

Break-out Group Questions for Discussion

1. How should we define success in the new statewide cancer collaborative, and for each of the two initial initiatives (colorectal screening, breast cancer treatment)?
 - What metrics and tools should we use to measure success for both the collaborative and the initiatives?

2. What are the primary barriers that could limit success in addressing these initiatives in Louisiana, specifically:
 - Expanding colorectal cancer screening, particularly with regard to populations with high risk factors related to race/ethnicity, income, lifestyle and urban versus rural residence?

 - Defining standards of care for breast cancer treatment in Louisiana, specifically in securing adoption and reporting on these standards?

 - What approaches can we take to address and overcome racial and geographic disparities?

3. What can different stakeholders do to overcome these barriers?

4. What political, financial and operational resources do we need for a successful cancer collaborative? How can you and your organization support this statewide collaborative?