

ROADMAP TO ACTION

STRENGTHENING RURAL HEALTH

BUILDING A FRAMEWORK WITH SPECIFIC ELEMENTS

- Leverage the full continuum of care
- Address Health-Related Social Needs (HRSN)
- Use the framework of the High-Performing Rural Health System to guide specific actions

ACTION

- Designing a local & regional decision-making structure
- Determine local needs and actions—an ongoing process taking advantage of changes in health care organization and delivery

TRANSITIONING TO A SUSTAINABLE SYSTEM IN THRIVING RURAL COMMUNITIES

- Transitioning health services finance
- Actions to re-organize health services
- Assuring high-quality rural health services

SPECIFIC ELEMENTS SUPPORTING THE RURAL HEALTH SYSTEM

- Blended Funds Flow
- Payment Policies
- Workforce Considerations
- Use of Technology & Data

POLICY ACTIONS

- Financing Rural Health Services
- Support workforce initiatives already underway
- Support current infrastructure, physical and organizational
- Undertake discussions and actions through local and regional coalitions of stakeholders in rural health