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Welcome

J. Michael Gower

Executive Vice President - Chief Financial Officer

University Treasurer

Today's Agenda

MAIN TOPICS

Welcome

Institutional Planning and Operations Update

Mid-Year Financial Report

Lease Administration

Project Management Office

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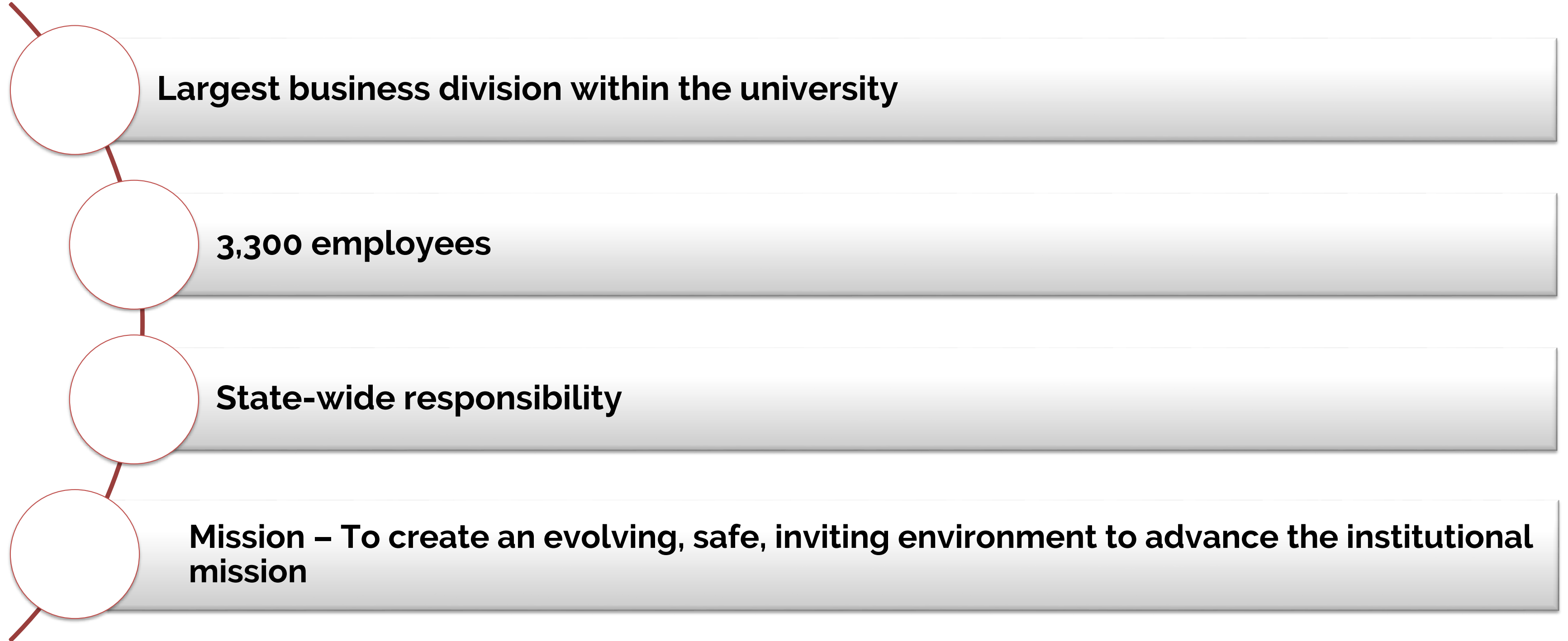
Institutional Planning and Operations

SUPPORTING TODAY, ENVISIONING TOMORROW

Henry Velez

Vice President, Institutional Planning and Operations

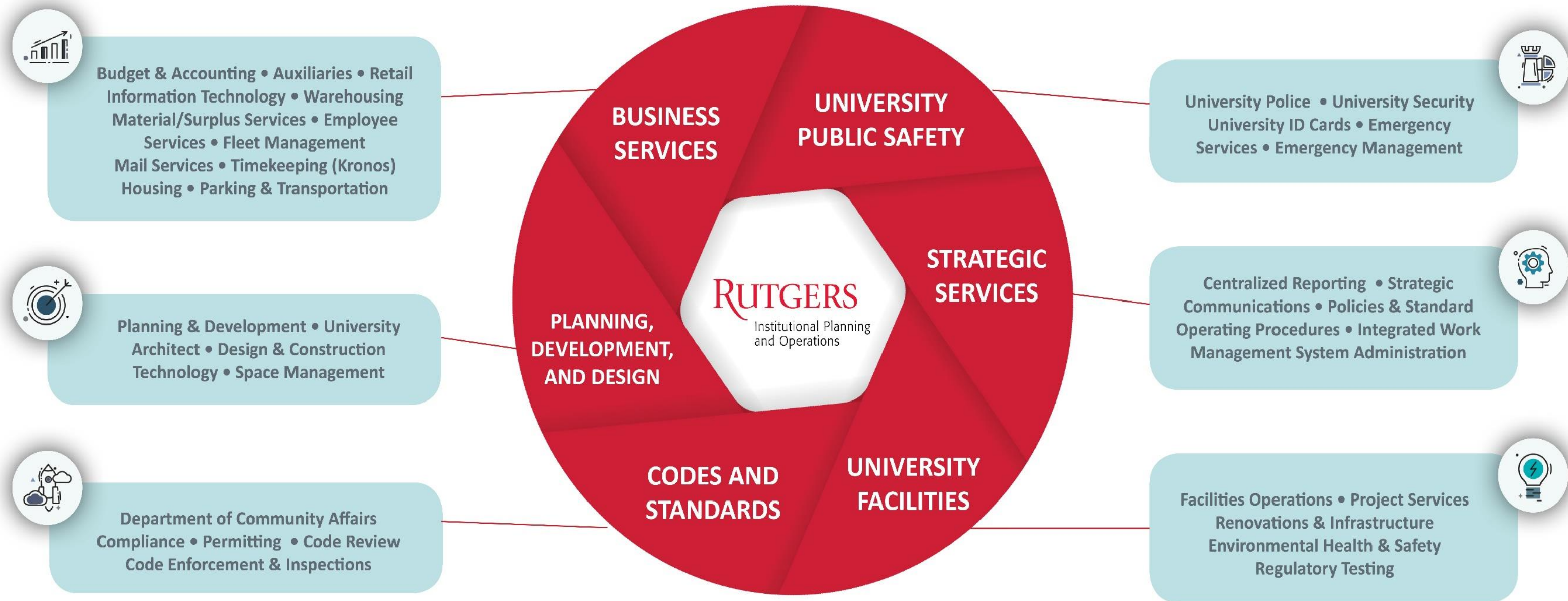
Overview



Overview

Six Functional Areas


Unite under a common purpose: Supporting Today, Envisioning Tomorrow



What We Do



What We Do



To learn more about Institutional Planning and Operations (IP&O), visit our website at <https://ipo.rutgers.edu/>

Our six functional areas Service Level
Agreements can be found at
<https://ipo.rutgers.edu/ipo-service-level-agreements>

Facts & Figures

MAIL SERVICES

Packages Delivered	477,376
Outgoing Metered Mail	2,208,100
Incoming Mail	1,993,003
Walk-up Customer Service	48,602

RECORDS MANAGEMENT

New Boxes Received	9,309
Records Request	4,768
File Returns	1,296
Flat Box/Barcode Label Request	9,980
Total Record Boxes in Storage	165,221

BUILDING & MAINTENANCE

Total Number of Buildings	979
Total Gross Square Footage	30,062,454
Total Acreage	6,163
Current Replacement Value	29,572,098,141
Current Deferred Maintenance Liability	4,827,754,621
Work Orders Addressed	103,275
Service Calls	59,413

TRANSPORTATION

Ridership	10,379,839
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Facts & Figures

UNIVERSITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

9-1-1 Emergency Calls	44,400
9-1-1 Text	239
Police Calls for Service	83,841
Police Incident Reports	3,509
Non-Emergency Calls	254,516
Alarm Signals	539,942
Computer Aided Dispatch	133,074
Protection of Minor Training Completed	6,544

EMERGENCY SERVICES

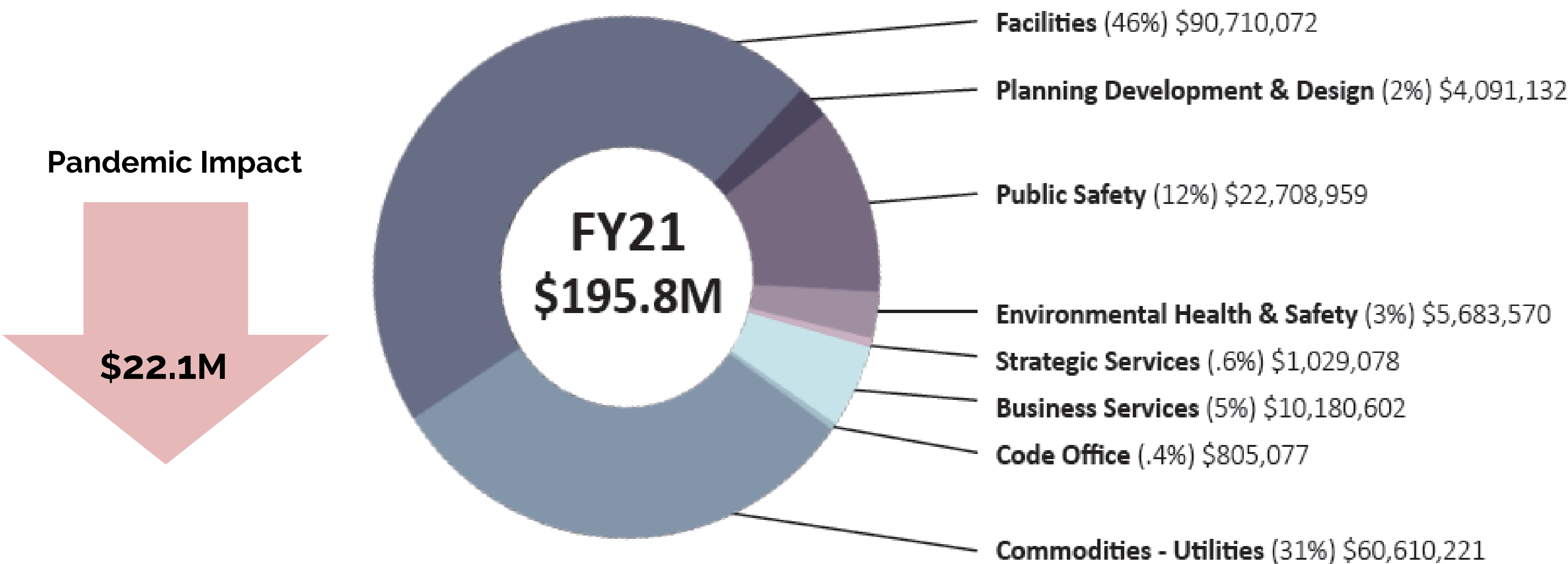
Emergency Responses	13,223
Emergency Medical Services	1,871
Psychiatric/Medical Incidents	233
Fire System Bureau Response	14,399
Fire Inspections	14,569
Defense Driving / CPR Training Completed	238
ESO Life Safety Inspections	4,381
Emergency Response Major Incidents	607

IDENTITY & ACCESS MANAGEMENT

Card Readers	5,131
Total ID Cards Printed	35,639
Photo Approvals	29,803
Add Access Request	25,023
Remove Access Request	27,823
Scheduling Request	4,255
Add Users to Database	349

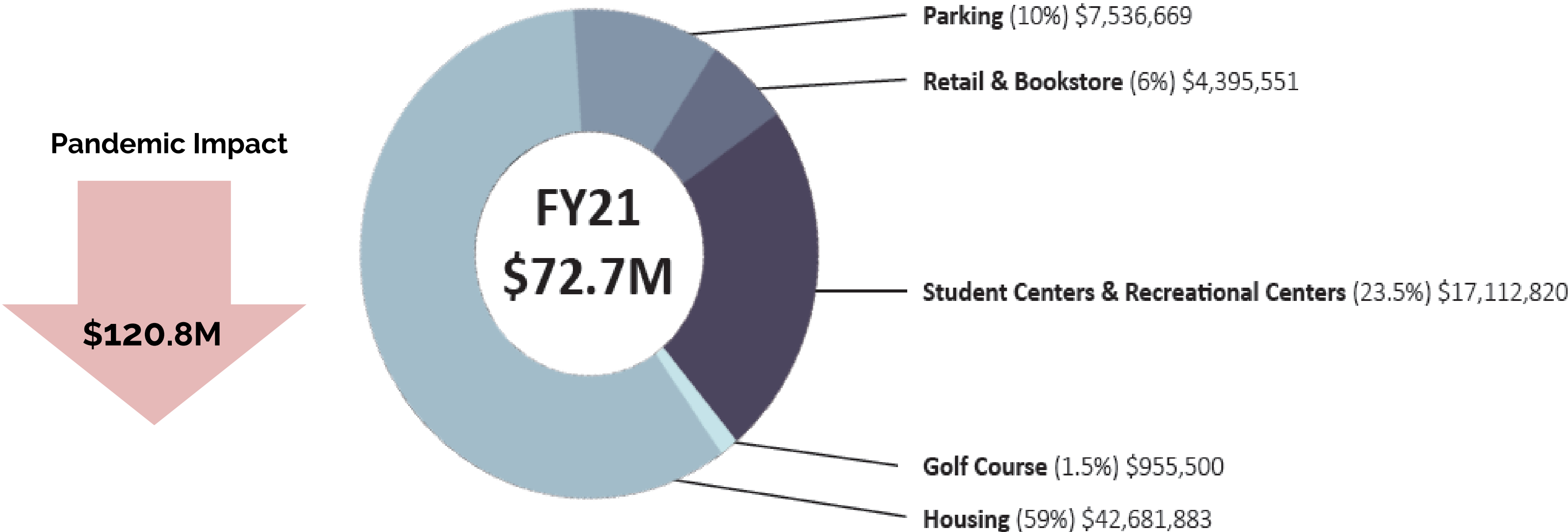
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COST CENTERS' BUDGET



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RESPONSIBILITY CENTERS' BUDGET



Preparing Our Buildings and Campuses

Communicating to Our Community

- Centralized and comprehensive COVID website
- *Return to Rutgers* document
- COVID dashboard
- Regular communications (many methods)
- Public Service Announcement videos
- Presentations and “road shows”

Protecting People

- Mandatory training
- Rutgers-provided face coverings
- Plexiglass barriers where separation is difficult
- Personal Protective Equipment stockpile/supply chain
- Employee screening app (My Campus Pass)
- Online COVID Observation Reporting Form
- COVID Alert NJ app

Preparing Our Buildings and Campuses

Population Control

- Prohibition of casual visitors
- Restriction on meetings
- Prohibition of events
- Restricted access to buildings
- Visitors' log

Social Distance

- Reduced occupancy/de-densification
- Distance/cue decals on floor
- Seat markers (Sit Here/Do Not Use)
- Social distance reminders (downloadable PDFs and table tent cards)

Preparing Our Buildings and Campuses

Occupancy Calculations

- Offices
- Academic settings
- Clinical settings
- Research facilities
- Residence halls
- Libraries and computer labs

Signage

- Building entrances (It's Up to Us)
- Circulation markers
- Stairs and elevators
- Restrooms
- Room occupancy limitations
- Exit Here/Enter Here

Preparing Our Buildings and Campuses

Sanitization

- Hand sanitizer stations at all common areas
- Frequent cleaning high-touch and common spaces
- Revised cleaning schedules and methods
- Disinfect wipes for fleet vehicles

Building Operations & Maintenance - Systems

- Flush plumbing systems
- Ensure proper operations – HVAC and controls systems
- Filter upgrades where appropriate
- Outside air increases where appropriate
- Ensure no high-density spaces in use

Preparing Our Buildings and Campuses

FAST

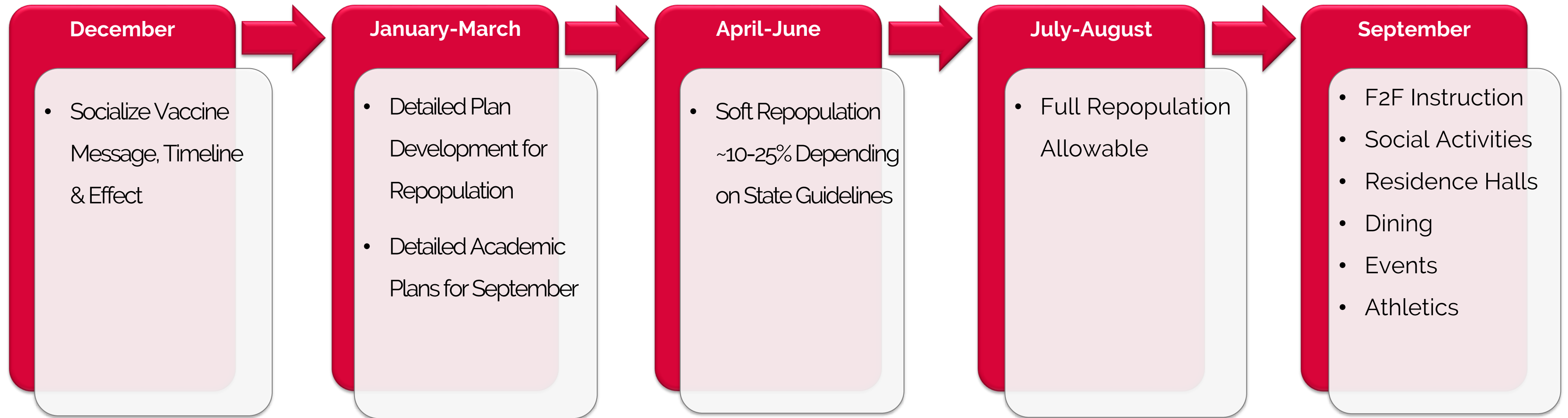
- Facilities Assessment Special Teams system established to assist units setup their work areas to meet R2R guidelines
- Materials and supplies for direct order and delivery from IP&O warehouse (access through the Marketplace portal)

Coordination with State

- Governor's Office
- Office of the Secretary of Higher Education
- Department of Health

Preparing Our Buildings and Campuses

PLANNING TIMELINE





***Return to Rutgers* Guidebook**

<https://coronavirus.rutgers.edu/returning-to-rutgers-guidebook/>

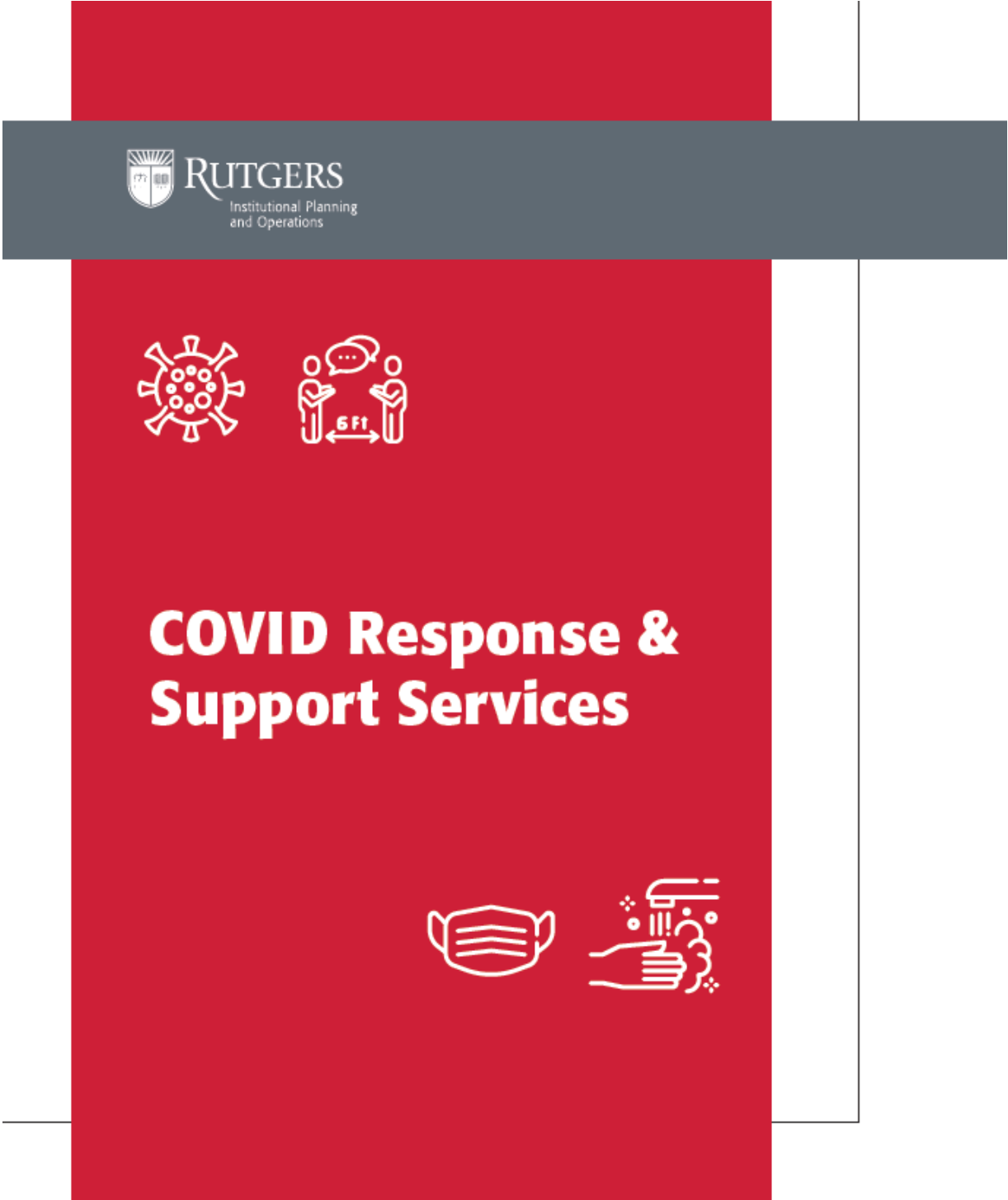
Developing and Creating Repopulation Plans – Quick Reference Guide

<https://ipo.rutgers.edu/sites/default/files/Our%20Path%20Forward.pdf>

Universitywide COVID-19 Website

<https://coronavirus.rutgers.edu/>

Supporting Our Community



SUPPORTING TODAY, ENVISIONING TOMORROW

Click the image to access the e-book

Supporting Our Community



Rutgers continues to place the highest priority on the health, safety and wellbeing of its faculty, staff and students, as well as the community. Rutgers Institutional Planning and Operations has kept the University operationally sound, safe and prepared during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Supporting Today, Envisioning Tomorrow



**WEAR A
FACE-COVERING**

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**WATCH YOUR
DISTANCE**



**WASH YOUR
HANDS**

FY 2021 Financial Report

THROUGH DECEMBER 2020

David Moore

Associate Vice President and Chief Budget Officer

FY 2021 Revenues – December Report

Dollars in thousands

	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021		
	Dec Actual vs Budget	Dec Actual vs Budget	Dec Actual vs Budget	Budget	Dec Actual	Dec Actual vs Budget
Revenue (Sources of Funds)						
1 Student Tuition and Fees	51.42%	51.92%	51.72%	1,284,807	669,002	52.07%
2 Federal and State Student Aid	50.56%	54.04%	51.34%	265,710	128,420	48.33%
3 Federal Appropriation	67.56%	55.73%	73.22%	7,324	2,811	38.38%
4 Allocated University Support	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
5 NJ State Appropriations	50.09%	49.95%	50.07%	437,032	220,749	50.51%
6 State Paid Fringe	48.13%	49.90%	50.38%	431,008	217,981	50.57%
7 Grants and Contracts	42.44%	43.52%	52.71%	528,965	321,585	60.80%
8 Facilities and Administrative Recoveries	52.13%	49.87%	51.71%	118,816	61,933	52.12%
9 Gift and Contribution Revenue	33.31%	49.22%	46.76%	38,104	20,999	55.11%
10 Endowment and Investment Income	30.74%	52.88%	44.76%	57,051	29,973	52.54%
11 Healthcare Revenue	46.82%	47.05%	48.83%	526,582	288,400	54.77%
12 Affiliated and Housestaff	48.90%	50.37%	46.12%	410,019	157,683	38.46%
13 Other Sources Revenue	54.52%	62.24%	53.07%	112,280	38,904	34.65%
14 Auxiliary Revenue	47.32%	53.10%	51.77%	102,807	18,824	18.31%
15 Total Revenue	48.51%	50.25%	50.64%	4,320,505	2,177,264	50.39%

Most revenue sources are on track with the established university budget and overall total except Auxiliary Enterprise which is behind due to fewer students choosing to live on campus while purchasing meal plans and parking permits.

FY 2021 Expenses – December Report

Dollars in thousands

		FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021		
		Dec Actual vs Budget	Dec Actual vs Budget	Dec Actual vs Budget	Budget	Dec Actual	Dec Actual vs Budget
Expense (Uses of Funds)							
16	Salaries and Wages	49.12%	49.63%	50.43%	2,194,421	1,092,378	49.78%
17	Fringe Benefits	46.90%	47.01%	46.36%	691,448	328,056	47.44%
18	Total Compensation	48.44%	48.98%	49.43%	2,885,869	1,420,435	49.22%
19	Supplies and Other	52.60%	48.10%	54.26%	249,984	106,523	42.61%
20	Scholarships and Fellowships	50.22%	50.98%	50.61%	455,943	217,834	47.78%
21	Travel	50.45%	51.03%	50.05%	36,328	3,580	9.85%
22	Plant Operation and Maintenance	48.30%	50.68%	51.48%	122,931	55,991	45.55%
23	Debt Service - Principal and Interest	38.53%	50.00%	49.92%	182,317	90,763	49.78%
24	Other Operating Expense	38.91%	55.31%	44.41%	250,939	116,314	46.35%
25	Professional Services	53.18%	49.64%	49.80%	269,675	124,388	46.12%
26	Total Expense	48.23%	49.59%	49.60%	4,453,986	2,135,827	47.95%

Most expense categories are trailing behind prior year actuals due to the overall effort to reduce discretionary spending while instituting an overall hiring freeze and halting new capital planning and associated spending.

Lease Administration

Project Overview & Update

Ernie DiSandro

Associate Vice President and University Controller

Lease Administration

BACKGROUND, SCOPE & APPROACH

Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB)

- Organization that establishes financial accounting and reporting standards for U.S., state, and local governments

GASB Statement No. 87, Leases (GASB 87)

- New standard on lease accounting, establishes single approach to accounting for and reporting leases
- All leases are categorized as financing
 - Lessee required to recognize liability; lessor required to recognize asset
- Will become effective on **July 1, 2021**

Scope & Approach

- University's Lease Portfolio – ~800 leases, ~2,500 assets
- Compliance with GASB 87
- Lease Management Program
- Lease Management & Accounting Solution and Processes

Project Management Office

Key Project Updates

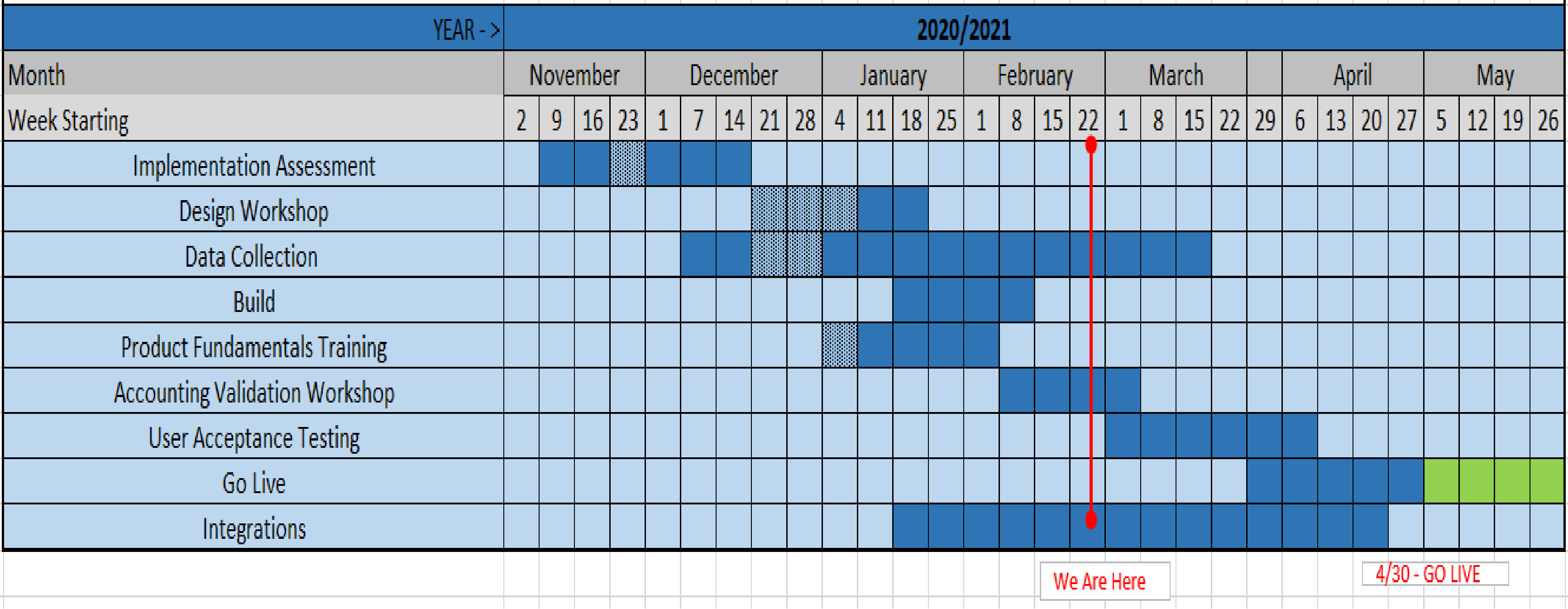
John Fahey

Associate Vice President, Project Management Office Executive

Lease Administration: Project Implementation

Component	Status	Comments
Project Team Formation	<i>Complete</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Controller's Office, Tax Services, Procurement Services, Institutional Planning & Operations, Real Estate (IP&O), Treasury, Office of Information Technology, UFA Project Management Office
Lease Identification	<i>Complete</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Real estate leases (lessee and lessor contracts)Non-real estate leases (office equipment, laboratory, other)
System Selection	<i>Complete</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Request for Proposal processLease Accelerator/EZ Lease Solutions
Data Abstraction	<i>In Progress</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Majority of leases abstractedReal estate vs. equipment approach
BPR & SOPs/Procedures	<i>In Progress</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Business process review completed; adjustments will be made, as neededUnits will develop standard operating procedures, processes as we near implementation
System Implementation	<i>In Progress</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Design workshops completedAccounting validationConfiguration and integrationsTestingTimeline (see next slide)
Change Management	<i>In Progress</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">See next slide

Lease Administration: System Implementation Timeline



Lease Administration

ENGAGEMENT (CHANGE MANAGEMENT, COMMUNICATIONS, & TRAINING)

Activities to Date

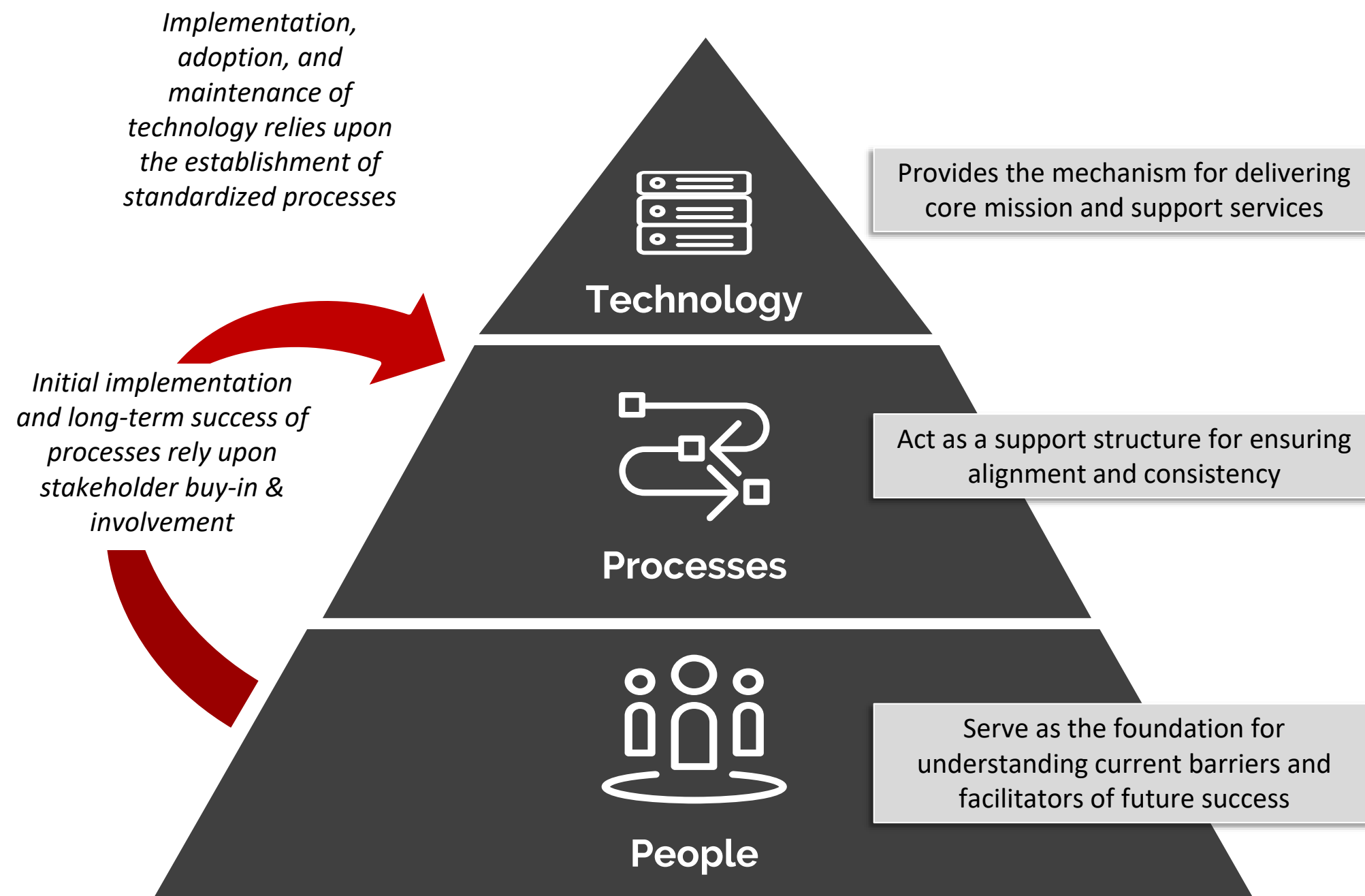
- Communication to finance leadership community (Jul. 27, 2020)
- Online and face-to-face training for project team on lease abstraction, embedded lease identification, lease administration system (ongoing)

Future Activities

- Communication to finance leadership community (early-mid March)
- Change management plan
 - Chancellor-led and central units
 - End-user impact – reinforce multi-line purchase order set up; collaboration among units, Real Estate and Procurement Services on lease contract changes; inform Procurement Services of equipment deliveries, returns, end of term decision, physical audit of lease equipment, etc.
 - Reporting post-launch (Apr. 30, 2021)

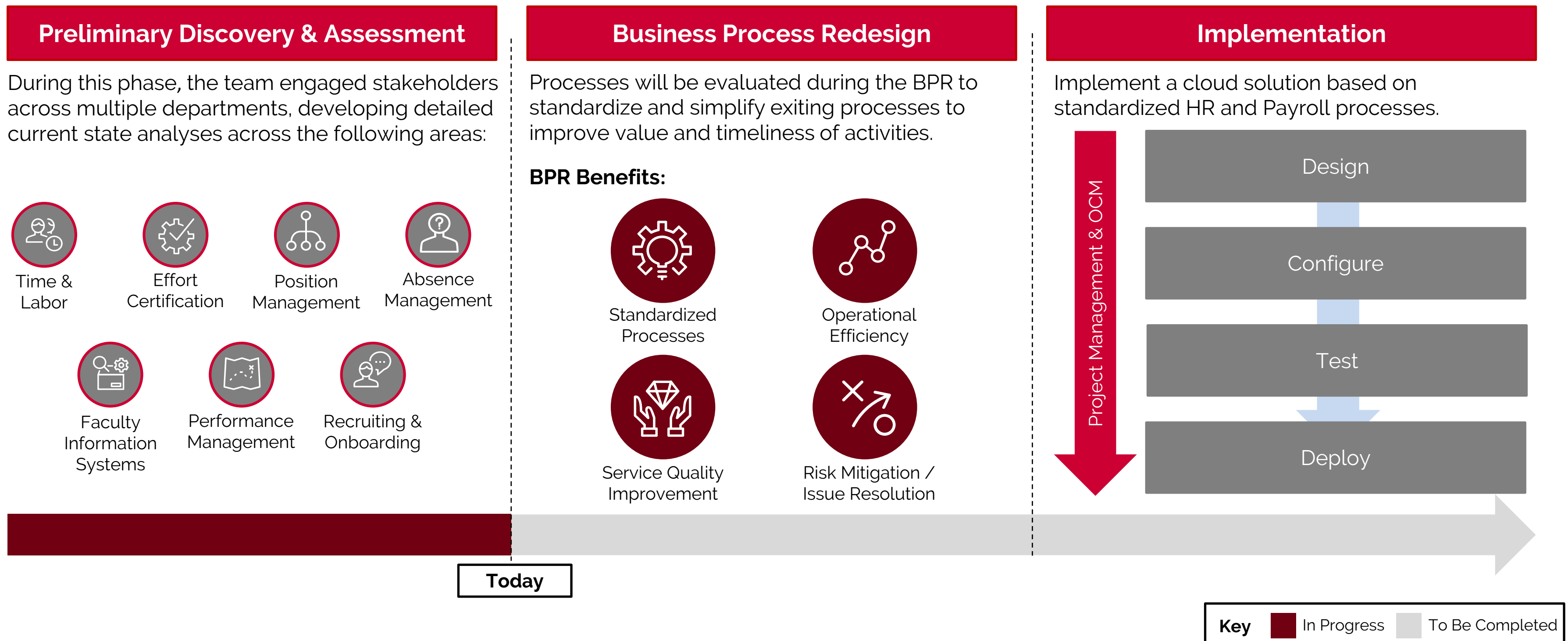
Human Capital Management (HCM)

The implementation consists of reviewing people, process, and technology within Human Resources and Payroll across Rutgers University.



Where Are We Now?

The project team has started discovery and is assessing business process redesign



Next Steps

1

Gain alignment on
BPR next steps with
the HCM Executive
Committee

2

Conduct HR & Payroll
Business Process
Redesign

3

Begin system
implementation by
kicking off design

Chart of Accounts: Vision

CoA PHASE 2

Simple

Each segment will have a single purpose, streamlining process, reporting and usability.

Efficient

The simplicity of the new chart allows the user to spend more time analyzing and less time reconciling.

Enduring

The new chart structure aligns with HR and financial system now and the foreseeable future.

Design a simple, efficient, and enduring chart of accounts that aligns with the organizational structure and addresses business needs.

What benefits will we gain?

- **Streamlined department segment** that represents the actual organizational structure used in financial and human resources systems
- More **consistent and robust** financial reporting across the university
- **Enhanced** transaction management and tracking capability
- **Simplified and standardized** project accounting

How are we doing it?

Collaborate: Gather input from Chancellor and central administration units to ensure the proposed changes meet the university's needs

Refine: Validate the chart mapping, reconcile data, and pinpoint unit training needs

Socialize: Open lines of communication and feedback to provide project updates and include unit leadership for local/intra-unit information exchange

When are we doing it?

Fall 2020 – Kick-off planning, engage universitywide financial community to validate the proposed design

Spring 2021 – Conduct conference room pilot

Fall 2021 – Begin pre-deployment testing

July 2022 – Target for implementing the new chart

Why are we doing it?



Reduce complexity and optimize the university community's experience



Eliminate unnecessary cross validation rules, duplications, and data entry errors



Improve upon previous chart enhancements and prepare the university for the future

What Are We Doing?

Current CoA Structure									
Unit*	Division	Organization	Location	Fund Type**	Business Line	Account	Activity	IntraUnit	Future Use
(3)	(4)	(4)	(4)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(4)	(3)	(5)

* Primary Balancing Segment

** Secondary Balancing Segment

Future CoA Structure (Proposed)									
Unit*	Department	Program	Future Use2	Fund Type**	Expense Class	Account	Initiative	IntraUnit	Future Use
(3)	(4)	(4)	(4)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(4)	(3)	(5)

The chart of accounts structure will not change.

- Four segments will be repurposed
- Five segments will have no material changes
- Location segment will most likely change to Future Use

Where Are We Now?

PROJECT SETUP

- Created the project team and infrastructure
- Established and engaged the governance teams
- Established the engagement teams and processes

CHART OF ACCOUNTS DESIGN AND PROTOTYPE

- Defined the proposed implementation approach
- Confirmed the chart of accounts high-level design proposal
- Configured and tested prototype instance w/ Enterprise Data Management Cloud Service (EDMCS)
- Developed and started socializing the proposed conversion scope

ENGAGEMENT

- Held campus and central Chief Business Officer kickoff meetings
- Engaged the integration partners and third-party vendors

Where Are We Going?

Stakeholder Design Meetings

☐ **Complete stakeholder design meetings**

- Invitations will be sent the coming weeks
- Focus will be on department listings developed during 2018 project
- Validate approach for location usage through examples
- Introduction to program and initiative usage

CoA Phase 2 Design Scope and Approach

☐ **Deploy EDMCS mapping tool that stakeholders will use to validate new values, mappings**

- This will enable areas to modify and validate mappings

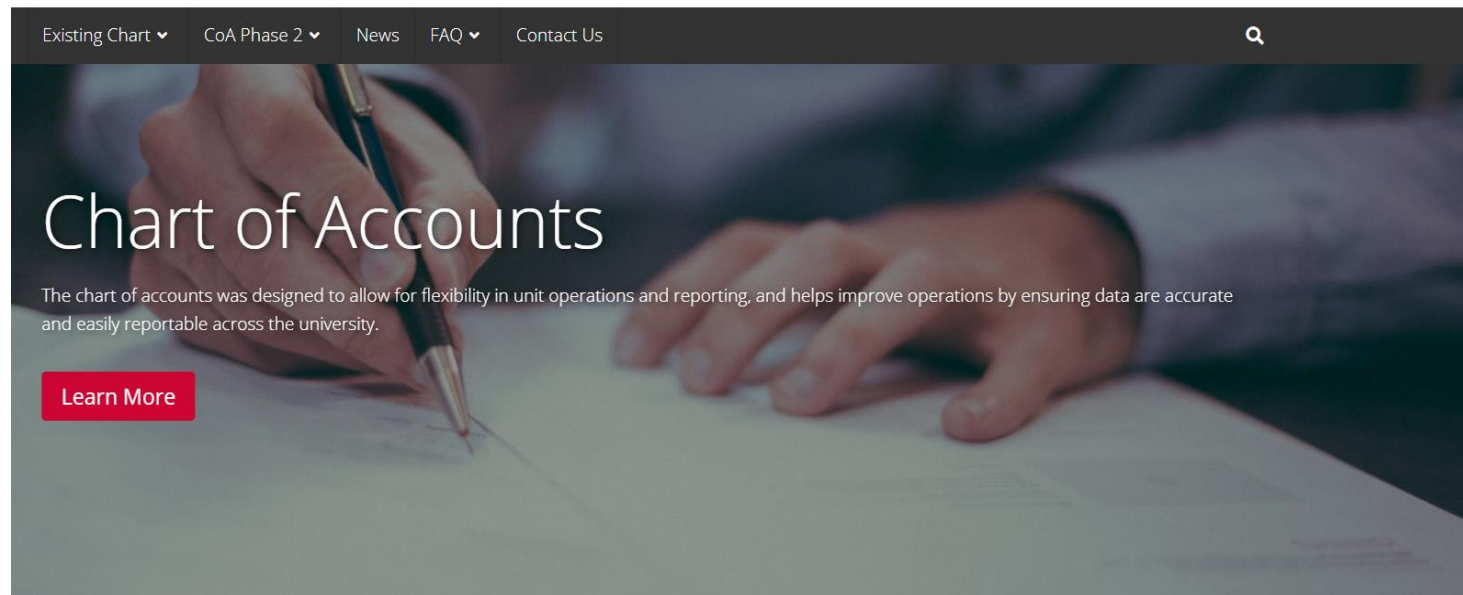
☐ **Confirm conversion scope and approach**

- Includes confirmation of how non-converted data will be made available

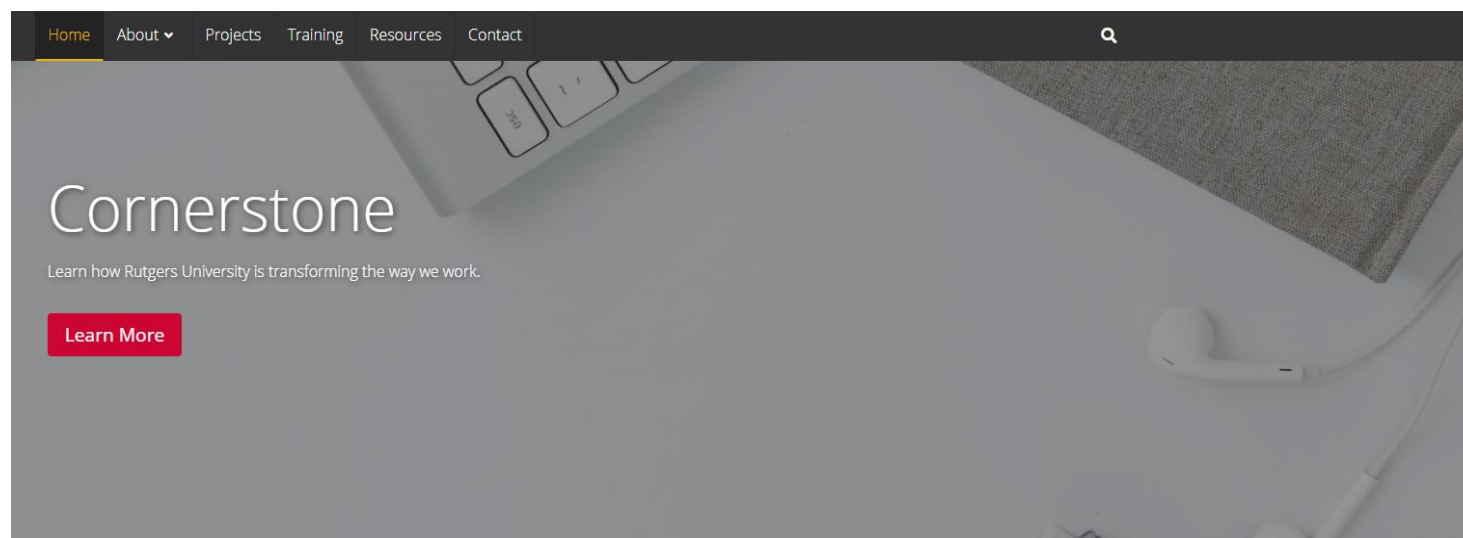
☐ **Complete internal and external system and process impact analysis**

☐ **Complete detailed design, including cross-validation rules**

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