## **The Barriers**



Broad Category of Barriers	Sources of Barriers
The influence of politics, policy, and political boundaries (hierarchy) on the decisions around assessments	<ul><li>Power of politics</li><li>Power of policy</li><li>Power of hierarchy</li></ul>
The influence of commercialization and proliferation of assessments	<ul><li>Commercialization</li><li>Proliferation</li></ul>
The lack of attention to curriculum and learning in the design of assessment systems	<ul><li>Attention to curriculum</li><li>Attention to learning</li></ul>
The lack of assessment literacy at multiple levels of the system	<ul> <li>Federal literacy</li> <li>State literacy</li> <li>District literacy</li> <li>School literacy</li> <li>Classroom literacy</li> </ul>



## What of the Barriers?



- What is your experience?
- Are there additional broad categories of barriers you believe have caused difficulty with successful implementation?

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