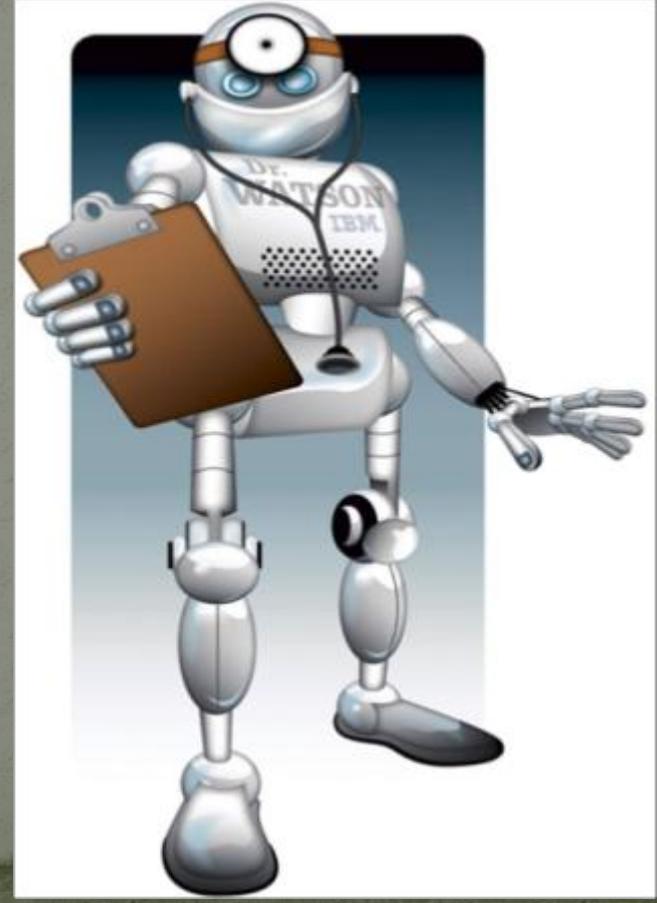
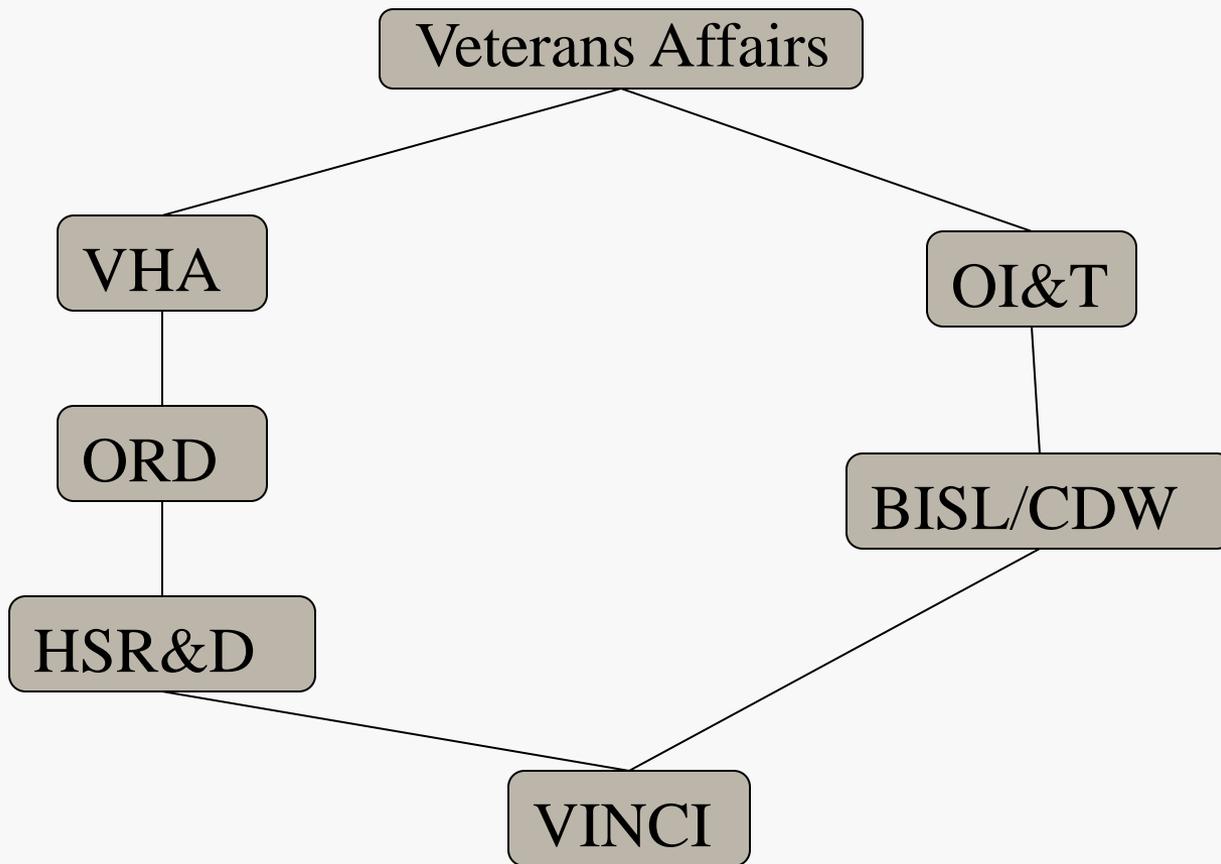


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VA Informatics and Computing Infrastructure VINCI Organization





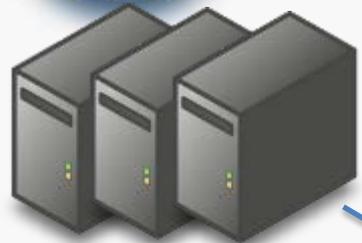
A Research / IT Partnership

- Establish a National Research Infrastructure
- Develop New Data Privacy & Security Capabilities
- Develop Remote Analysis Capability
- Prepare for Future Data Capabilities
- Partner With Other VA and Non-VA Entities

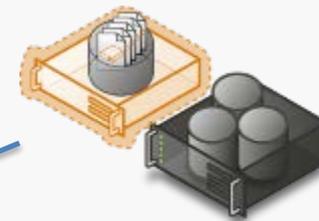
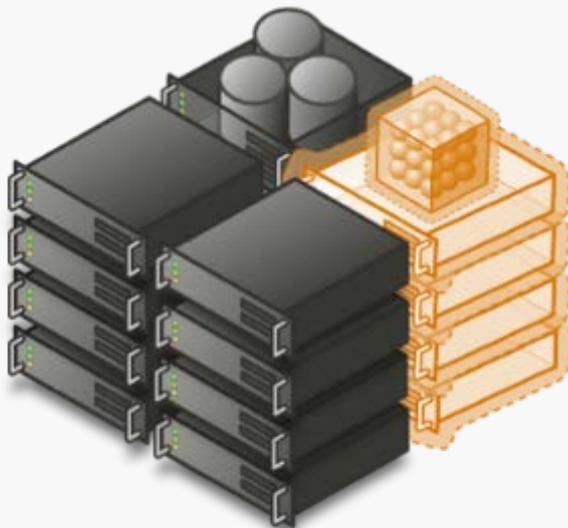




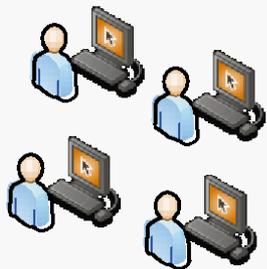
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Corporate Data Warehouse



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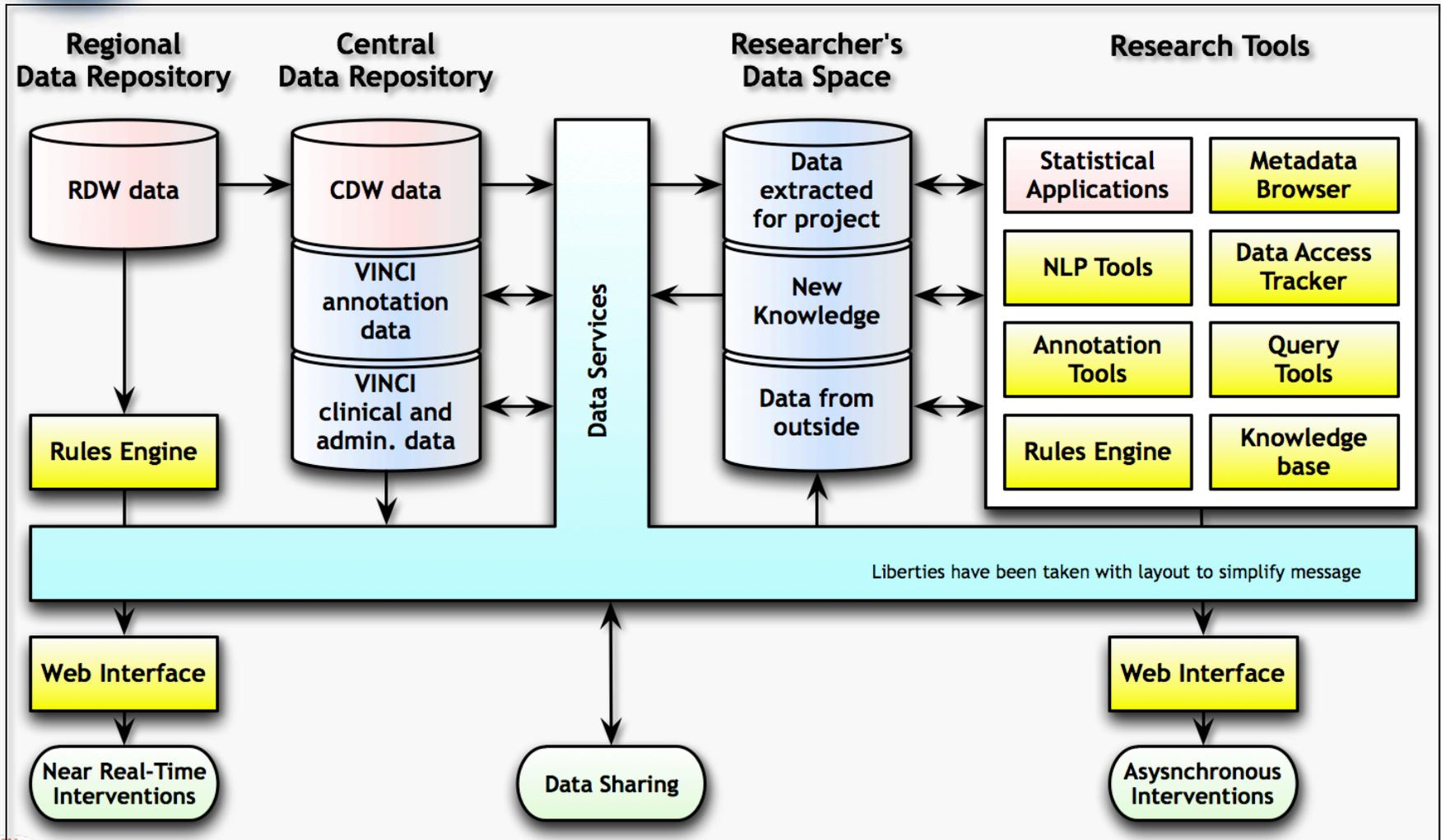


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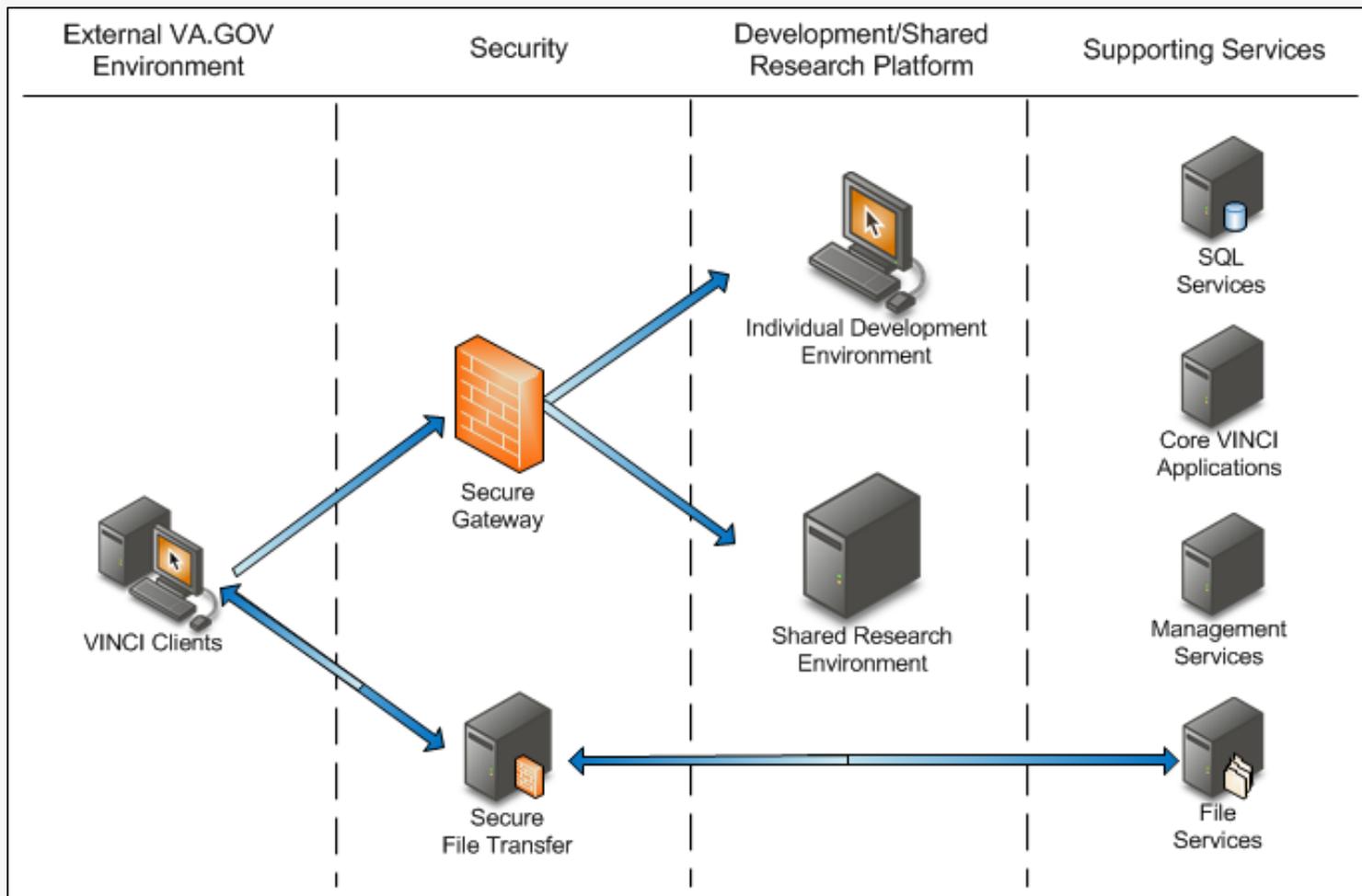


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VINCI Architecture





Data Extraction

- Research Study Team uploads cohort to a secure site or VINCI creates cohort per requirements
- Research Study Team completes the Data Selection Forms on correspondence site
- NDS approved data domains are extracted and provided
- Analysis performed by research project team staff





External Data

- Research Study Team may upload other data for analysis into project database or workspace
- Secure data upload process
- Optional direct database upload
- VINCI data managers work on behalf of research team to upload data from other data providers



Data Processing/Analysis tools

- SQL Server as primary data store
- Multiple high performance servers
- Most data queries performed in SQL Server
- Accessible by all analysis software
- SSIS, SSRS, SSAS (SQL server integration, reporting, and analysis)
- High speed intra-server network will allow distributed queries

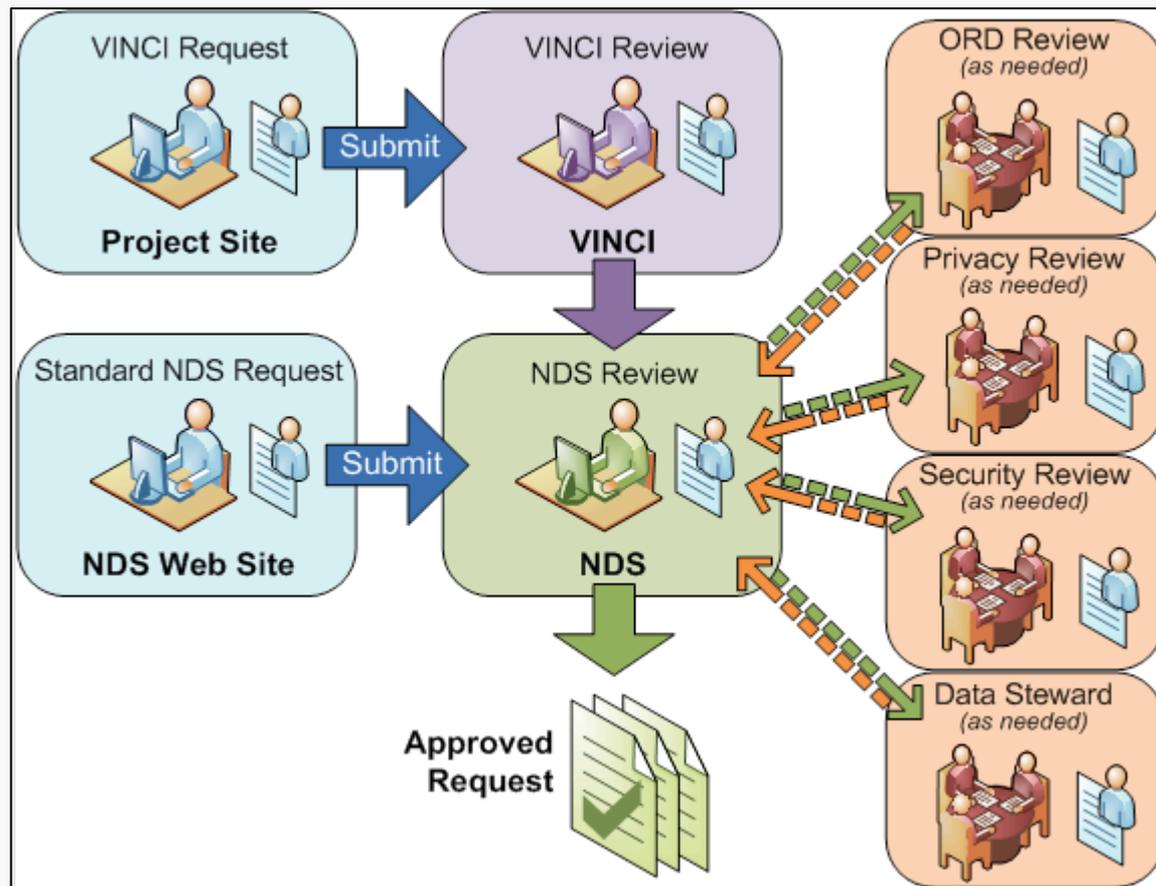


SAS

- High performance SAS server
 - 2 TB of RAM, 64 cores, 2 TB SSD
 - Launch grid jobs
- SAS grid – very large data analysis work
 - 10 high performance servers
 - Most advanced SAS implementation in VA
 - Dedicated SAN
 - Additional SAS modules
 - SAS knowledge base SharePoint site
- Dedicated SAS administrator



Data Approvals





Data Access & Security

- Access groups created based on IRB and NDS approved research team
- Only research team members have access to the data
- Data stored on secure VINCI servers
- Regular data backup and archiving
- Workspace vs. collaboration site
- Project work can be performed in VINCI
- Export final result & publication

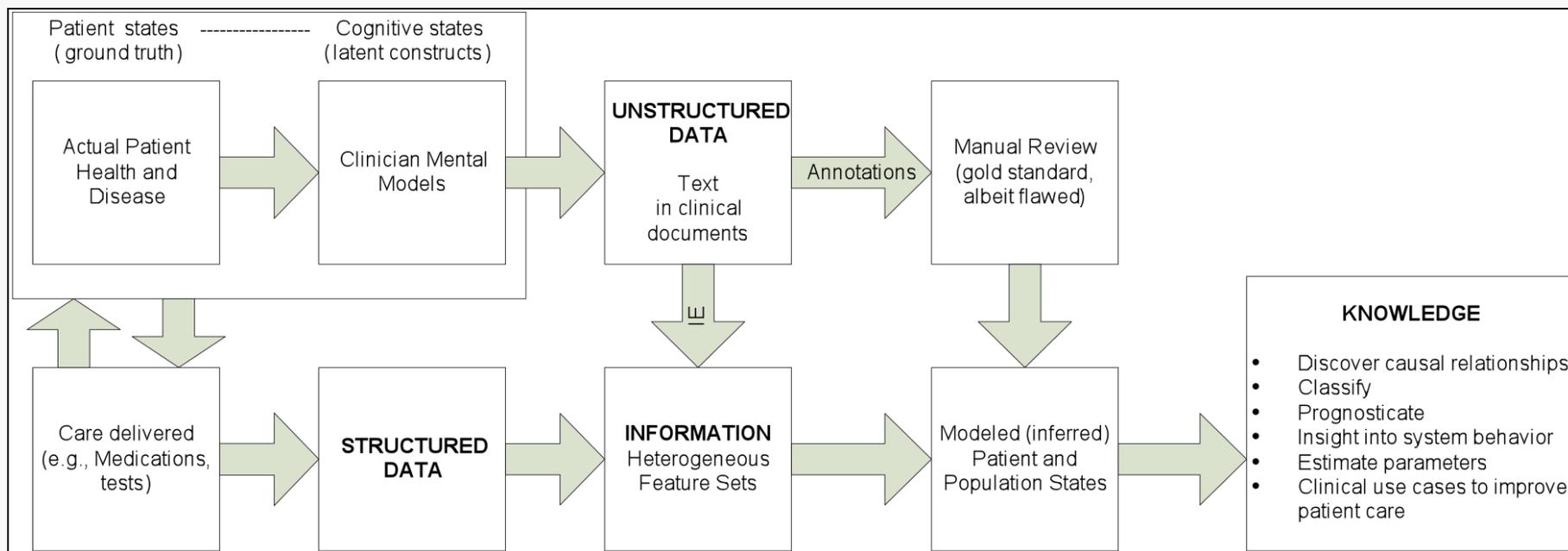


- Patient demographic information
- Vital signs
- Diagnoses and procedures from patient encounters
- Outpatient pharmacy data
- Laboratory values
- Immunizations
- Microbiology reports
- Text notes (including progress notes, discharge summaries, radiology reports)
- VA Decision Support System (DSS) in database tables linked with other VINCI data or as the original SAS files
- VHA Medical SAS datasets





Using All You Have



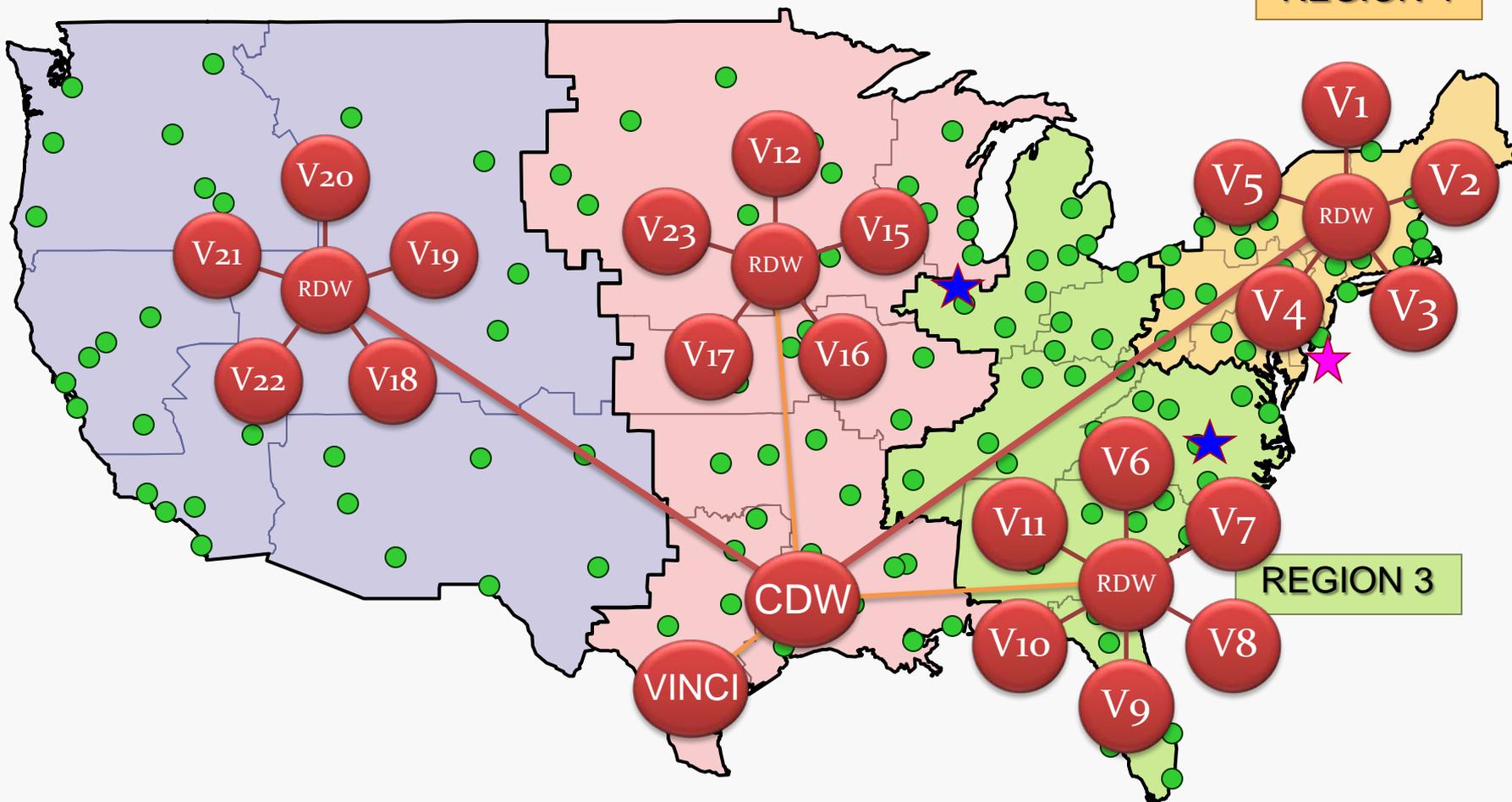


VINCI

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REGION 2

REGION 4





Data Standardization

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ENTEROCOCCUS FAECIUM

ENTEROCOCCUS SPP.





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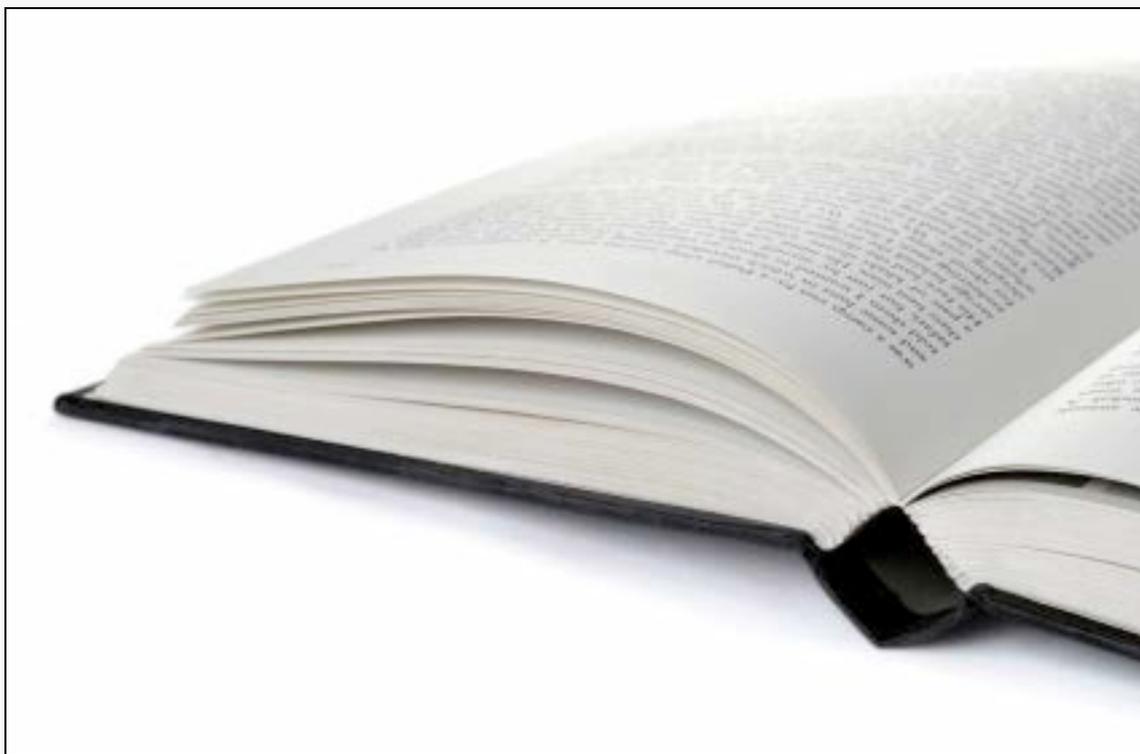


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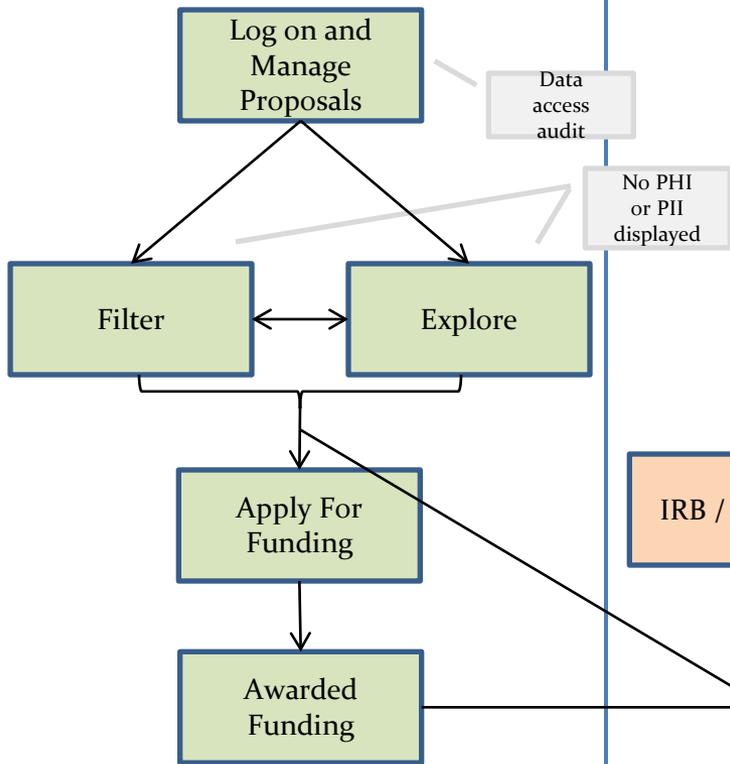
Understand the
Care Workflow

Understand the
Underlying Data

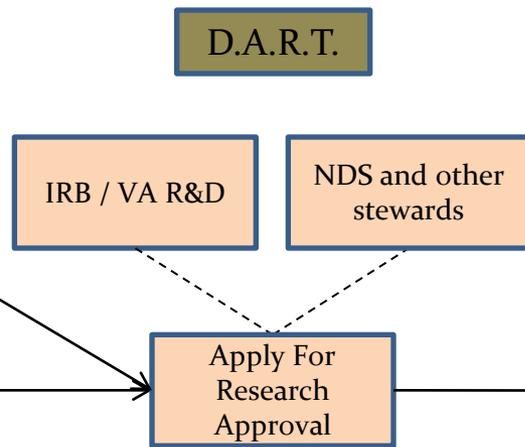




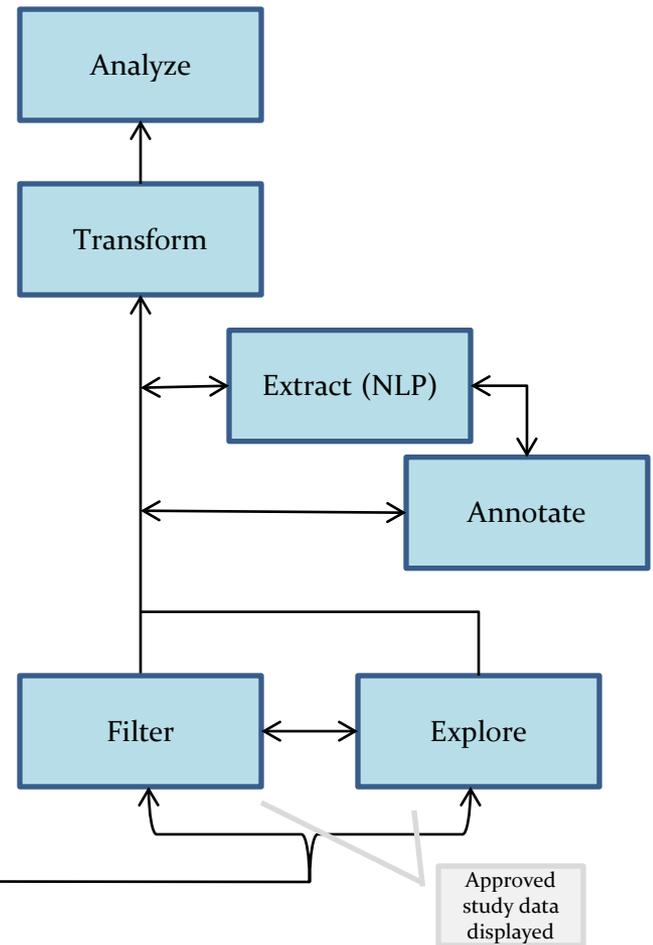
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Approval Phase



Approved Research

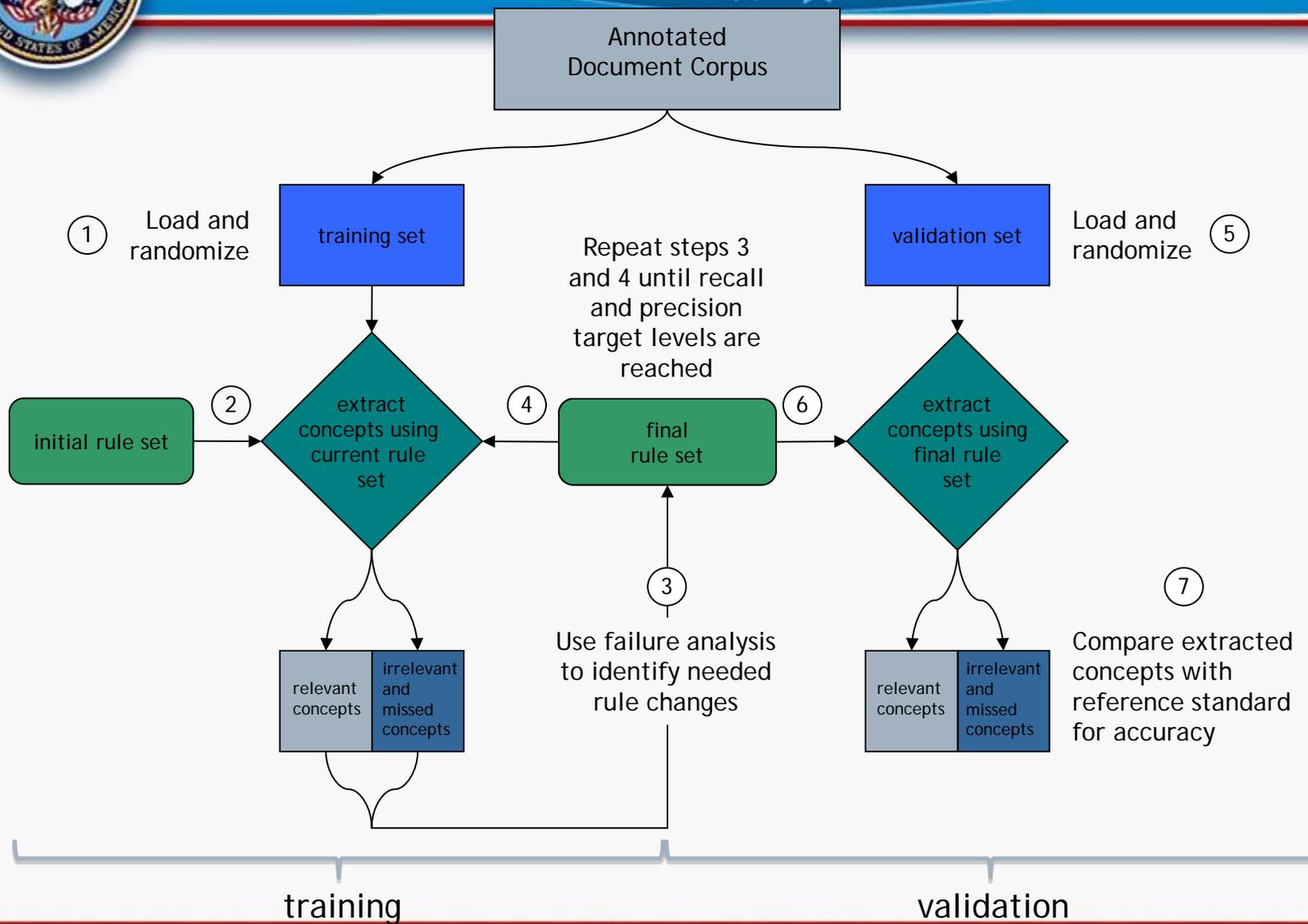




Why natural language processing?

- Increasing demands for more detailed clinical data
 - Quality Measures
 - Evidence-based medicine
 - Phenotyping for genomic-related analysis
 - Biosurveillance
- The majority of EMR data is free text



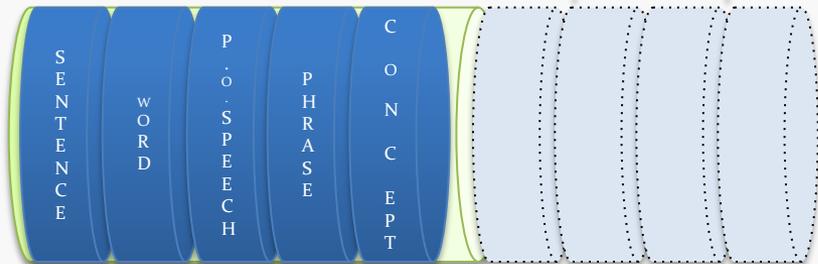




An NLP Pipeline



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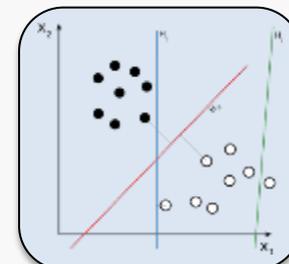


word patterns

output

project-specific concepts

post-processing



inference





Pipeline Issues

Base modules have trouble with:

- Templates
- Incomplete Sentences
- Jargon





Pipeline Issues

Project-specific modules are:

- Limited by base module output
- Affected by propagation of errors from previous modules





Lookup Issues

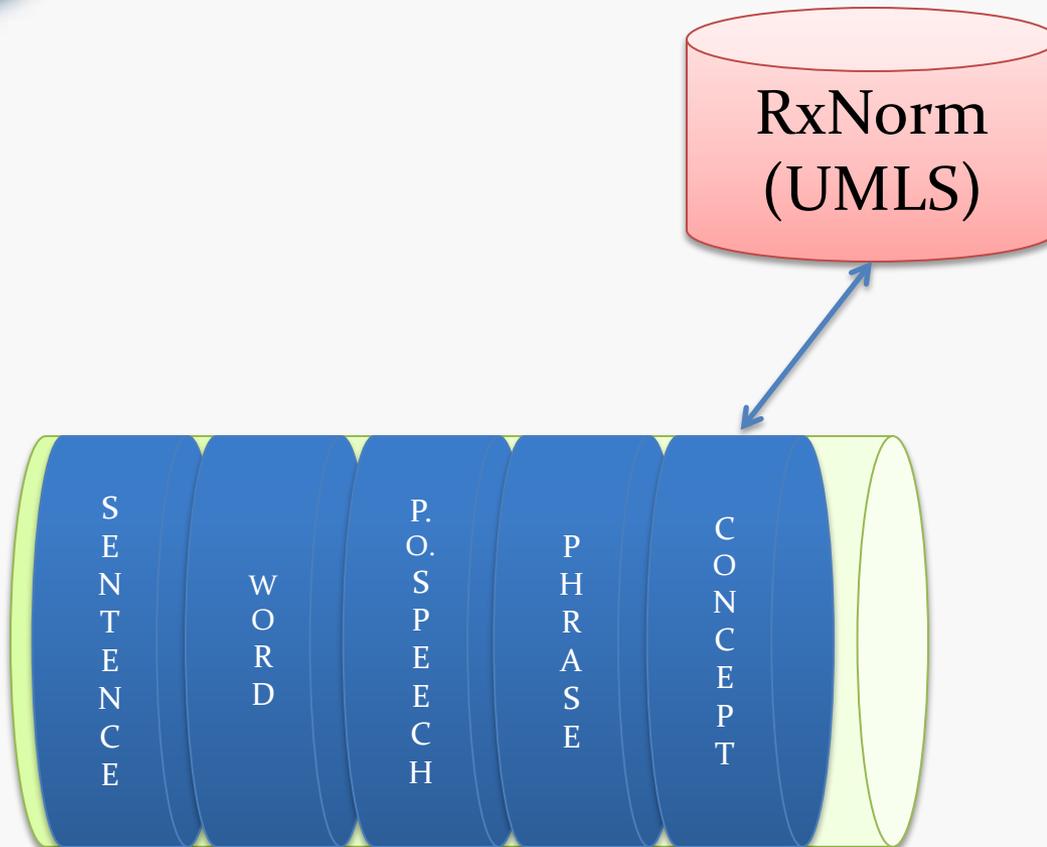
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Semantic bootstrapping

- Lookup method insufficient to find target

Structural cues



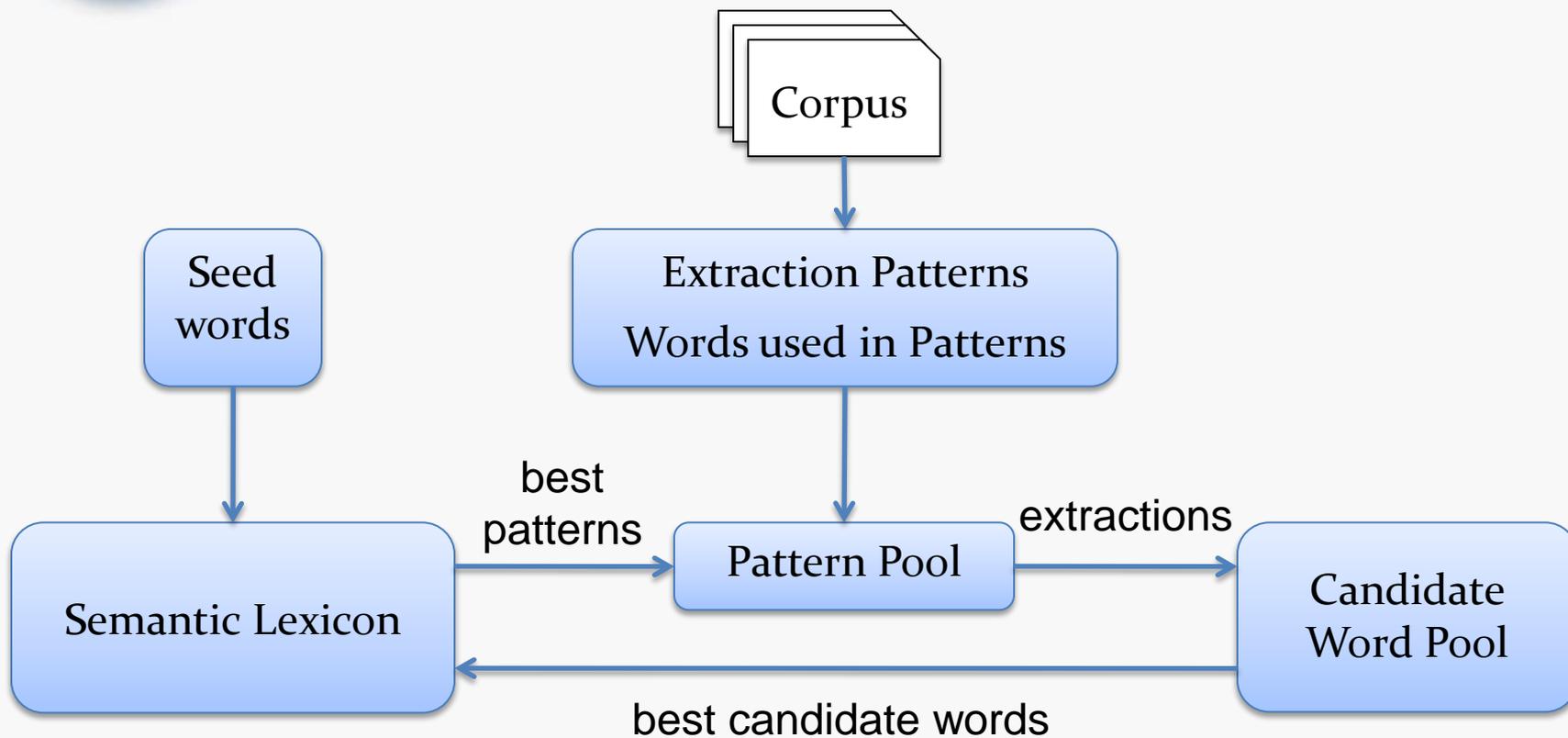


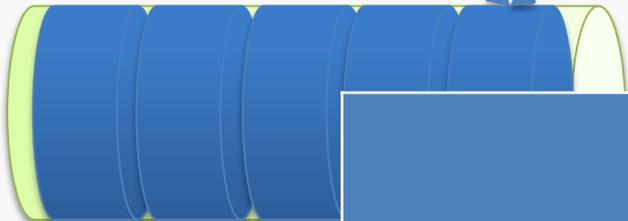
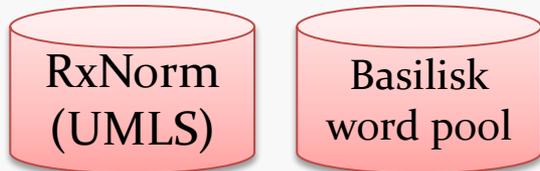
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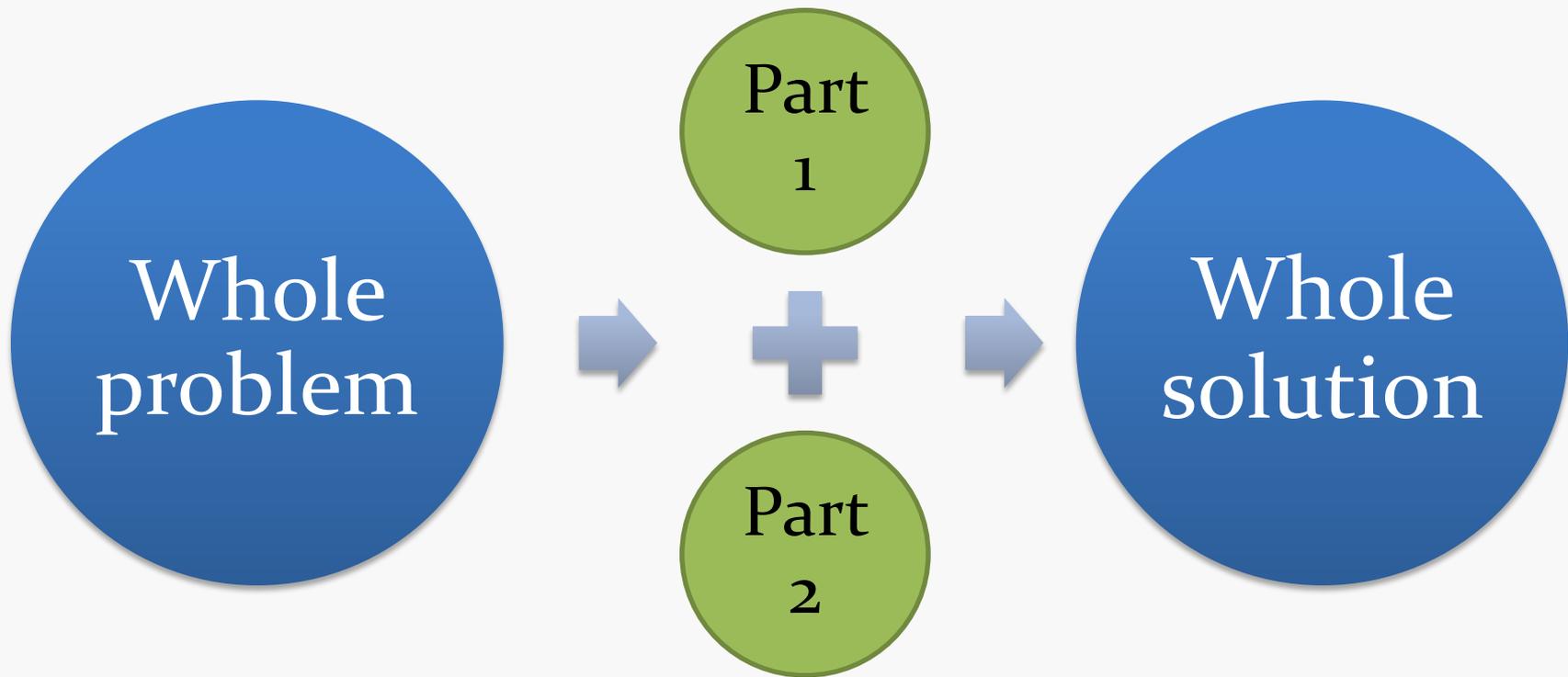
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	RxNorm only	RxNorm + Basilisk	1-pass Filtering
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Recall	66.93%	82.80%	82.80%
F1	64.29%	73.91%	77.00%







- Craft *very specific* rules to handle specific situations
- Craft *highly precise* rules to determine which rules to apply in which situations
- Have general rules to apply elsewhere



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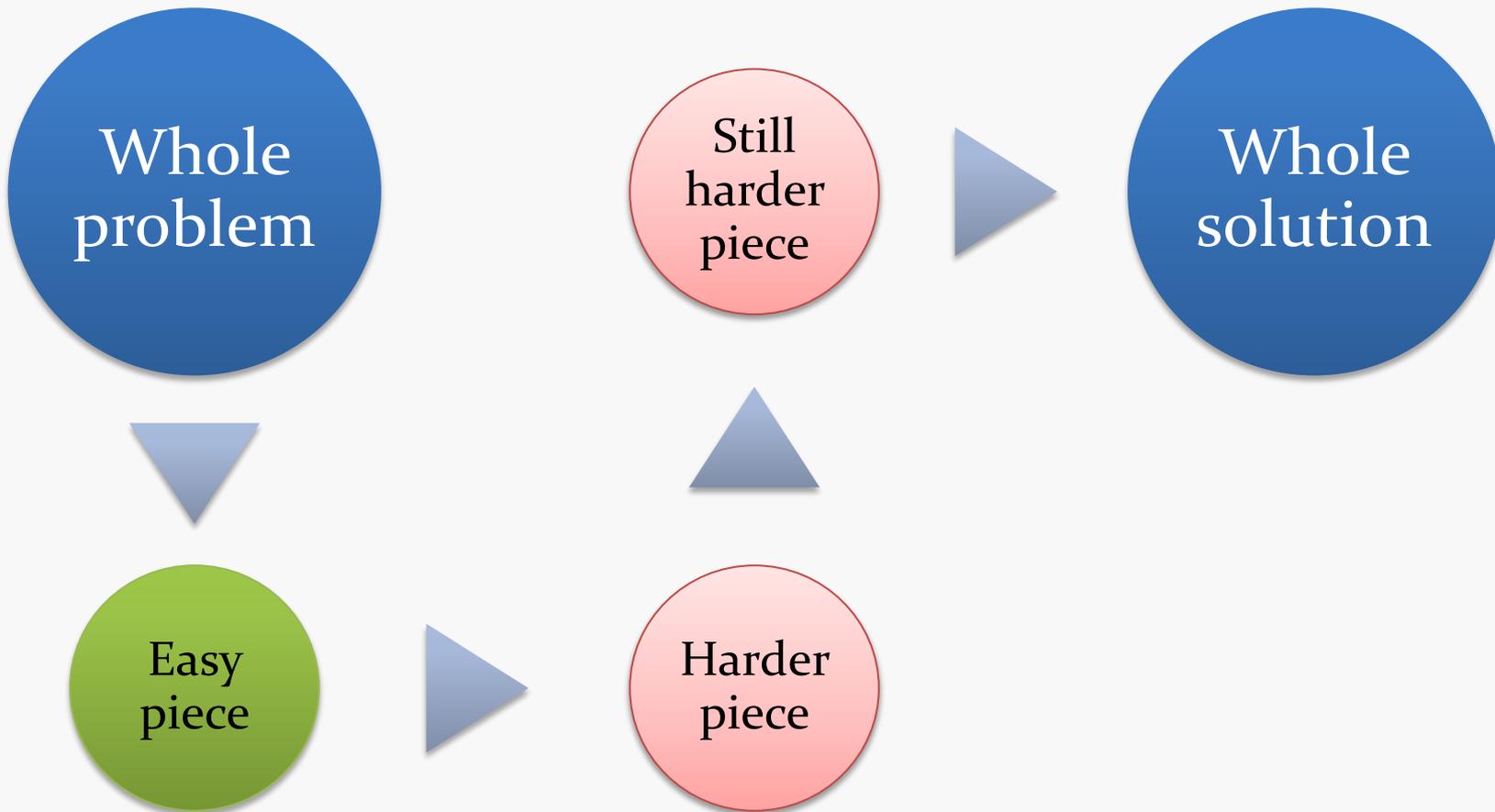
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Divide and Construct





Divide and Construct

- Break the problem down into pieces
- Determine which pieces are easiest to solve
- Use what you know about the pieces to find solutions
- Use solution from easier pieces to help solve harder pieces





Divide and Construct

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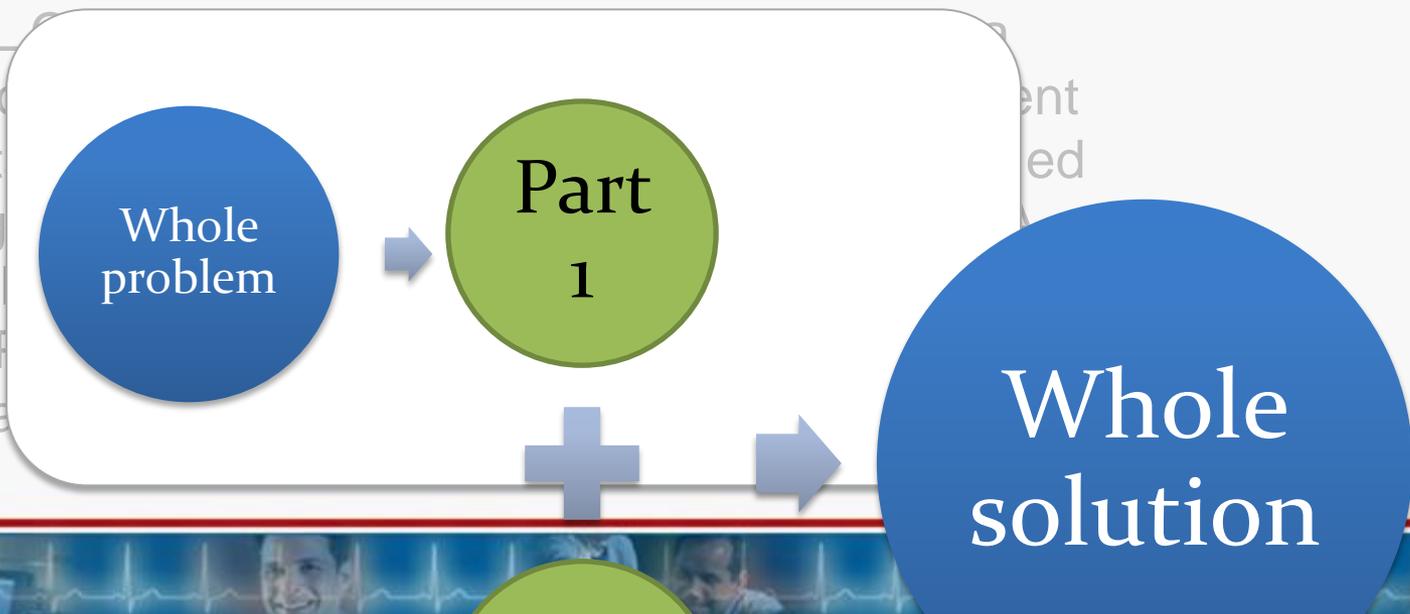
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Assumptions

- Some pieces must be easy
- The easy pieces have to be identified
- The easy pieces can aid in solving harder pieces





Conclusion

- NBS involved from the start and would love to re-engage NIST
- Opportunities include:
 - Help in creating bridging architecture to next generation system including migration from M origins to a more modern architecture with ability to provide support from a whole new generation of developers using modern Web technology





Opportunities

- Incredible opportunity to study and create laboratory for usability and safety
- Great opportunity to study healthcare security
- Excellent opportunity to evaluate and test standards





- Can evaluate and test logic used for business and clinical analytics and then test and release clinical software
- Superb opportunity to utilize VA's VINCI and other data as sandbox to evaluate big data using the 3.2 billion records available in the VINCI system and have access to not only data but also patient images





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