Presentation Title	Place in Schedule
How to Build a Sustainable Employer Wellness	Concurrent Session 2.5
Training Using Quality Improvement Tools,	Day 2 – Wednesday
Partnerships and Collaborations	May 9 <sup>h</sup> , 2018
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Description of Presentation	Presenter Name(s) And Credentials
Health departments support partnerships and community	Sherry Haskins, MPA
coalitions to improve the quality of health	Maricopa County Department of
initiatives including employee and community health.	Public Health
This session is designed to increase awareness of	Tuone meann
the resources state and local public health departments	
provide to help employers implement evidencebased	
worksite wellness initiatives. Participants will learn the	
about the three key quality improvement	
elements implemented in the Healthy Arizona Worksite	
Program (HAWP) to map a path to excellence.	
In this session, participants will learn how to (1) access	
fully-funded public health training and resources	
that are available to help employers successfully create a	
culture of wellness (2) identify the elements of	
strategic planning, (3) improve data analysis for decision	
making and (4) build the components of strong	
partnerships to support sustainability and continuous	
quality improvement within worksite wellness	
programs.	
The Healthy Arizona Worksites Program (HAWP) took	
three years to gain traction and become a	
recognized brand within the State. With the recent	
growth of the program came new challenges; many	
new team members working across programs with	
competing priorities and communication styles, a	
large volume of employers' data, and the need to become	
a one-stop shop for small employers looking	
for support, resources and training. Recognizing the	
program was evolving, leadership requested support	
from the County Public Health Office of Quality	
Improvement. Key quality improvement elements were	
implemented to move the program to excellence and	
ready for growth and change.	
HAWP worked with public health internal and external	
resources to develop:	
· a strategic plan, including a logic model, process maps,	
and team capacity building	
· a database to capture and analyze data	

• partnerships with the CDC/Johns Hopkins University
Workplace Health Resource Center Technical
Assistance Project, Arizona State University Center for
Mindfulness, Compassion and Resilience and the
University of Arizona Western Regional Training Center
to gain expertise and resource availability.