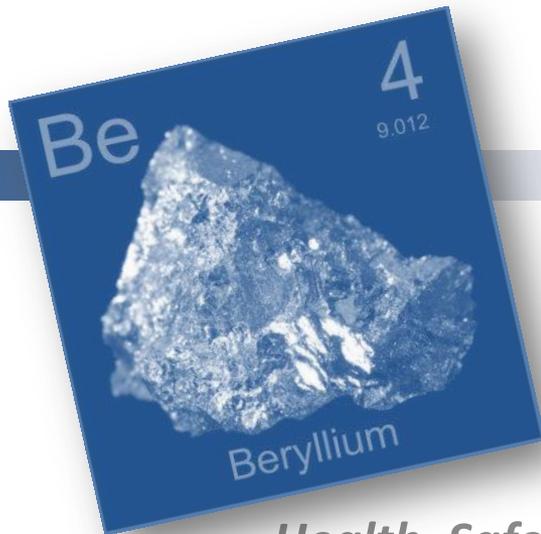


Update on the Hanford Site Chronic Beryllium Disease Prevention Program (CBDPP)



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Corrective Actions Summary

- Revise and implement facility characterization program
- Improve communications with workers and external stakeholders
- Enhance oversight of beryllium program implementation
- Strengthen work planning for beryllium jobs
- Provide broader counseling and assistance to affected workers

Independent Beryllium (Be) Oversight Team (IBOT)

- Established with two major functions:
 - Provide support to affected workers and enhance communications with workers and the BAG
 - Perform independent oversight of contractor implementation of the Corrective Action Plan (CAP) corrective actions and the CBDPP



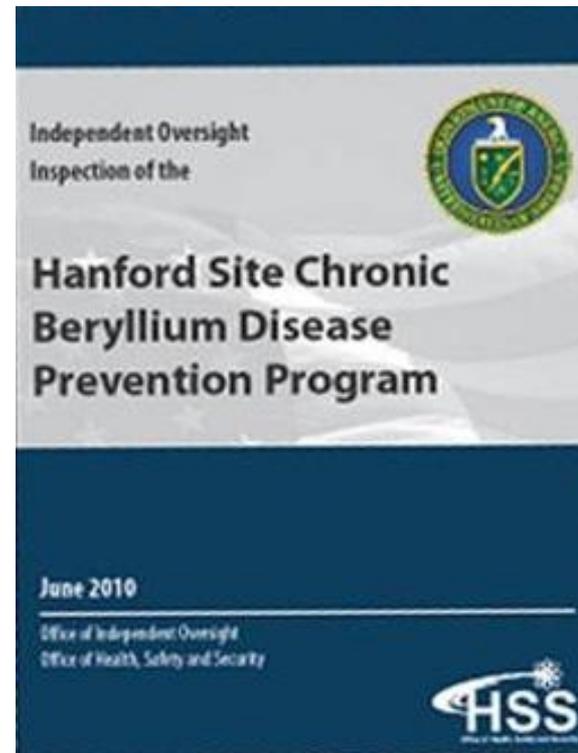
Corrective Action Plan (CAP)

Current Activities

- Deliverables being developed by contractors with involvement of Beryllium Awareness Group (BAG) and Hanford Atomic Metal Trades Council (HAMTC)
- IBOT serving as technical resource to BAG/HAMTC, monitoring implementation of interim and CAP actions, and providing assistance to affected workers regarding benefit program
- Developing a process for achieving closure on CAP actions in coordination with BAG/HAMTC
- Preparing a presentation on Be to be delivered by company presidents at all hands meetings
- Established an office for BAG and HAMTC to review CAP materials

CAP Status

- Virtually all 239 CAP actions are
 - underway
- 184 (77%) actions were due for
 - completion by January 5, 2011
- 110 actions (60%) are closed
- 74 actions remain open or have been returned to contactor for revision



Be Success Factors (In Priority Order)

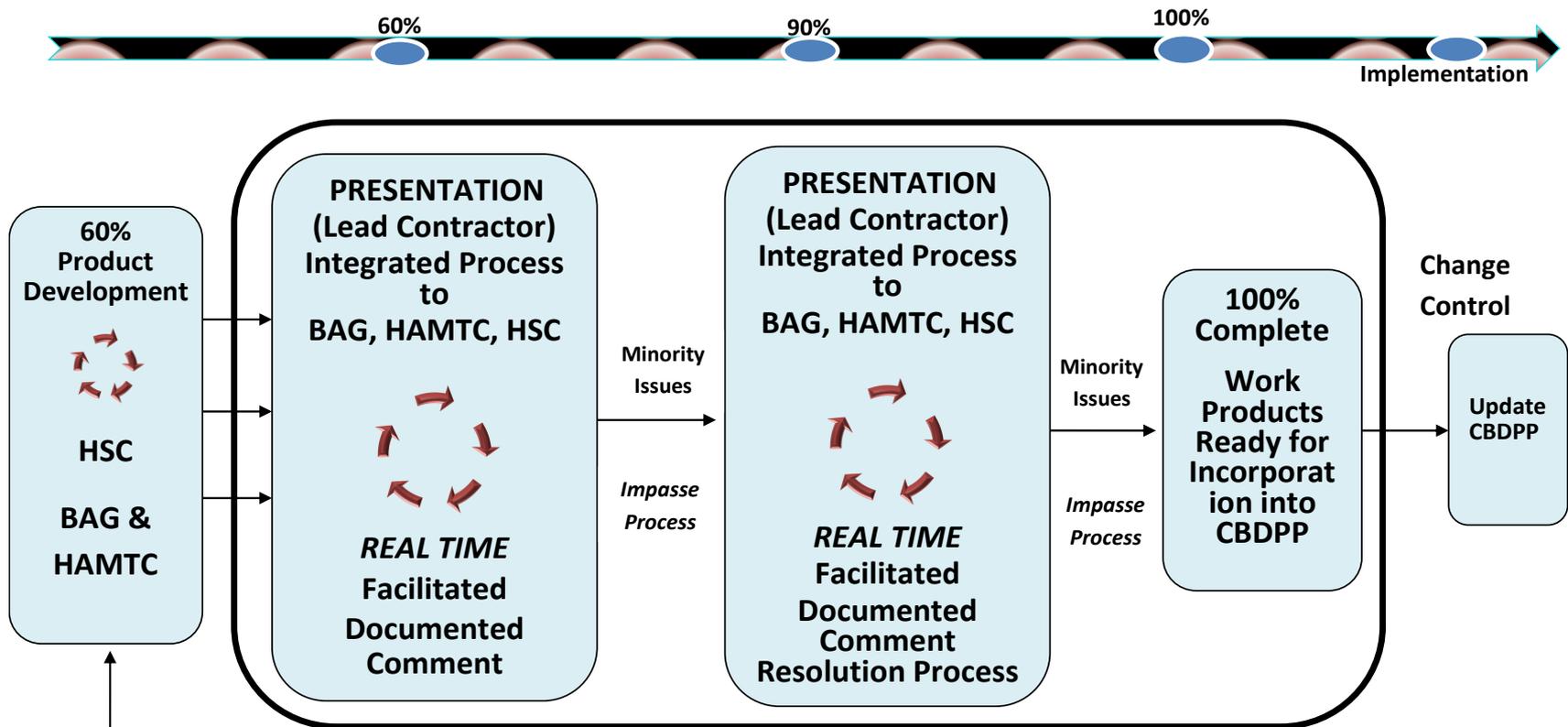
- Develop and implement a best-in-class Hanford Site Chronic Beryllium Disease Prevention Program (CBDPP) to ensure worker protection
- Reach consensus with the Beryllium Awareness Group, Hanford Atomic Metal Trades Council, and Site Contractors on new Hanford Site CBDPP
- Complete CAP actions from the HSS Review on time



Beryllium Corrective Action Program

New Systems Approach to Consensus

(Simplified Version)



Examples:

- Be Work Permit
- Facility Assessment
- Training
- Medical Monitoring

New Consensus Process

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