

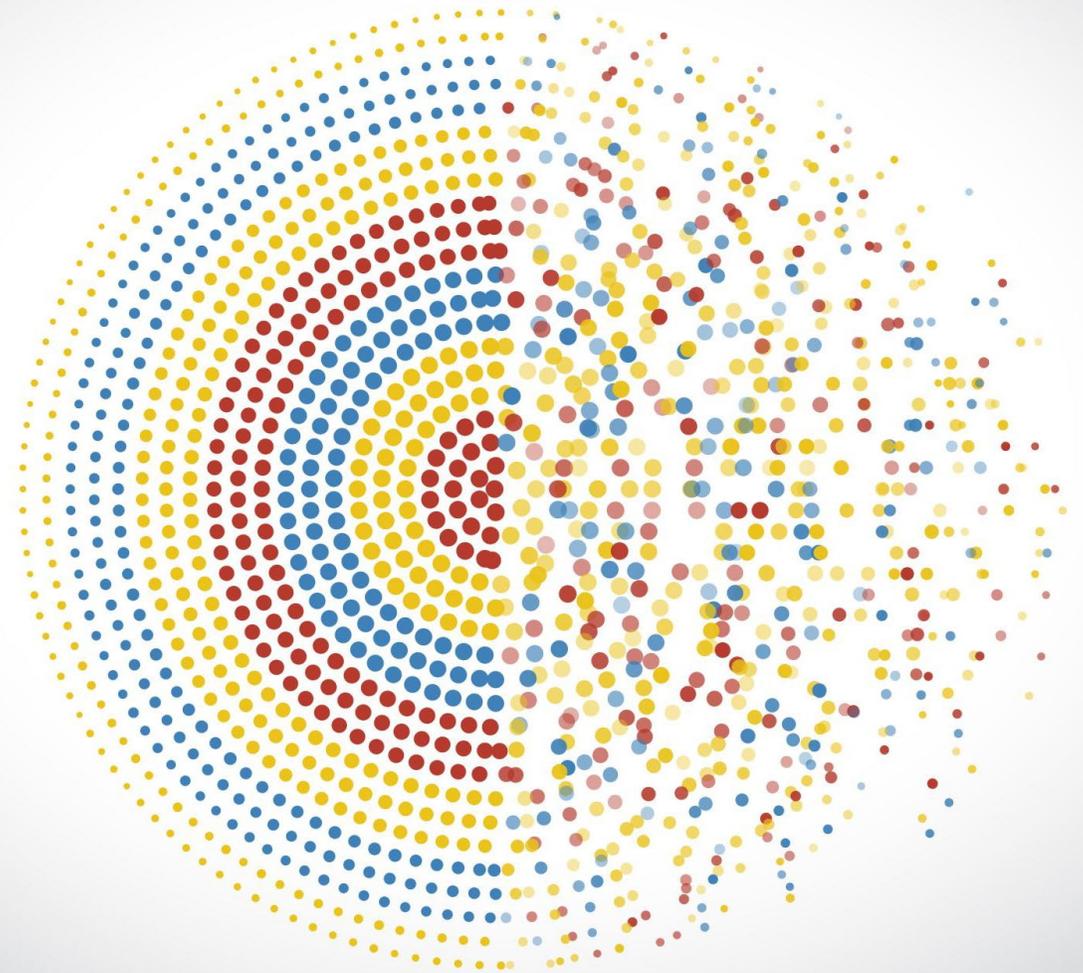


# ACDEB Future State/ North Star

Synthesis of Committee  
Member Input



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As a result of  
the  
Committee's  
work, in the  
future...

ENDS

- **Policy-making** will be better informed through deeper meaning coming from linking heterogeneous data sets and more accurate assessments of potential policy results.
- Programmatic and policy **decisions** will be made with more complete evidence, wider access to data sets, effective analytics, increased confidence.
- **Stakeholders** across the spectrum (federal, state, local, and others) will **value** that data is more accessible, while protected, making it more available for public benefit.
- **Political leaders**, other decision-makers, and influencers will understand and support the **value** created through secure data availability, ethical choices, and privacy protections.
- Experts and non-experts will be more **skilled and adept** at using multi-source data effectively.
- **Innovation and collaboration** in data use, sharing, protection, analysis, and application to policy development will be encouraged and will spur new ideas and methods.
- **Public sector programs** will see stronger results through improved and actionable performance and evaluation results.

Because...

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MEANS

- ❖ Data will be secure and protected with pervasive and agreed-upon tools and protocols.
- ❖ Privacy will be protected through anonymity or technology tools that prevent access to PII.
- ❖ Data sources will be shared by data owners, stewards, and gatherers.
- ❖ Data will be linked (or linking will be possible) across data sources and types.
- ❖ Tools and methods will be available and disseminated widely to create coherence among heterogeneous data sets and to improve analytics.
- ❖ Access will be provided based on credentials, tiering, purposes, and qualifications of users.
- ❖ Requirements for federal data gathering and reporting will be limited, reconciled, and scheduled with the variation in data sources and capacity considered.
- ❖ Training and professional development of data owners, stewards, and users will be enhanced.
- ❖ Standardization and quality enhancement will continually evolve for data access, use, security, protection will be established and maintained.

# Conclusion and Next Steps

- **NSDS** will be established to guide and facilitate the development and execution of these Means and accomplish these Ends.
- ACDEB will use this summary of the Future State/North Star in its subsequent meetings
  - To serve as a touchstone and test future requirements and recommendations against
  - To revise it in light of the Committee's ongoing deliberations