





1. What grade would you give Connecticut for progress toward reform overall? Consider both private and public efforts.

		Response Percent	Response Count
A		0.0%	0
B		41.9%	13
C		32.3%	10
D		19.4%	6
F		3.2%	1
Don't know		3.2%	1
answered question			31
skipped question			0




2. How is Connecticut performing in these areas of reform?

	A	B	C	D	F	Don't know	Response Count
Medicaid	0.0% (0)	41.4% (12)	31.0% (9)	3.4% (1)	6.9% (2)	17.2% (5)	29
Patient-centered medical homes	0.0% (0)	55.2% (16)	31.0% (9)	6.9% (2)	3.4% (1)	3.4% (1)	29
Health Insurance Exchange	0.0% (0)	39.3% (11)	25.0% (7)	28.6% (8)	3.6% (1)	3.6% (1)	28
Health insurance market reform	0.0% (0)	25.0% (7)	32.1% (9)	25.0% (7)	10.7% (3)	7.1% (2)	28
Health information technology	0.0% (0)	14.3% (4)	50.0% (14)	17.9% (5)	3.6% (1)	14.3% (4)	28
Payment reform and quality improvement	3.7% (1)	25.9% (7)	33.3% (9)	25.9% (7)	7.4% (2)	3.7% (1)	27
Health care workforce	0.0% (0)	22.2% (6)	48.1% (13)	22.2% (6)	0.0% (0)	7.4% (2)	27
Engaging consumers in policymaking	3.6% (1)	21.4% (6)	25.0% (7)	32.1% (9)	14.3% (4)	3.6% (1)	28
Wellness	3.6% (1)	21.4% (6)	42.9% (12)	10.7% (3)	7.1% (2)	14.3% (4)	28
Public education	3.6% (1)	7.1% (2)	42.9% (12)	35.7% (10)	3.6% (1)	7.1% (2)	28
Data-based policymaking	0.0% (0)	21.4% (6)	32.1% (9)	17.9% (5)	10.7% (3)	17.9% (5)	28
answered question							29
skipped question							2

3. What grade does Connecticut get for effort?

		Response Percent	Response Count
A		3.4%	1
B		48.3%	14
C		27.6%	8
D		20.7%	6
F		0.0%	0
Don't know		0.0%	0
answered question			29
skipped question			2

4. What two or three suggestions do you have to improve Connecticut's progress?

		Response Percent	Response Count
1.		100.0%	24
2.		91.7%	22
3.		62.5%	15
answered question			24
skipped question			7

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1	Congratulations to CSMS for approval of the CO Op money	Jun 8, 2012 2:40 PM
2	Focus on what will work	Jun 6, 2012 4:32 PM
3	have legislators and administration be open and honest in working together to move reform forward	Jun 5, 2012 12:38 AM
4	involve consumers in a iable way in every aspect of decision making	Jun 4, 2012 11:09 PM
5	As quickly as possible hire senior leadership for the exchange	Jun 4, 2012 8:32 PM
6	Need for clients to "opt-in".....not opt=out!	Jun 4, 2012 6:44 PM
7	Adopt a comprehensive plan that will achieve genuine structural reform	Jun 4, 2012 3:08 PM
8	engagement of high level administration officials	Jun 4, 2012 2:29 PM
9	Improve Medicaid provider reimbursement rates with quality metrics req'd.	Jun 4, 2012 2:28 PM
10	Add REAL Consumer voices to the Exchange board	Jun 4, 2012 1:55 PM
11	Work Force shortages/retraining must be addressed	Jun 4, 2012 1:47 PM
12	greater outreach to the community, including providers and patients	Jun 4, 2012 1:33 PM
13	Enlarge exchange board to include more consumers	May 31, 2012 12:11 PM
14	Shift attention from insurer profit to insurer provider payment reform.	May 30, 2012 1:41 PM
15	Complete work on the Basic Health plan	May 29, 2012 4:58 PM
16	Improve collaboration between all stakeholders	May 29, 2012 2:17 PM
17	Expand Medical Home recognition programs	May 29, 2012 2:08 PM
18	Improve Medicaid payments	May 29, 2012 1:36 PM
19	consumer Representation on Exchange	May 24, 2012 9:57 AM
20	Forge new health care reform with legislators as leaders	May 23, 2012 8:16 PM
21	more focus on prevention, community-based care	May 23, 2012 4:01 PM
22	Put consumers on the exchange board, not just ex-CEOs	May 23, 2012 3:44 PM
23	Senior Citizen Programs - get more info out to them	May 23, 2012 3:40 PM
24	Use data and best practices in policymaking	May 23, 2012 3:31 PM

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1	invest in clinics to serve residents, similar to Fed Qualified Clinics	Jun 8, 2012 2:40 PM
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2	Lower rhetoric and name-calling	Jun 6, 2012 4:32 PM
3	have providers held more accountable with appropriate accountability measures tied to reward incentives`	Jun 5, 2012 12:38 AM
4	decisions are often made based on what CMS or someone else dictates should happen. We need to do what we are instructed to do but we should also be progressive and take on pieces we know will advance the health and well being of the public	Jun 4, 2012 11:09 PM
5	As quickly as possible begin to formulate operating policy for the exchange	Jun 4, 2012 8:32 PM
6	More emphasis on client-centered clinics	Jun 4, 2012 6:44 PM
7	Infuse decision-making structures with representatives of consumers and non-self interested groups	Jun 4, 2012 3:08 PM
8	too many parallel, uncoordinated efforts	Jun 4, 2012 2:29 PM
9	Add consumer representation to Exchange Board	Jun 4, 2012 2:28 PM
10	Stop making decisions based on insurance company profits	Jun 4, 2012 1:55 PM
11	Closer coordination between public/private payers	Jun 4, 2012 1:47 PM
12	less competition of ideas and approaches and more working together	Jun 4, 2012 1:33 PM
13	Open state plan to small businesses	May 31, 2012 12:11 PM
14	Convene a meeting of the thought leaders with a professional facilitator to prioritize efforts.	May 30, 2012 1:41 PM
15	Move quickly to setup infrastructure for the exchanges	May 29, 2012 4:58 PM
16	Look to successes in other states and build on those	May 29, 2012 2:17 PM
17	Involve Employers in the "pay for value" vs. "leverage" discussion	May 29, 2012 2:08 PM
18	Improve Medicaid dental coverage	May 29, 2012 1:36 PM
19	Micro to small business representation on Exchange	May 24, 2012 9:57 AM
20	basic health plan	May 23, 2012 8:16 PM
22	Push prevention	May 23, 2012 3:44 PM
24	include consumers in all policymaking	May 23, 2012 3:31 PM
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2	Trust those implementing change	Jun 6, 2012 4:32 PM
3	have the state invest in technology to incentivize private sector to do same	Jun 5, 2012 12:38 AM

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4	Focus on prevention strategies and make a projected cost savings argument. We put bandages on sickness in the same way we throw good money after bad money.	Jun 4, 2012 11:09 PM
5	Develop a means to adequately fund Medicaid	Jun 4, 2012 8:32 PM
8	consumer input and participation	Jun 4, 2012 2:29 PM
9	Create and fund payment reform/quality pilot programs	Jun 4, 2012 2:28 PM
10	Ensure that the exchange has a not for profit option - public option	Jun 4, 2012 1:55 PM
12	faster movement	Jun 4, 2012 1:33 PM
13	Offer a public or non-profit option plan thru exchange	May 31, 2012 12:11 PM
17	Increase consumer awareness and health literacy to help them make more informed choices.	May 29, 2012 2:08 PM
18	Ensure coverage for chronic conditions and care needed to maintain one's condition or slow deterioration	May 29, 2012 1:36 PM
19	Stronger connections to public health/stonger public health structure	May 24, 2012 9:57 AM
20	Reconsider sustinet plan	May 23, 2012 8:16 PM
22	Go toward non-profit insurers	May 23, 2012 3:44 PM
24	engage CT experts in the process; CT has great resources and people that are not being tapped; this is a big job, we need everyone's help	May 23, 2012 3:31 PM