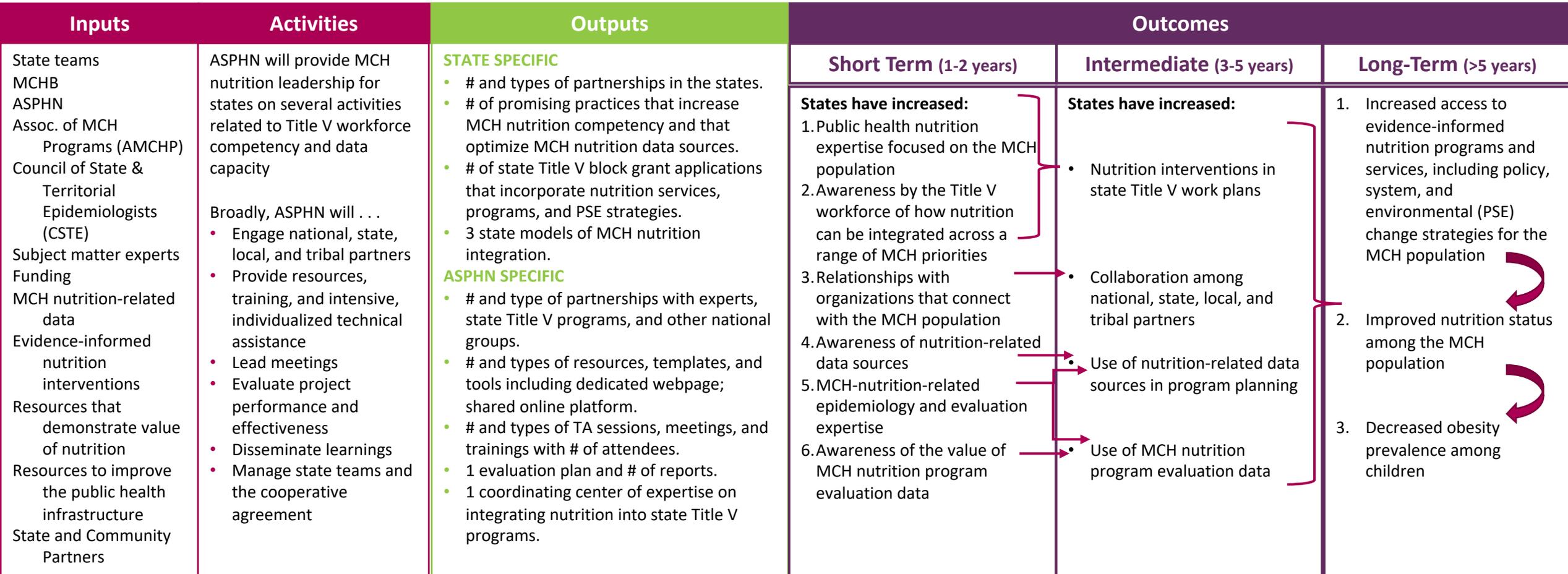


Project Goals:

- (1) Build the capacity of state Title V programs to integrate nutrition.
- (2) Increase the MCH nutrition competency of the state Title V workforce (workforce competency)
- (3) Optimize MCH nutrition-related data sources for effective program planning (data capacity)

Project Target Audiences

- State Title V programs
- Stakeholders in state and local organizations



Assumptions:

- (1) Across the country, state title V programs lack critically important nutrition infrastructure and expertise.
- (2) Improving Title V workforce competency and MCH nutrition data evidence capacity will ultimately improve the MCH population health.
- (3) Participating states in this project will build on lessons learned and formative work from the Children's Healthy Weight CoIIN.
- (4) The first step to building capacity of a state Title V program to integrate nutrition is to complete a statewide nutrition needs assessment.
- (5) By September 2020, life will return to something like what it was before the COVID-19 pandemic started.

