



Across the State: Policy Updates that Impact Our Communities

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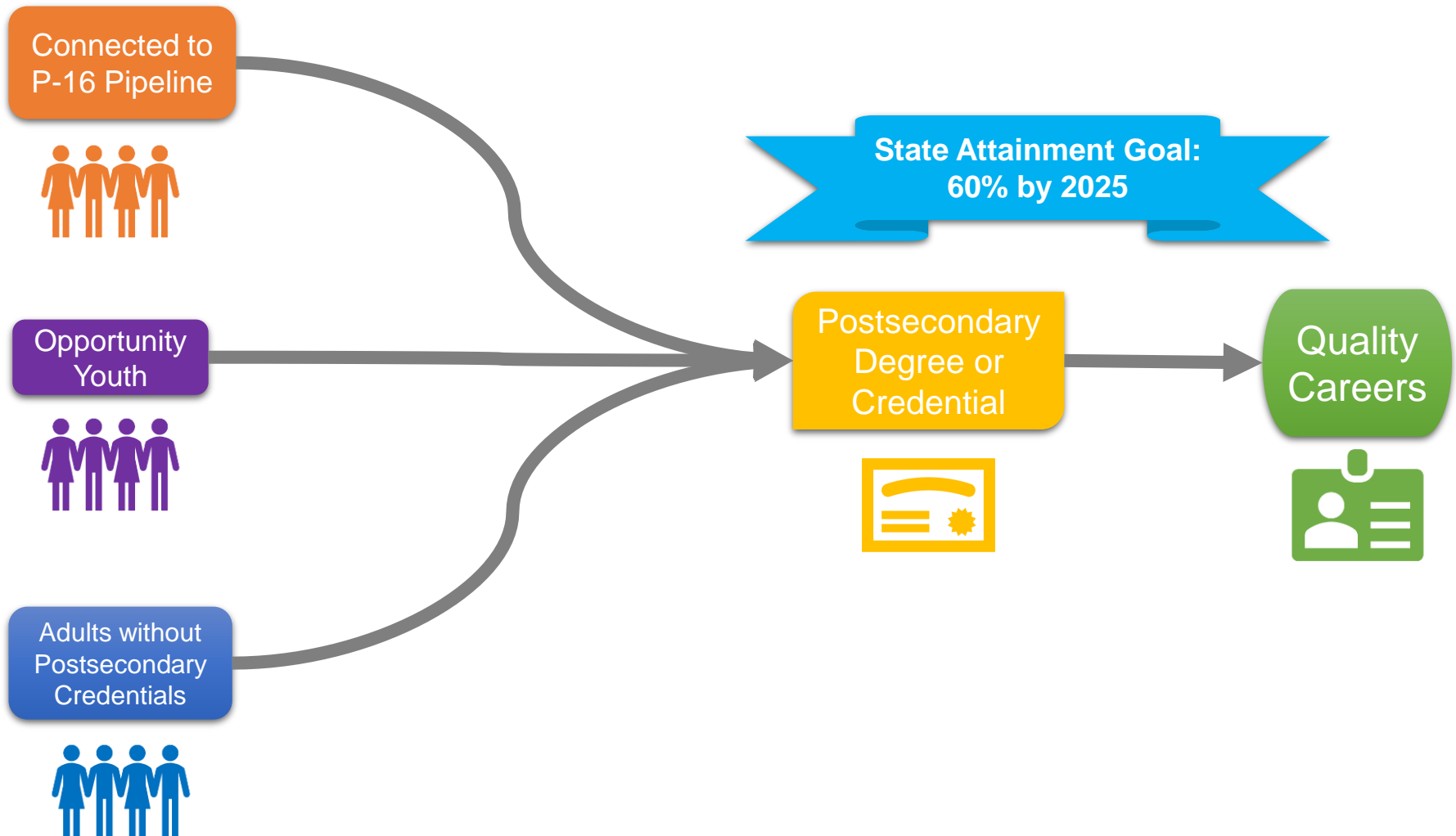


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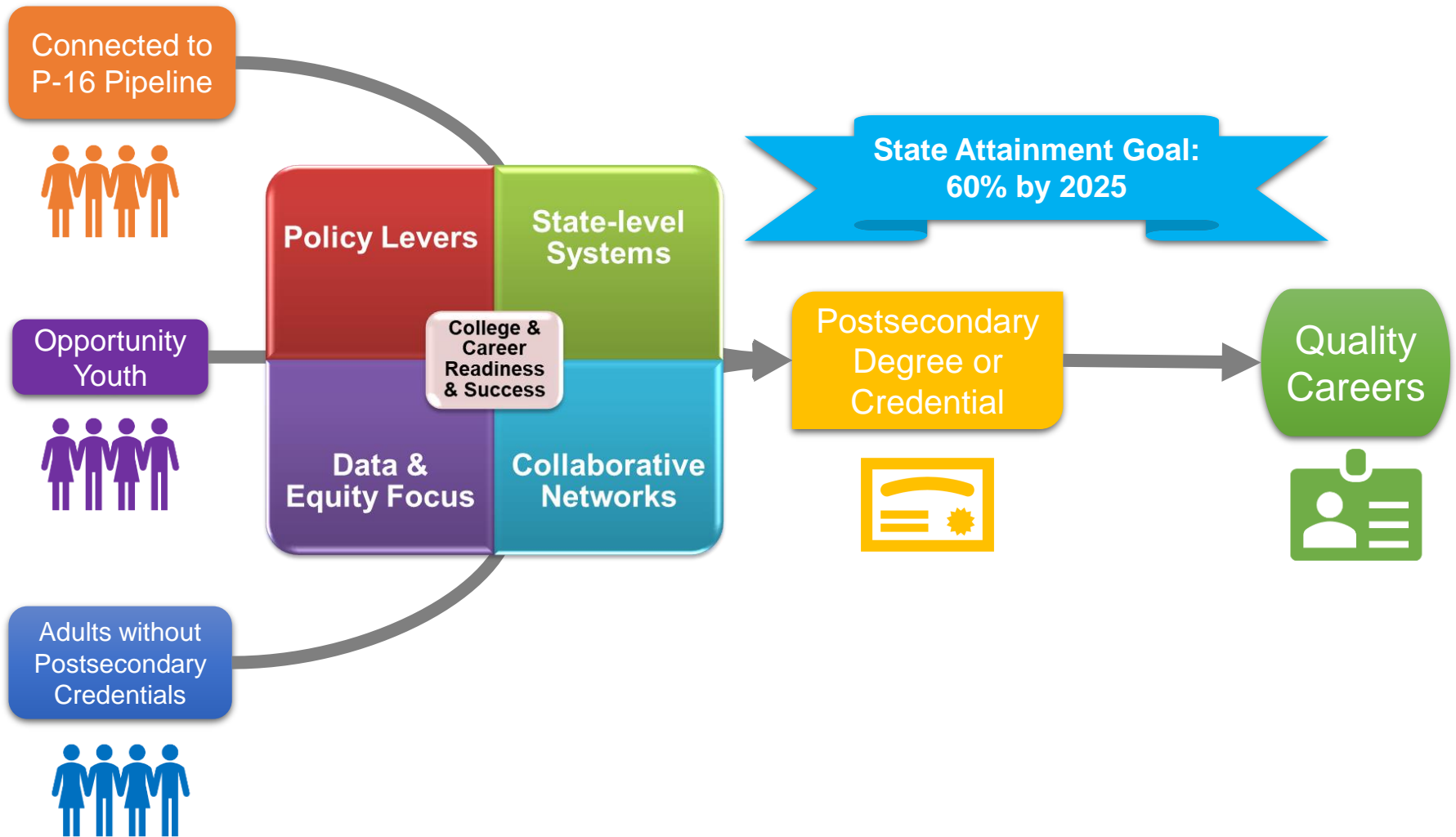
To support communities to increase meaningful and equitable postsecondary attainment and civic engagement.



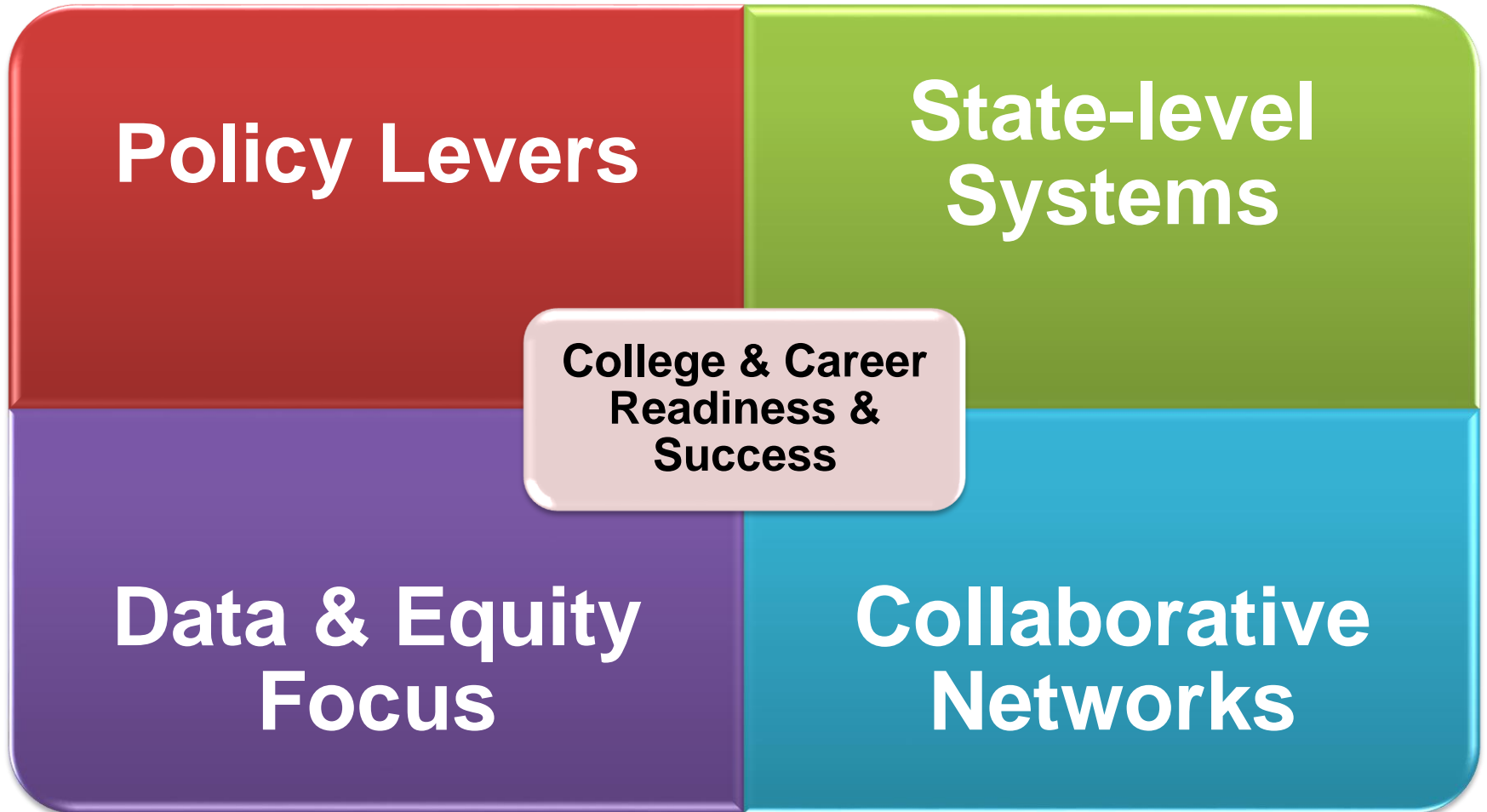
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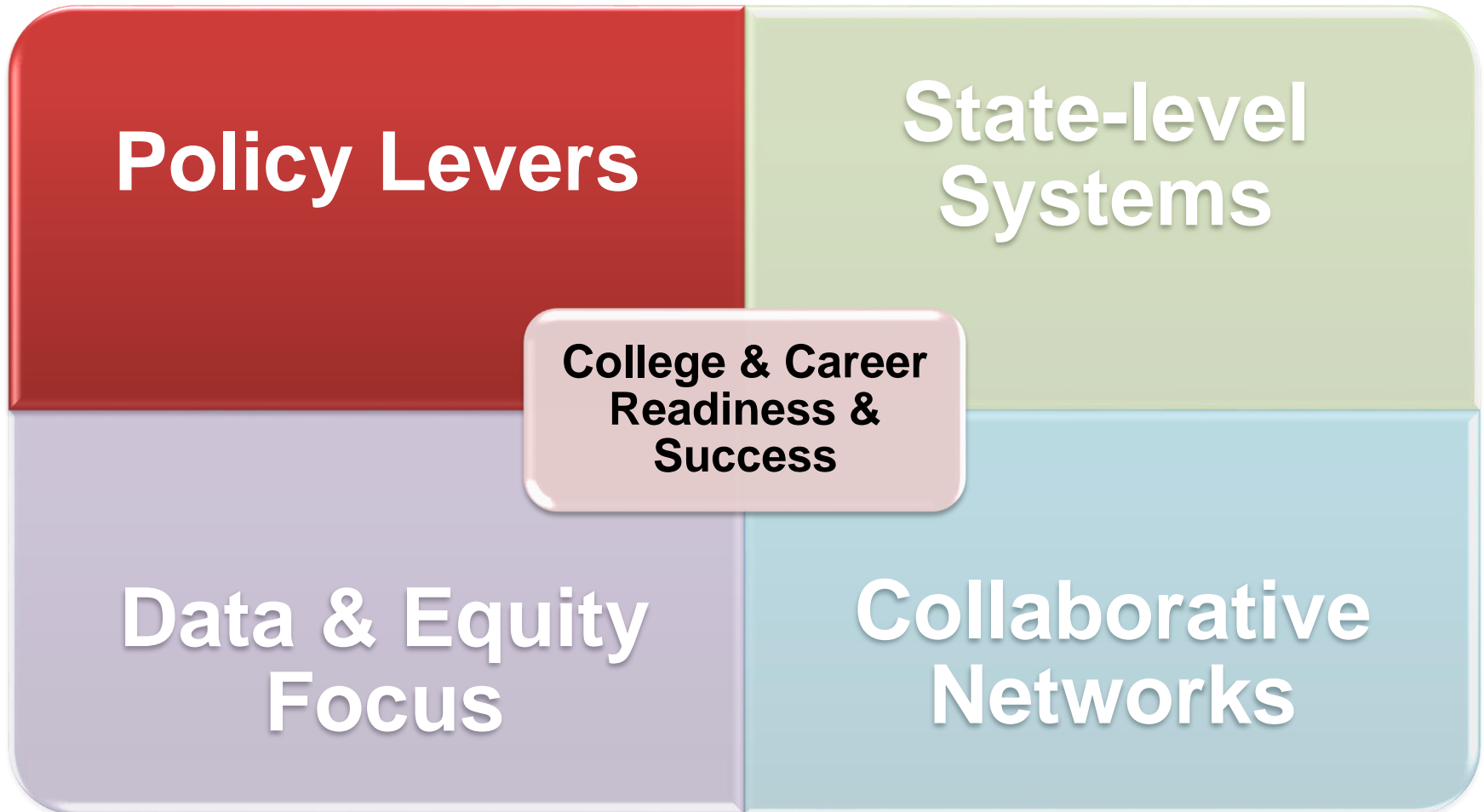
HOW DO WE REACH OUR GOAL?



WHAT'S THE BIG PICTURE?



OPENING WINDOWS FOR PRACTITIONERS TO SUPPORT STUDENT SUCCESS

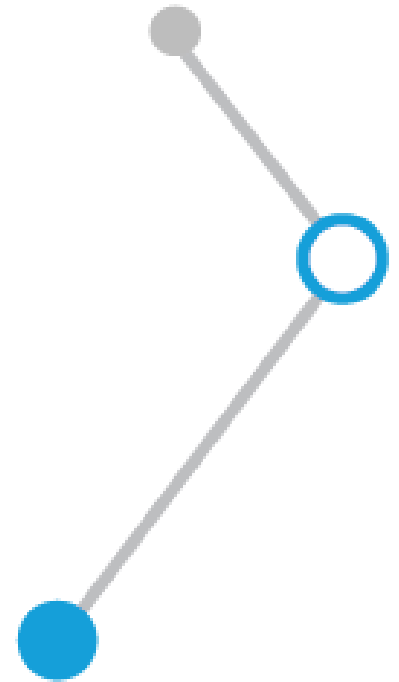




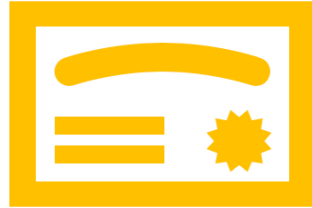
A UNIFIED VISION OF COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS

What do students need
to *know*?

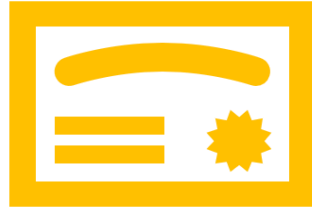
What do students need
to be able to *do*?



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**Foundational Skills
for All Careers**



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**Accelerated Toward
a Career Area**



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Foundational
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Careers

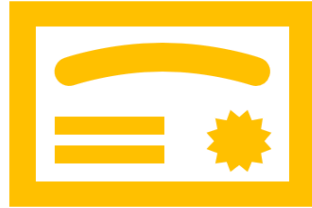


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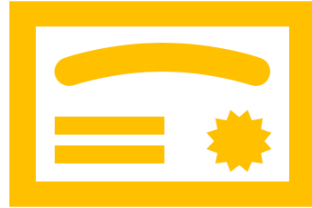


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Multiple Measures of Readiness

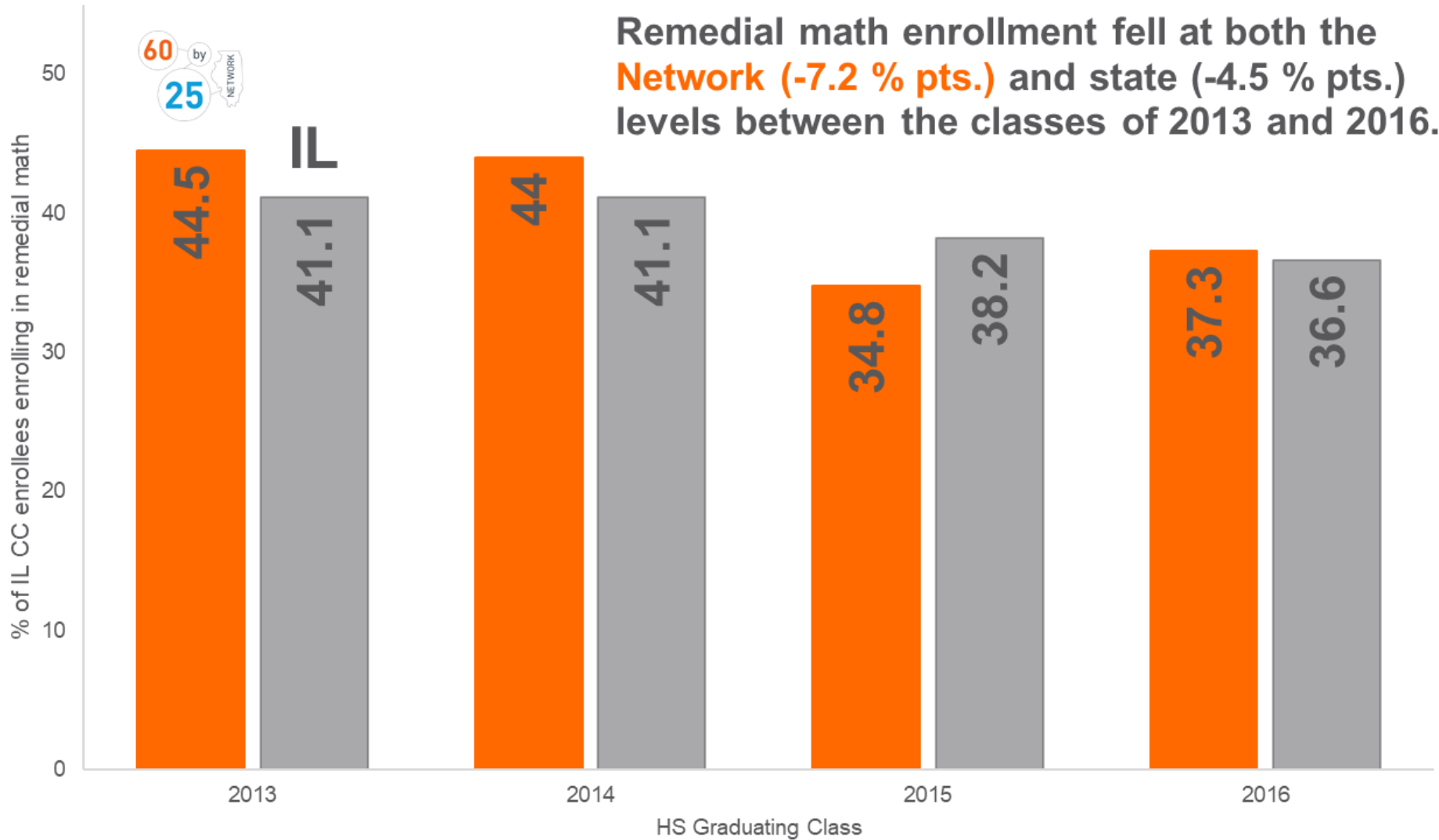
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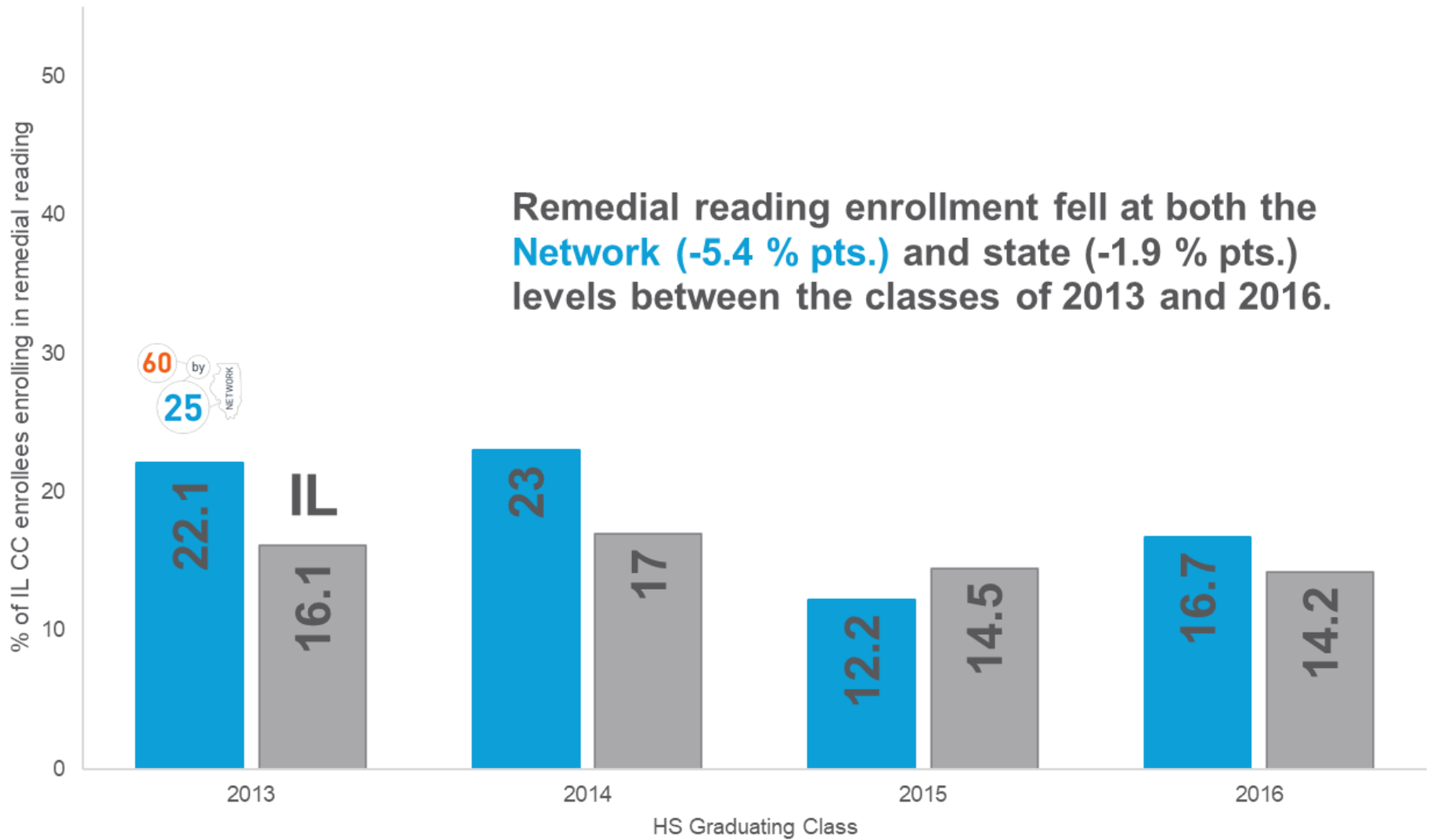
**Transitional
Instruction**

REMEDIAL MATH



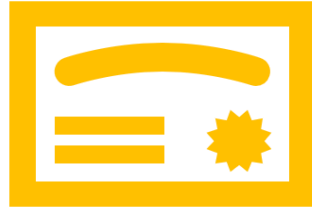
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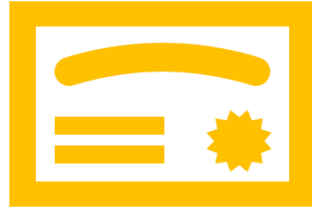


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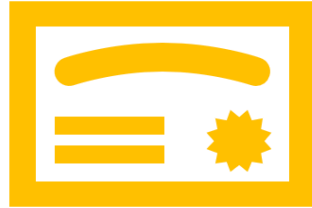
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**Defined
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Competencies**

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Scaling College and Career Pathways

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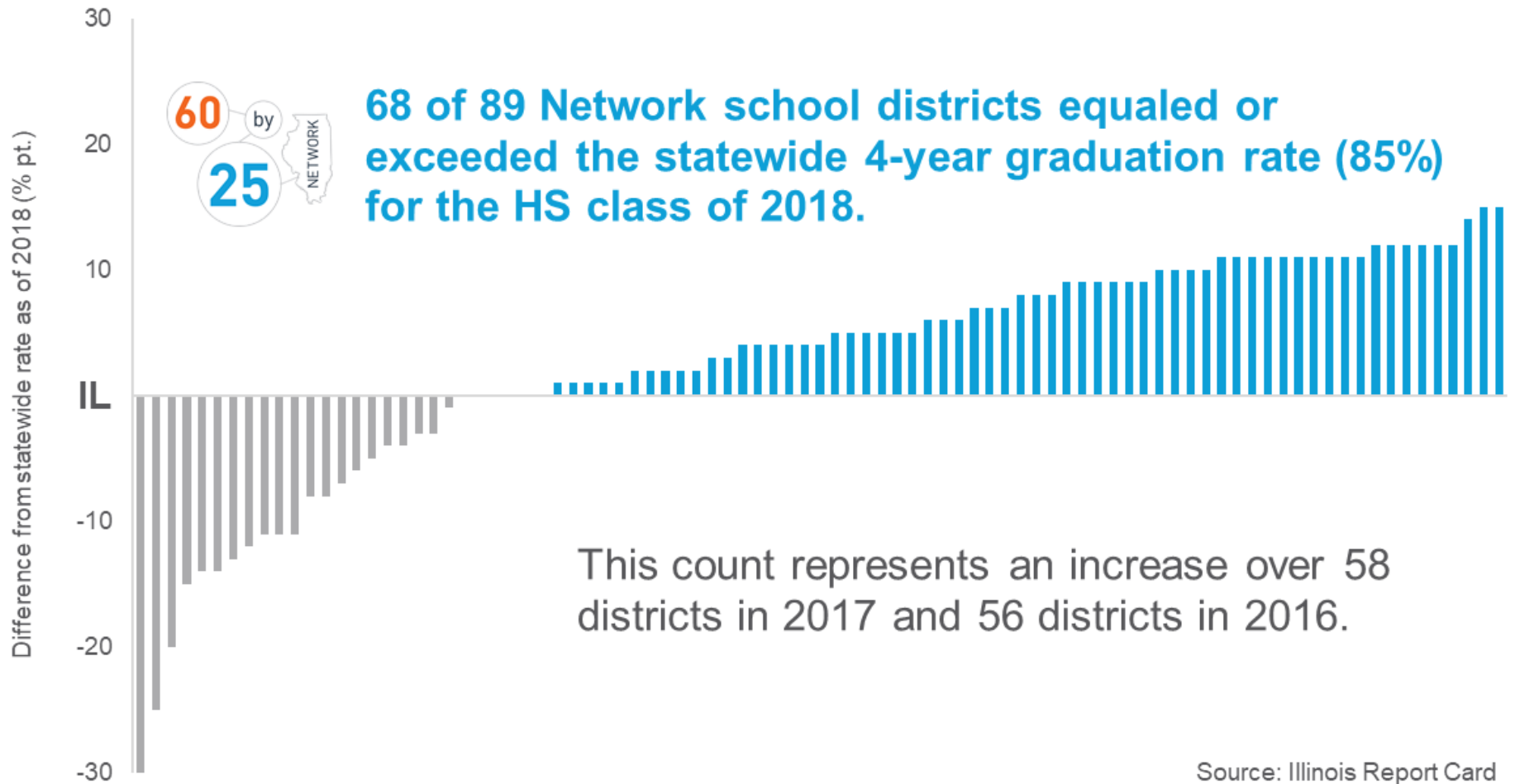
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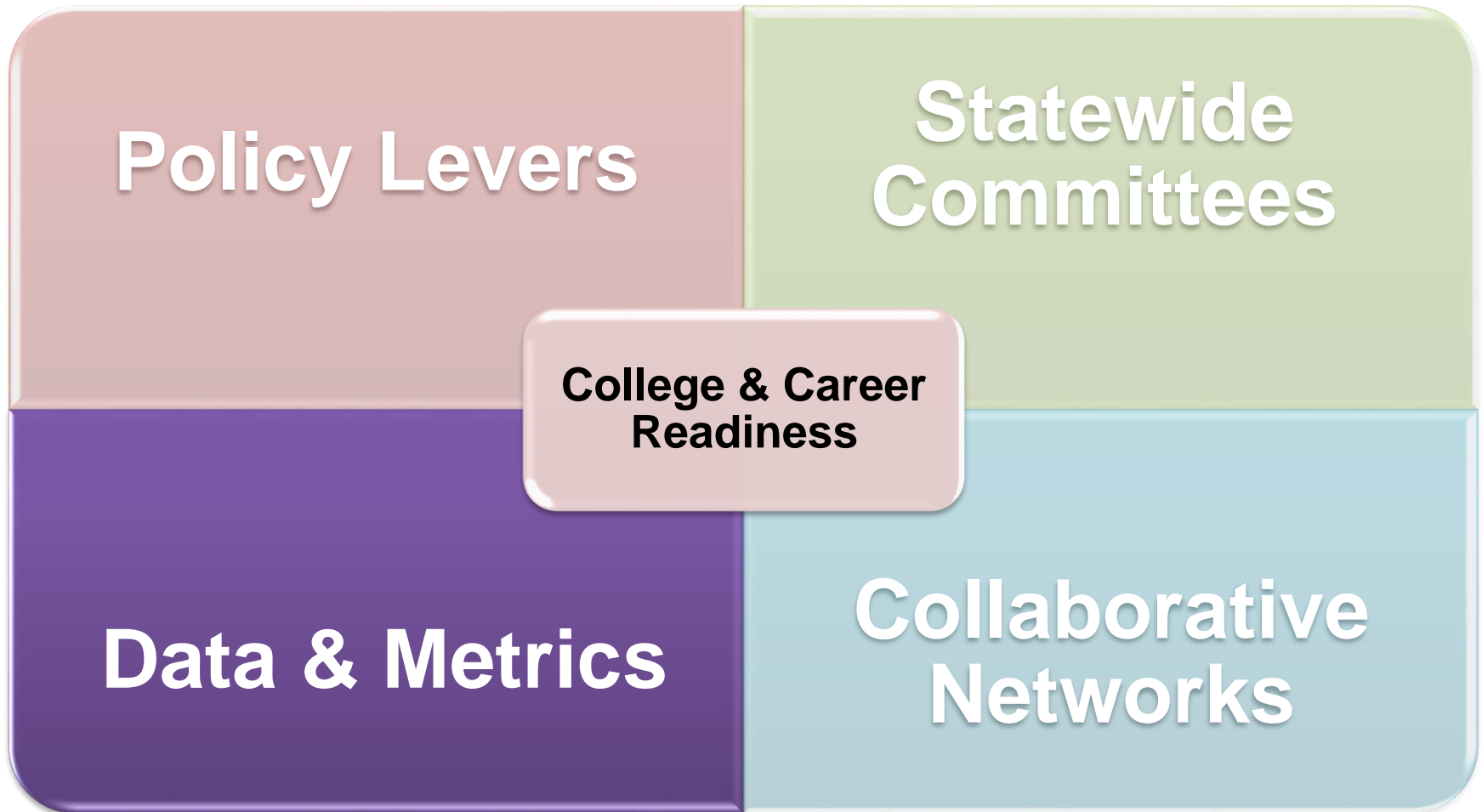
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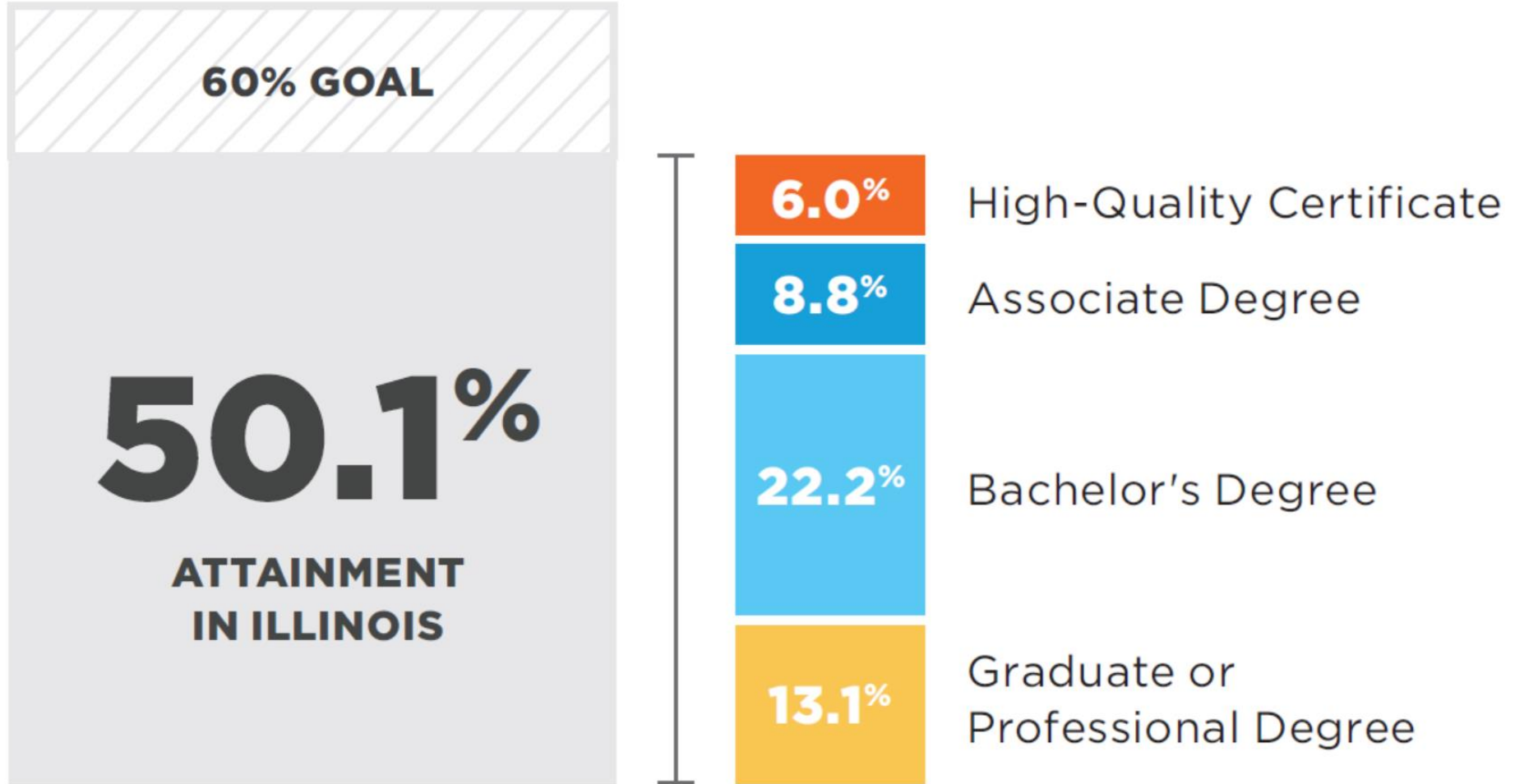
HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION RATE



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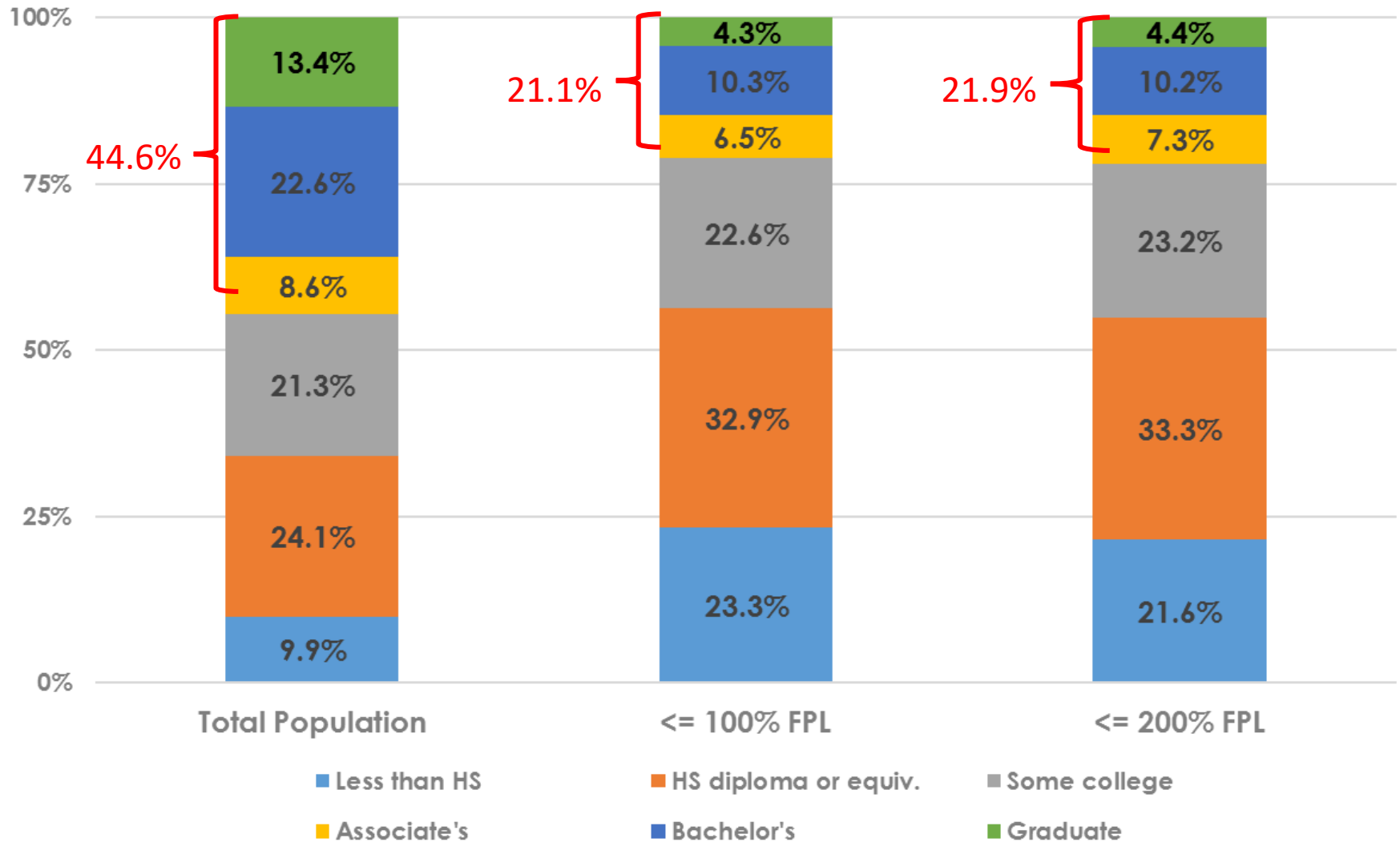


POSTSECONDARY ATTAINMENT (OVERALL)



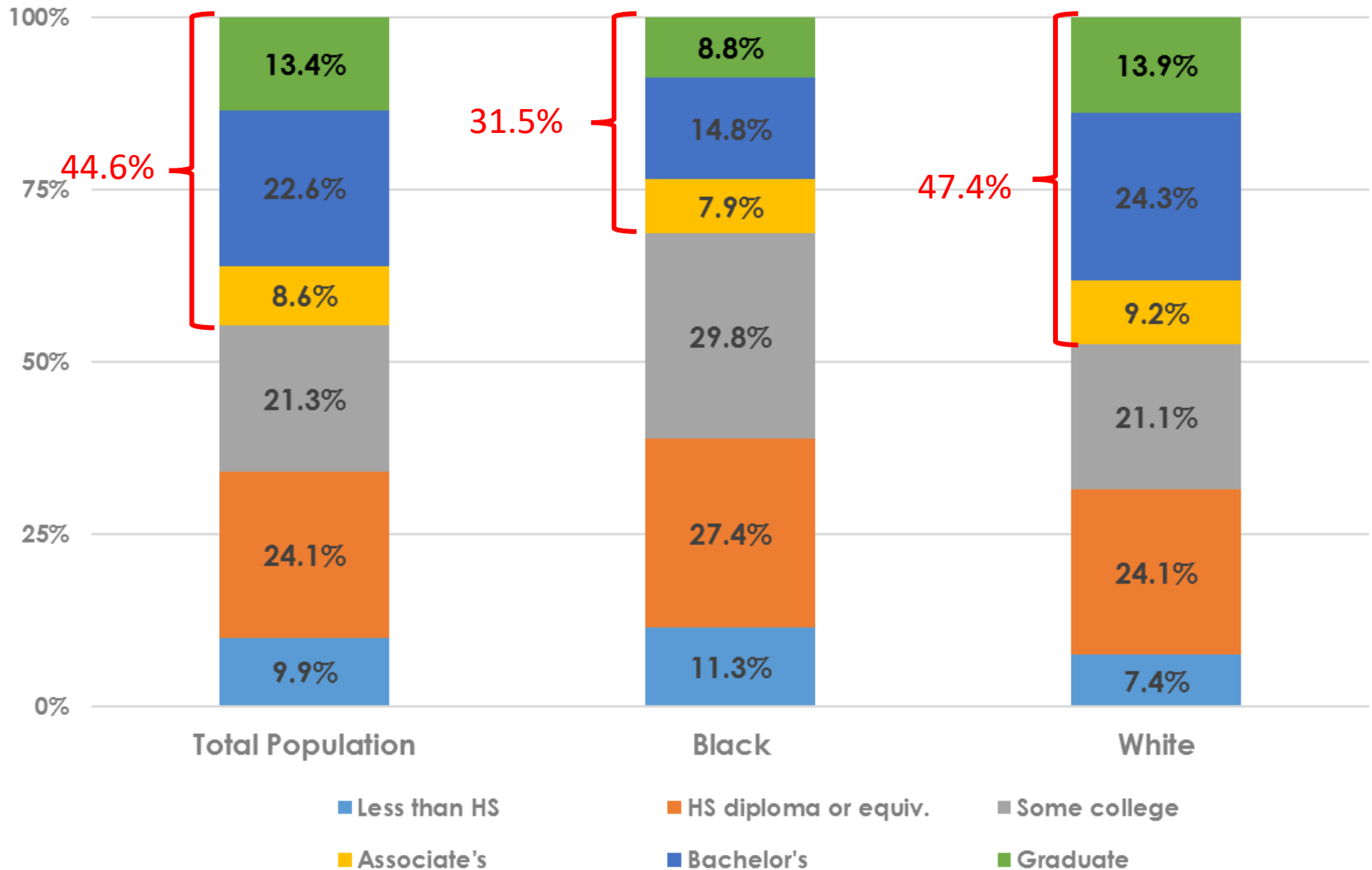
POSTSECONDARY ATTAINMENT (LOW-INCOME)

Degree Attainment relative to Federal Poverty Line (FPL), 2016



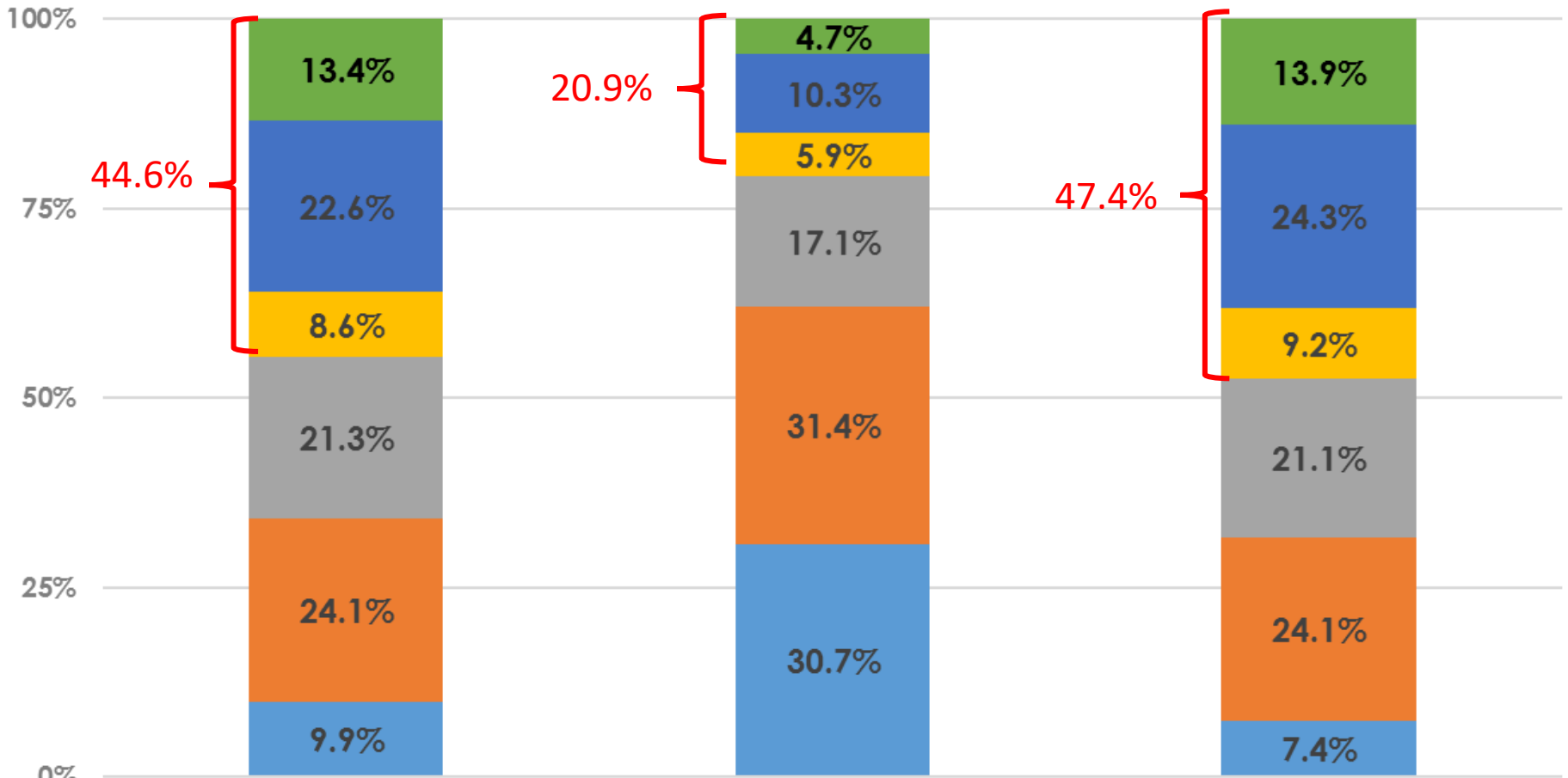
POSTSECONDARY ATTAINMENT (BLACK)

Degree Attainment for Black and White Adults, 2016



POSTSECONDARY ATTAINMENT (HISPANIC)

Degree Attainment for Hispanic and White Adults, 2016



44.6%

20.9%

47.4%

Total Population

Hispanic

White

- Less than HS
- HS diploma or equiv.
- Some college
- Associate's
- Bachelor's
- Graduate



**What stories do
we want to be
able tell?**



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