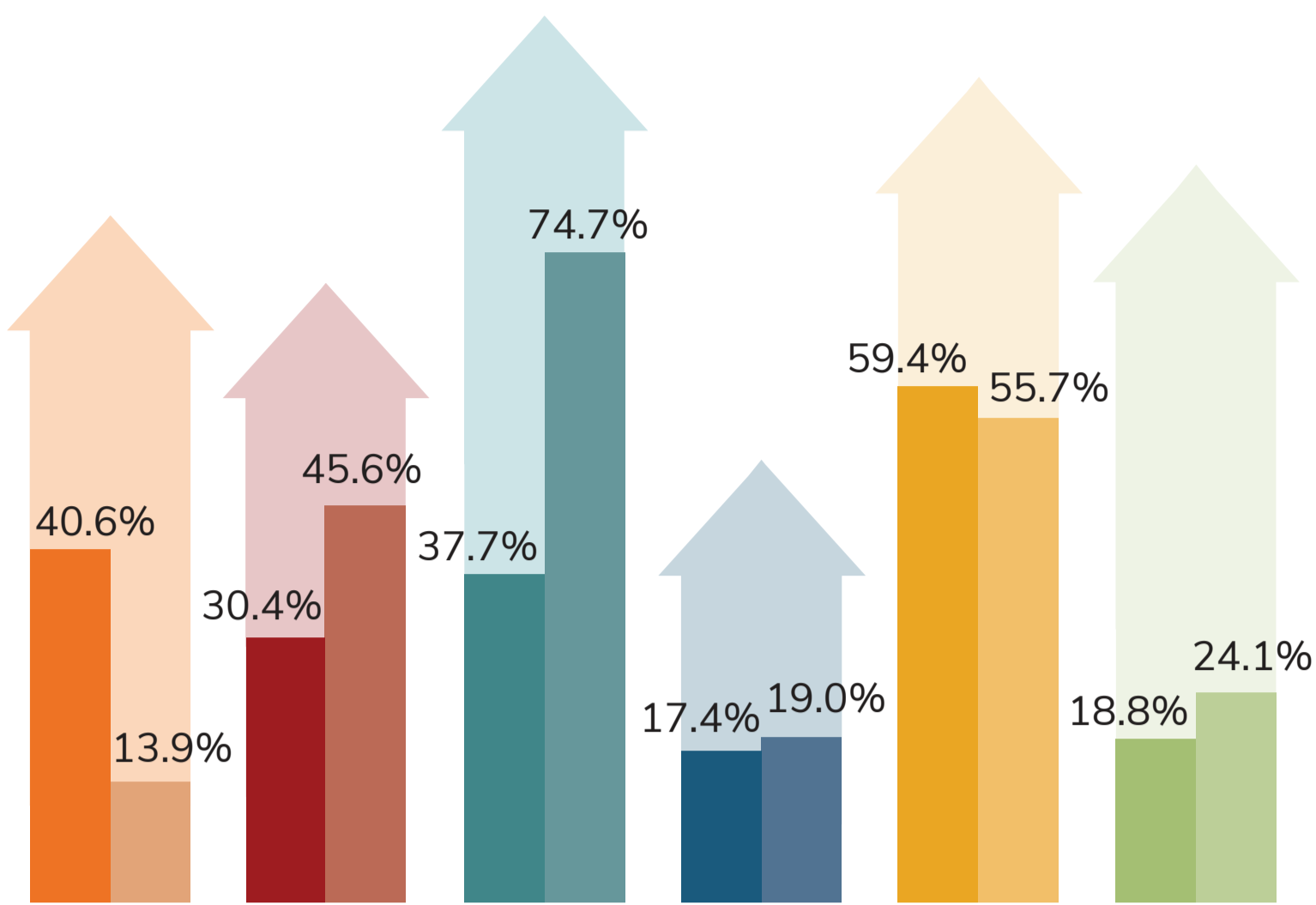


The MA DSRIP TA Program

The MA DSRIP TA Program was created by MassHealth, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts' Medicaid and Children's Health Insurance Program, to support and build the capacity of Accountable Care Organizations, Community Partners, and Community Service Agencies. The TA Program launched in September 2018 as part of a statewide effort to improve the health outcomes and experiences of MassHealth members. The information in this infographic reflects data through December 31, 2019.

TA Applications - How are ACOs and CPs thinking about TA resources to build strong, effective organizations?

The **darker bar** represents the proportion of ACO TA applications that seek to advance a particular Competency Area; the **lighter bar** represents the proportion of CP TA applications that seek to advance a particular Competency Area.



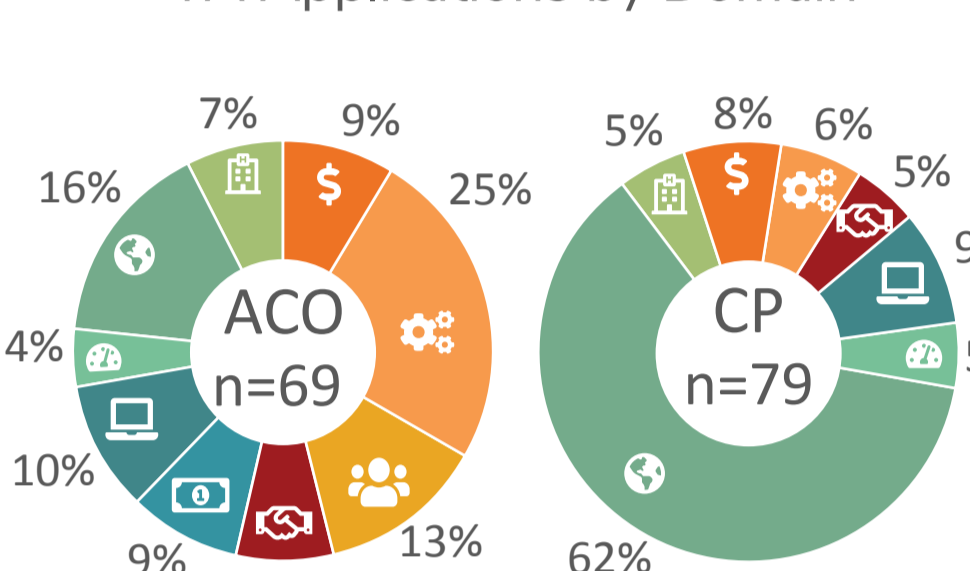
6 Competency Areas

- Respect, understand, and engage MassHealth members
- Honor, enlist, and develop provider and care team insights and capabilities
- Access, apply, and exchange data across all entities involved in MassHealth member wellness and care
- Develop and implement financial models that promote provider and staff buy-in and advance the achievement of quality benchmarks, appropriate utilization of care, and long-term organizational sustainability
- Provide coordinated care and/or complex care management that is highly responsive to MassHealth member needs and preferences
- Actively develop and maintain a foundation of, and disseminate up-to-date knowledge in all areas relevant to building and running a high performing, sustainable MassHealth ACO or CP

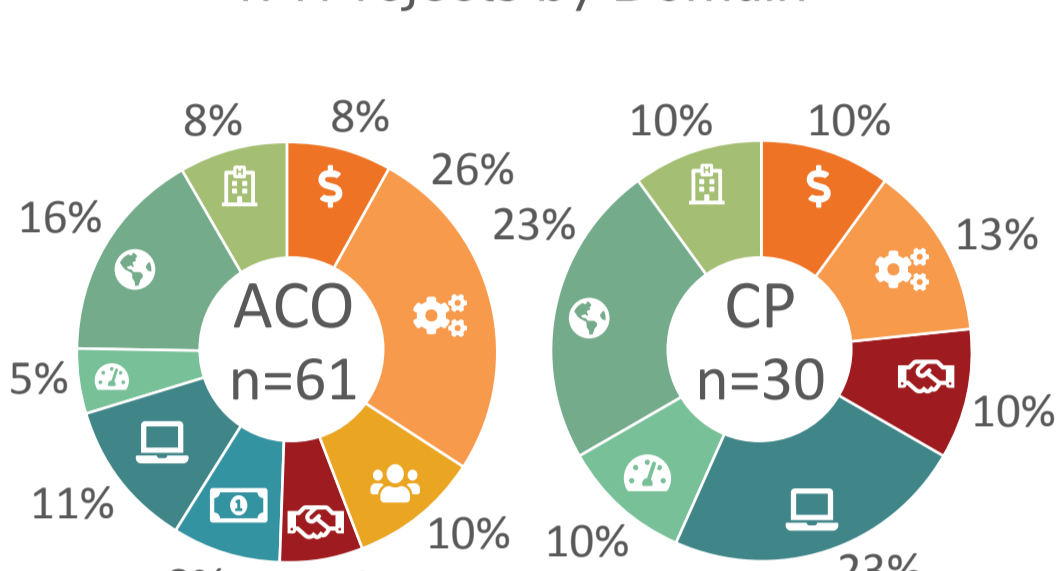
Competency Areas outline the key spaces within which ACOs and CPs should continually develop their capabilities in order to improve experience and health outcomes while lowering total cost of care for MassHealth members. A single TA project may build ACO or CP capabilities within multiple Competency Areas.

ACO and CP TA Projects

TA Applications by Domain



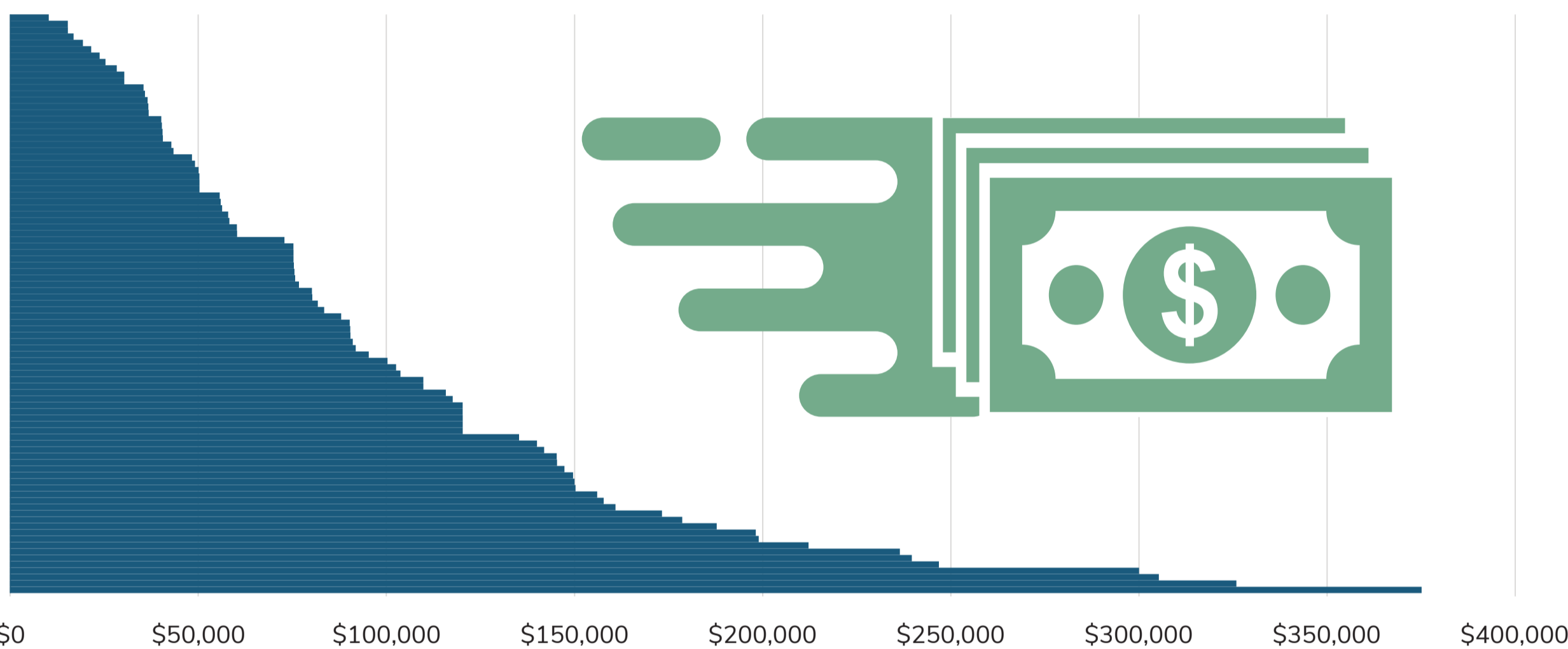
TA Projects by Domain



There are 9 TA Domains that reflect the areas of TA that MassHealth ACOs and CPs identified as TA priority areas during their first year of implementation. The difference in CP applications and CP projects in the Population Health Management TA Domain can be attributed to a single TA Vendor engaged in a joint TA project involving multiple CPs. Additional coordination time has been needed to finalize this large joint project.

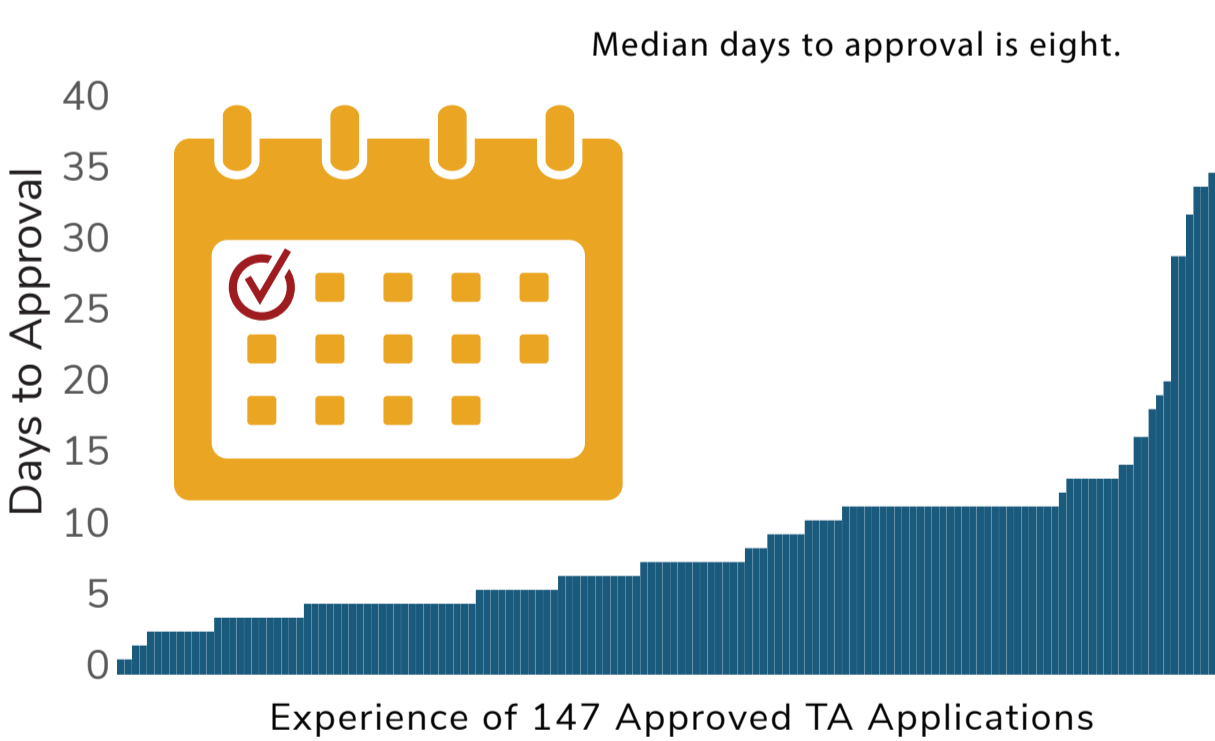
Total TA Card Funds Spent on TA Projects

ACO and CP TA projects range in size and scope, with the largest TA project budget at \$375,000 and the smallest at \$9,914. Total TA Cards funds spent on TA Projects through December 31, 2019 is \$9.2M; \$6.1M by ACOs and \$3.1M by CPs.



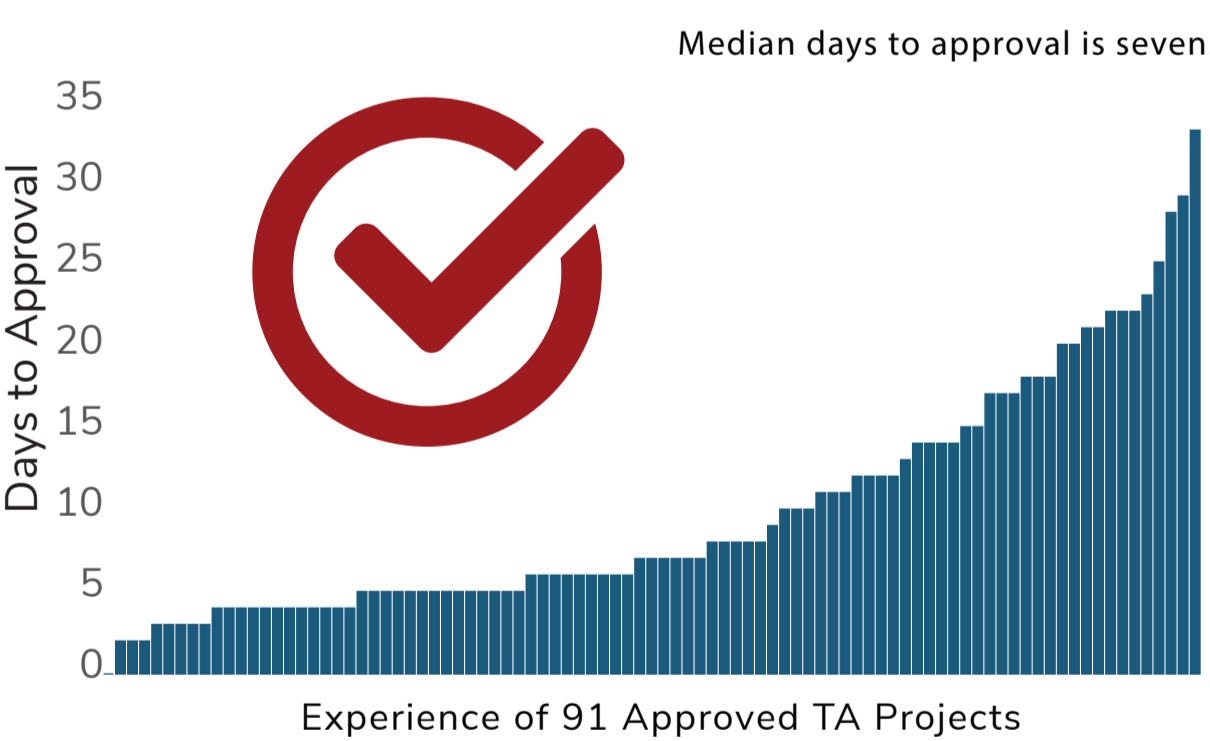
A Window Into the Process: TA Application Approval

ACOs and CPs submit a brief TA project application through the TA Marketplace to expedite approval. The number of TA applications includes 5 from ACOs for 2 joint TA projects and 54 from CPs for 11 joint TA projects. Joint TA projects have multiple ACOs and CPs that come together for a single TA project.



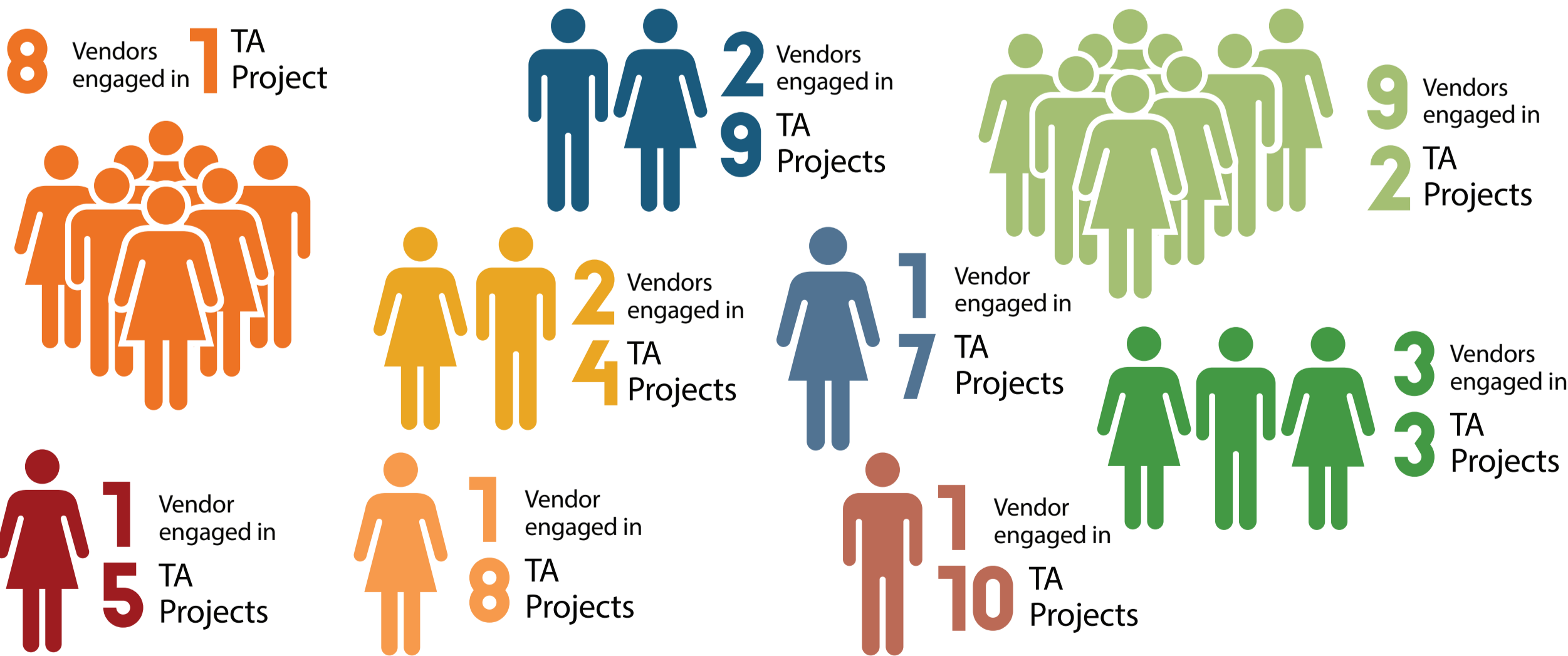
A Window Into the Process: SOW and Budget Approval

Once a TA project application is approved, the ACO or CP works with their preferred TA Vendor to develop a SOW and budget. Rapid review and approval takes place to ensure efficient project start-up.



Vendors Engaged in MA DSRIP TA Projects

Currently, 28 unique TA Vendors (59.6% of the TA Vendor catalog) are working on the 91 active TA projects with ACOs and CPs.



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- Recognize that basic needs always come before healthcare
- Focus on achieving health equity rather than reducing disparities
- Build trust through respect, dignity, and affirmation
- Improve screening to reduce the need to repeat personal or potentially stigmatizing information
- Help clients overcome financial, social, and logistical barriers to facilitate successful referrals and follow-up

