



# Research Process at TDOE

State Board of Education

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# Agenda

1. Department structure to support research-driven decision-making
2. Research Approval Process and Protection of Confidential Data
3. Research Priorities
4. Ongoing Projects of Note

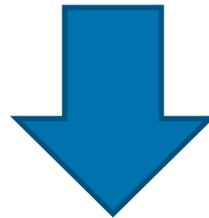
# Office of Research and Policy

## Internal Research

- TDOE staff
- Quick turnaround
- Immediately actionable

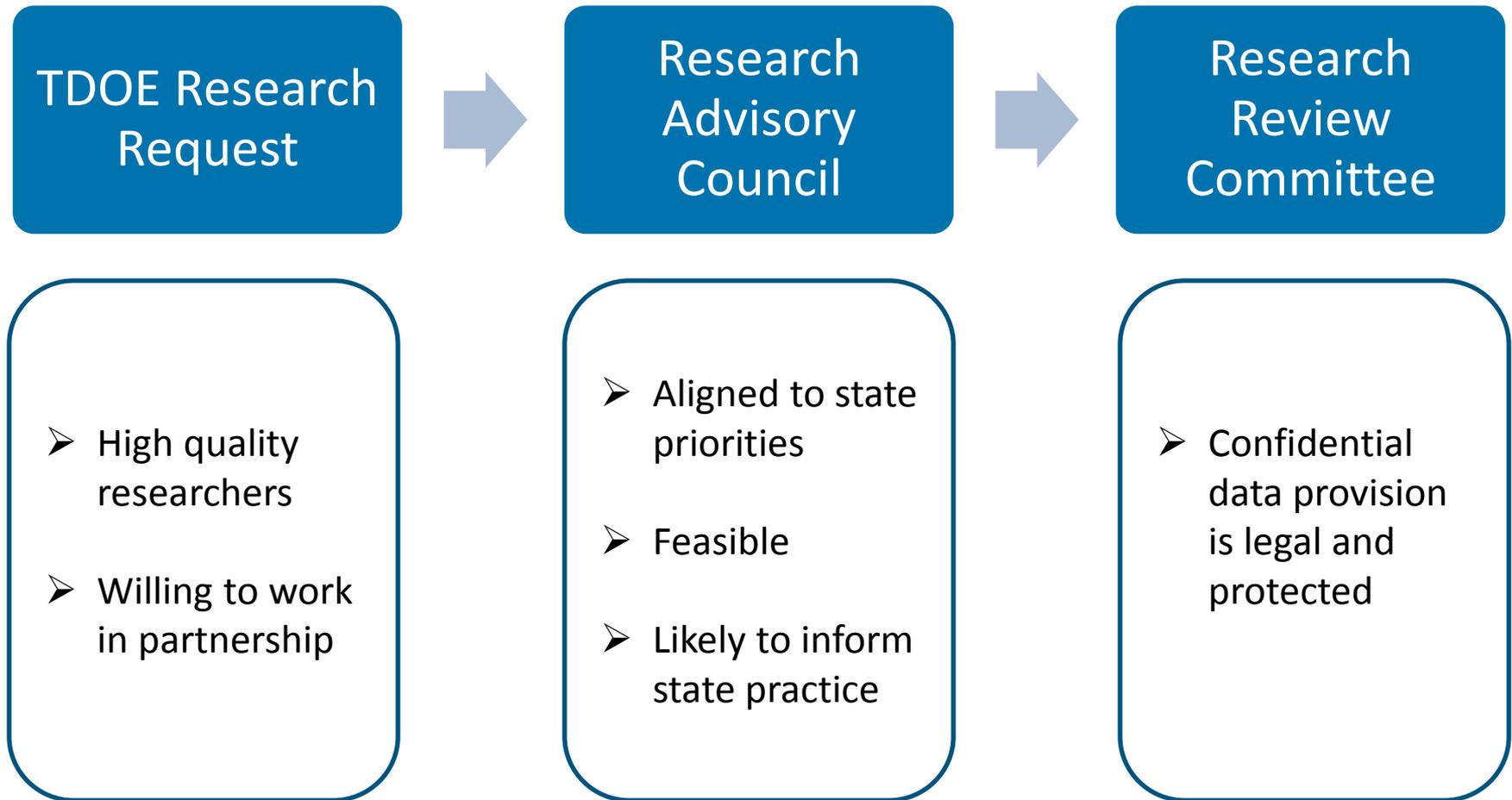
## External Partnerships

- Top national researchers
- Longer time horizon
- Long-term strategy
- Independent evaluations



**TDOE research-driven programs and initiatives**

# Research Approval Process



## Examples of Ongoing Projects

- Evaluating the Effectiveness of Tennessee's Voluntary Pre-K Program  
M. Lipsey & D. Farran – Vanderbilt University
- Developing an Instructional Coaching Model in Tennessee  
J. Russell, M.K. Stein & R. Correnti – University of Pittsburgh
- Implementing and Evaluating an Evaluation Partnership Program  
J. Papay, J. Tyler & E. Taylor – Brown University and Stanford University
- The Effectiveness of 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Math Remediation Options  
T. Kane, J. Fullerton, A. Boatman – Harvard University and Vanderbilt