectations
3. Expert recruitment
4. Enrollment of participating teams
5. Learning sessions
6. Actions periods
7. Measurement and evaluation

# ***I. Topic selection***

Select specific issue or area

Existence of examples of good practices

Research evidence about what is effective

Improvements and benefits are of significance



## 2. Purpose and expectations

Helps deciding  
whether to  
take part

Enables setting  
the priorities of  
the collaborative

### CLEAR PURPOSE

*Eg. Up-scaling of telemonitoring of  
congestive heart failure patients*

Helps planning  
how to run the  
collaborative

Need to reassess  
the purpose  
during the  
collaborative

### 3. *Expert recruitment*



#### **Subject matter expert**

- Establishes the vision of the new system
- Creates the content of the collaborative
- Provides faculty leadership



#### **Application matter expert**

- Coaches teams on improvement methods
- Guides teams on the improvement application in local settings

# 4. Enrollment of participating teams

## MULTIDISCIPLINARY TEAMS

**Organizers  
Experts**

**Decision makers  
Project Manager  
Representatives**

**Representatives  
Implementers**



Agree on roles,  
responsibilities and  
expectations



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# 5. Learning sessions



4. Exchange lessons learned

1. Share ideas

3. Plan the testing of changes

2. Define specific changes



## 6. Actions periods



→ ACTION →



- Test and implement changes in local settings
  - Collect data to measure impact
    - Report progress

## 7. Measurement and evaluation

Challenging but achievable and measurable targets

Regular measurement and assessment

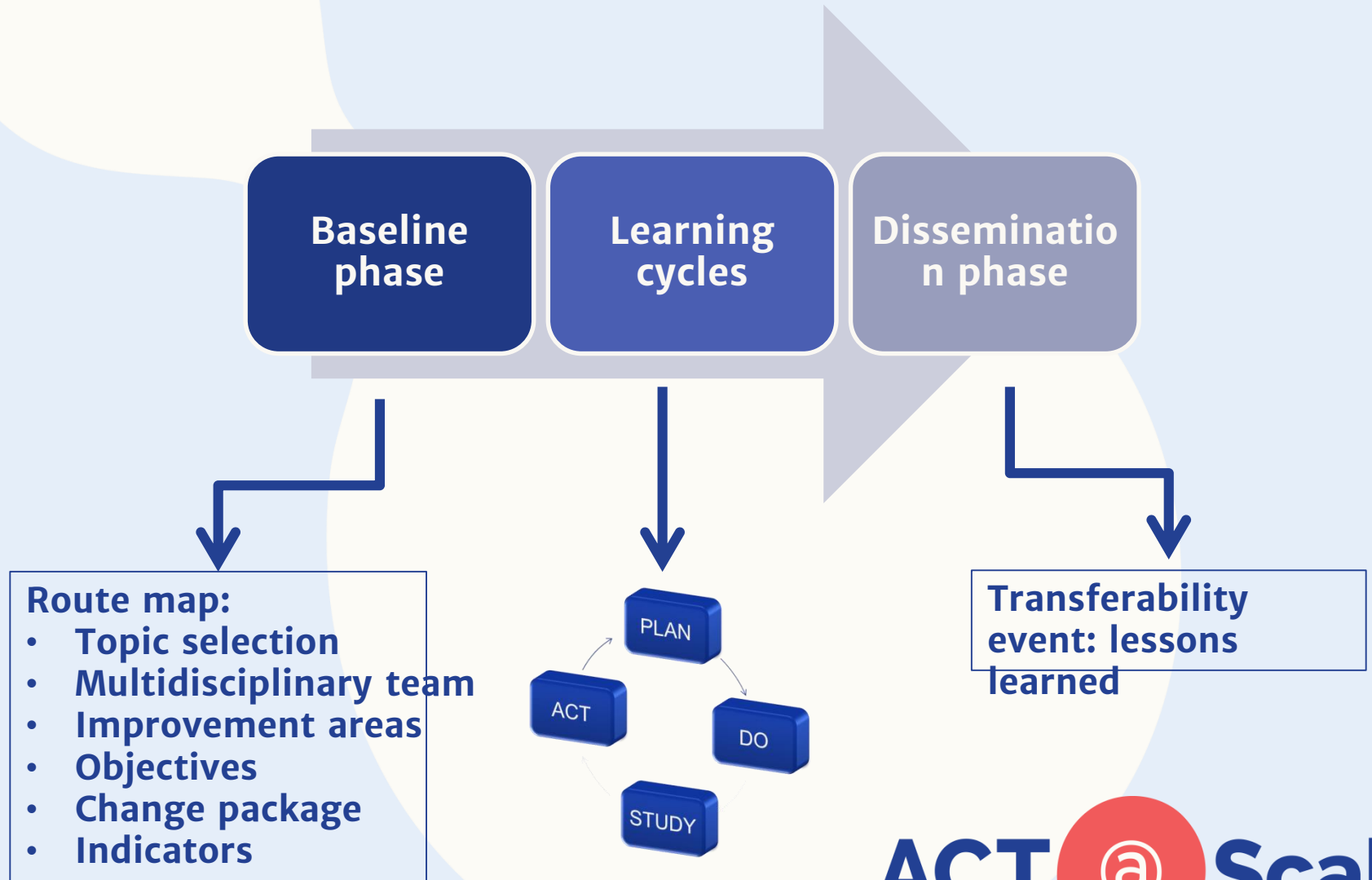
Sharing the results with the whole collaborative

Use existing data

Develop measurement skills

Keep teams focused

# Collaborative methodology in ACT@Scale



# Thank you

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