



# Welcome to the 2022 ACO Engagement Summit

October 11, 2022

# General Information and Housekeeping

- **2022 ACO Engagement Summit Streaming Platform**
  - Agenda, speaker biographies, materials from previous Summits, and more
  - Technical support for virtual attendees
  - Making connections
- **Survey & Continuing Education Credit**
  - A post-Summit survey and information for CMEs/CEUs will be sent out immediately after our closing remarks tomorrow afternoon
- **In-person attendees**
  - Wi-Fi information is available on your table
  - Restrooms
  - Snacks and refreshments
  - Networking dinner at **6Smith** restaurant at 5:00 p.m.
- **Virtual attendees**
  - To ask a question during the keynote, roundtable, or behavioral health panels:
    - Enter your question in the monitored chat box and it will be relayed to the speaker(s)
    - Use the 'Wall' feature to add your thoughts, comments, and questions from the day

# The 2022 ACO Engagement Summit Planning Committees



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Special thanks to Medica's IT and facilities departments: Sue, Josh, Shawn, and Theo

Time	Agenda
12:30 – 12:45 p.m.	<b>Welcome: ACO Engagement Summit Day 1</b>
12:45 – 1:45 p.m.	<b>Keynote Speaker</b> <b>Lauran Hardin, MSN, CNL, FNAP, FAAN</b> , Vice President and Senior Advisor, National Health Care & Housing Advisors <i>Connected Communities of Care: Next Wave Strategy</i>
1:45 – 2:00 p.m.	<b>Break</b>
2:00 – 2:50 p.m.	<b>Breakout Sessions</b>
	<b>Breakout session #1:</b> Innovations out of the COVID-19 pandemic During this breakout session attendees will learn about innovative care delivery models that resulted from the COVID-19 pandemic. M Health Fairview will present on the establishment of their COVID-19 long hauler clinic. Mayo Clinic will share their hospital at home program.
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	<b>Breakout session #4:</b> Risk recapture strategies to support providers and members Attendees will hear from a health system and payer on how they are partnering to engage providers in risk recapture strategies to ensure the risk of the population is accurately captured.
	<b>Breakout session #5:</b> Engaging patients with primary care During this breakout session attendees will learn approaches to engaging patients with primary care. Attendees will learn from Park Nicollet on how they use their care consultants to ensure patients at risk receive appropriate follow-up and care. Medica will present member outreach models that have targeted non-users, preventable emergency department utilization, as well as out-of-network utilization.
4:00 – 4:15 p.m.	<b>Day 1 Closing Remarks</b>



# Thomas Lindquist

## Senior Vice President Markets, Medica

Thomas Lindquist is responsible for the strategic planning and plan operations for Medica's product lines; this includes accountability for profit and loss, product development, compliance, product viability and growth, and operations for the business segments. Mr. Lindquist is also responsible for the organization's relationship with the Minnesota DHS and Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

Before joining Medica, Mr. Lindquist held executive positions with UnitedHealth Group and served as a health insurance industry liaison to the Congressional Budget Office and the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. He received his Bachelor of Science in Mathematics from Penn State University.

Mr. Lindquist currently serves on the Board of Directors at Mentor MN, on the Penn State Honors College External Advisory Board, and previously served on the board for the Institute for Clinical Systems (ICSI). Mr. Lindquist also provides volunteer math tutoring for students from elementary school through college.

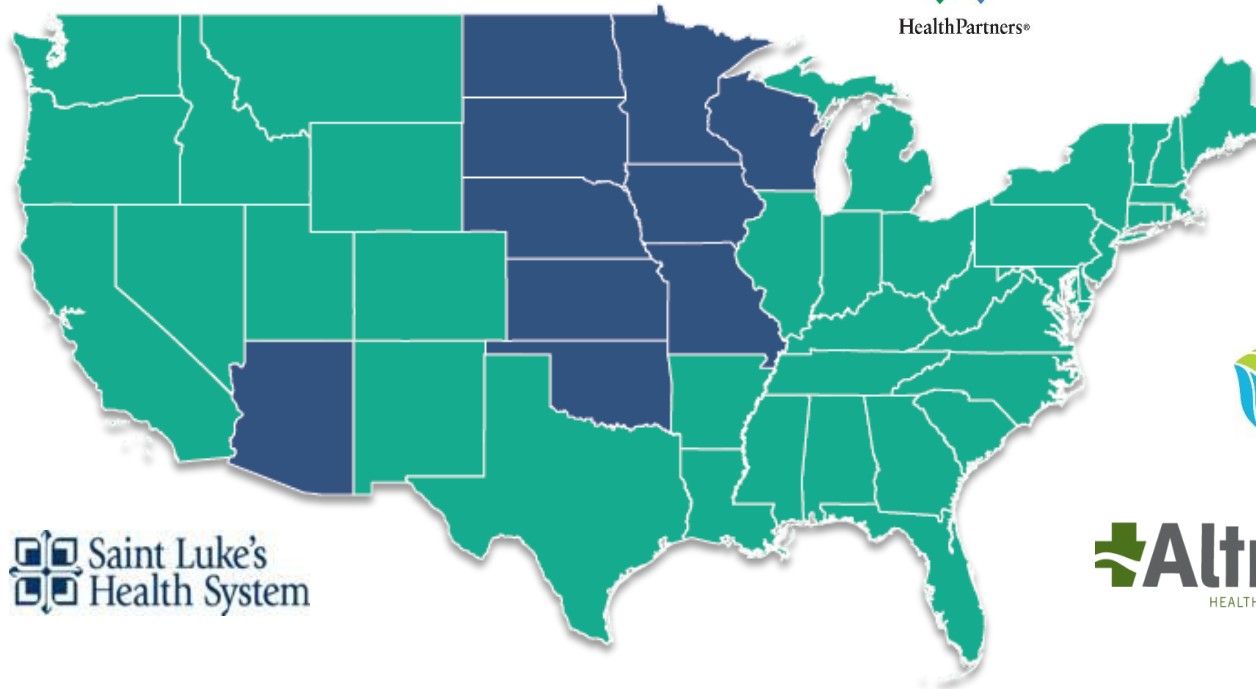


# Welcome

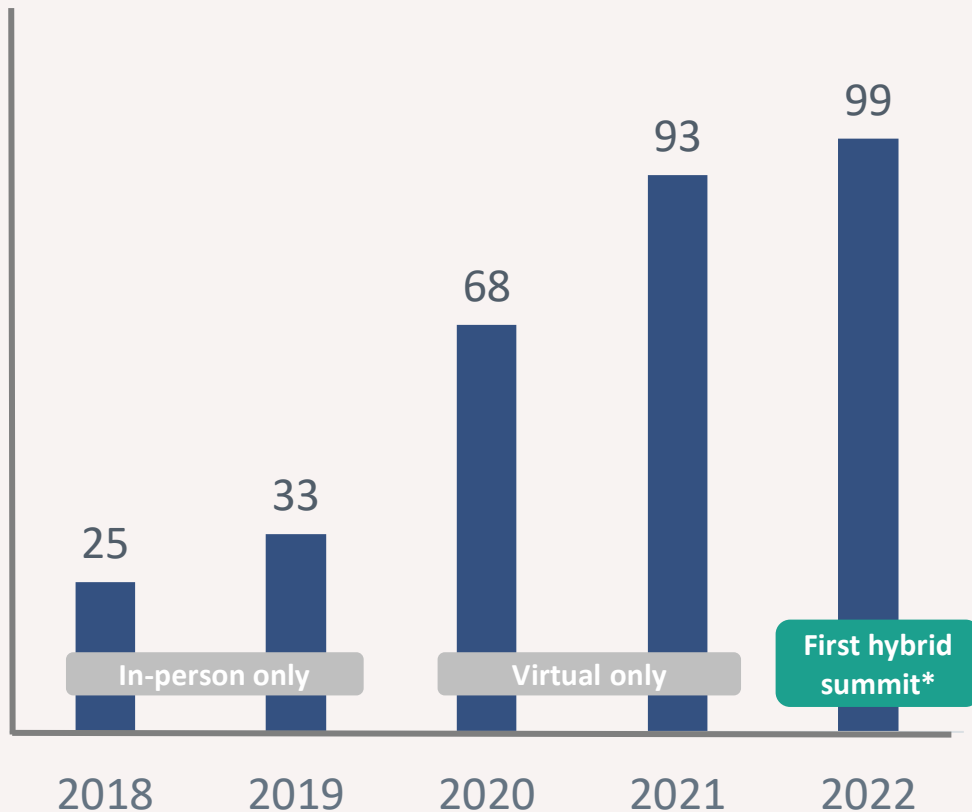
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# Medica's 5th Annual ACO Engagement Summit

100% of our Value Based Health System Partners are represented today



## Health System Partner Attendance



\*pending final registration #s

- 35% of you attended the 2021 Summit
- 65% of you are new to our summit
- **All** our new and established value-based partnerships are represented today. (100%)



**Trusted health  
plan of choice**

# Medica's Strategic Growth

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Sustainable expansion through new and deepening partnerships  
Prioritizing value-based care delivery through improved provider connectivity  
Market differentiator with focus on communities

## David Webster, MD

### Medica's Chief Clinical & Provider Strategy Officer

David leads, organizes and directs activities that impact health services, medical management, pharmacy, provider strategy, affordability, value creation, innovation, contracting and quality. He participates in the development and implementation of short- and long term strategic plans required for Medica's ongoing growth and success.

David joined Medica from Highmark Health where he was an Executive with the integrated Health Plan and Care Delivery system. He has also served in clinical leadership roles for a number of health plan and provider organizations including Humana, Concentra and The Center for Wound Care and Hyperbaric Medicine at Baptist Health System. He is board certified by the American Board of Family Medicine and earned his medical degree at the University of Michigan Medical School. He has an MBA from the University of Florida and a Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Michigan.

He brings to Medica a breadth of experience serving various communities. He has served on the Board of Directors at East Liberty Family Health Care Center Pittsburgh, PA, and on the Board of Directors for African American Chamber of Commerce Foundation of Western Pennsylvania. He is active in the American College of Healthcare Executives, American Association for Physician Leadership and the American Medical Association.



# Medica's Value Based Partnerships

- Medica's highest priority
- Initiatives to continue to pursue clinical value alignment
  - Member retention through shared sales strategies
  - Provider integration through data sharing
  - Affordability framework
    - Aim to improve value for member/patient, health system, and Medica



# Keynote Speaker

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# Lauran Hardin, MSN, CNL, FNAP, FAAN, Vice President and Senior Advisor, National Health Care & Housing Advisors



Lauran Hardin is a nationally recognized leader, highly skilled at partnering with communities, health systems and payers to co-design models and interventions for complex populations. She most recently served as Senior Advisor for the Camden Coalition's National Center for Complex Health and Social Needs.

Hardin's past work includes leading care management in ACOs & BPCI, and developing an award-winning Complex Care model that creates better patient navigation, decreased hospitalizations and costs for vulnerable populations. Aspects of the care model were implemented in more than twenty Trinity Health sites in both rural and urban communities across six states. The model was recognized as an exemplary practice in the National Academy of Medicine Future of Nursing Report 2020-2030.

Recent projects include co-designing a cross-sector community-based equity ecosystem model called [Project Restoration](#), working with the [State of Vermont](#) to develop state-wide interprofessional community-based complex care teams, and co-designing a [model for uninsured patients](#) in Memphis. Hardin was named AARP Culture of Health Scholar in January of 2017, earned "[Edge Runner](#)" recognition from the American Academy of Nursing, was named [Distinguished Fellow](#) of the National Academies of Practice in 2018 and Fellow in the American Academy of Nursing in 2019. She was [recently appointed](#) as the first nurse representative and co-chair of the U.S. Government Accountability Office's Physician-Focused Payment Model Technical Advisory Committee (PTAC).

Hardin earned her master's degree in nursing from the University of Detroit Mercy, with certifications as a Clinical Nurse Leader, Pain Management, and Hospice. She trained as a facilitator with the Elisabeth Kubler-Ross Center, spent several years working in hospice, and co-developed the first Pain and Palliative Care service in the West Michigan region.





# Connected Communities of Care: Next Wave Strategy

Lauran Hardin MSN, CNL, FNAP, FAAN  
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Unprecedented Challenges





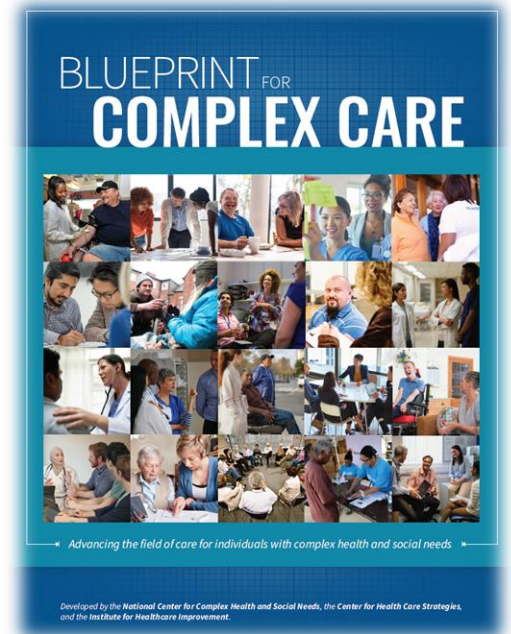
# Accelerated Community Approaches







**Why I  
went to the  
emergency  
room...**







# Innovations in Priorities

# CMS Strategy: Advance Comprehensive Care and Equity



## Strategic Aims:

- All Medicare Part A/B beneficiaries in a care relationship with accountability for quality and total cost of care by 2030
- Majority of Medicaid beneficiaries in a care relationship with accountability for quality and total cost of care by 2030
- Embed health equity in every aspect of CMS models and increase focus on underserved populations
- CMS will support system-wide healthcare reform for whole-person, accountable care



# Trends in Priorities



- Telehealth/Virtual Engagement
- [Equity](#)
- Total Cost of Care/All Payer Models
- Health Related Social Needs
  - [Food Security](#), Housing, Transportation
  - Mental Health, Substance Use, Safety Employment
- Integration of Community Based Approaches
- [HHS Strategic Plan to address SDOH](#)
- [Z-codes for SDOH](#)

# Innovations in Financing



# Emerging Trends



- [ACO REACH](#) – health equity plans
- [Payment for SDOH screening and equity outcomes](#)
- [Medicaid 1115 waivers](#)
- ARPA & Incentive dollars
- Enhanced Care Management
- Community Supports
- [HHS/ACL Community Care Hubs](#)
- [Blending & Braiding of Dollars for Impact](#)



# One Example of Current Incentive Dollars

## Overview of CalAIM and Incentive Programs

The *California Advancing and Innovating Medi-Cal (CalAIM)* is a long-term California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) initiative to transform and strengthen Medi-Cal, offering Californians a more equitable, coordinated, and person-centered approach to maximizing their health and life trajectory. This includes **launching Enhanced Care Management (ECM) benefit and optional Community Supports (CS)**. DHCS has developed several incentive programs in order to support CalAIM implementation:

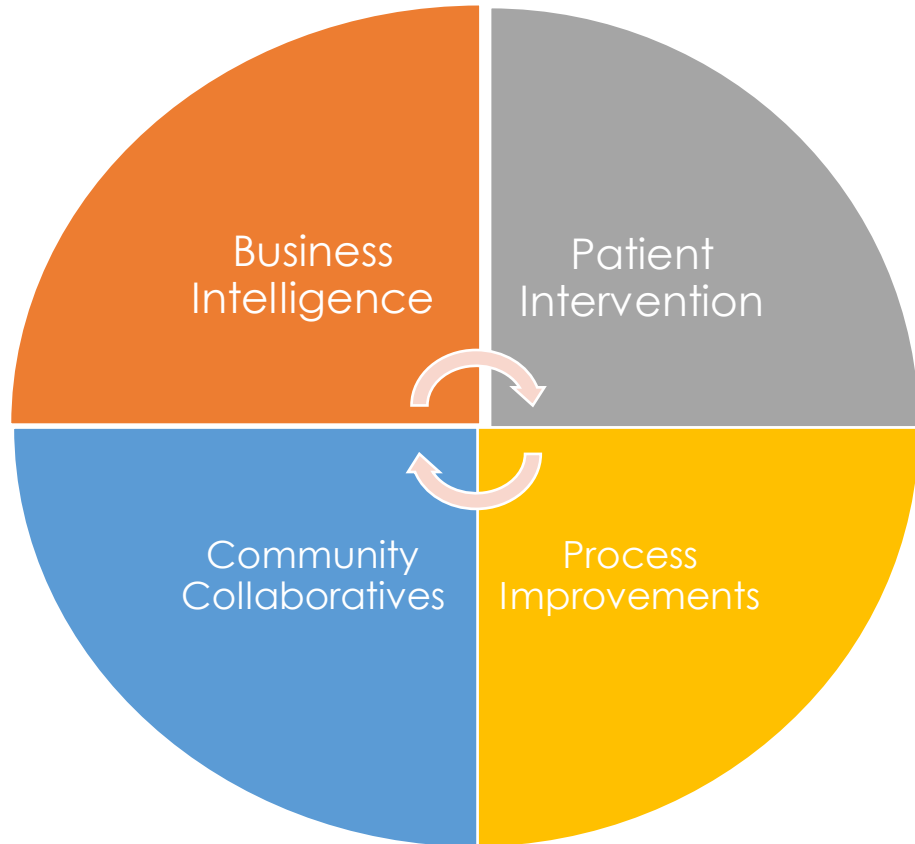
CalAIM Incentive Payment Program (IPP)	★ Housing and Homelessness Incentive Program (HHIP)	Providing Access and Transforming Health (PATH)	Behavioral Health Quality Improvement Program (BH-QIP)	Behavioral Health Continuum Infrastructure (BHCIP)
Funds flow from DHCS to MCPs to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Support implementation and expansion of ECM and CS</li><li>2. Invest in provider capacity and delivery system infrastructure;</li><li>3. Bridge current silos across physical and BH care service delivery;</li><li>4. Achieve improvements in quality performance;</li></ul> 600 M/yr	Funds flow from DHCS to MCPs to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Reduce and prevent homelessness</li><li>2. Ensure MCPs develop the necessary capacity and partnerships to connect their members to needed housing services</li></ul> 1.2 B	Funds flow from DHCS to counties, WPC Lead entities and other providers to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Maintain, build, and scale services, capacity and infrastructure for providers to ensure successful implementation of CalAIM</li><li>2. PATH is focused on justice involved, WPC transitioning and other initiatives</li></ul> 1.8 B	Support Behavioral Health Plans (BHPs) to prepare for CalAIM participation changes. BHPs include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Mental Health Plan (MHP),</li><li>2. Drug Medi-Cal State Plan (DMC-SP) or</li><li>3. Drug Medi-Cal Organized Delivery System (DMC-ODS)</li></ul> 21 M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Competitive grants awarded to qualified entities to invest in infrastructure, including mobile crisis, to expand the community continuum of BH treatment resources.</li><li>2. Funds flow from DHCS to Counties, cities, tribal entities, non-profit and for-profit entities.</li></ul> 2 B





# Innovations in Approach

The Complex Care Center Model:  
**Changing the System for complex patients**



- Expert Nurse Consultation
- Comprehensive Assessment (Medical, Social, Behavioral, System)
- Cross Continuum Case Conferencing
- Shared Plan of Care in the EMR
- Process Improvements – delivery change
- Community Collaboratives – root cause change

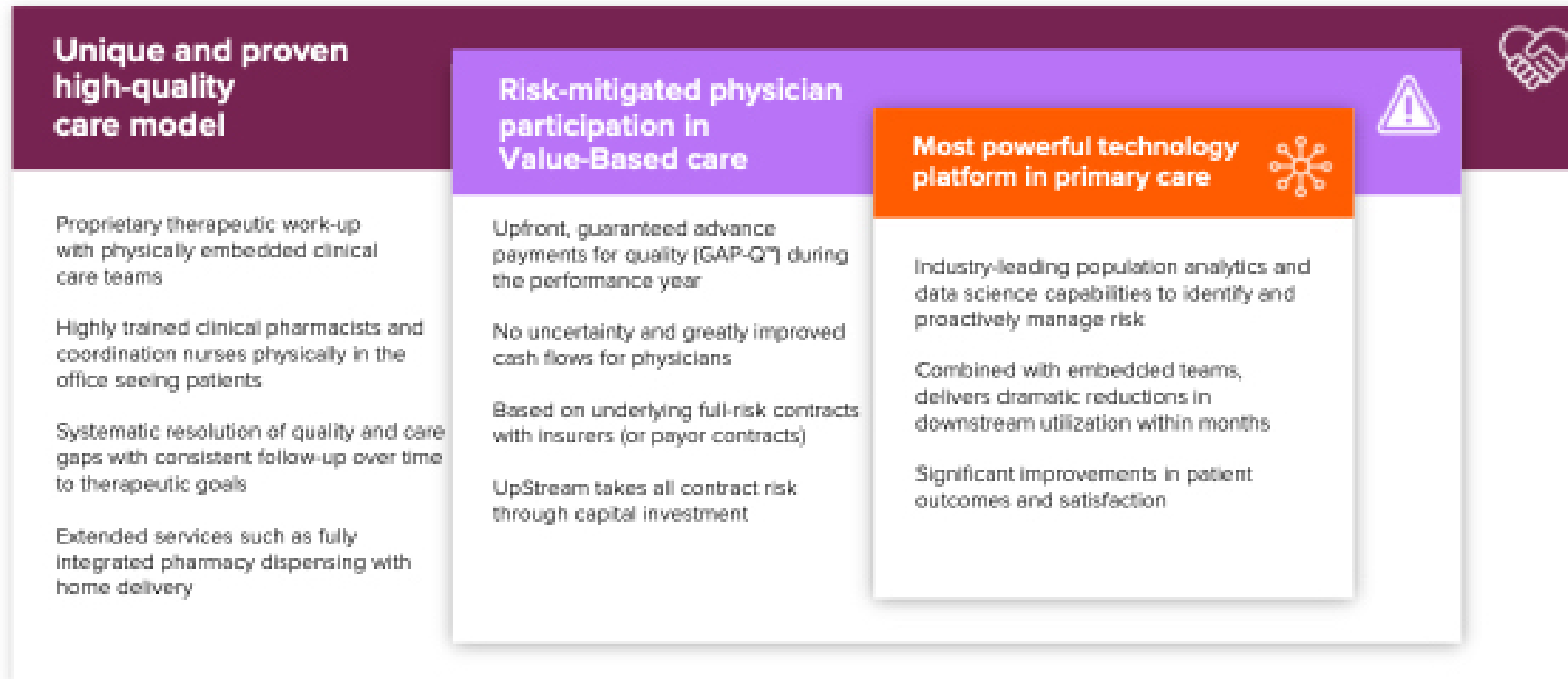
↓ 44% Inpatient and ED visits

↑ 23% Return on Investment (1000 Patients)

↑ Housing, Access to Insurance & PCP, QOL

# Innovation in Partnered Delivery: Upstream

## Unique, Proven and Scalable Platform



# New Community Approaches



- “Care Traffic Control” roles
- Integrated Teams
- Network Lead Entity
- Cross Sector Collaborative
- System of Care Approach





# What is Possible: The Story of 3 Communities

## Memphis, Tennessee: Developing a health and well-being ecosystem for uninsured Memphians



***"Life is better now. I'm taking things one day at a time, but I feel great. ONEHealth gave me a new chance."*** - Clarence Gray, ONEHealth program participant

### ONEHealth's program results over two years



**11M**

reduction in costs



**439**

people served



**16M**

financial gain over 2 years



**200+**

community partnerships

Won Honorable Mention **Gage Award** and featured in [Health Affairs](#)





## Adventist Health Clear Lake

*Lake County, California*

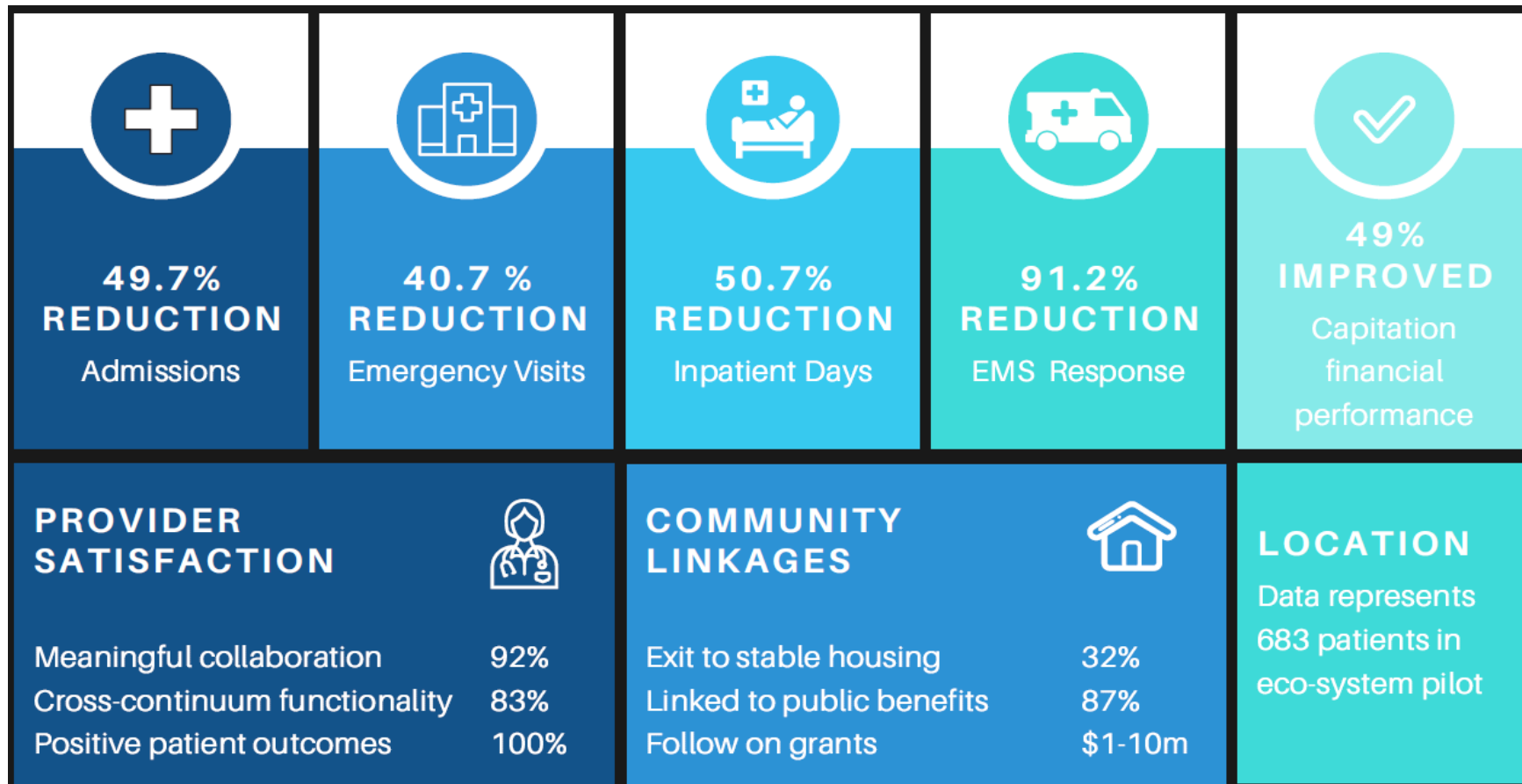
- Ranked last in health outcomes
- 75% of county burned in wildfires of the past 5 years
- High rates of poverty and substance misuse

## Project Restoration

- County-wide cross-sector collaborative (Police, Fire, EMS, Criminal Justice, Mayor, Health, Social Services, Education)
- Shared data
- Process improvements to change root cause

# Adventist Health Project Restoration – Community of Care Approach

## 683 Clients 12 months after intervention





# Developments in the Community Ecosystem



## **Before Project Restoration**

- ✓ Hope Rising collaborative (broad health outcomes)
- ✓ IOPCM Complex Care Management (payer specific)

## **After Project Restoration**

- Restoration House -Transitional Housing
- Integrated Complex Care Management for the Community
- Shower Trailer for the homeless
- Backpack Street Nursing for the homeless
- Substance Use Navigator
- ED Bridge Program for Medication assisted treatment
- Behavioral Health Pilot in the ED
- Substance use services Hub & Spokes
- Elijah House, Thule House & Warming Center (Shelters)
- Hope Center & Community Pathways (Navigation Center)
- Healthy Homes Project – micro-community
- Tiny House Village
- Employment and Development Campus



## York County PA

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**Safer, healthier community** by working collaboratively to connect people with justice involvement to health care and social services.

- Improved access to behavioral health services
- Increased access to Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT)
- Driving systems change through CARD
- Development of a Reentry Opportunity Center (ROC) to streamline needs identification and referrals
- Trauma-informed trainings
- National Ecosystem Learning Collaborative site with Camden Coalition, National Center for Complex Health & Social Needs

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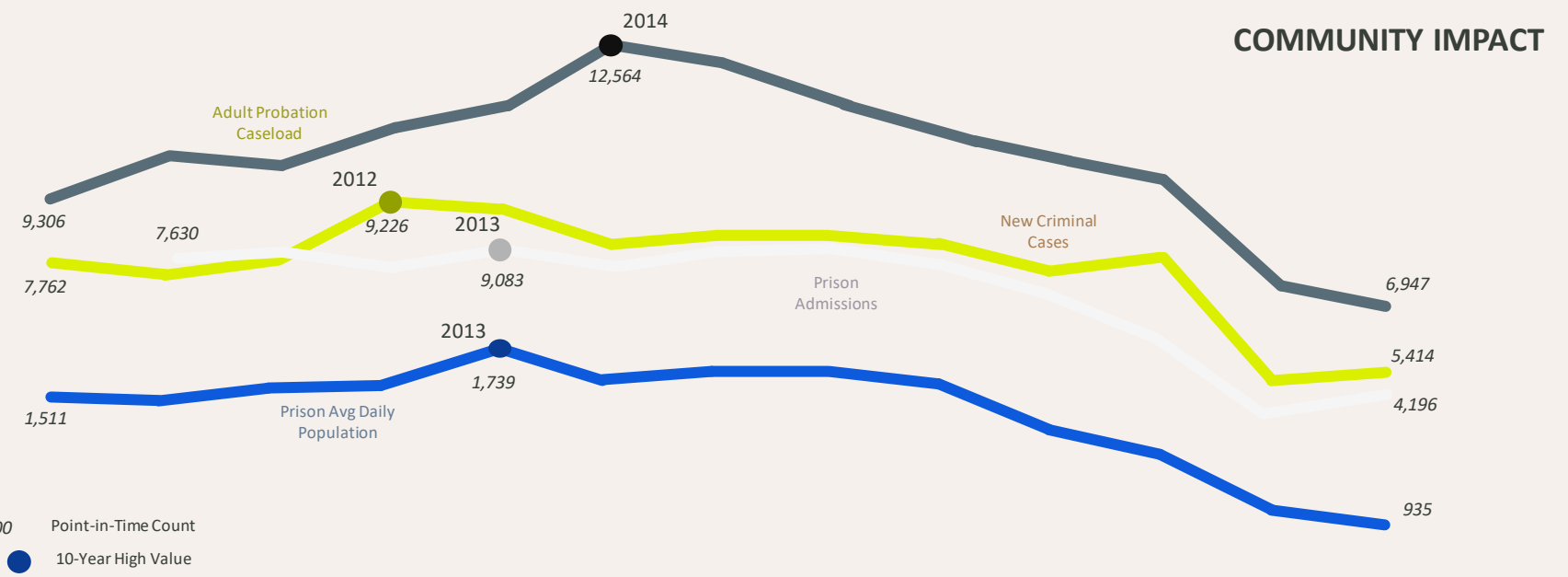
- **38%** reduction in County Prison population over 10 years\*
- **1400+** emergency room diversions since 2021\*\*
- **4M** emergency room cost avoidance
- **93%** decrease in wait times for behavioural health over traditional outpatient treatment\*\*
- **88%** decrease in inpatient admissions for Reentry Team clients\*\*\*

\* Data courtesy of CARD & York County Prison.

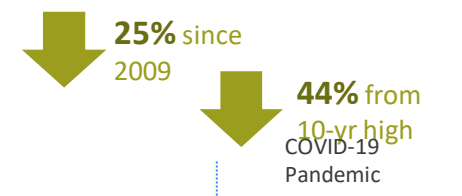
\*\* Since beginning of START clinical operations on 7/21/21

\*\*\* 6 months pre-incarceration inpatient admissions compared to 6 months post-release.

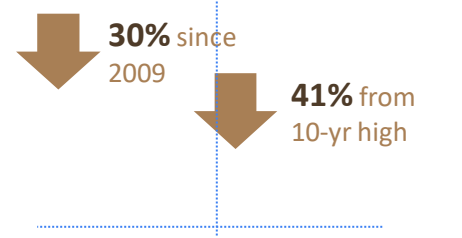
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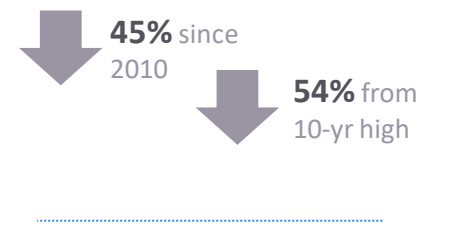
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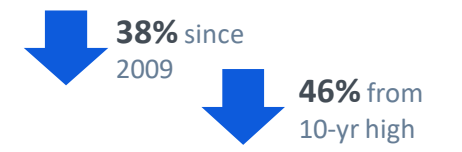
## New Criminal Cases Filed



## York County Prison Admissions

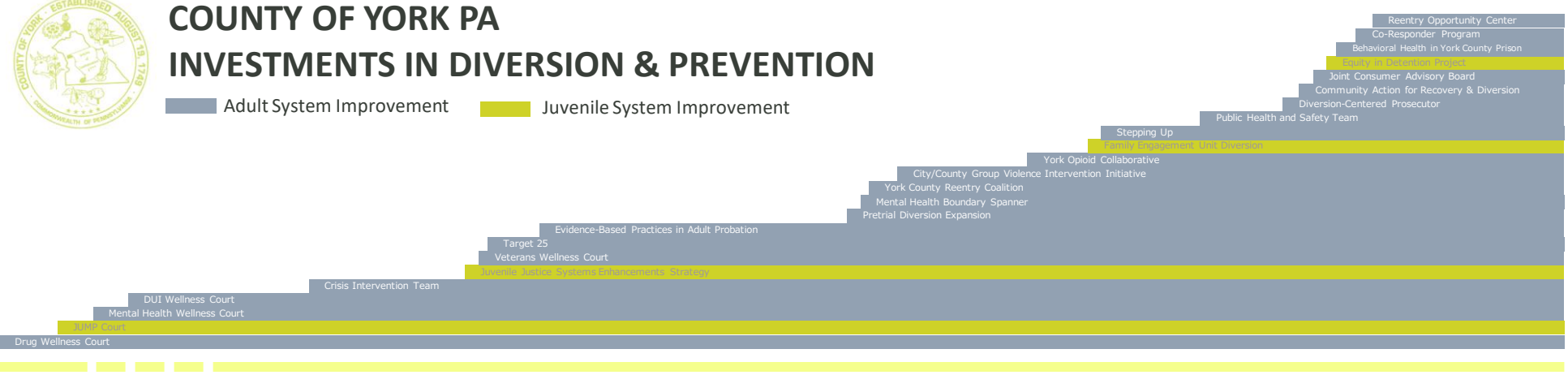


## Prison Avg Daily Population



# COUNTY OF YORK PA INVESTMENTS IN DIVERSION & PREVENTION

■ Adult System Improvement ■ Juvenile System Improvement



1997 2010 2015 2020

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# York County PA Complex Care Ecosystem



**Community Action for  
Recovery and Diversion**



**YORK COUNTY  
REENTRY COALITION**

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Connected  
Communities of Care  
& Medica



# Lead the way.....



Three Takeaways you can Implement Next:

- HRSN Screening & Data
- Integrated Teams
- Collaborate across your community



# Thank You!



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**Thank you, Lauran!**

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# Break

Upcoming at 2:00 p.m. - Breakout Sessions

## Conference room 101

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Up next:

## Breakout Session #1

# *Innovations out of the Covid-19 Pandemic*

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Start time: 2:00 pm



# Welcome to Breakout Session I

Innovations out of the Covid-19 Pandemic

# Breakout Session I

Leslie Morse, DO, Chair and Professor, Department of Rehabilitation Medicine,  
University of Minnesota School of Medicine



Dr. Leslie Morse, DO, is Chair and Professor, Department of Rehabilitation Medicine, University of Minnesota School of Medicine. She is also Co-Project Director of the recently funded Minnesota Regional Spinal Cord Injury Model System. Her research, as well as her clinical focus, is the care of individuals with SCI, with a long-term goal of developing mechanism-based therapies to prevent and treat secondary health complications after injury. To that end, she is studying the impact of exoskeleton-assisted ambulation on bone health, neuropathic pain, and quality of life after SCI (a clinical trial supported by the Department of Defense). Dr. Morse completed her medical training at the University of New England and her residency in PM&R at Boston Medical Center. Author of more than 90 publications, she has received several national awards and presented her work nationally and internationally.

Research interests: spinal cord injury and osteoporosis, neuropathic pain, therapies for bone health in SCI, health benefits of exercise in SCI, biomarkers of neurological recovery



# Breakout Session I

Shelly Novotny, MBC, Neurosciences/MSK Service Line Manager  
M Health Fairview Clinics and Surgery Center Neurosurgery, Spine, PM&R, Pain



Shelley Novotny has a background and a Master's degree in business communication, Shelley brings a unique skillset to healthcare leadership. Employed with M Physicians since 2013, Shelley has served in various roles. Currently, she serves as Neurosciences Service Line Manager at the University and Maple Grove locations with the following clinics: Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Pain, Neurosurgery, and Neurology.

# Breakout Session I

Margaret Paulson, DO, Assistant Professor of Medicine at the Mayo Clinic College of Medicine and Science



Dr. Margaret Paulson is an Assistant Professor of Medicine at the Mayo Clinic College of Medicine and Science. She has experience in providing care across the spectrum of Internal Medicine including outpatient and inpatient settings, nursing home, home health and correctional medicine. She currently practices as a rural hospitalist in the Mayo Clinic Health System in the Northwest Wisconsin (NWWI) region. In 2019, she became the Medical Director for NWWI in the exciting establishment of Mayo Clinic's Advanced Care at Home (ACH) program, an innovative platform offering hospital-level care in the home. The launch of ACH allowed Dr. Paulson to call upon her experience in outpatient and inpatient Internal Medicine to expand high quality telemedicine in transformational ways for Mayo Clinic. She also leads NWWI's Home Health program and is particularly interested in healthcare delivery innovations to improve patients' lives by partnering in-person and virtual teams.

# MHealth Fairview Adult Post-COVID Clinic: An Innovative, Value Based Acute Care Delivery Approach

**5<sup>th</sup> Annual Medica ACO Engagement Summit**  
**October 22-24, 2020**

Shelly Novotny, MBC  
Neurosciences/MSK Service Line Manager  
M Health Fairview Clinics and Surgery Center  
Neurosurgery, Spine, PM&R, Pain

Leslie Morse, DO  
Department Head and Professor,  
Department of Rehabilitation Medicine  
University of Minnesota School of Medicine



# Disclosures/Conflicts

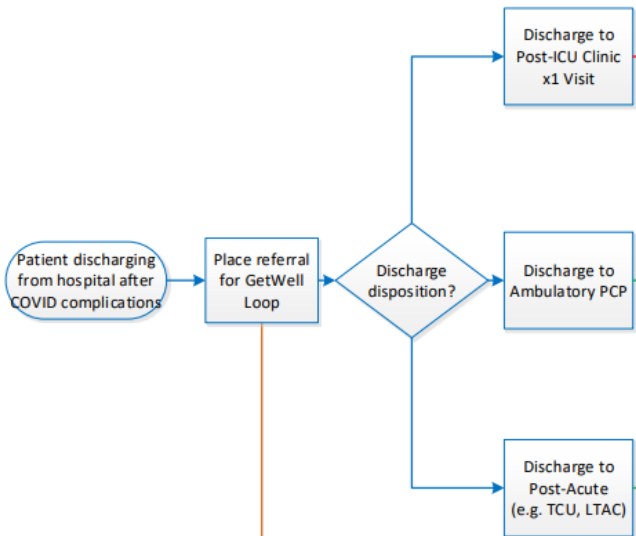
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- No relevant disclosures or conflicts to report

# Identification of a Clinical Need

- Care Map Developed and Implemented (2/2021)
- Clinics
  - ICU Survivorship Clinic
  - Post COVID Adult Clinic
  - Direct Therapy Referrals
  - Pediatric Clinic

### Hospital Discharge



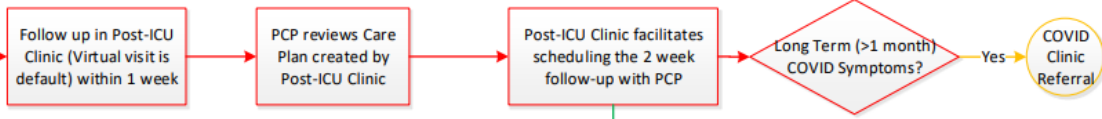
### Care Coordination

Care Coordination RN provides outreach phone call within 24-48 hours after discharge

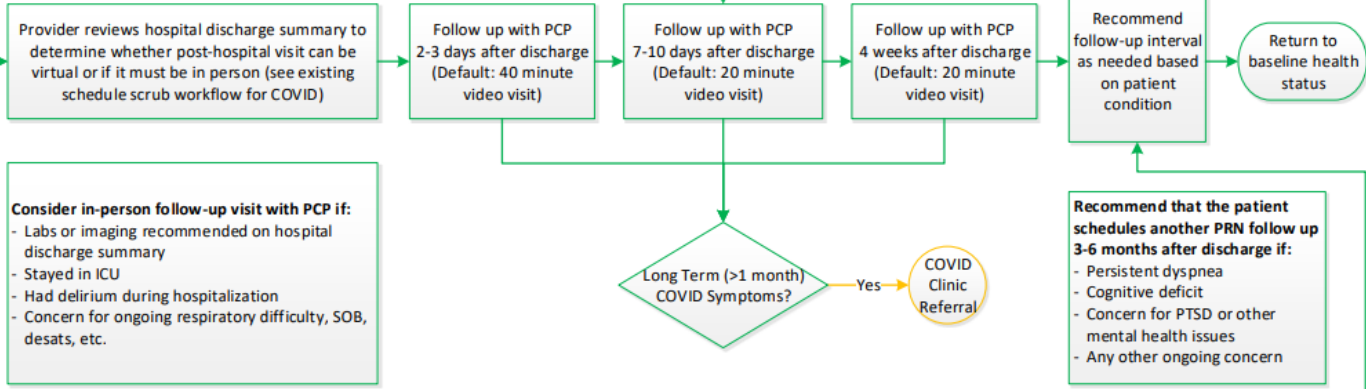
- Review status
- Med Review
- Social Assessment
- Review isolation recommendations
- Confirm patient has enrolled in GetWell Loop

### ICU Survivorship Clinic

Intended for patients admitted to the ICU with vent for >48 hours, ARDS, Septic shock requiring pressors or Delirium



### Primary Care



**Consider in-person follow-up visit with PCP if:**

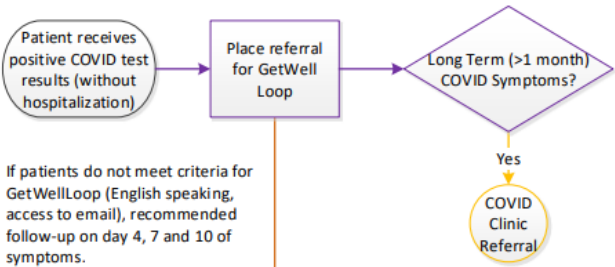
- Labs or imaging recommended on hospital discharge summary
- Stayed in ICU
- Had delirium during hospitalization
- Concern for ongoing respiratory difficulty, SOB, desats, etc.

**Recommend that the patient schedules another PRN follow up 3-6 months after discharge if:**

- Persistent dyspnea
- Cognitive deficit
- Concern for PTSD or other mental health issues
- Any other ongoing concern

### Ambulatory Diagnosis/Management

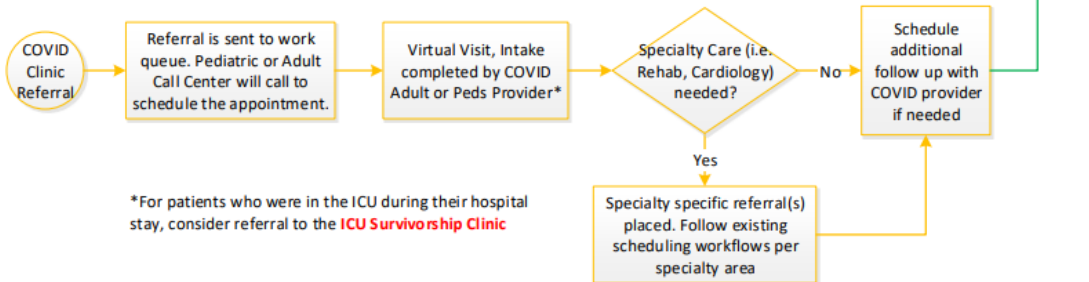
See Adult Treatment Guidance in the Ambulatory Setting



### Adult Post COVID Clinic / Pediatric COVID Clinic

The **Adult Post COVID Clinic** is intended for patients with long-term COVID (>1month) symptoms and a positive COVID test result.

The **Pediatric COVID Clinic** will triage the patient to the appropriate services and medical specialties.



\*For patients who were in the ICU during their hospital stay, consider referral to the **ICU Survivorship Clinic**





# Ambulatory COVID Care Options

<i>Post COVID Care</i>	<i>ICU Survivorship</i>	<i>Adult Clinic</i>	<i>Pediatric Clinic</i>	<i>Rehab Therapies</i>
<i>Patient Criteria</i>	<i>Any ONE of the following): Intubation &gt; 48 hours, diagnoses of ARDS (Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome), Shock of any kind, ICU delirium (COVID AND non-COVID patients).</i>	<i>Centralized service for patients experiencing ongoing, longer term physical and/or cognitive symptoms resulting from COVID (long haulers). Ideal patients will be 3-4 weeks post-hospital discharge or non-hospitalized with ongoing functional deficits.*</i>	<i>Centralized evaluation service for pediatric patients who have been potentially exposed to COVID-19 or are COVID-19 positive (asymptomatic or symptomatic both acute and long-term) to facilitate optimal care.*</i>	<i>Post COVID confirmed. Direct outpatient referrals to individual M Health Fairview Rehabilitation Services (PT, OT, Speech, Pulmonary Rehab, Cardiac Rehab) can be entered at any stage as needed (i.e., upon discharge, at follow-up with primary care, following post-COVID clinic, etc.).</i>
<i>Description</i>	<i>Centralized multi-disciplinary care for critical illness survivors, patients are seen by pulmonary/critical care specialists, as well as a clinical psychologist. The provider will identify unique patient needs, develop a treatment plan, and refer to other services if needed.</i>	<i>Clinic provides an initial comprehensive assessment virtually by a COVID provider designated by the M Health Fairview Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation Dept. The provider will identify the patients' needs, develop a treatment plan, and refer patients to physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, pulmonary rehab, cardiac rehab, neuropsychology, behavioral health, and other specialty services as appropriate.</i>	<i>Clinic providers an initial intake assessment virtually, by a specific provider at the UMP Peds ID Department, who will identify the patients' needs, develop a treatment plan, and refer patients pediatric physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, pulmonary rehab, cardiac rehab, neuropsychology, behavioral health, and other specialty services as appropriate.</i>	<i>If only one service is ordered, rehab therapists will screen for additional rehab needs and request further orders as needed. Therapists create individualized treatment plans to address each patient's unique post-COVID rehabilitation needs and goals. Clinical focus and therapist training are based on the most current COVID literature and best practices.</i>
<i>Referral Options</i>	<i>M Health Fairview Epic and Legacy HealthEast Epic: Go to Add Order; Search "ICU Survivorship Clinic" complete and sign order. OR Submit through COVID-19 Epic SmartSet.</i>	<i>Referrals will be routed via Epic to the Adult Call Center for scheduling. M Health Fairview Epic and Legacy HealthEast Epic: Go to Add Order; Search "Adult Post-COVID Clinic Referral"; Select Order; Complete and sign. OR Submit through COVID-19 Epic SmartSet.</i>	<i>Referrals will be routed via Epic to the Call Center for scheduling. M Health Fairview Epic and Legacy HealthEast Epic: Go to Add Order; Search "Pediatric COVID Clinic Referral"; Select Order; Complete and sign. OR Submit through COVID-19 Epic SmartSet.</i>	<i>Referrals – M Health Fairview and Legacy HealthEast Epic: Submit referrals to M Health Fairview Rehabilitation Services per the normal process. Indicate COVID-19 on the referral as appropriate. OR Submit through COVID-19 Epic SmartSet.</i>

# Post COVID Adult Clinic

- The new M Health Fairview Adult Post-COVID Clinic was launched in December 2020 to respond to the unique recovery needs of COVID survivors. The Clinic intends to treat post-COVID patients who have either been hospitalized and are 3-4 weeks post-hospital discharge or have not been hospitalized but exhibit ongoing functional deficits. The Post-COVID Clinic will provide each patient with a virtual health assessment to identify predominant symptoms and rehabilitation needs in order to make an individualized treatment plan and refer the patient to the appropriate specialists. Featured specialties include physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, pulmonary rehab, cardiac rehab, neuropsychology, and behavioral health.
- Referrals (referrals will be routed via Epic to the Adult Call Center for scheduling)
  - M Health Fairview Epic and Legacy HealthEast Epic: Go to Add Order; Search Adult Post-COVID Clinic Referral; Select Order; Complete and Sign Order
  - OR Submit through COVID-19 Epic SmartSet
  - Call 612-626-6688

# Novel Aspects of the Post Covid Adult Clinic

- Multi-disciplinary in nature but housed/supported by PMR Clinic
  - Collaborative in nature
  - Internal Medicine, Physiatrists, Infectious Disease, Neurology Providers
  - Entirely Virtual clinic with virtual rooming support from the Innovation Lab
  - Supported by Adult Neuropsychology Division
  - Framework for an interdisciplinary learner experience



# Working Groups

- COVID Clinician Working Group
  - Continues to meet weekly to share challenging cases and current evidence-based clinical approaches
- COVID Research Group
  - Continues to meet weekly
- COVID Ops Working Group
  - Met weekly initially, now monthly to

# Meeting the Need

- All Initial Visits are Virtual
- Dedicated team of visit facilitators troubleshoot any technical challenges, “room” the patients and schedule follow-ups
- In 2021, access was a challenge most patients were scheduling several months out.
- In 2022, brought in additional MD and APP
- Currently, available access is one to two weeks out

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*It's very disappointing that it takes 3 months to get in for covid care*

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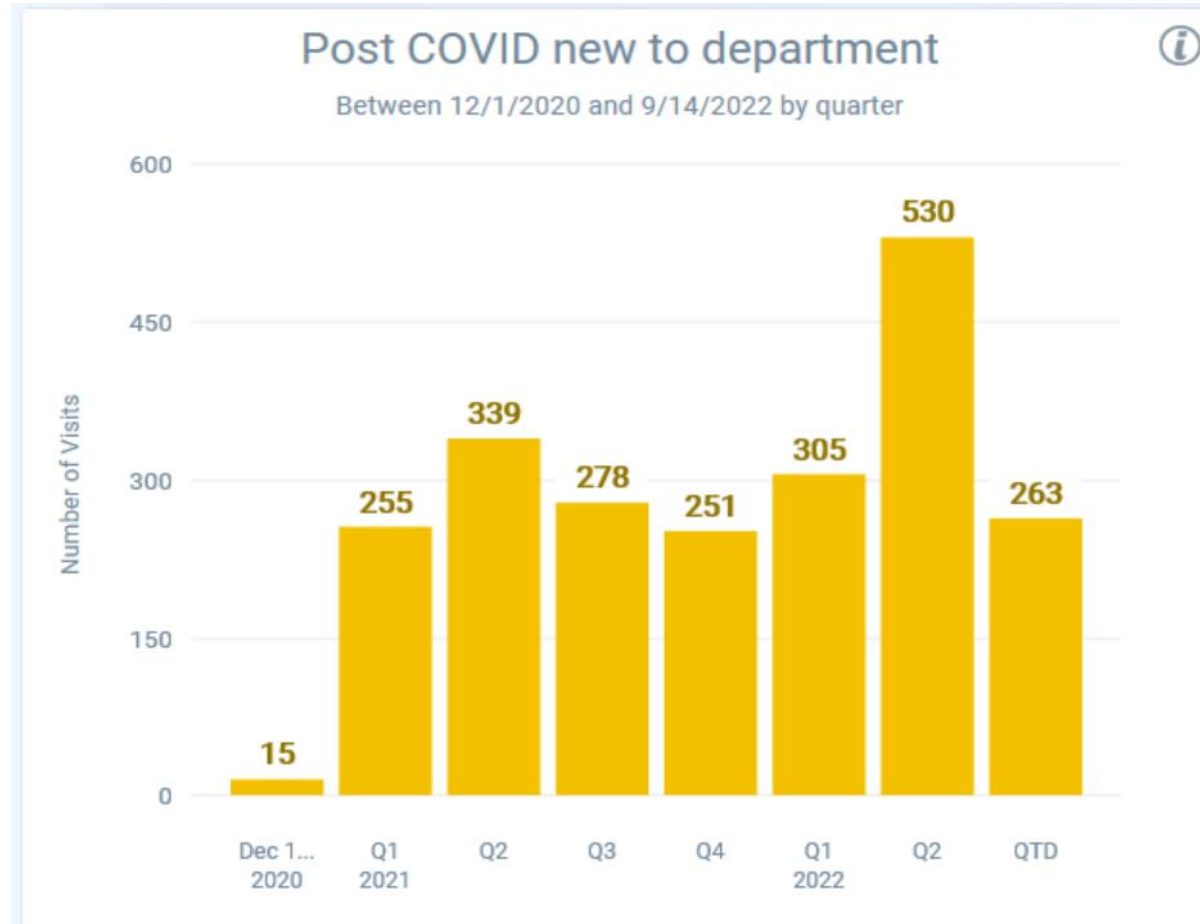
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*This appointment was at the post COVID clinic — was the best communication I have ever had with a provider — it was a virtual visit and I felt as though Elena's attention was totally focused on me — I have since told several people about this clinic knowing they will get the help they need to deal with this terrible illness — on a scale of 1 to 10 it rates a 10+++++++ — thanks for this opportunity*

”



# Patient Volumes



*Having long Covid is such an isolating and difficult thing to live through. The caring nature of the team and the detailed and precise way of caring for me brought me to tears with relief. You made a positive difference in my life with just this first visit. Truly, thank you.*

# COVID Research

Office of Academic Clinical Affairs  
**Covid-19 Updates**

ASK A QUESTION

COVID-19 Updates

## UMN Clinical Trials

Clinical trials help doctors determine if a medication is a safe and effective treatment for people with COVID-19. The University of Minnesota is conducting several clinical trials to test whether different medications can help prevent, treat, or reduce the severity of this disease.

We need people like you to participate in a trial and help us learn how to help. Your participation is critical in helping doctors understand what medicines are safe to use for our families and friends so that we can all return to our normal lives. You do not have to live in Minnesota to participate; anyone in the United States can contact us to learn more.

### UMN COVID-19 Studies that Need Volunteers

See clinical trials to test experimental medicines that could help those with coronavirus:

Go to UMN COVID Studies

Determine which trial may be right for you



# Long Term Neuropsych Outcomes

- UMN group published 3 papers describing long term (6 month) cognitive and psychological outcome from COVID-19
  - examined consecutive outpatients referred from our Long COVID clinic for neuropsychological evaluation
  - All cognitive domains, performance validity, and emotional functioning were examined

Whiteside, D.M., Naini, S.M., Basso, M.R., Waldron, E., Holker, E., Porter, J., Niskanen, N., Melnik, T., & Taylor, S. (2022b). Outcomes in Post-Acute Sequelae of COVID-19 (PASC) at 6 Months Post-Infection Part 2: Psychological Functioning. Published online in *The Clinical Neuropsychologist* on January 31, 2022 .

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# Cognitive Functioning in Long COVID-19

- Results suggest that objective cognitive functioning and subjective complaints do not match up
- Results were consistent with other new research suggesting that biomarkers for neurological dysfunction normalized after 6 months post-infection (Kanberg et al., 2021)
- Objective results are related to mood/anxiety rather than neurological dysfunction
- Other factors such as fatigue may play a role
- PVTs need to be included
- Mental Health interventions important for Long COVID patients

# Psychological Functioning Conclusions

- Somatic pre-occupation and anxiety are common
- Depression is also common
- Anxiety about cognitive functioning was also prevalent
- Is this a somatization disorder?
  - Many participants did not fit this diagnostic category well in spite of the somatic preoccupation
  - Seems to more depression/anxiety
  - Considerable stress for many participants and high prevalence of premorbid psychiatric issues

# Conclusions

- Increasing evidence that cognitive concerns in PASC are related to current psychiatric and psychological issues
  - Clinicians should include recommendations/referrals for mental health issues
- Disrupted sleep, fatigue and pain may also play a role
- Evidence argues against neurological disruption at this time
- However, the research is still limited
- Cognitive complaints and objective cognitive functioning are not correlated.
  - Why?
  - Misattribution of symptoms, overestimation of premorbid functioning, and even intentional feigning should be considered

# Clinical Research Efforts

- Existing Clinical Databases
  - Neuropsych retrospective and prospective
  - Rehab (retrospective)
- ALPS-COVID trial: A longitudinal bioassay study of Covid-19 and angiotensin receptor blockade
  - Chris Tignanelli, MD
  - Mike Puskarich, MD
- Planned Projects
  - assess mortality (post ICU)
  - Patient registry



# Thank You!



A collaboration among the University of Minnesota,  
University of Minnesota Physicians and Fairview Health Services

# Caring for Acutely Ill Patients Outside of Hospital Walls: Hospital at Home

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Medical Director – Advanced Care at  
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Mayo Clinic Health System – Eau Claire, WI  
October 11, 2022



# Disclosures

- None

# Advanced Care at Home

The Original Home Hospital



*The Doctor 1891 Oil on  
Canvas by Luke Fildes*



# Advanced Care at Home

First Hospital in the United States

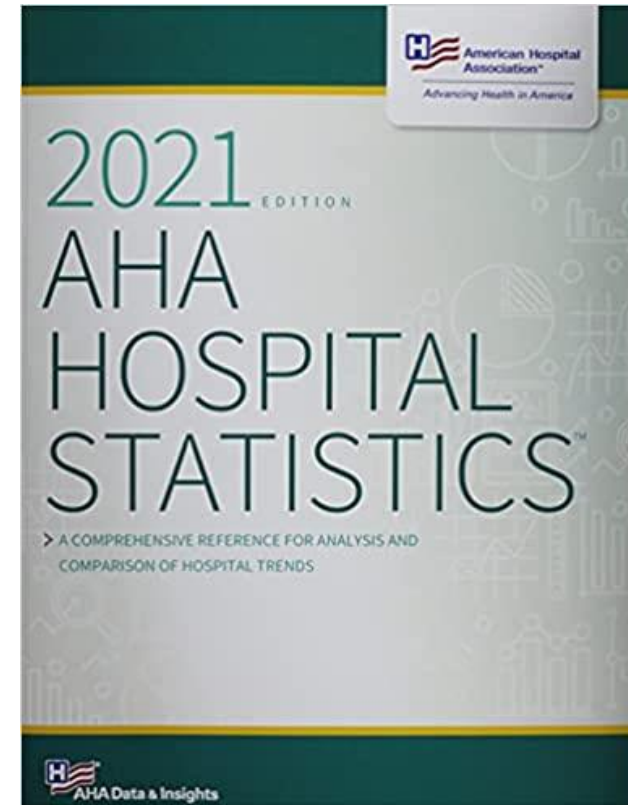


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- Pennsylvania Hospital -1751
  - Dr. Thomas Bond and Ben Franklin
  - “To care for the sick-poor and insane who were wandering the streets of Philadelphia”

# From 1751 to 2021

- Over 6000 hospitals in the United States
- >900,000 hospital beds
- >36 million admissions annually
- >\$1.1 trillion – hospital costs



Ideas and Opinions | 6 October 2020

## How Hospital Stays Resemble Enhanced Interrogation

Kenneth J. Mishark, MD  , Holly Geyer, MD, Peter A. Ubel, MD

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# Advanced Care at Home



**What problems can hospital at home solve?**

# Problem Solved: Capacity



National

## Inside a hospital as the coronavirus surges: Where will all patients go?

An open bed is "a gift" at a Wisconsin hospital where patients can't believe people still don't take COVID-19 seriously



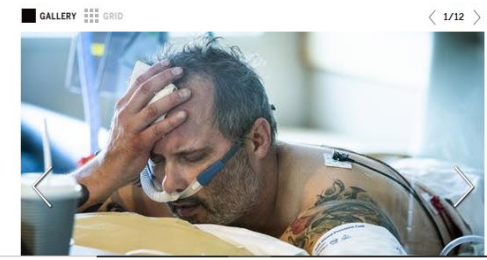
Mayo Clinic paramedic Adam Glass, center, helps load an ambulance that will take her from the Eau Claire, Wis. She will finish her recovery while being monitored electrophysiologically. (Photo by Michael S. Williamson/The Washington Post)

### CORONAVIRUS

## 'No beds anywhere': Minnesota hospitals strained to limit by COVID-19

Open ICU beds were down to single digits in some parts of Minnesota last week, when Gov. Tim Walz ordered a four-week shutdown of bars and other venues.

By Jeremy Olson Star Tribune | NOVEMBER 22, 2020 — 11:40AM



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Minnesota reports 6 COVID-19 cases, 5 deaths

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### By The Numbers

## Federal Data Reveal Which Hospitals Are Dangerously Full This Week. Is Yours?

February 8, 2021 - 3:15 PM ET

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TRACKING THE CORONAVIRUS

U.S. cases | Hospitals | Vaccines | World cases



# Problem Solved: Quality

## 2009 Meta-Analysis



- Meta-analysis of 10 HaH RCTs including n=1,372 patients
- 38% reduction in six month mortality (p<0.05)
- Trend toward higher patient satisfaction
- Trend toward reduction in cost.

## 2012 Meta-Analysis



- Meta-analysis of 61 HaH RCTs including n=6,992 patients age >16 yrs
- 19% reduction in mortality (p<0.05)
- 25% reduction in readmission (p<0.05)
- Significant reduction in cost
- Higher patient satisfaction

*Shepperd S, Doll H, Angus RM, et al. Avoiding hospital admission through provision of hospital care at home: a systematic review and meta-analysis of individual patient data. CMAJ. 2009. 180(2):175-182.*

*Caplan, GA, Sulaiman NS, Mangin DA, et al. A meta-analysis of "hospital in the home". MJA. 2012 197(9): 512-519.*

# Problem Solved: Quality

JAMA Internal Medicine | Review

## Alternative Strategies to Inpatient Hospitalization for Acute Medical Conditions A Systematic Review

Jared Conley, MD, PhD, MPH; Colin W. O'Brien, BS; Bruce A. Leff, MD; Shari Bolen, MD, MPH; Donna Zulman, MD, MS

- Improved sleep
- Increased mobility
- Improved recovery rates
- Reduced fall rates
- Higher patient engagement levels
- Reductions in the rates of incident delirium
- Reduced use of physical or chemical restraints
- Reduced sedative medication use
- *Beyond these measured patient outcomes, the research revealed high levels of provider satisfaction with the model*

Annals of Internal Medicine |

ORIGINAL RESEARCH

## Hospital-Level Care at Home for Acutely Ill Adults

A Randomized Controlled Trial

David M. Levine, MD, MPH, MA; Kei Ouchi, MD, MPH; Bonnie Blanchfield, ScD; Agustina Saenz, MD, MPH; Kimberly Burke, BA; Mary Paz, BA; Keren Diamond, RN, MBA; Charles T. Pu, MD; and Jeffrey L. Schnipper, MD, MPH

### Clinical

- HaH patients used fewer healthcare resources
- Improved activity levels, equivalent functional status, fewer safety events
- Length of stay, patient quality & safety measures, patient satisfaction similar between groups

### Readmission

- No HaH patients were transferred back to an acute care hospital in this study
- Patients were significantly less likely to require readmissions within 30 days (7% vs. 23%)

### Cost Reduction

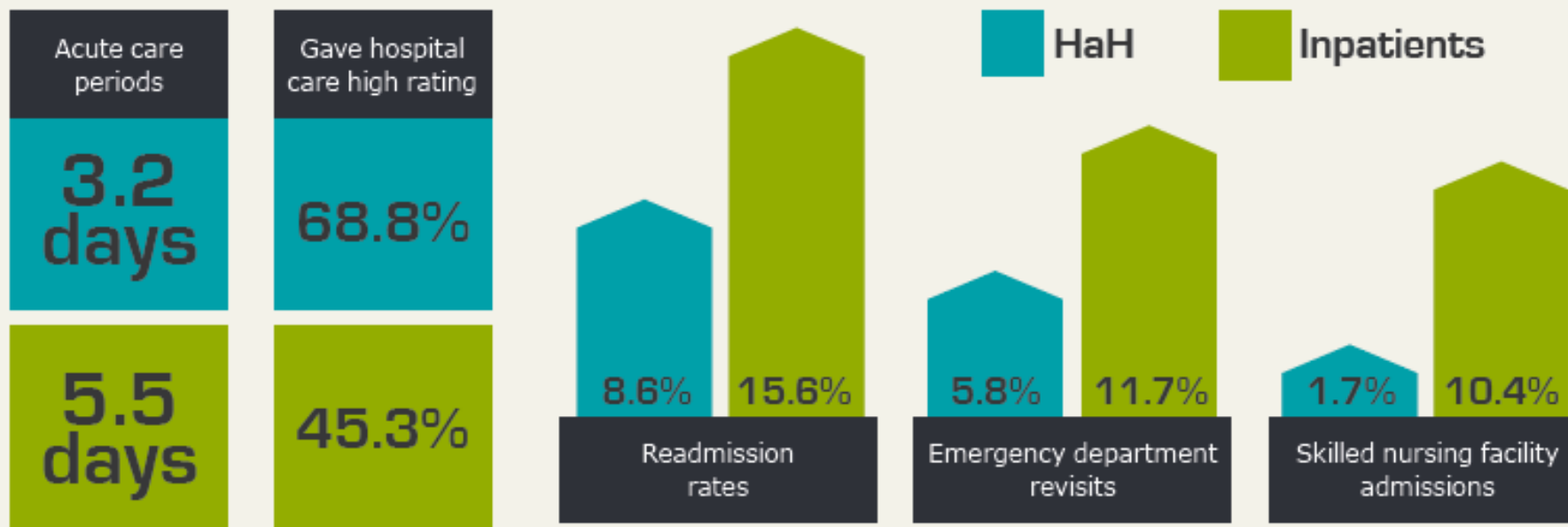
- Adjusted direct cost of HaH [and HaH acute plus 30-day post-acute period] was by 20-40% of inpatient hospital control arm

# Problem Solved: Utilization



## Hospital-at-Home vs. Hospital Inpatients

In 2014, the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Innovation gave the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai a grant to study the clinical effectiveness of hospital-at-home (HaH) care bundled with a 30-day postacute period of home-based transitional care. The researchers compared the outcomes of 295 patients participating in the HaH project and 212 concurrently admitted hospital inpatients who were HaH eligible but refused participation or who were seen in emergency departments when a HaH admission could not be initiated. Results included the following:



Source: JAMA Intern Med 2018;178(8):1033-40.



resounding yes. In fact, we couldn't be more serious. Mount Sinai's number one mission is to keep people out of the hospital. We're focused on population health management, as opposed to the traditional fee-for-service medicine. So instead of receiving care that's isolated and intermittent, patients receive care that's continuous and coordinated, much of it outside of the traditional hospital setting.

programs designed to help people stop smoking, lose weight and battle obesity, lower their blood pressure and reduce the risk of a heart attack. By being as proactive as possible, patients can better maintain their health and avoid disease.

Our Mobile Acute Care Team will treat patients at home who would otherwise require a hospital admission for certain conditions. The core team involves physicians, nurse practitioners,

paramedics, care coaches, physical therapists, occupational therapists, speech therapists, and home health aides.

Meanwhile, Mount Sinai's Preventable Admissions Care Team provides transitional care services to patients at high risk for readmission. After a comprehensive bedside assessment, social workers partner with patients, family caregivers and healthcare providers to identify known risks such as

continuing support after discharge. It's a sweeping change in the way that health care is delivered. And with the new system comes a new way to measure success. The number of empty beds.

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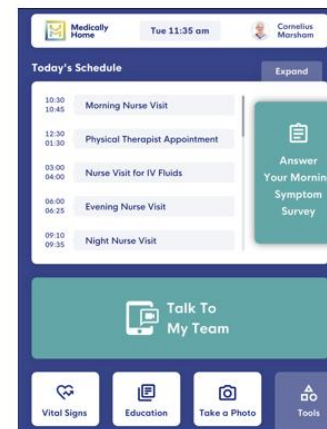
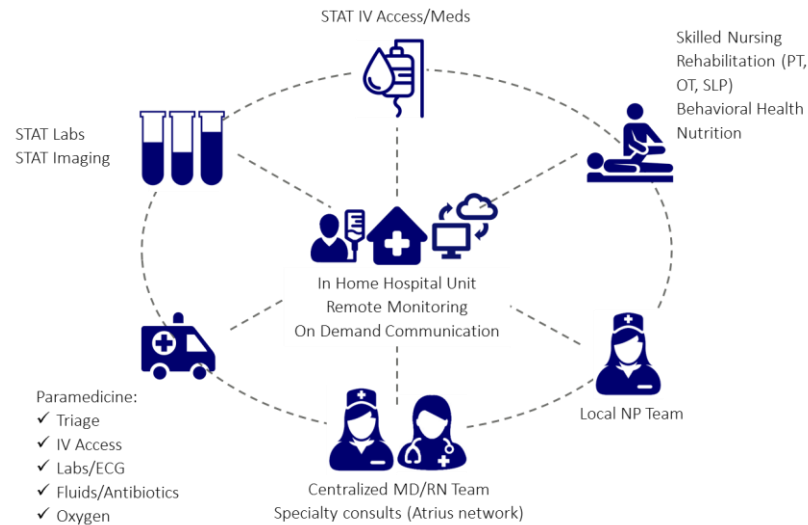
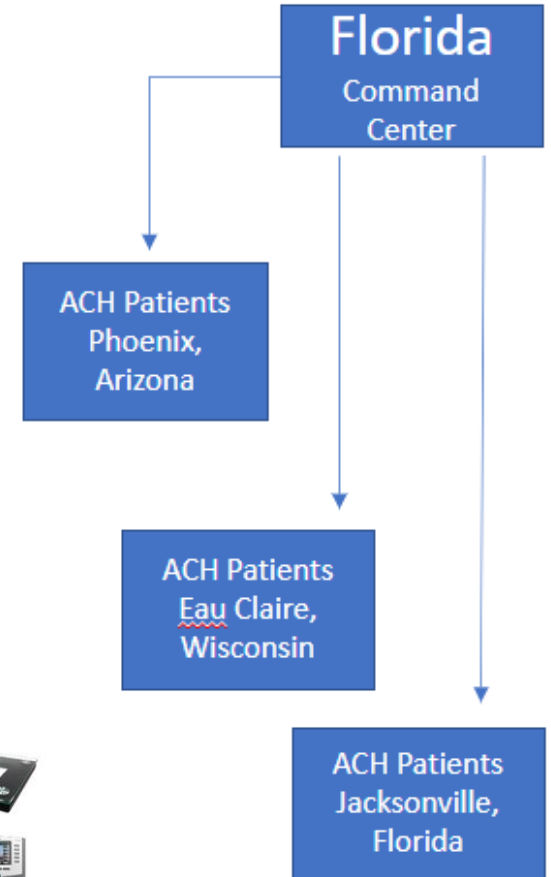


# IF OUR BEDS ARE FILLED, IT MEANS WE'VE FAILED.



# Advanced Care at Home Key Components

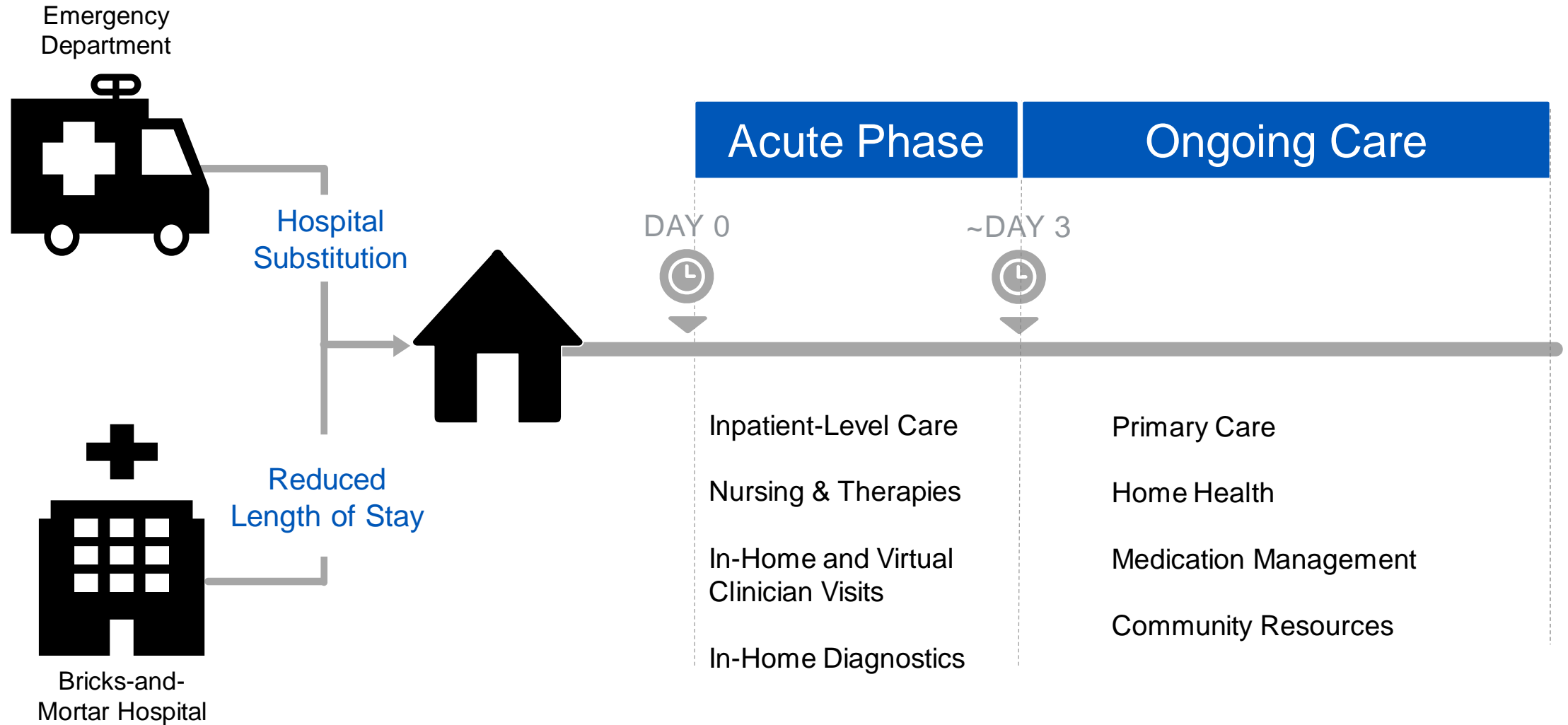
- Command Center
- In-Home Technology
- Supplier Network







# ACH Patient Journey





# Mayo Clinic Experience Providing HaH Care

## Severity of Illness

**2.8**

Acuity of patients in ACH is comparable to the B&M hospital demonstrating that acute, but stable patients can effectively be cared for at home

## Reducing Readmissions

**25%**

30-day hospital readmission is approximately 25-30% lower than the comparable population within the traditional hospital practice

## Post ACH Mortality

**<2%**

of patients that participated in ACH passed away within 30 days following their episode of care, not including hospice patients

## Likelihood to Recommend

**4.8**

Patient ranking, on a scale of 1 to 5, of how likely they are to recommend ACH to a family member or friend

## Patients Treated

**1300+**

Patients treated in our home hospital program since the inception of the program

## Provider Experience

**4.5**

Provider ranking, on a 1 to 5 scale, of how likely they are to recommend ACH to their family and friends



# Reimaging In-Home Care Across the Continuum



# Advocacy

- Current CMS waiver reimbursing hospital at home care tied to PHE
- Hospital Inpatient Services Modernization Act
  - S.3792
  - H.R. 7053
- Payer and provider collaboration on emerging models of care





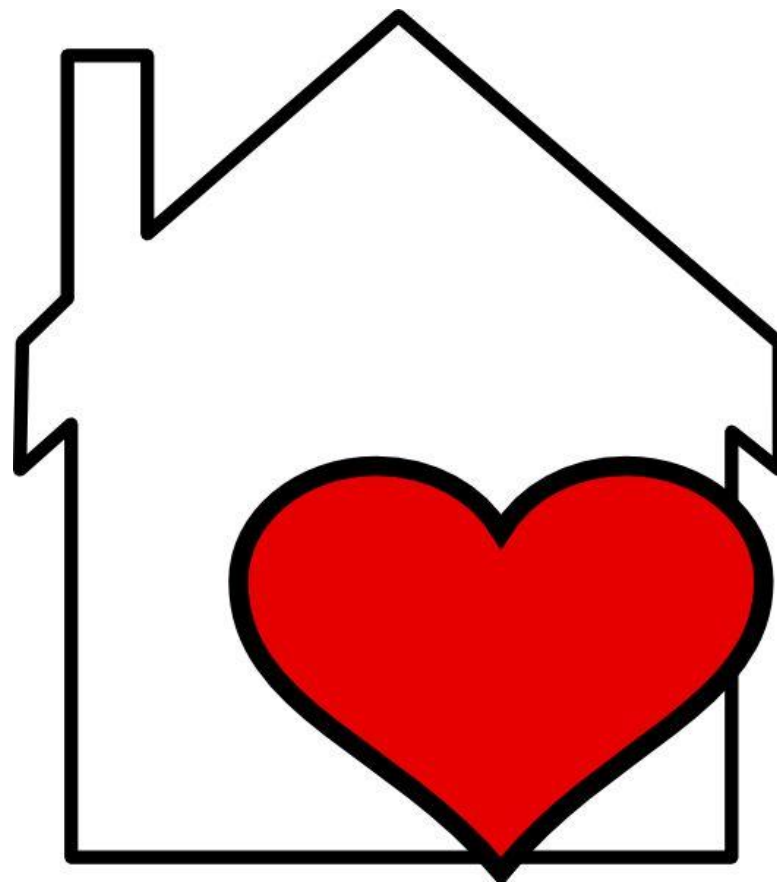
# The Needs of the Patient Come First



**Thank you!**

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# Break

Upcoming at 3:05 p.m. - Breakout Sessions

## Conference room 106

**Breakout Session #4:** Risk recapture strategies to support providers and members

Attendees will hear from a health system and payer on how they are partnering to engage providers in risk recapture strategies to ensure the risk of the population is accurately captured.

## Conference room 101

**Breakout Session #5:** Engaging patients with primary care

During this breakout session attendees will learn approaches to engaging patients with primary care. Attendees will learn from Park Nicollet on how they use their care consultants to ensure patients at risk receive appropriate follow-up and care. Medica will present member outreach models that have targeted non-users, preventable emergency department utilization, as well as out-of-network utilization.

Up next:  
**Breakout Session #5**  
*Engaging Patients with Primary  
Care*

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Start time: 3:05 pm



# Welcome to Breakout Session 5

Engaging Patients with Primary Care



# Breakout session 5

Hailee Buehler, RN, MBA Value Based Program Manager, Medica



Hailee Buehler RN, MBA is a Value Based Program Manager at Medica. Hailee's current role focuses on working closely with value-based care partners on clinical strategies and initiatives. Many of her projects involve implementing creative strategies to outreach to members to engage them with their ACO network. Hailee received her Bachelor's in Science Nursing from Winona State and recently completed her Master's in Business Administration. She is becoming a certified risk adjustment coder as risk adjustment is one of her areas of expertise. She has experience working as a clinical operations leader for a clinic that focused on delivering value based care to complex populations. This is where she developed a passion for engaging members with primary care as she feels it is an essential piece to managing complex patients.

# Breakout session 5

Angela Booher, RN, Sr. Director Care Coordination & Population Health, Park Nicollet



Currently the Senior Director of Care Management/Care Coordination and Population Health at HealthPartners. Has worked the past twenty years across the care continuum as a nurse specializing in Care Management, Process Improvement and Value Based Care. Has had the privilege to experience multiple leadership roles across the care continuum including post-acute, payer, in-patient, ambulatory and consulting.

# Breakout session 5

Dan Albright, MD, Regional Medical Director, Park Nicollet



Dan Albright, MD is a double-boarded physician of internal medicine and pediatrics. His expertise is in clinician compensation, population health and care model redesign. He has been a primary care operational leader for the past 13 years.

# Engaging Members with Primary Care



**Hailee Buehler**

RN, MBA, Value Based Program  
Manager

**Program description: The beginning of this breakout session will explore the engagement efforts underway at Medica. This discussion will highlight two strategies that were implemented within our IFB population to engage members in primary care. The third strategy spans across all eligible members in Value Based products.**

# Agenda

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**Trusted health plan  
of choice**

- Unattributed member campaign
- Alternatives to the Emergency Department (ED)
- Out-of-Network (OON) Warm Handoff Process





# MEMBER BEHAVIOR OBJECTIVE



## Benefit utilization

- Increase preventive care benefit utilization
- Reduce specialty care only users (Gain PCP attribution)
- Increase use of retail, telehealth and virtual care
- Decrease unattributed members



## Network utilization

- Reduce avoidable ED utilization
- Reduce OON ED to inpatient care
- Increasing attribution or transitioning care to preferred PCP provider
- Keep care within network

# Unattributed member campaign

## What we wanted to do

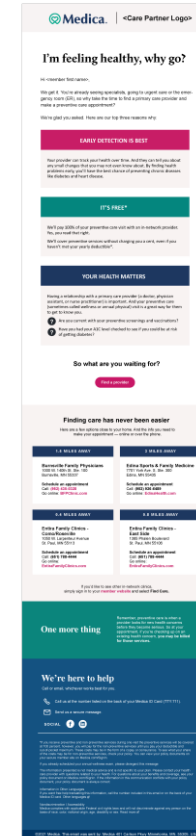
- Increase primary care attribution
- Reduce percentage of non-users and unattributed members

## Removed the guesswork with personalization

- Closest primary care clinic locations (2-4)
- Details about how to schedule an appointment with each featured clinic
- Recommended care member based on age and sex

## How we were going to drive response

- Non-users: Promotion of annual check up (preventive care services)
- Non-attributed: Establish with PCP

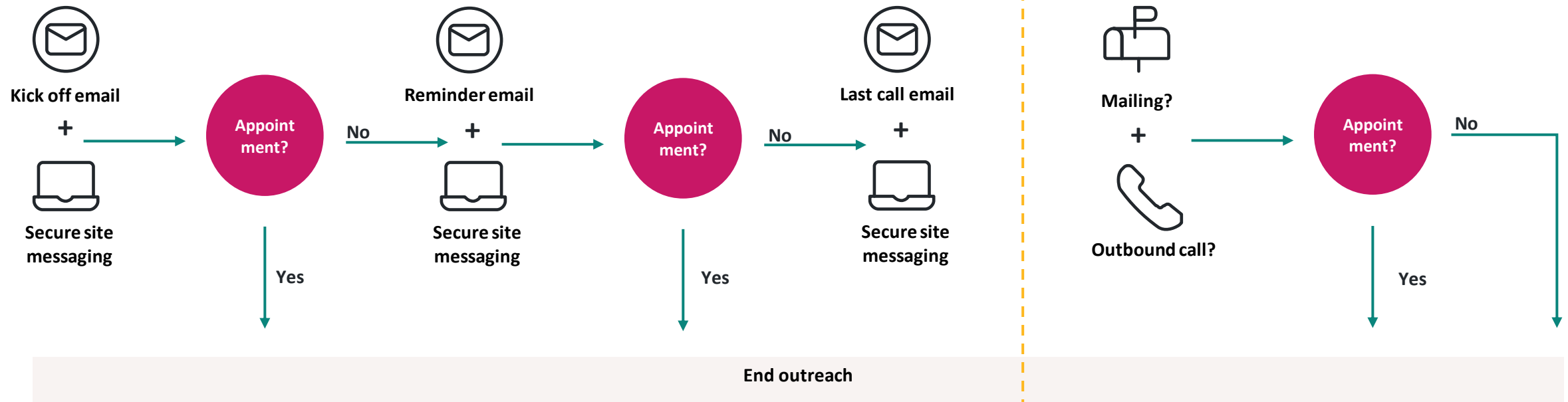


## 2022 Strategic Initiative:

- Decrease non-user rate by 2% in 2022

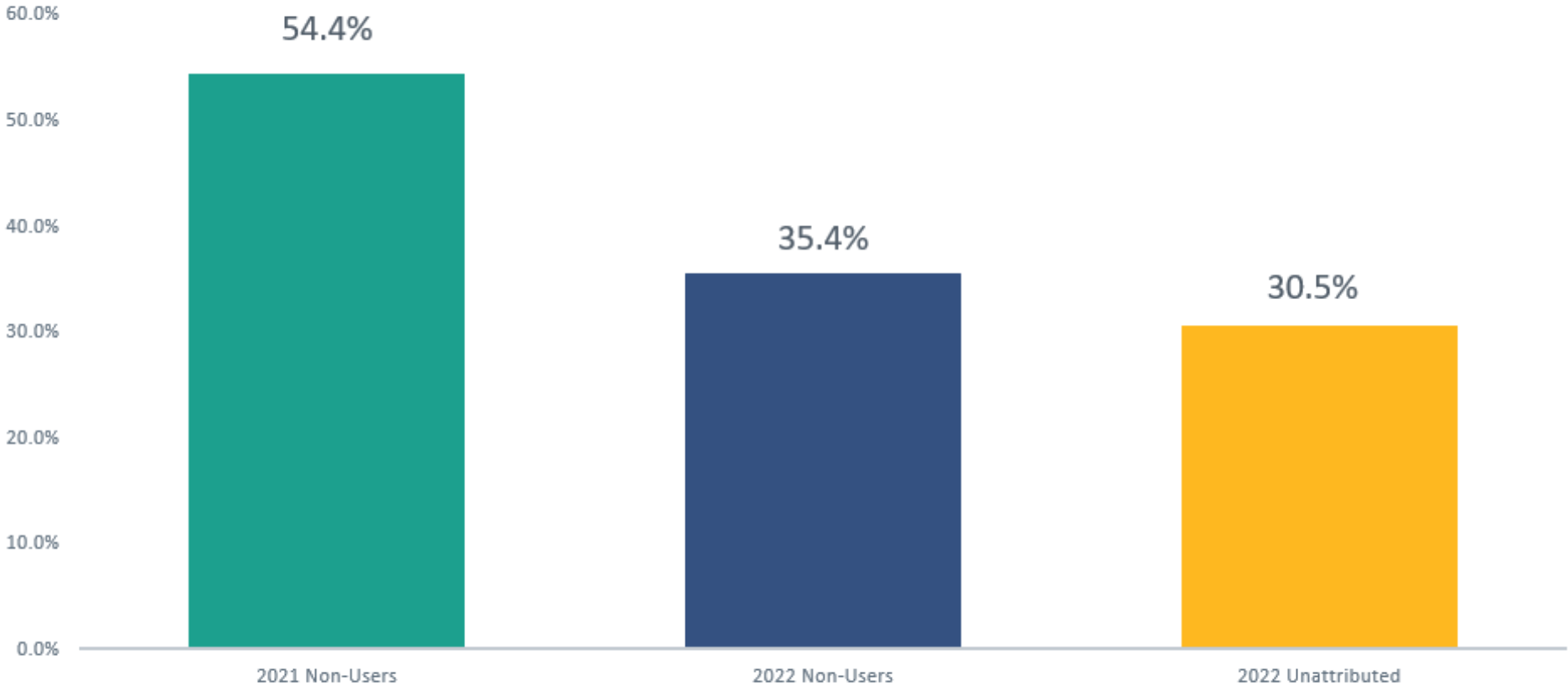
# How we're communicating + [care system] support

Medica led digital outreach + opportunity for care system follow up. Members will only continue on the journey if they don't take action to schedule or complete a visit.



**Optional:** Targeting list hand off for additional outreach by [care system]

# 2021 and 2022 Unattributed Member Campaign Results



5,400 members in the campaign have become active users in 2022



# Alternatives to the ED

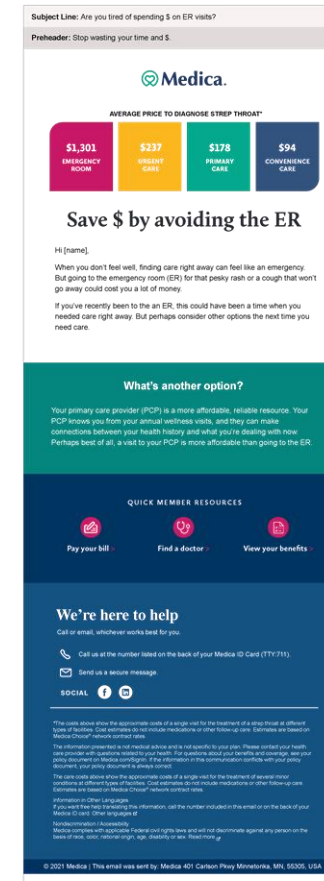
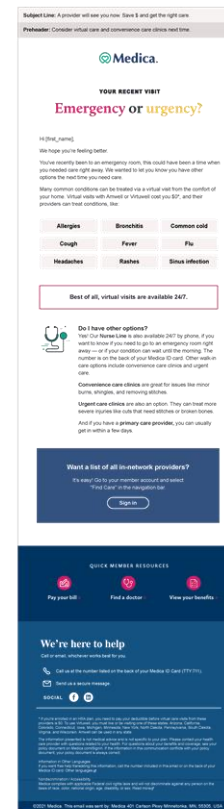
## What we wanted to do

- Reduce avoidable ED visits by educating members on alternative options to the ED after a recent visit

## How we were going to drive response

- Targeted outreach to help members understand costs for different care settings.
- 6 emails developed and will be deployed based on previous claims history and PCP attribution

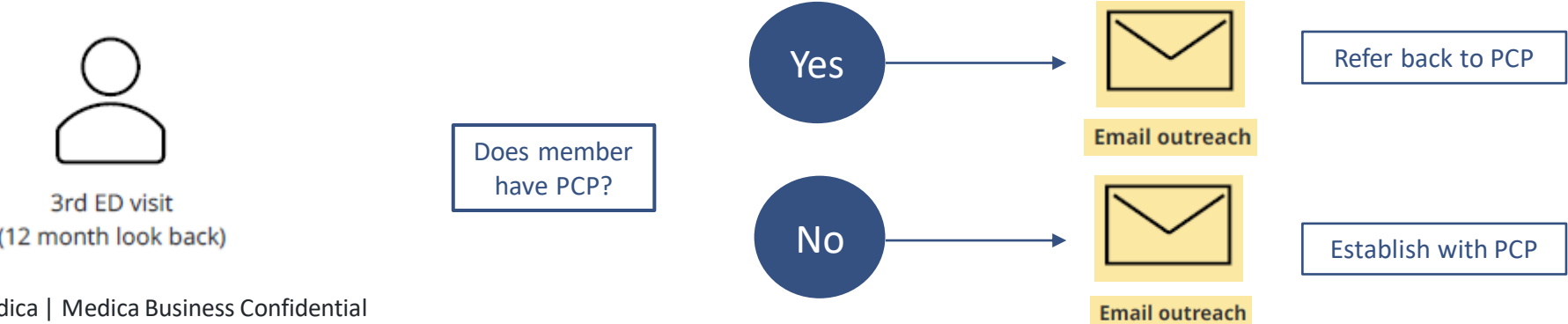
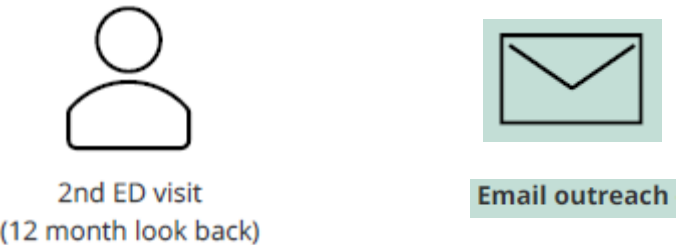
**Note:** Personalization was not available for phase 1, introducing in 2023.



## 2022 Strategic Initiative:

- Reduce potentially avoidable ED visits by 1% in 2022

# Avoidable ED visit reduction



# Alternatives to the ED- Measurement



## Latest results

- Emails sent: 670
- Open rate: ~30%



## Measurement

- Reduction of overall ED utilization
- Reduction of potentially avoidable ED utilization

# Out-Of-Network (OON) warm handoff process

## What we wanted to do

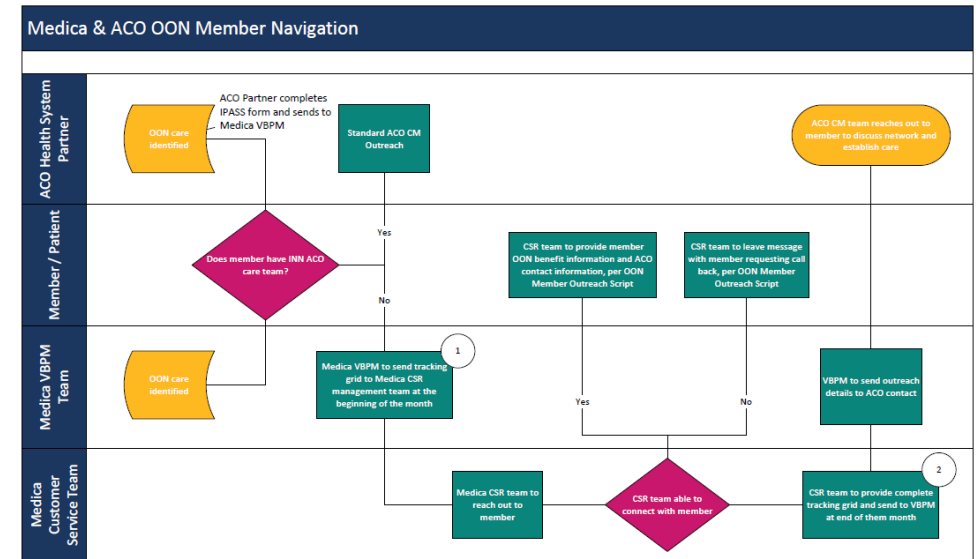
- Educate members on network benefits
- Increase direct spend
- Improve coordination of care
- Close the loop on member outreach

## How we were going to drive response

- Medica customer service outreach

## How members are identified

- Case management collaboration calls
- ACO identifies OON care
- Medica team identifies OON care



## 2022 Strategic Initiative:

- Decrease out-of-network utilization by 2% in 2022

# So what's the **Medica**.difference?

## Member Impact of Warm Handoff Process

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THANK YOU

# Integration of Team Based Care is a win for patients by improving quality, experience and efficiencies

**Dan Albright, M.D.**, Regional Medical Director/ Population Health Medical Lead  
**Angela Booher, RN, MA**, Sr. Director Population Health & Care Coordination



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I	The Purpose and connecting the dots
II	Who we are
III	What we do
IV	Why we did it this way
V	How this helps Patients connect better with Provider(s) and Care Teams
VI	Toolbox

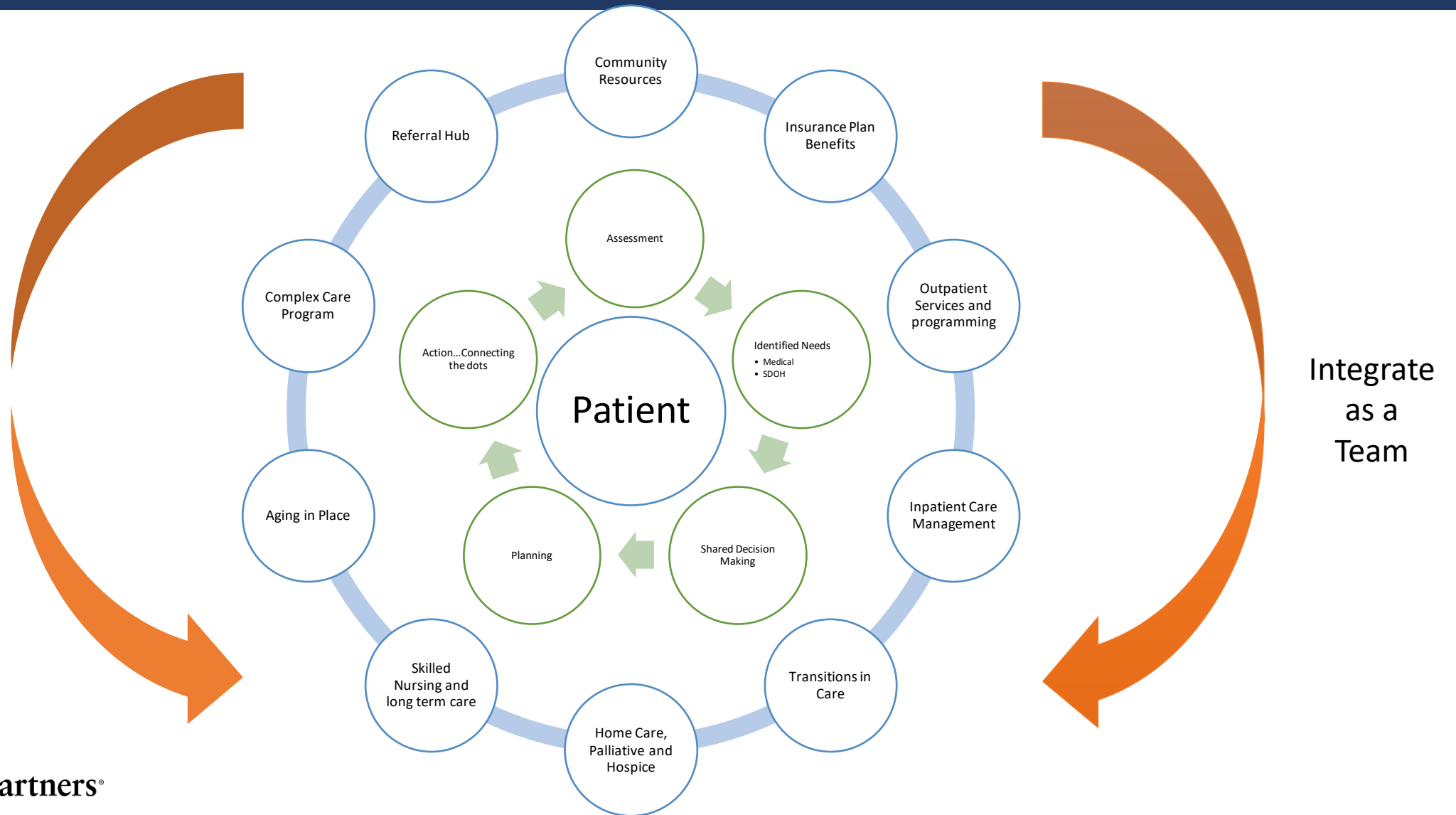
# Our Purpose

Value-based care flows directly from our vision...health as it could be, affordability as it must be through relationships built on trust



Right **Care**  
Right **Provider**  
Right **Setting**  
with the care necessary to  
achieve optimal outcomes, with  
an aligned financial model

# Connecting the Dots

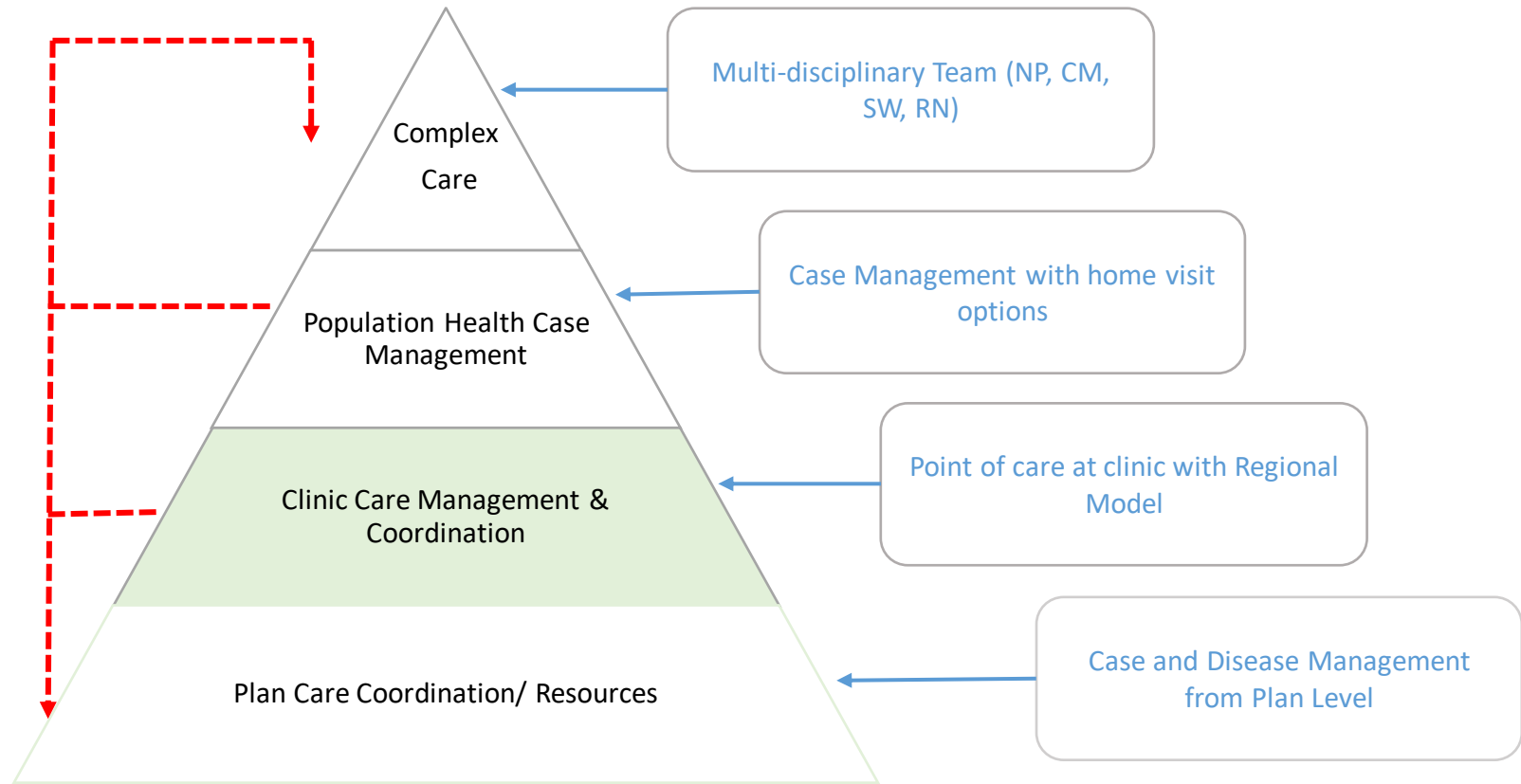




# Who we Are

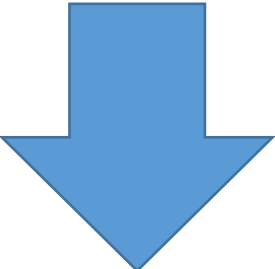
**Enrollment Triggers:**  
Patient has significant medical, behavioral or social risk factors (Moderate Complex, Complex, *some* New Chronic in the [risk segmentation model](#))  
*NOTE: patients that are able to manage their own care effectively may not need the level of care management provided by care coordination.*

**Key Success Drivers:**  
Progress towards either return to usual care (able to self-manage) or higher level of care (long-term supports in place); community resource connections; appropriate utilization during and after enrollment (e.g. ↓ER, ↓UC, ↓hospitalizations).



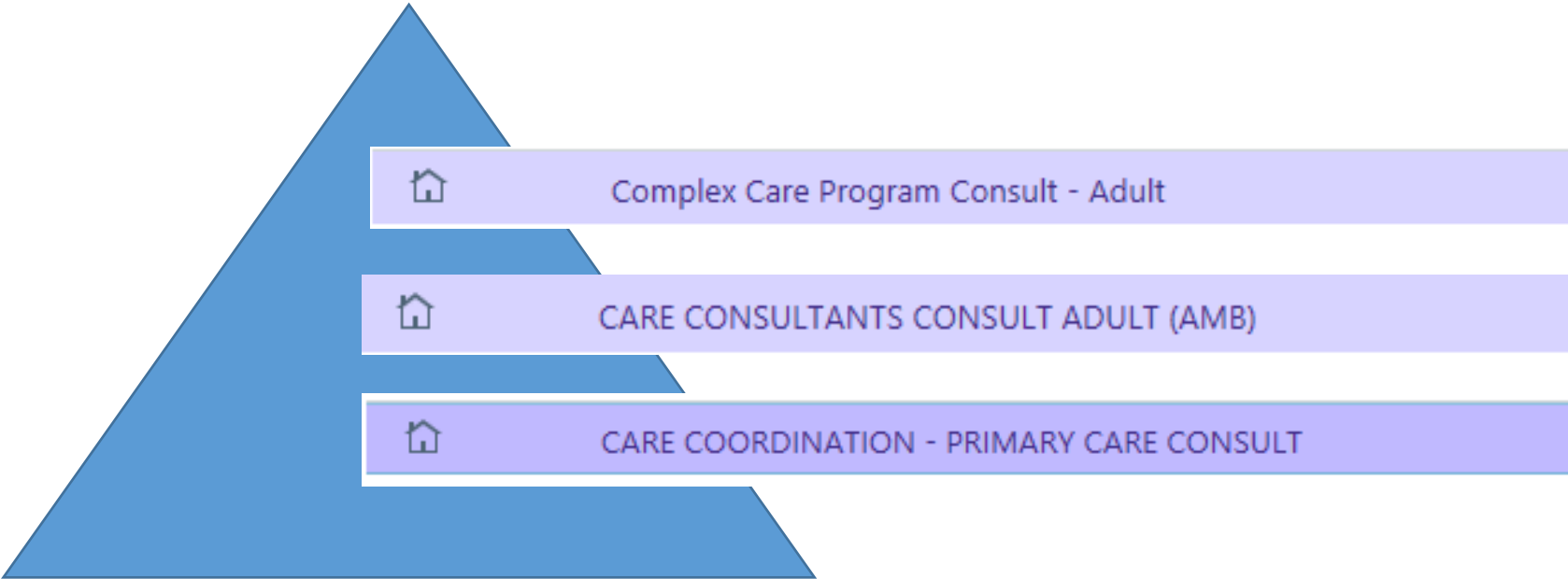
# EPIC process for Entering Referral

**Case Finding Goal:** To catch opportunity prior to Provider entering referral



- Risk screening tools
- Opportunity Reports in EPIC
- Payer Reports
- Post discharge follow-up Reports
- Referral Hub

**Referral as back-up:** Provider can identify and enter as needed



# The Team

## Payor

- Care Coordination
- Disease Management
- Resources
- Reporting
- Claims
- Resources
- Partnerships
- Risk Stratification
- Alerts

## Provider

- Connection between the patient, care coordination team and other services
- Participate in care conferences
- TCM Visits
- Diagnosis Accuracy and Risk Strategy
- Provider Experience

## Clinic Team

- Education
- Triage
- Pre-Visit Planning
- Enrollment Assistance
- SDOH screening and basic resources

## Care Management

- Hybrid Centralized Model
- RNs and SWs
- High/Moderate / Rising Risk management
- Disease Management
- Transitions
- Complex SDOH
- Complex Navigation

## Population Health Consultants

- Short Term intensive case management
- DCE Benefit Enhancement Development
- VBC
- Contractual Management
- Pilots and development
- COPD ▪ GI Procedures ▪ Discharge Phone Calls ▪ Kidney care ▪ Complex Care

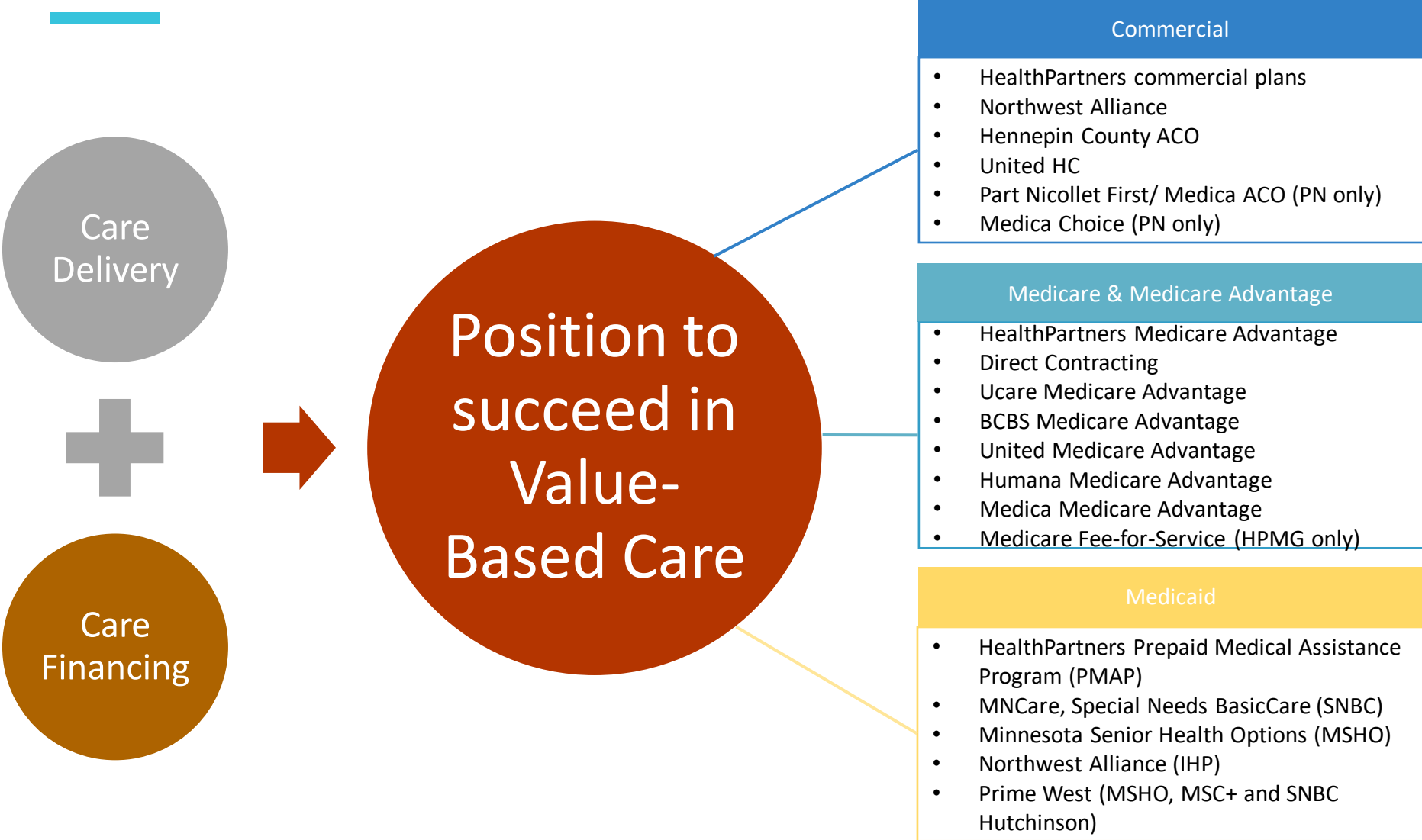
## Complex Clinic

- Home-Based NP, RN, RNCC, SW, Plan, MH, HCM
- Multi-disciplinary Rounds

## Nurse Practitioners

- Community Senior Services
- Home Based Medicine
- Complex Care Pilot
- Hospital at Home

# Payment models are evolving to support value-based care



# What we do

## Pre-visit care

### Proactive Case Finding

- Payer reports
- Risk stratification
- Utilization Trends
- Pharmacy reports
- Opportunity reports

### Criteria for a referral –

- Patient has significant medical, behavioral or social risk factors that put them at risk for adverse health consequences and need additional complex coordination and care management to achieve optimal outcomes



- High/Moderate/Rising Risk
  - Patient activation
  - Adherence/engagement concerns
  - Predictive modeling reports
  - Predictive tools
- Disease Management
  - Acute
  - Complex
- Complex Social Determinants of Health
  - Guardianship/POA
  - Advance Care Planning
  - Appropriate Housing
  - Substance Abuse
  - Complex social situations impacting health
- Transitions of Care
  - Level of Care
  - Utilization
  - Placement
- Complex Navigation Needs
  - Community Services
  - Multiple Providers
  - New to area
  - Newly diagnosed

Allows **Provider and Patient** to have **better outcomes** and focus on specific medical needs

**Unnecessary Utilization Rates**  
(Readmissions, Admissions, ED)

**Provider & Patient Experience**

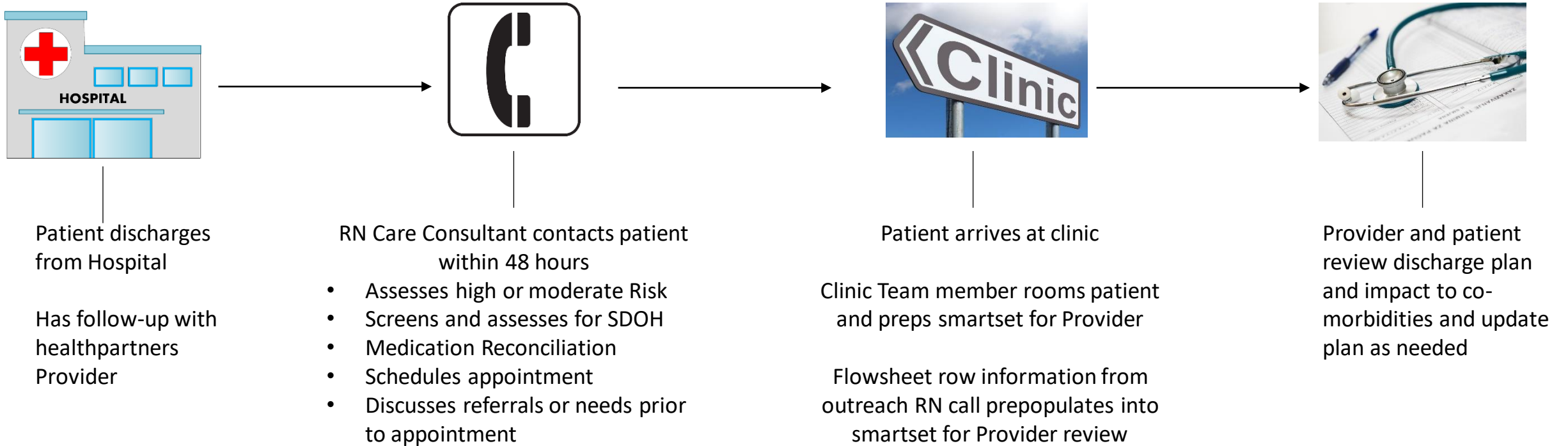
Quality/HEDIS measures

TCOC Savings

**Measurement of success** – Patient feels empowered and are able to manage on their own or have been set up with the appropriate support(s) to reduce risk of health consequences



# Transitional Care Management (TCM)



# Post-Discharge Outreach Call

## Content Screened for prior to visit



- Does the patient's discharge plan include new or resumption of home care services?
- Does the patient have contact information for the home care agency?
- Was the patient discharged with new orders for DME
- Were there any referrals/orders placed as a result of this call

## Questions asked during Discharge Call

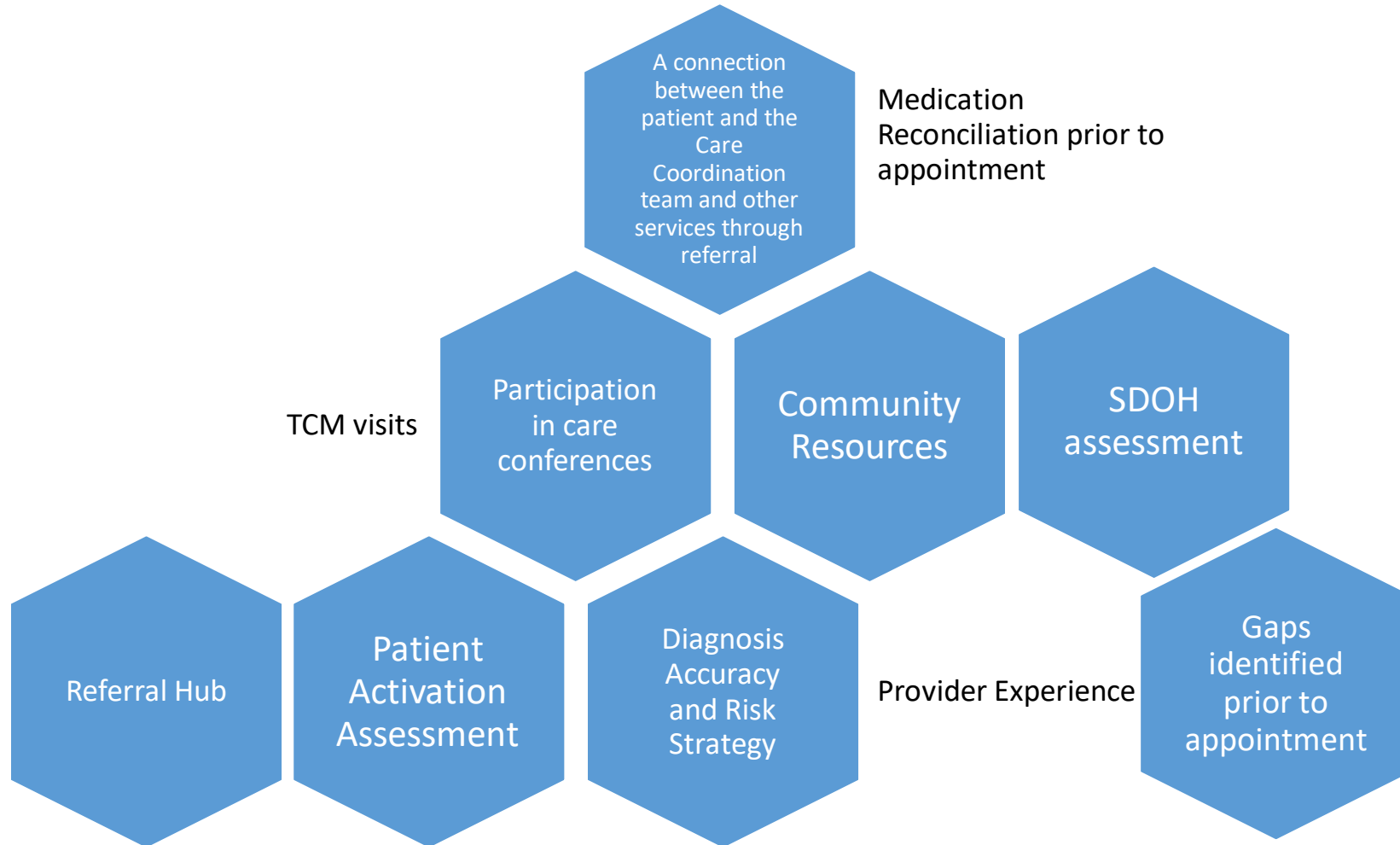


I am calling to check in with you now that you are home from the hospital.

- Did you Pick up and start any new medications that were prescribed during this hospital stay?
- Do you have any questions about any of your medications?
- Are you able to afford all of your current prescribed medications?
- Do you know who to call if you have new or worsening symptoms?
- Do you know what questions or concerns to ask your doctor or nurse at your follow up?
- Do you have transportation to your scheduled follow up appointments
- In the past 12 months have you ever run out of food before you had money to buy more
- Do you have financial concerns like rent, utilities or insurance
- Do you have steady housing or a safe place to sleep
- Is there anything else I can help you with today



# How it helps Patients, Providers and Care Team



# Provider Experience



**Easy Button** for referrals and proactive identification of needs



Proactive case finding



Easy Tools



Smart sets



Flowsheet rows with key information for diagnostic decisions



Standardized information that they need to make decisions



Shared Decision Making



# Toolbox





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# Welcome to Breakout Session 2

Biosimilars: Key Considerations Across the Health Care Industry

# Breakout session 2

Kim Dornbrook-Lavender, PharmD, BCPS, Director, Pharmacy Services, Medica



Kim joined Medica's Pharmacy Services team in October 2010 and has earned progressive leadership roles and responsibilities throughout her tenure. In her current role as Pharmacy Director, Kim leads the clinical pharmacy and pharmacy operations teams in achieving targeted strategic goals and optimizing the value medications provides members and stakeholders by providing pharmaceutical services across the pharmacy and medical benefit for the Commercial, Individual, Medicare, and Medicaid lines of business. Areas of focus include vendor management; business segment pharmacy strategy development and support; clinical program management; formulary strategy and contracting; clinical policy development and management; pharmacy operations; utilization management; drug pipeline surveillance; site of service optimization; Medication Therapy Management, and Medicare STARS initiatives.

Kim has more than 20 years of clinical pharmacy experience in a variety of roles. She spent several years as a Medical Science Liaison with Shire Pharmaceuticals and had a brief stint at CVS Caremark prior to joining Medica. Kim is a board-certified in pharmacotherapy and holds Doctor of Pharmacy degree from the University of Michigan and a Bachelor of Arts degree from Kalamazoo College. She completed a pharmacy practice residency at St. John Hospital & Medical Center in Detroit, MI followed by an academic fellowship at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

# Breakout session 2

Roseann R. Hines, PharmD, Senior Director, Pharmacy Care Management, Essentia Health



Roseann Hines PharmD, is the Senior Director of Pharmacy Care Management at Essentia Health in Duluth, MN. Within this role, she supports teams and facilitates work within pharmacy care managements for value-based contracts, formulary management, anticoagulation services and antimicrobial programs within acute and ambulatory spaces as well as ambulatory pharmacy clinical service (MTM).

Dr. Hines is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Pharmacy. She completed her General Practice Pharmacy Residency, at Ministry- St. Joseph's Hospital in Marshfield, Wisconsin. After her residency, Roseann worked as a clinical/staff pharmacist in Pediatrics at Ministry-St. Joseph's Children's Hospital for 4 years before her transition to WakeMed Health & Hospitals, Raleigh NC, as the Clinical Specialist in Pediatrics and then transitioned into clinical leadership roles within Essentia Health.



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# Biosimilars: Key Considerations Across the Health Care Industry



# Agenda

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Biosimilars: Introduction and the Medica Experience

**Kimberly Dornbrook-Lavender**, PharmD, BCPS

Director, Pharmacy Services

Biosimilar Transition: Patient and Health Care Team Perspective by Essentia Health

**Roseann Hines**, PharmD

Senior Director, Pharmacy Care Management

# Biosimilars – Introduction and the Medica Experience

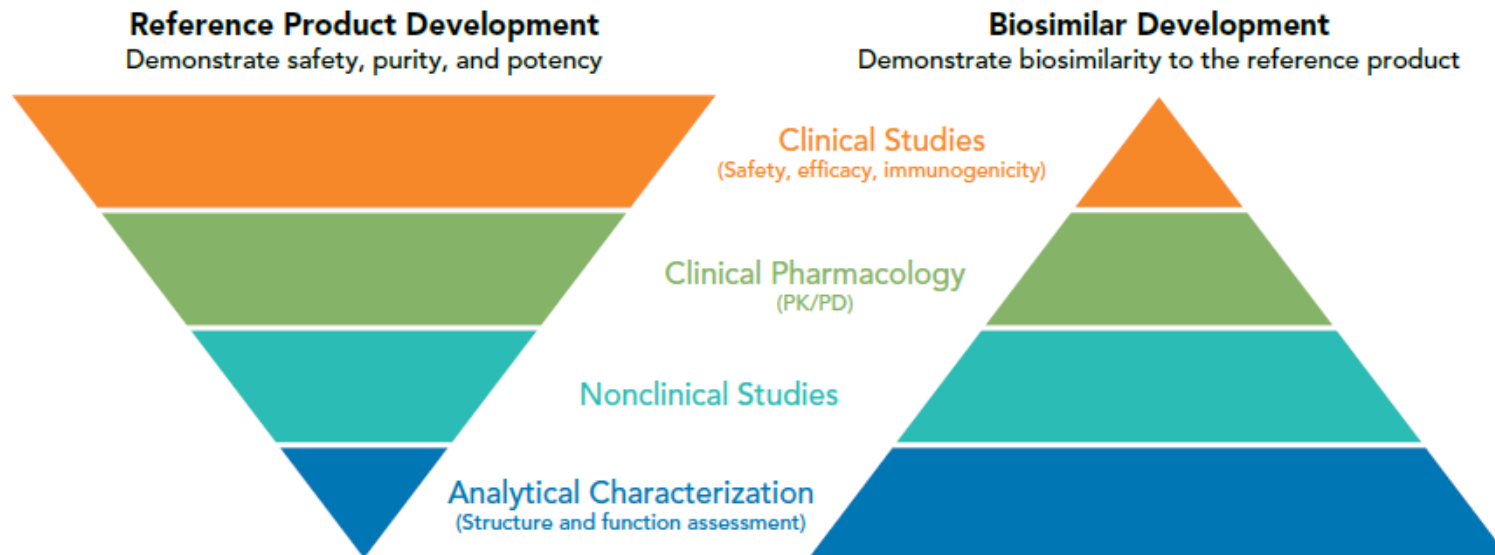
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Kimberly Dornbrook-Lavender, PharmD, BCPS  
Director, Pharmacy Services

# What is a biosimilar product?

## Biological drugs and the rise of biosimilars

- Biological products are large, complex molecules produced through biotechnology in a living system (microorganism, plant or animal cell)
- Biosimilar products *are highly similar* to the U.S. licensed reference biological product notwithstanding minor differences in clinically inactive components
- No clinically meaningful differences from the reference product in terms of safety, purity, and potency



**Interchangeable biological product** is a biosimilar that meets additional requirements and may be substituted for the reference product at the pharmacy, depending on state pharmacy laws

# Differences between generics and biosimilars

	Generics	Biosimilar
<b>Manufacturing</b>	Chemical process	Made in living cells
<b>Complexity</b>	Small, simple, stable	Large, complex, unstable
<b>Identical copy</b>	Yes	No
<b>FDA pathway</b>	Abbreviated New Drug Application (ANDA)	351(k) Biologic License Application
<b>Innovator exclusivity</b>	7 years	12 years
<b>Development time</b>	3-5 years	8-10 years
<b>Clinical trial required?</b>	No	Yes
<b>Substitution and interchange scenarios</b>	Substitutable	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Biosimilar — not substitutable, therapeutic interchange allowed.</li> <li>• Interchangeable Biosimilar — substitutable, interchangeable</li> </ul>
<b>Examples</b>	Atorvastatin (generic for Lipitor)	Semglee (biosimilar for Lantus) Inflectra (biosimilar for Remicade)

# Medical pharmacy biosimilars

Originator/ Reference Product Name	Generic Drug Name	Biosimilars	Category	Strategy Effective Date
Neupogen	filgrastim	<b>Zarxio</b> , Granix, <b>Nivestym</b>	Oncology support	2017
Epogen/Procrit	epoetin alfa	<b>Retacrit</b>	Oncology support	2019
Remicade*	infliximab	Reneflexis, <b>Inflectra</b> , Avsola	Chronic inflammatory conditions	2021
Avastin	bevacizumab	<b>Mvasi</b> , <b>Zirabev</b>	Oncology	2022
Herceptin	trastuzumab	Ogivri, Herzuma, Ontruzant, <b>Trazimera</b> , <b>Kanjinti</b>	Oncology	2022
Neulasta*	pegfilgrastim	<b>Ziextenzo</b> , Fulphila, Udenyca, Nyvepria	Oncology support	2022
Rituxan	rituximab	<b>Truxima</b> , <b>Ruxience</b> , Riabni	Oncology	2022

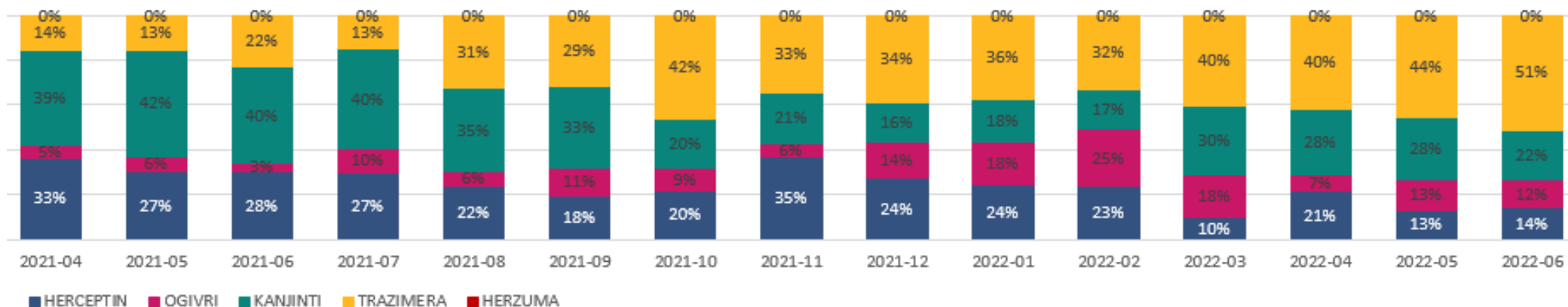
\*reference product and exclusive biosimilar co-preferred

# Medica's biosimilar dashboard: Tracking market shift



ACO															
MARKET SHARE (SCRIPTS)*															
2021-03	2021-04	2021-05	2021-06	2021-07	2021-08	2021-09	2021-10	2021-11	2021-12	2022-01	2022-02	2022-03	2022-04	2022-05	2022-06
28%	33%	27%	28%	27%	22%	18%	20%	35%	24%	24%	23%	10%	21%	13%	14%
7%	4%	6%	5%	6%	4%	4%	7%	4%	6%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
45%	39%	42%	40%	40%	35%	33%	20%	21%	16%	18%	17%	30%	28%	28%	22%
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13%	14%	13%	22%	13%	31%	29%	42%	33%	34%	36%	32%	40%	40%	44%	51%

HERCEPTIN FAMILY MARKET SHARE (SCRIPTS)





# Near-term patent expirations with a biosimilar

	INNOVATOR PRODUCT	MOST COMMON INDICATION
2021	Lantus (interchangeable Semglee)	Diabetes
2022	Lucentis Novolog (interchangeable Kixelle)	Ophthalmic Conditions Diabetes
2023	Humira (interchangeable Cyltezo) Actemra Stelara Tysabri Xolair	Inflammatory Conditions Inflammatory Conditions Inflammatory Conditions Multiple Sclerosis Asthma
2024	Eylea	Ophthalmic Conditions
2025	Prolia Soliris	Osteoporosis Blood Modifying

## BIOLOGICS



43%

of all drug spend



33

## BIOSIMILARS

approved over 6 years

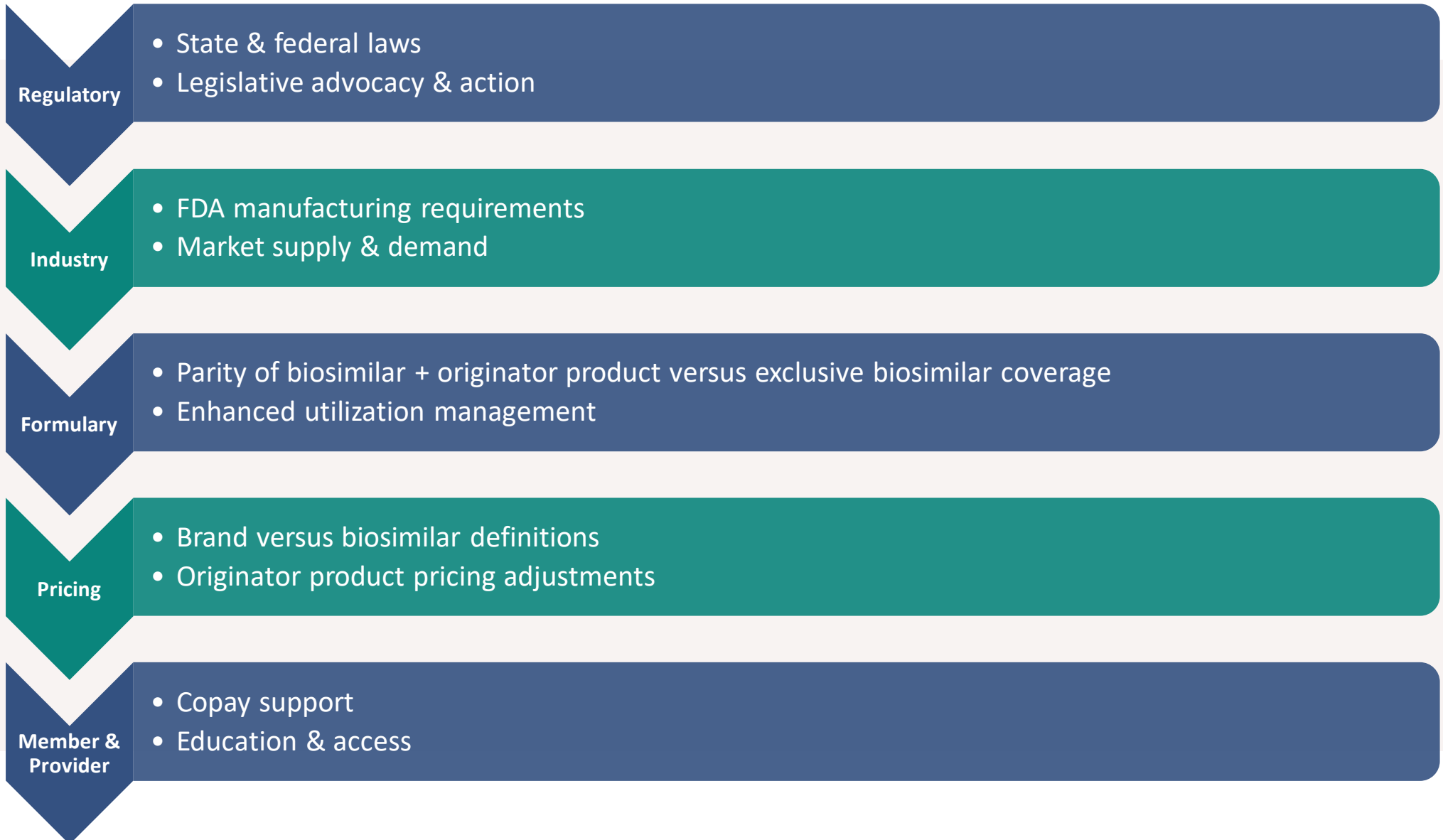


13-61%

## MARKET SHARE

increase in the last 2 year

# Biosimilars: Health plan strategic considerations



# Current inflammatory conditions market space

Trend-driver drugs and classes

## Key Market Dynamics Events

Prescribers are shifting to newer approved products vs. drugs that will have biosimilars over next 2 years

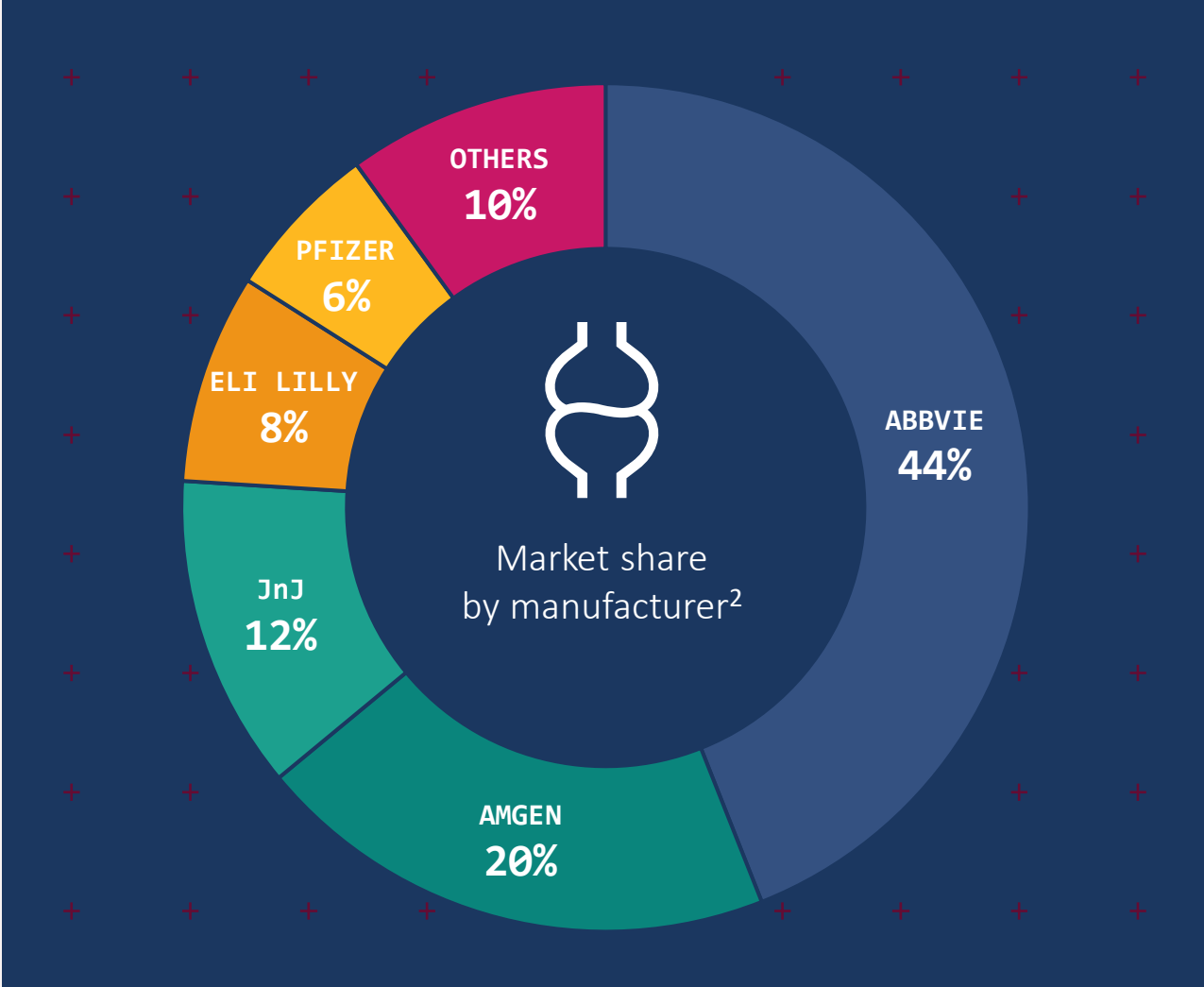
**21** drugs currently on the market<sup>1</sup>



new drugs in pipeline or existing drugs with new indications

**45%**

of current spend will have biosimilar competition by 2024 (Actemra ('23), Humira ('23), Stelara ('24))<sup>2</sup>



1. FDA Accessed 5/04/2022 2. Evernorth internal data

# Humira biosimilar launch schedule

Bioisimilar	Manufacturer	Citrate free?	High Concentration	Possible Launch
Amjevita <sup>#</sup> (adalimumab)	Amgen	Yes	No	01/31/2023
Hadlima <sup>#</sup> (adalimumab)	Organon	TBD	TBD	06/30/2023
Hukyndra <sup>##</sup> (adalimumab)	Alvotech/Teva	Yes	Yes	07/01/2023
Abrilada <sup>#</sup> (adalimumab)	Pfizer	Yes	No	07/01/2023
Cyltezo <sup>*</sup> (adalimumab)	Boehringer Ingelheim	Yes	No	07/01/2023
Hyrimoz (adalimumab)	Sandoz	TBD	TBD	07/01/2023
Yusimry (adalimumab)	Coherus BioSciences	Yes	No	07/01/2023
Hulio (adalimumab)	Viartis	Yes	No	07/31/2023
MSB11022 <sup>‡</sup> (adalimumab)	Fresenius Kabi	TBD	No	09/30/2023
Yuflyma <sup>‡</sup> (adalimumab)	Celltrion	TBD	Yes	12/15/2023

\*Interchangeable status Granted; #Seeking Interchangeability; ‡Pending FDA Approval

1. IPD Analytics. Market & Financial Insights. April 2022

2. Evernorth internal research

# Driving biosimilar competition and adoption

Legislative advocacy and action



Formulary and utilization management enhancements



Patient support systems



Supply consideration



Enhanced copay assistance for members



Provider support



# Biosimilar Transition: Patient and Health Care Team Perspective

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**Roseann Hines, PharmD**

Senior Director, Pharmacy Care Management

Essentia Health Pharmacy Services



# Foundational work

## What is a biosimilar?

- Education designed for each impacted party
- Grand Rounds presentation, internal newsletters, reference materials

## Organizational Policy

- Policy development
- Associated standard work for interchange

## Nocebo Effect

- Presentation for care teams
- Infusion Center Teams

# Health system biosimilar strategy

## Formulary review and clinical assessment

- Content experts within system intentionally engaged at multiple points
- Medical group team meetings

## Assessment and communication to impacted teams

- Providers: general and targeted communications
- Infusion Center pharmacist
- Care and support team members

## Provider tool kit

- Talking point for patient conversation
- Frequently Asked Questions

## EMR updates

- Medication-specific transition information
  - Timeline
  - Tool changes
- Formulary compliance

### Biosimilar FAQ Sheet

is working to provide the most cost-effective products for our patients through the use of biosimilars, follow-on biologics, and interchangeable biologics.

The purpose of this document is to inform providers and help answer common questions regarding biosimilars and their future role at Essentia Health.

[Q: What is a biologic product?](#)

[Q: What is a biosimilar?](#)

[Q: What is a reference product?](#)

[Q: What does "highly similar" mean?](#)

[Q: What does "no clinically meaningful difference" mean?](#)

[Q: What data is necessary for biosimilar approval?](#)

[Q: Do biosimilars have all the same approved uses?](#)

[Q: Will I see clinical trials specific to each indication?](#)

[Q: What are the benefits of using or switching to a biosimilar?](#)

[Q: Are biosimilars interchangeable?](#)

[Q: What makes a biosimilar different than a generic drug?](#)

[Q: How do I know if a medication is a biosimilar?](#)

[Q: Will I be notified about formulary changes?](#)

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[Q: Will I be able to prescribe the biologic of my choice?](#)

[Q: Can patients take more than one biologic product?](#)

[Q: What are the risks of biologic/biosimilar products?](#)

[Q: How many biosimilar products have been approved?](#)

[References](#)

### Tips to Avoid the Nocebo Effect

#### General Tips:

- Avoid negative phrases in the description of the treatment.
- Aim to favor positive associations and minimize negative associations between the therapeutic intervention and contextual factors (i.e. a pleasant, calming environment).
- Be aware of nonverbal communication and behavior.
- Strive to build trust and positive relationship with the patient, no matter your role.
- Allow time for the patient to ask questions.

Instead of saying this...	...Try saying this.
"This biosimilar medication is similar to your current medication but cheaper"	"This biosimilar is as effective and safe as your current medication, but more affordable"
"Some patients don't do as well after switching to a biosimilar as they did on their original therapy"	"In my experiences, most patients do not have any problem switching to a biosimilar. I'd like to tell you more about it and discuss any concerns you may have"
"These biosimilar products are new, and I don't know a lot about them yet"	"I think you would benefit from switching to a biosimilar. In clinical studies, these agents have been shown to be safe and effective. Let me give you more information"

# Patient focused work

## Patient communication

- Options for different learning levels
- Medication specific
- Source of information
- Time to consult with provider

## Electronic tools and capabilities

## Affordability and cost impacts

## Patient assistance programs

### Inflectra (Infliximab-dyyb)

**What does this medicine do?**  
Inflectra lowers inflammation by blocking tumor necrosis factor. It treats many inflammatory problems.

Inflectra can raise your risk of infection. Tell your doctor if you have serious infections.

It can be used alone or with other medicines. It is not used with other biologic medicines.

Talk with your doctor before you take it if you have had problems with heart failure.

**What are the side effects?**

Each person may feel the benefits at a different time. Most people felt a change in their symptoms after 2 or 3 doses.

**How do I take it?**  
Inflectra is given as an IV. The IV takes about 30 to 3 hours. Your doctor may give you medicine to lower the risk of infusion reactions.

The first 3 IVs are given at week 0, 2, and 4. After that, you will have IVs every 4 to 8 weeks, depending on how much Inflectra helps you. Your doctor may change the dose for your best results.

**What should I know?**  
Do not take this medicine if you are pregnant or planning to get pregnant.

## Biosimilar medicines

**What is a biosimilar?**  
A biosimilar is a biologic medicine. It is based on another biologic medicine that is already on the market. A biosimilar medicine has to prove it works the same and its structure is very similar to the medicine it's based on.

**What is a biologic medicine?**  
Biologic medicines are created from a wide range of natural sources, such as microorganisms, plants, animals and even humans. Biologic products tend to be much more complex in structure than most other medicines.

Biologics are regulated by the FDA. This is how you know they are of high quality.

The new biologic medicine must show it's effective and as safe as the medicine it's based on. When the study is complete the new medicine is called a biosimilar.


**Let's look at an example**  
A medicine named Remicade was made in 1998. A biosimilar called Inflectra was approved by the FDA in 2017. It is very similar to Remicade.

The two medicines work in the same way. Inflectra is just as effective at treating conditions as Remicade. The medicines can be prescribed for the same conditions.




**A biosimilar is NOT:**

- A generic medicine
- Less effective
- An exact copy

You can think of a biosimilar and biologic medicines like a snowflake. Although no two are the exact same, they can look very similar.



Remicade                      Inflectra

Meets FDA's rigorous approval standards	Safe option for patients	Effective option for patients
		

# What's next?

## Learnings

- Transition education and planning for chronic therapy patients
  - More time needed for patient and provider discussion
- Real-time provider feedback
- Increased collaboration between health systems and payers increases success
- Don't implement medication interchange in December or January 😊

## Next Steps

- EMR tool enhancements
  - Reduce clicks
  - Minimize provider interruption
  - Orderable to select interchange product-based payer formulary preference if not aligned with organization formulary
- Evaluate workflow update for medication within pharmacy benefit

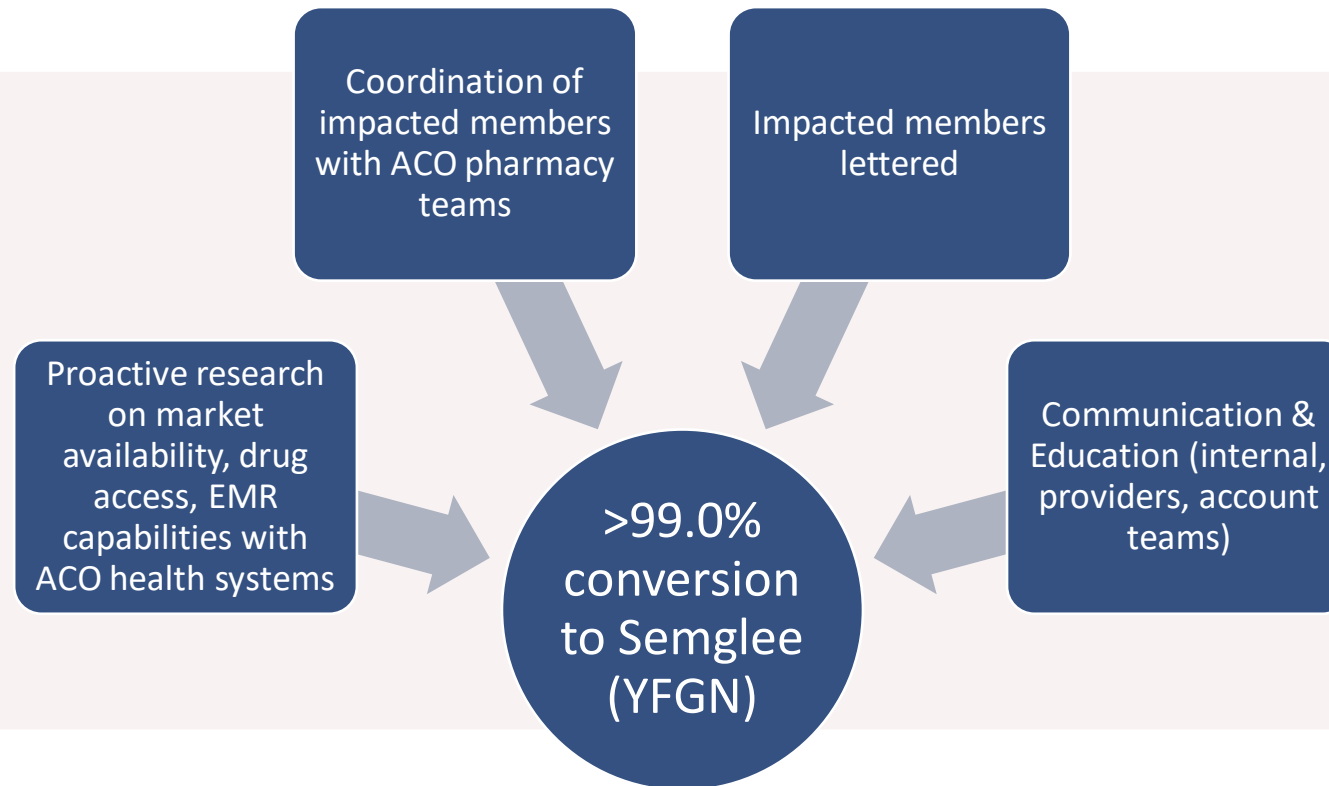
# Widespread Biosimilar Adoption

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Call to Action and Open Discussion

# Medica's biosimilar success: Semglee (YFGN)

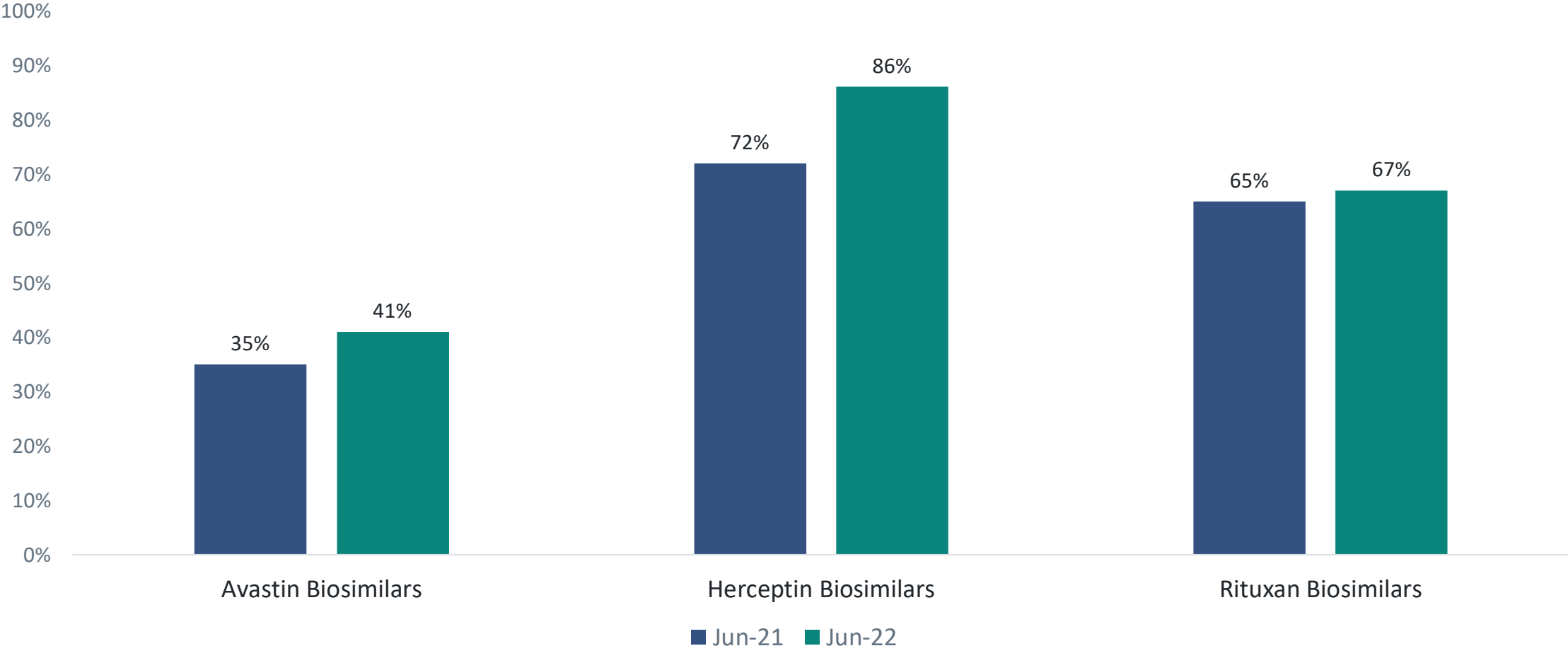
- First interchangeable biosimilar product for Lantus/Lantus Solostar
- Effective 1/1/2022, Lantus removed from formulary & Semglee (YFGN) is the preferred rapid acting insulin





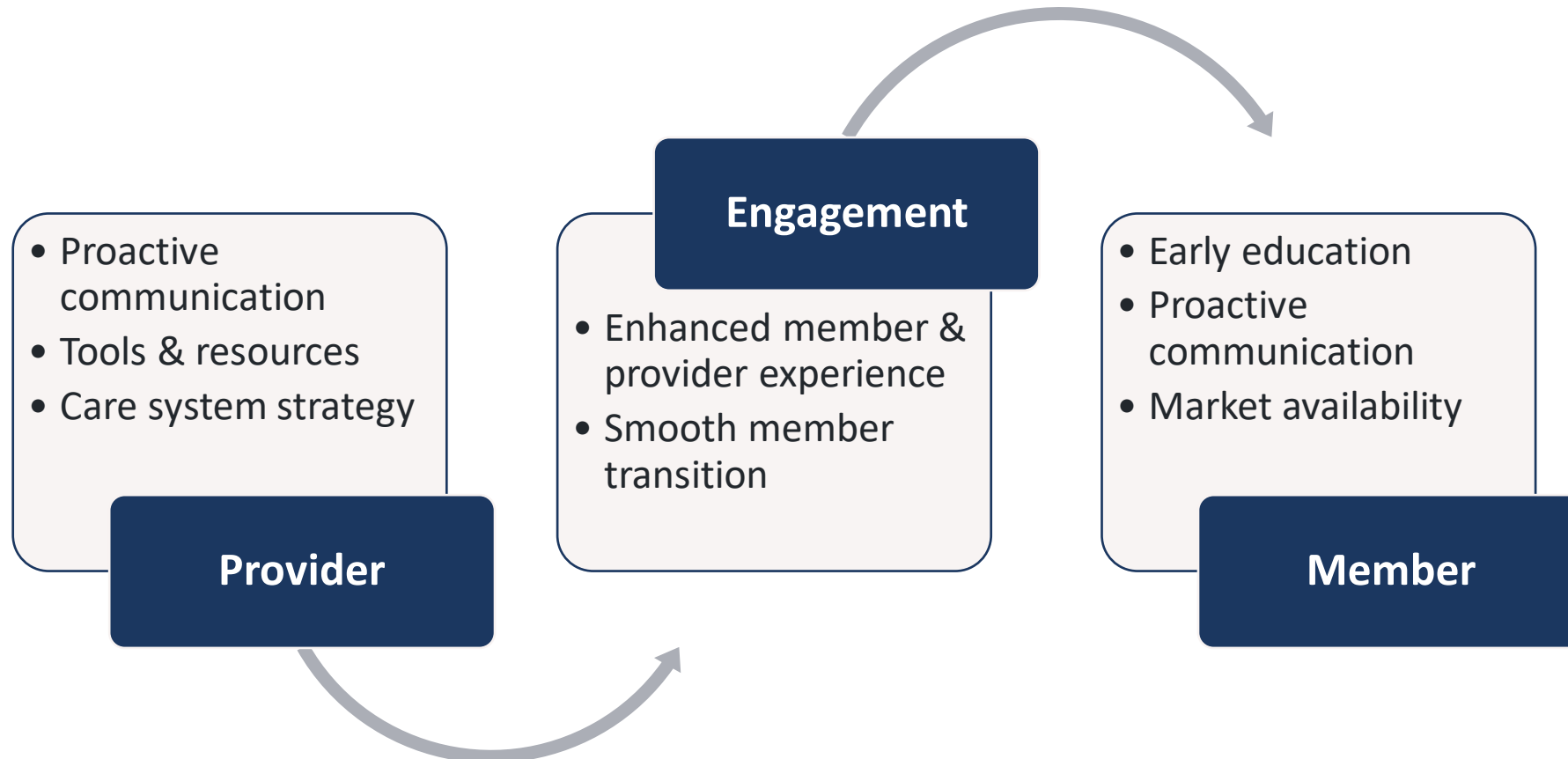
# ACO biosimilar success: Medical pharmacy oncology agents

### Biosimilar Market Share Growth



# Call to action: Stronger together

Continued partnership to engage with providers and enhance member experience for successful adoption of biosimilar strategies.





# Q & A

Thank you

# Break

Upcoming at 3:05 p.m. - Breakout Sessions

## Conference room 106

**Breakout Session #4:** Risk recapture strategies to support providers and members

Attendees will hear from a health system and payer on how they are partnering to engage providers in risk recapture strategies to ensure the risk of the population is accurately captured.

## Conference room 101

**Breakout Session #5:** Engaging patients with primary care

During this breakout session attendees will learn approaches to engaging patients with primary care. Attendees will learn from Park Nicollet on how they use their care consultants to ensure patients at risk receive appropriate follow-up and care. Medica will present member outreach models that have targeted non-users, preventable emergency department utilization, as well as out-of-network utilization.



# Welcome to Breakout Session 3

Strategies to engage providers in Social Determinants of Health (SDoH)  
reporting

# Breakout session 3

**Kristin Repp**, PharmD, BCPS, Director Population Health, St. Luke's Health System



Dr. Kristin Repp completed a BS in Chemical Engineering and Doctor of Pharmacy degree from the University of Kansas. She completed a pharmacy practice residency and is board certified in pharmacotherapy. She has made her career at Saint Luke's Health System over the past 16 years and held positions from Director of Pharmacy to her current role as Director of Population Health.



# Breakout session 3

**Roy Jedeikin, MD, Chief Medical Officer, Phoenix Children's Care Network**

Pediatric Cardiologist, Phoenix Children's Medical Group



As Chief Medical Officer for Phoenix Children's Care Network (PCCN), Dr. Roy Jedeikin is responsible for operations, quality and network development. His expertise in continuous quality improvement guides clinical integration within PCCN. In this role, Dr. Jedeikin leads the Quality Committee through engaging and enhancing PCCN's relationships with providers in clinical integration and quality improvement. His work continues to bring value to provider offices to enhance quality improvement processes. Dr. Jedeikin has been a Pediatric Cardiologist in Phoenix since 1984. He received his medical degree from the University of the Witwatersrand Medical School in South Africa in 1975.

Dr. Jedeikin is recognized as a nationwide leader for his expertise in continuous quality improvement. He has worked with the American College of Cardiology to develop pediatric cardiology quality metrics for adult congenital and pediatric cardiology and was involved in developing quality improvement modules for MOC participation in pediatric cardiology and contractual quality performance HEDIS measures.

# Breakout session 3

**Bryce Sherman**, Director Business Operations & Clinical Programs, Phoenix Children's Care Network



Bryce Sherman is the Director of Business Operations with Phoenix Children's Care Network (PCCN). Bryce joined PCCN in August of 2014 as its Senior Data Analyst. He now manages the PCCN's Business Operations, Practice Integration, and Integrated Care Coordination teams. His role oversees PCCN's quality and operational integration with participating specialists and PCPs, operational infrastructure, project management, finances, approach to care coordination and day-to-day business operations. Bryce was a leading contributor and oversaw PCCN's journey in receiving the "Clinical Integration" accreditation from the Utilization Review Accreditation Commission (URAC). PCCN was the first Pediatric Clinically Integrated Network to earn this accreditation. Bryce is an enthusiastic healthcare professional with a passion for people and making a difference.

# Social Drivers of Health

Kristin Repp, PharmD, BCPS  
Director of Population Health

 Saint Luke's™





**16** Hospitals and Campuses

**3rd** Largest Private Employer in the KC Metro

**12,000** Employees

**1,400** Total Medical Staff Physicians

**1,305** Licensed Beds

**54,700** Convenient Care and Urgent Care Visits

**1.6 Million** Saint Luke's Physician Group Provider Visits

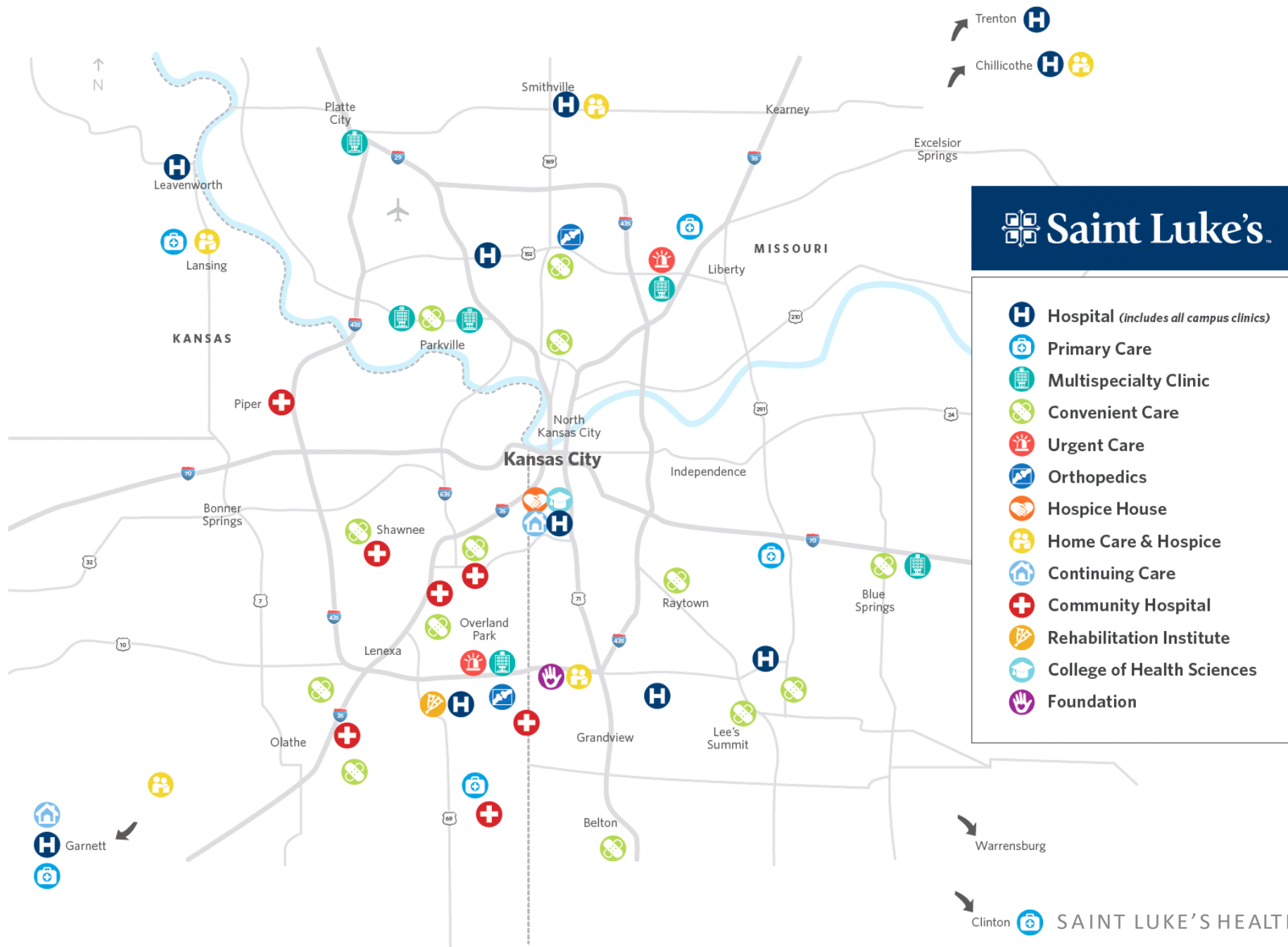
**173,693** Emergency Department Visits

**73,871** Hospital Admissions

**\$1.775 Billion** Net Patient Revenue

**43,395** Social Impact Volunteers/Hours

**\$201 Million** Community Benefit (2017)

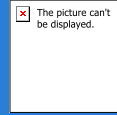




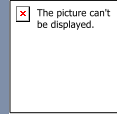
# SDoH Journey at Saint Luke's Health System



Started Screening for Social Drivers of Health in 2019 in limited capacity.



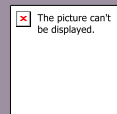
Went live with Universal Screening January 2022 across all primary care clinics (13 clinics)



Utilizing EPIC EMR for screening



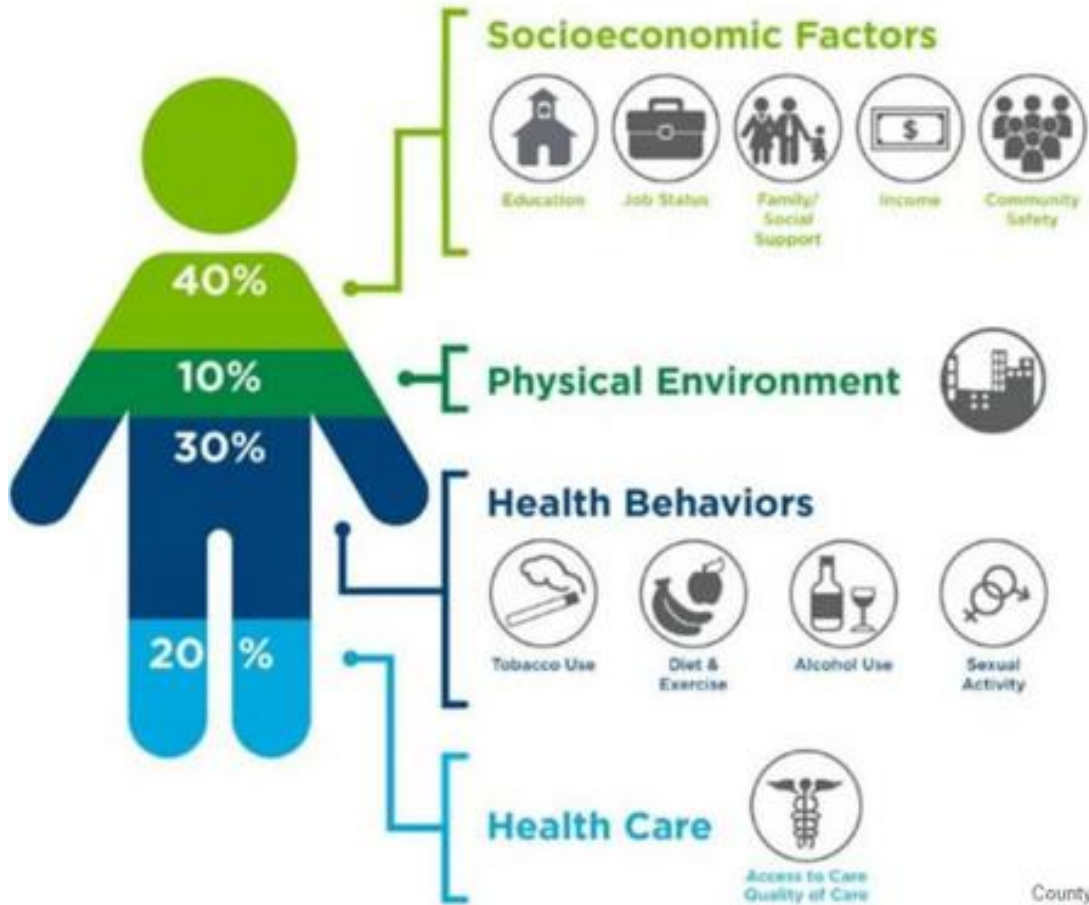
Utilizing Find Help – Community Resource Directory



Continued Process Improvements for Operations and Electronic tools



# Health is More than “Sick Care”



## Triple Aim 2008

- 1. Better Outcomes
- 2. Lower Costs
- 3. Improve Patient Experience

## Quadruple Aim 2014

- 4. Clinician Well-Being

## Quintuple Aim 2022

- 5. Health Equity

County



# Screening

Menu Visits Messages Test Results Medications

## Social Determinants of Health

Attached to a message from **Erica B** received 9/22/2021

In the last 12 months, did you ever eat less than you felt you should because there was not enough money for food?

Yes No Declined to Answer

Are you worried that today or in the next two months you may not have stable housing?

Yes No Declined to Answer

In the last six (6) months, have you ever had to go without health care, medications or getting things needed for daily living because you didn't have a way to get there?

Yes No Declined to Answer

Do you often feel that you lack companionship?

Yes No Declined to answer

On average, how many minutes per week do you engage in physical activity?

[Choose]

Continue Finish later Cancel

## MISSION FARMS PRIMARY CARE Department (All Providers)

eCheck-In Status	Appt Qnr Status	Appt Qnr	Status
Not Started	Completed	SLHS HP SDOH	Scheduled
Not Started	Completed	SLHS HP SDOH	Scheduled

Social Determinants of Health

Responsible Create Note Show Row Info Show Last Filed Value SI

### Food Insecurity

In the last 12 months, did you ever eat less than you felt you should because there was not enough money for food?

Yes No Declined to Answer

### Housing Insecurity

Are you worried that today or in the next two months you may not have stable housing?

Yes No Declined to Answer

### Transportation Needs

In the last six (6) months, have you ever had to go without health care, medications or getting things needed for daily living because you didn't have a way to get there?

Yes No Declined to Answer

### Social Connections

Do you often feel that you lack companionship?

Yes No Declined to answer

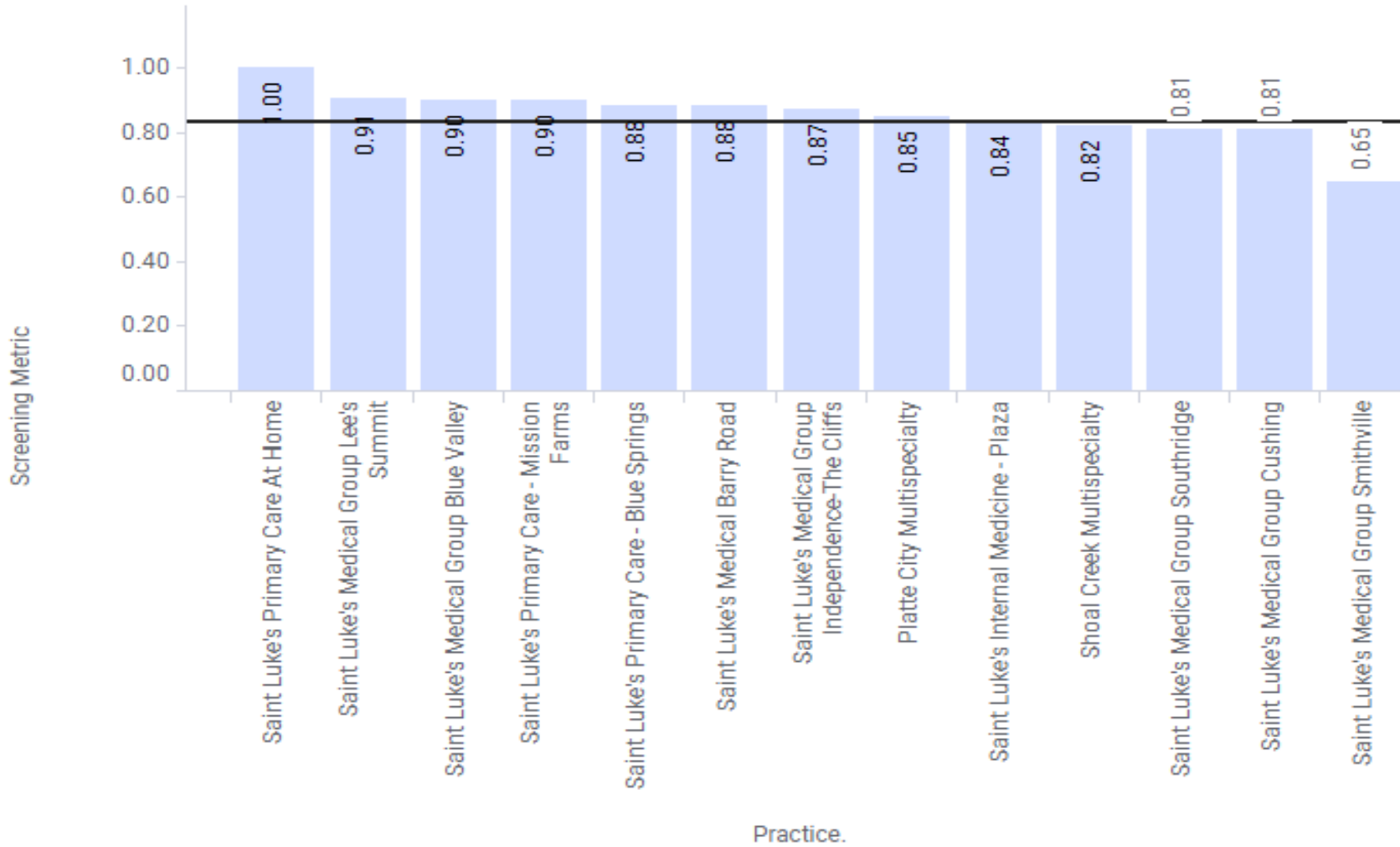
### Physical Activity

On average, how many minutes per week do you engage in physical activity?

0 min 10 min 20 min 30 min 40 min 50 min 60 min 70 min 80 min 90 min 100 min 110 min 120 min 130 min 140 min 150+ min Patient refused

Restore Close Cancel

## % Completely Screened: Practice Comparison



DATA: Jan – Aug 31<sup>st</sup>  
2022

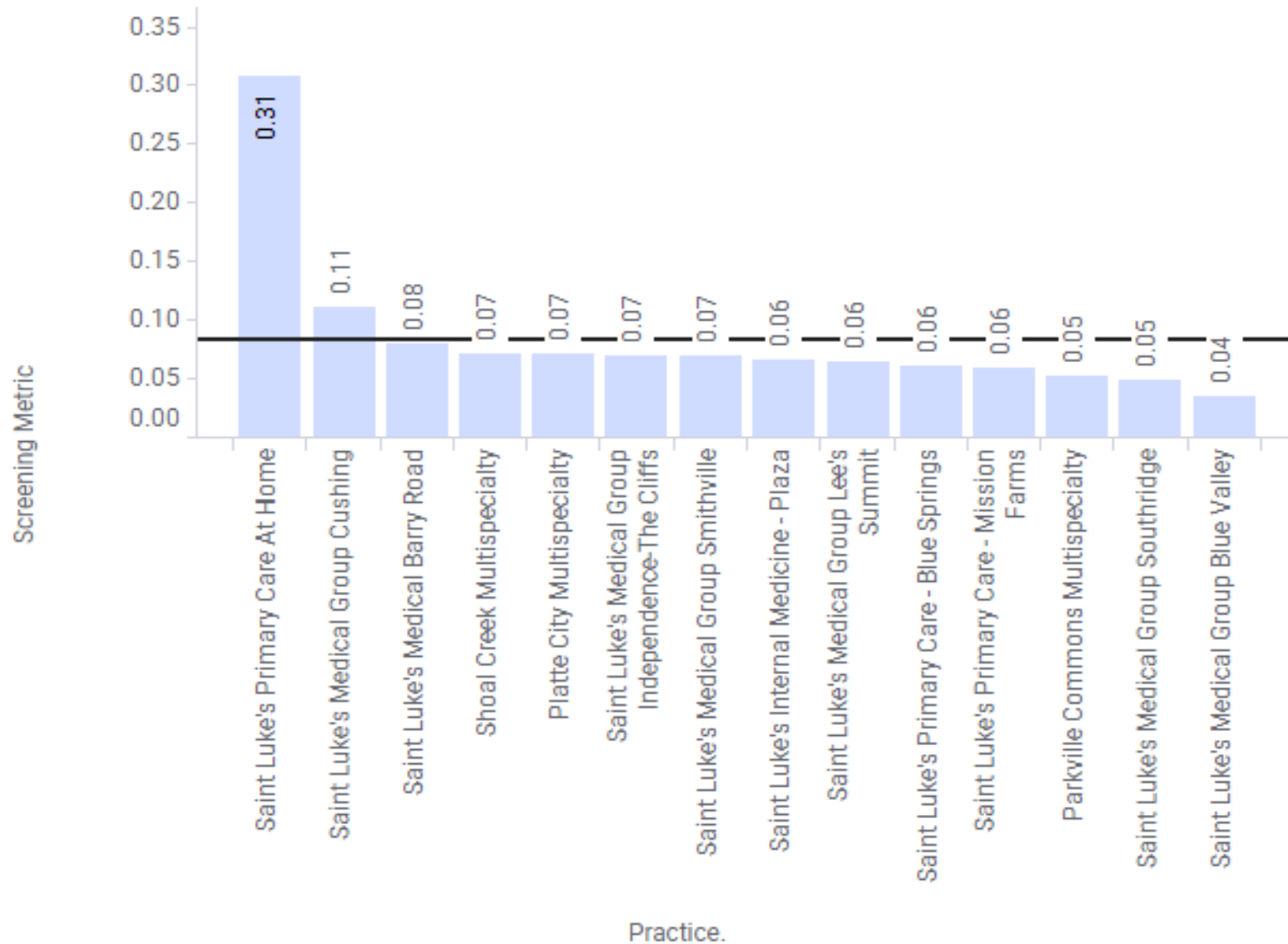
50% Goal Set in Jan

83% Average

86% Screened



## % of Screened Patients w/ Need: Practice Comparison



DATA: Jan – Aug 31<sup>st</sup>  
2022

6.5% Positive

5,779 Patients had a  
need identified



## ♥ Social Determinants of Health ↗



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### SOCIAL DETERMINANTS



### RISK SCORES

1% Admission or ED Risk

### CARE GAPS

- 🔴 Td/Tdap#
- 🔴 Hepatitis C Screen
- 🔴 Colorectal Cancer Screening (...)
- 🔴 COVID-19 Vaccine (1)
- 🔴 6 more care gaps

0 Hospital Admissions: 0

0 ED Visits: 0

## ♥ Social Determinants of Health

🍷 Alcohol Use ↗  
Not on file

☁️ Depression ↗  
Not on file

🍴 SLHS Food Insecurity ↗  
Apr 27 2022: High Risk

🏠 SLHS Housing ↗  
Apr 27 2022: Low Risk

🚬 Tobacco Use ↗  
Not on file

🚗 SLHS Transportation Needs ↗  
Apr 27 2022: Low Risk

🏃 SLHS Physical Activity ↗  
Apr 27 2022: Sufficiently Active

👥 SLHS Social Connections ↗  
Apr 27 2022: Low Risk

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Community Resources

Search by name **A**      Near City, State, ZIP, or Keyword **B**      Search

**Filter by**      Clear

- Favorite
  - My favorites
- Provided Service **C**
  - Child Nutrition Programs
  - Disaster Response
  - Emergency Food
  - Food Delivery
  - Food Insecurity Services
  - Food Pantry
  - Formula

**To begin, search by name or apply a filter.**

Showing potentially relevant results (recents, favorites, care team members).      Most relevant matches on top

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  - Formula

Showing results. Filtered by: **Provided Service**      Most relevant matches on top

Selections (1)	Clear
<b>AL</b> Abundant Life - Food Pantry 112 West 23rd Street South Independence MO 64055	X

<b>BI</b> 12 Baskets, Inc. - Food Ministry Food Pantry	501 South Topeka Street El Dorado KS 67042
<b>AU</b> Admire United Methodist Church - Food Pantry Food Pantry	100 East 3rd Street Admire KS 66830
<b>AC</b> Affton Christian Food Pantry - Food Pantry Food Pantry	4960 Heege Road St. Louis MO 63123
<b>AV</b> Arcadia Valley Food Pantry - Food Pantry Food Pantry	

Accept      Cancel





# The Resource is Added to the AVS

## Continuing Care



### SLHS HP Community Resources

#### Abundant Life - Food Pantry

Address: 112 West 23rd Street South, Independence MO 64055

Phone: 816-554-8181

Website: <https://livingproof.co/ministry/foodpantry/>

Languages: English

Cost: Free

Hours of Operation

Sun	—
Mon	—
Tue	3:00 PM - 6:00 PM
Wed	—
Thu	—
Fri	—
Sat	—

0 Hospital Admissions: 0  
0 ED Visits: 0

### ♥ Social Determinants of Health

- Alcohol Use: Not on file
- Depression: Not on file
- SLHS Food Insecurity: Apr 27 2022: High Risk
- SLHS Housing: Apr 27 2022: Low Risk
- Tobacco Use: Not on file
- SLHS Transportation Needs: Apr 27 2022: Low Risk
- SLHS Physical Activity: Apr 27 2022: Sufficiently Active
- SLHS Social Connections: Apr 27 2022: Low Risk

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The Resource is Saved and can be viewed again for follow up

Report Viewer

#### Currently Recommended Community Resources

- Abundant Life - Food Pantry**  
112 West 23rd Street South, Independence MO 64055  
Phone: 816-554-8181  
Resource for: SLHS Food Insecurity  
[Remove](#)
- Trinity United Methodist Church - Food Pantry**  
620 East Armour Boulevard Trinity United Methodist Churc, Kansas City MO 64109  
Phone: 816-931-1100  
Resource for: SLHS Food Insecurity  
[Remove](#)

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#### Previously Recommended Community Resources

No previous recommendations

[Expand All](#) [Collapse All](#)

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BestPractice Advisory - Coro, Chwlviv

**Important (1)**

ⓘ The patient indicated they are experiencing either **Housing Insecurity or Transportation Needs** and wants help. Please consider a referral to Social Work for intervention and resources. Use **.SDOHBPA to cite in your note.**

Housing Instability? No  
 Transportation Needs? Yes  
 Patient wants help? Yes

**Order** Do Not Order **AMB Primary Care Referral to Social Work and Community Health Work**

Acknowledge Reason \_\_\_\_\_

Resources provided via SLHS Resource Hub In Office resource provided Referral made to SW/CHW Snooze

✓ **Accept** Dismiss

**SOCIAL WORK REFERRAL**

BestPractice Advisory - Coro, Scmhooepoe

**Important (1)**

ⓘ The patient indicated they are experiencing either **Food Insecurity or Social Isolation** and wants help. Please select a plan for care. Use **.SDOHBPA to cite in your note.**

Food Insecurity? Yes  
 Social Isolation? No  
 Patient wants help? Y

Acknowledge Reason \_\_\_\_\_

Resources provided via SLHS Resource Hub In Office resource provided Referral made to SW/CHW Snooze

✓ **Accept** Dismiss

**STAFF HELP FIND A RESOURCE**



# Charge and Diagnosis Codes

- Screening is captured with the following non-payable CPT II codes:
  - **G9920**: Screening Performed and Negative
  - **G9919**: Screening Performed and Positive with Provision of Recommendations
- If a screening is positive, at least one of following ICD-10 codes will be reported on the claim indicating the applicable SDoH reason:

<b>Food Insecurity</b>	Z59.41	Lack of adequate food and safe drinking water
<b>Housing Insecurity</b>	Z59.819	Housing instability, housed unspecified
<b>Transportation Need</b>	Z91.89	Other specified personal risk factors, NEC (transportation difficulty)
<b>Social Isolation</b>	Z60.9	Problem related to social environment, unspecified



# Documentation of Interventions Offered In the Note

SDoH Screening Discussion: Resources provided via SLHS Resource Hub. Social work referral placed today in response to positive SDoH screening.

**What are we  
learning from our  
community?**





## Why this? Why here? Why now?

- Food insecurity, second highest SDOH need in our patient population and we have many resources in the community
- Priority zip codes (Identified Jan 2022, based on Dec 2021 data):
  - 64133, 64134, 64055
  - Expanding to (Aug 2022):
    - 64014, 64015, 64050, 64053





Target  
Zip Code  
Nearest  
Patient

Harvesters Coordinator

SLHS

Patient

SDoH  
Positive  
Screen

CHW connects  
patient to  
SLHS programs  
& places  
referral

CBO Referral Platform



# Resource for Social Connection & Physical Activity



## REACHN by REACHN

The REACHN program provides the tools to make better life choices about physical activity, nutritious food, and consumption of tobacco products. This program provides:- Health education

📍 Main Services: [health education](#)

👤 Serving: [anyone in need, all ages, individuals, families](#)

### Next Steps:

Apply on their [website](#) or go to the [program's website](#).

Serves your local area

🕒 Open Now : 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

MORE INFO

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SAVE

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SHARE

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NOTES

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SUGGEST

➦ APPLY ON THEIR SITE



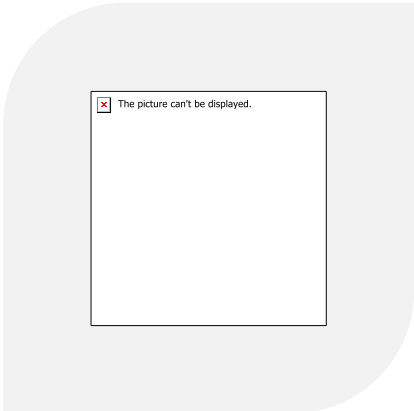
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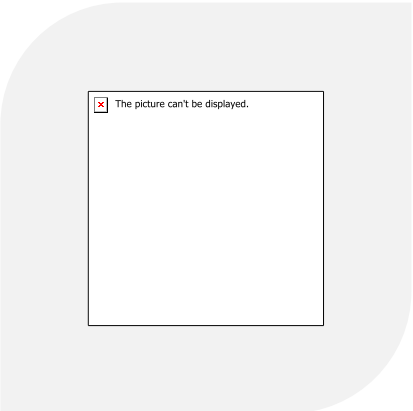
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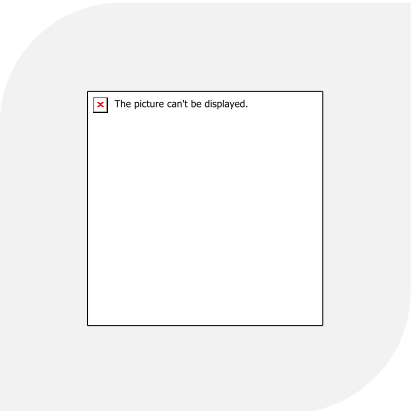
# Additional Resources



SOCIAL WORKERS



COMMUNITY HEALTH WORKERS



CBO AND COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

# Resources

- Reporting on Custom Payer Programs with Epic <https://galaxy.epic.com/Search/GetFile?Url=1!68!100!100075090>
- Health Leads – Social Needs Screening Toolkit. <https://healthleadsusa.org/resources/the-health-leads-screening-toolkit/>
- PRAPARE: Protocol for Responding to and Assessing Patients' Assets, Risks and Experiences. <https://www.nachc.org/research-and-data/prapare>
- AMA and ASSN <https://www.ama-assn.org/delivering-care/patient-support-advocacy/how-improve-screening-social-determinants-health>





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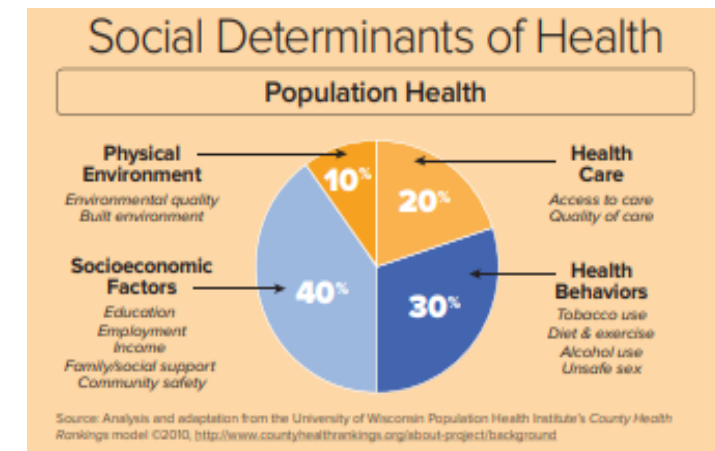
# The Importance of SDoH Screening

“Health starts where we live, learn, work and play”

**To provide the highest quality of care, it is important to understand the variety of factors that affect a child’s overall health and well-being**

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- Unmet SDoH needs can significantly alter a child’s health, well-being and socioeconomic trajectories.
- The American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) recommends screening for SDoH during **all** patient encounters by using a tool to assess basic needs such as food, housing, and heat.
- **Systematically screening and referring for social determinants during well childcare can lead to the receipt of more community resources for families.**



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# Health Equity and Social Determinants of Health as Pivotal Concepts in Healthy People

- ❖ Health equity means that everyone has a fair and just opportunity to be healthy
- ❖ This requires removing obstacles to health, such as **poverty**, discrimination, and their consequences, including powerlessness and lack of access to good jobs with fair pay, quality education and housing, safe environments, and health care
- ❖ **Intersectionality between Health Inequities and Social Determinants of Health**

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## Social Determinants of Health Screening in the Clinical Setting: Background

- **Social circumstances** such as food insecurity, housing instability, unmet transportation needs, and interpersonal violence comprise the social determinants of health (SDoH) and can significantly alter a child's health, well-being, and socioeconomic trajectories
- **SDoH screening and the associated referral process** have been demonstrated to increase detection and discussion of patients' social needs and to increase families' receipt of beneficial resources
- Research shows that up to **70% of a person's overall health** is driven by these social and environmental factors, and the behavior influenced by them
- ***“The evidence is clear: social determinants of health, such as access to stable housing or gainful employment, may not be strictly medical, but they nevertheless have a profound impact on people's wellbeing,” said CMS Administrator Seema Verma. “***
- **Develop, operationalize, and implement a system wide SDoH screener to inform strategy and intervention**

## Rationale for a Standardized SDoH Screening Tool:

- **Standardizing a set of SDoH screening questions** will help maintain strong network focus on SDoH
- **Questions that have been externally validated, scorable** and written at an accessible reading level have the potential to improve the effectiveness of screening, especially in the early and testing phases
- **Furthermore, having consistent screening questions and processes will allow for network collection of data with respect to the unmet needs of our population and their impact on health outcomes and costs – well-defined workflows**
- In turn, this **valuable feedback loop** will inform policy, planning and investment that can support **better ways to address unmet resource needs, improve the quality of care, and improve health care utilization over time**

# PCCN SDoH Quality Improvement Process

## CQI methodology – 7 question format

- **Data and research**
  - Significant population health concerns
  - Insufficient SDoH Screenings
  - Unmet SDoH needs
- **Goal**
  - Develop, implement, and operationalize a closed-loop system of referral for Social Determinants of Health issues and concerns in the pediatric population.
- **Measurement**
  - Baseline practice data.
  - Practices using the screening tool, patient needs met, and use of proper codes.
- **Analysis**
  - Run chart methodology
- **Changes to create improvement**
  - Educational programs
  - System Changes
- **PDSA cycle**
  - Continual process improvements to meet changing needs of program



# Phoenix Children's Care Network Quality Improvement Module Social Determinants of Health (SDoH) Screening in the Clinical Setting

**Develop, operationalize, and implement a system wide SDoH screener to inform strategy and intervention**

## **Background:**

Social circumstances such as food insecurity, housing instability, unmet transportation needs, and interpersonal violence comprise the social determinants of health (SDoH) and can significantly alter a child's health, well-being, and socioeconomic trajectories. This impact on health is well-documented. Research shows that up to 70% of a person's overall health is driven by these social and environmental factors, and the behavior influenced by them. Currently, 90% of health care spending in the United States is on medical care in a hospital or doctor's office. Many healthcare organizations are developing innovative methods to address SDoH within clinical settings as a possible strategy to enhance patient care, improve health outcomes, and prevent avoidable health care utilization. One approach endorsed by the American Academy of Pediatrics is SDoH screening. This process takes place within clinical care settings and relies on clinical teams to administer a validated and standardized survey, which seeks to identify unmet social needs or adverse social circumstances within the patient's experience. Results are discussed with the patients and their families and an action plan is developed to address their needs. Referrals to community resources are the most common. Overall, screening is a complex process that will require considerable deliberation before implementing. Clinical care settings will need to consider their staffing capabilities, patient needs, and other variables before deciding upon a tool to use. With proper implementation, SDoH screening and the associated referral process have been demonstrated to increase detection and discussion of patients' social needs and to increase families' receipt of beneficial resources. Despite the numerous benefits associated with pediatric screening, no standardized procedure nor tool exists. This policy brief reviews many of the models which implement screening and the characteristics that individual care settings should consider when selecting a tool for their institution. In addition, this brief discusses general implementation strategies and assesses the merits and evidence base of different comprehensive screening tools currently in use. To improve SDoH screening, action is needed at the policy, clinical care setting, and community levels. In terms of policy, innovative funding mechanisms should be implemented to promote screening and care coordination with community resources. Efforts should be made to institutionalize screening and ICD-10 codes should be expanded to account for the full spectrum of SDoH. Clinical care settings must adapt their electronic medical records to include data on patients' social needs and invest in provider training on SDoH screening. Finally, at the community level, clinical care settings and community partners should work together to develop comprehensive resource lists and establish feedback mechanisms to report on the appropriateness, quality, and quantity of referrals.

# Phoenix Children's Care Network Quality Improvement Module Social Determinants of Health (SDoH) Screening in the Clinical Setting

## Rationale for a Standardized SDoH Screening Tool:

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## Development of a Standardized SDoH Screening Tool:

Development of standardized SDoH screening questions has been grounded on the following principles:

- First, the screening questions need to include domains where high-quality evidence exists linking them to health outcomes and must identify needs for which there are some resources and services in the community available to address them.
- Second, the screening questions must be simple, brief, and applicable to most populations, so that they can be easily integrated into workflows in diverse and varied settings across the state. The questions do not have to address all nuances of need; rather, a positive response on a screening question should trigger a more in-depth assessment that allows a greater understanding of specific needs and more targeted navigation to resources by a community health worker, care manager, social worker or other member of the team. Since the questions are intended in time to be used by providers in diverse settings there should be flexibility for providers to include additional domains as needed or desired by the setting or population being served.
- Third, the questions must be validated, draw from best practices and must be written at accessible reading levels to ensure that they can be effectively used.
- Fourth, to the greatest extent possible, the questions should align with existing screening tools (e.g. Bright Futures Questionnaire, Meaningful Use, Uniform Data Set (Community Health Centers), PRAPARE (Community Health Centers), Accountable Health Community, Pregnancy Medical Home Screen. This intentional alignment to existing tools will allow for easier implementation and similar data collection.



# Phoenix Children's Care Network Quality Improvement Module Social Determinants of Health (SDoH) Screening in the Clinical Setting

## Team Composition:

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## Goal:

To support practices and providers in adopting a screening tool to assist in identifying and managing the social needs of patients and families.

- Develop, implement, and operationalize a closed-loop system of referral for SDOH issues and concerns in the pediatric population.
- Increase the percentage of practices / providers using SDOH screening tool and Z-codes by 25% in 6 months.

## Measurement:

### Outcome Measure:

- Development of baseline provider practice data relating to practices conforming to consistent use of SDOH screener tool.
- Measure the percentage of practices using the screening tool.
- Measure the percentage of patients who received a referral for SDOH needs assessment.
- Measure the percentage of practices utilizing SDOH Z-codes using payer claims data

### Measurement Analysis:

Run chart methodology

# Phoenix Children's Care Network Quality Improvement Module Social Determinants of Health (SDoH) Screening in the Clinical Setting

## Changes to Create Improvement:

### Educational Programs:

- Define SDoH and educate practices and PCCN clinical teams
- Coding assistance
- Best practice information
- Proper use of screening tool
- Referral process
- Define source of truth for Z-codes
- Include Z-codes on reverse side of screening tool
- Define workflow process

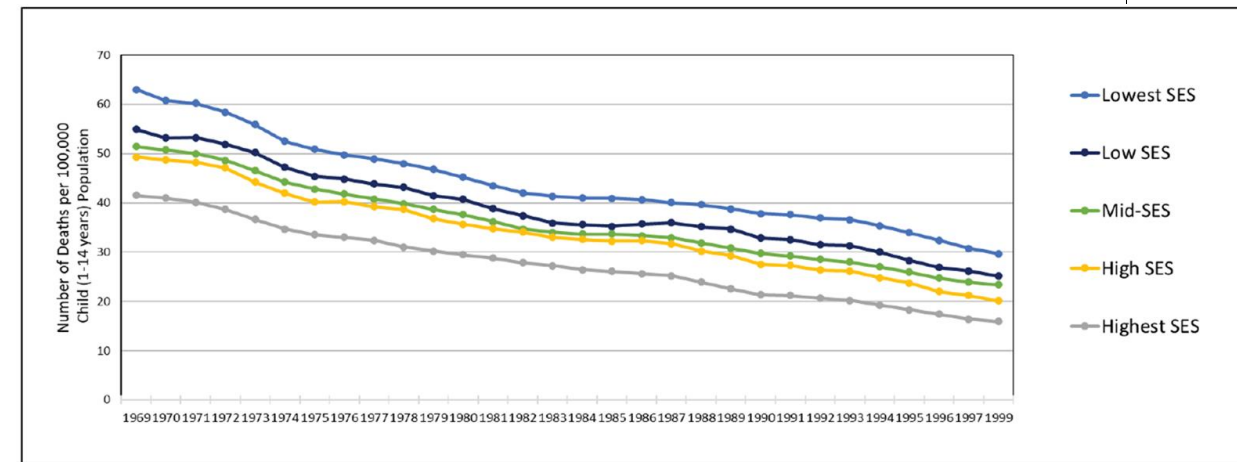
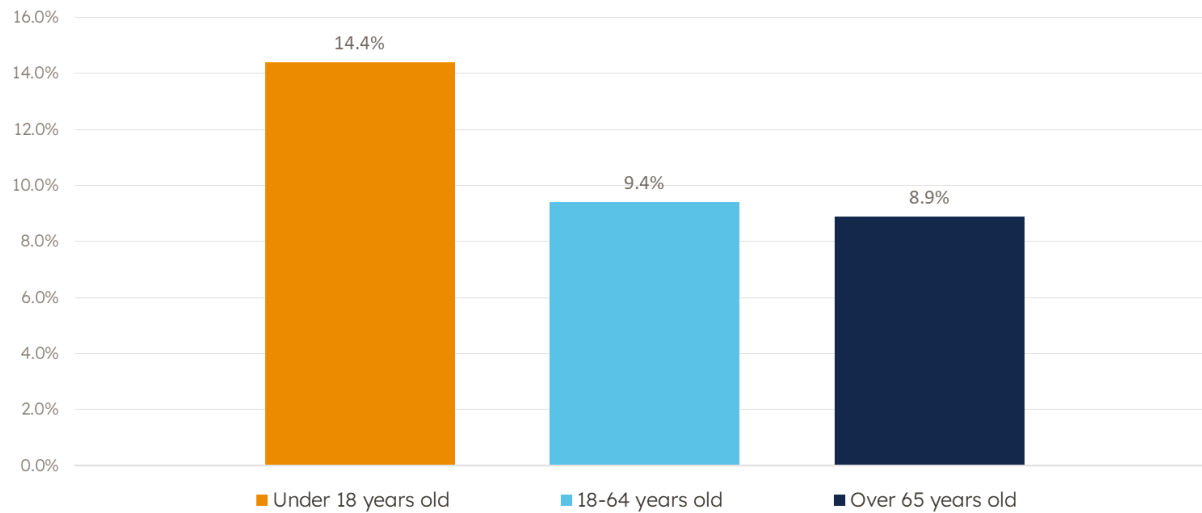
### System Changes:

- PCCN system changes
  - ICC team will accept SDoH referrals
    - Standardized tool created by PCCN
    - SCM orders (PCMG PCH internal process)
    - Previously established SDoH tool used by practice
  - ICC team follow-up
    - Team member contacts family
    - Refers to community resources
    - Confirms resource utilization by family
    - Closes loops with PCP
- Practice system changes
  - Screen every patient every visit
    - SDoH tool completed pre-visit (available via email and/or website)
    - SDoH tool completed at check-in
  - Use of a screening tool
    - PCCN standardized tool
    - Established practice tool
  - Documentation in EMR
    - Patient screened
    - Use of Z-code with correlating diagnosis
    - Referral sent
  - Discuss needs with family
    - purpose / function of PCCN interaction
  - Refer to ICC team

# Are there SDoH concerns for children?

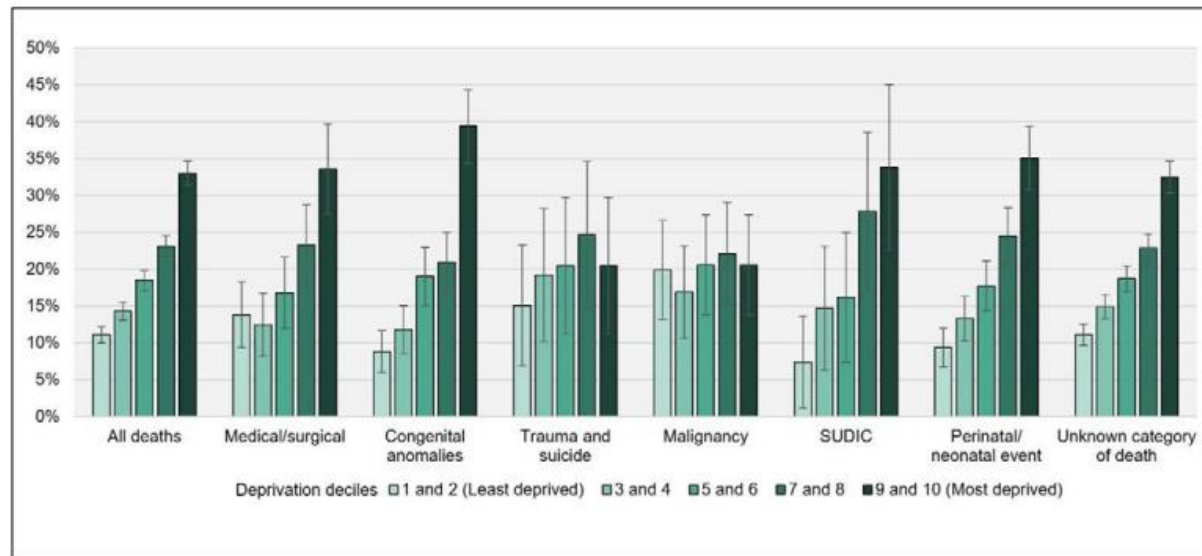
The relationship between health and socioeconomic status is true for children:  
The lower the family income, the higher the health risks  
Relative risk of all-cause mortality is 86% higher in low-income children

### Percentage of people living below the poverty level



# Child Mortality and Social Deprivation National Child Mortality Database Program Thematic Report Data from April 2019 to March 2020

Figure 1. The proportion of deaths in each pair of deprivation deciles for all deaths and across each category of death, including 95% confidence intervals. (Cohort 1)



Cohort 1: Reported deaths. A total of 3,347 childhood deaths that occurred between April 2019 and March 2020 were reported to the NCMD

**Key findings**  
Child Mortality and Social Deprivation **NCMD**  
National Child Mortality Database  
April 2019 to March 2020

 **CLEAR ASSOCIATION** between **RISK OF DEATH** and level of **DEPRIVATION** (all categories except malignancy)

 Relative **10% INCREASE** in **RISK OF DEATH** between each decile of increasing deprivation (on average)

 **>1 in 5 CHILD DEATHS** might be **AVOIDED** if children living in most the deprived areas had the same mortality risk as those living in the least deprived

 **INCREASED PROPORTION** of deaths with modifiable contributory factors with **INCREASING DEPRIVATION**

 **1 in 12 CHILD DEATHS** reviewed in 2019/20 identified **1 OR MORE** factors related to **DEPRIVATION**

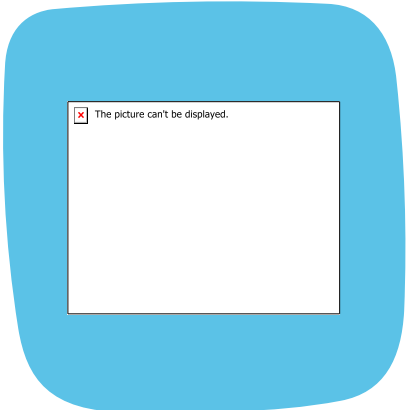
 **EXEMPLAR PROJECTS** highlighting strategies informed by recurring themes and local learning to **REDUCE MORTALITY**

**RECOMMENDATION**  
Use the data in this report to **DEVELOP** and **MONITOR** the **IMPACT** of future strategies to **REDUCE SOCIAL DEPRIVATION** and **INEQUALITIES**  
**ACTION BY: Policy Makers, Public Health Services, Service Planners and Commissioners at local and national level**

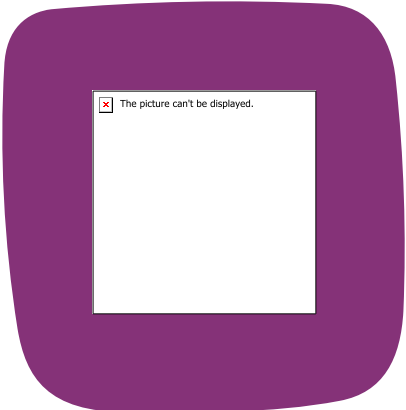
# SDoH Screening Challenges



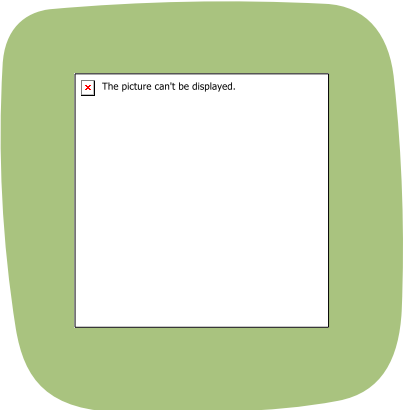
**Developing a Screening Tool**



**Establishing a Workflow**



**Addressing Positive Screens**



**Coding and Billing**

# Developing a Screening Tool

- PCCN developed a validated, standardized, and scoreable tool using PRAPARE and Health Leads
- Can be administered on paper or electronically
- Should be completed by the caregiver or patient (if appropriate) upon check-in
- Easy to identify the positive screens
- Ability to refer

## Social Needs Survey

Our goal is to provide the best possible care for your child and family. This screening will ask you some non-medical questions to help us better understand any needs you may have and connect you with available community resources. Most of these resources are free of charge.


Please complete this form and return to the office staff prior to today's visit. Please print clearly.

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

Race:  American Indian or Alaska Native  Asian Ethnicity:  Hispanic or Latino  
 Black or African American  White  Not Hispanic or Latino  
 Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander


Caregiver Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Patient: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

 In the past year, did you ever eat less than you felt you should because there wasn't enough money for food? Yes  No

 Does transportation keep you from medical appointments, work or from getting things you need? Yes  No

 Are you worried that in the next 2 months, you may not have stable housing? Yes  No

 Do problems getting child care make it difficult for you to work or study? Yes  No

 Do you feel physically or emotionally unsafe where you currently live? Yes  No

 In the past year, have you been afraid of your partner or ex-partner? Yes  No

 Do you feel unsupported by those around you? (friends, family, church, etc.) Yes  No

 Do you feel overly stressed? (tense, nervous, anxious, or can't sleep) Yes  No


In the past 6 months, have you or anyone you live with been unable to get any of the following?

 Clothing Yes  No   Health Care Yes  No   Utilities Yes  No

 Medication Yes  No   Phone Yes  No   Employment Yes  No

 Child Care Yes  No  Other please write: \_\_\_\_\_

 If you answered "Yes" to any boxes above, would you like to receive assistance with any of these needs? Yes  No

 Are any of your needs urgent? (For example: I don't have food tonight, I don't have a place to sleep tonight) Yes  No

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Practice Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Screening Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Refer to PCCN ICC? Yes  No

Patient Insurance: \_\_\_\_\_ Patient Insurance ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

Referring Physician/Provider (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

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# Establishing a Workflow



# Addressing Positive Screens

## Patients aligned with PCCN

- Send the completed screening tool to PCCN's Integrated Care Coordination (ICC) Team
  - Fax to 602-933-4331
  - OR-
  - Email to [pccncaremanagement@phoenixchildrens.com](mailto:pccncaremanagement@phoenixchildrens.com)
- SDoH concerns are addressed by the ICC Team through PCCN Patient Stratification Model, Payer Referrals, ED Visits, PCH Referrals, and Inpatient Discharge
- ICC Team contacts caregiver/patient, ensures needs are met and closes the loop with caregiver/patient and practice



- Care Management Tech
- Care Navigators
- Licensed Social Worker
- Social Worker Techs (SST)
- Nurses

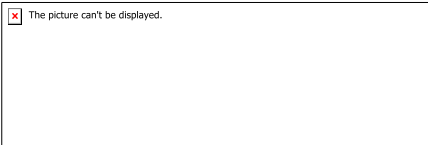
# Addressing Positive Screens

## Patients not aligned with PCCN

- Refer to available community resources, options include:



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<https://www.211.org/>  
Call 211 or use the 211 app

# Addressing Positive Screens



- Employment resources, teen summer jobs, volunteerism
- WIC, medically-covered diapers, supplies
- AzEIP, Headstart, developmental preschool
- IEP/504 Plan, School advocacy
- Childcare
- Clothing
- School supplies
- Support Groups, parenting education

## Health Behaviors

- Nutrition
- Food banks, pantries, SNAP
- Disease education
- Substance abuse – support groups, treatment, IOP, IP, outpatient, education
- Counseling, support groups, education, psychiatry, IOP, IP



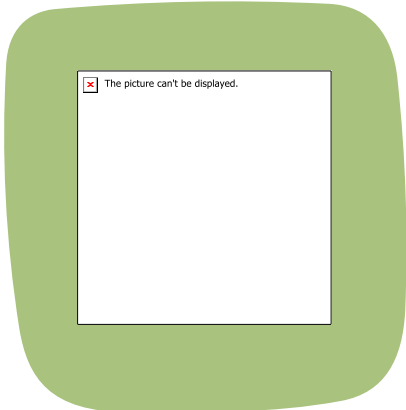
## Physical Environment

- Housing resources
- Low-income housing
- Shelters
- Assistance with rent
- Utilities
- Summer camps
- Low-cost activities



- Coordinate with primary and secondary insurances
- Coordinate PA's, Appeals
- Financial assistance for medication
- Health Education
- Assist with insurance transitions

# Coding and Billing



**Reimbursement for Screening**



**Data Tracking and Analytics**

# Coding and Billing – Reimbursement for Screening

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## Quick Reference for Social Determinants of Health (SDOH) Coding

### Determining SDOH Risk Factors

#### Via Standardized Instrument

If SDOH risk factors are determined by use of a standardized instrument, CPT code 96160 or 96161 can be reported:

*96160 Administration of patient-focused health risk assessment instrument (eg, health hazard appraisal) with scoring and documentation, per standardized instrument*

*96161 Administration of caregiver-focused health risk assessment instrument (eg, depression inventory) for the benefit of the patient, with scoring and documentation, per standardized instrument*

CPT defines “standardized instruments” as follows: Used in the performance of these services. Standardized instruments are validated tests that are administered and scored in a consistent or “standard” manner consistent with their validation.

Codes 96160-96161 are reported in addition to the evaluation and management (E/M) code (eg, 99213).



# Coding and Billing – Reimbursement for Screening

- The PCCN SDoH Screening Tool meets the criteria for use of CPT Code 96160
  - Administration of patient-focused health risk assessment instrument (e.g., health hazard appraisal) with scoring and documentation, per standardized instrument

### Social Needs Survey

Our goal is to provide the best possible care for your child and family. This screening will ask you some non-medical questions to help us better understand any needs you may have and connect you with available community resources. Most of these resources are free of charge.

Please complete this form and return to the office staff prior to today's visit. Please print clearly.

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

Race:  American Indian or Alaska Native  Asian Ethnicity:  Hispanic or Latino  
 Black or African American  White  Not Hispanic or Latino  
 Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

Caregiver Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Patient: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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In the past year, did you ever eat less than you felt you should because there wasn't enough money for food? Yes  No

Does transportation keep you from medical appointments, work or from getting things you need? Yes  No

Are you worried that in the next 2 months, you may not have stable housing? Yes  No

Do problems getting child care make it difficult for you to work or study? Yes  No

Do you feel physically or emotionally unsafe where you currently live? Yes  No

In the past year, have you been afraid of your partner or ex-partner? Yes  No

Do you feel unsupported by those around you? (friends, family, church, etc.) Yes  No

Do you feel overly stressed? (tense, nervous, anxious, or can't sleep) Yes  No

In the past 6 months, have you or anyone you live with been unable to get any of the following?

Clothing	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Health Care	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Utilities	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Medication	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Phone	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Employment	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Child Care	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Other please write: _____					

If you answered "Yes" to any boxes above, would you like to receive assistance with any of these needs? Yes  No

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# Coding and Billing – Reimbursement for Screening

## ICD-10 Codes

- Z13.89
  - Billable and payable
  - Use in conjunction with 96160
  - Must be listed first
- SDoH Z-Codes
  - Use when screening detects SDoH need
  - Add appropriate diagnosis code(s) from list **after** Z13.89

# Coding and Billing – Z-Code Categories

- (Z55) Problems related to education and literacy
- (Z56) Problems related to employment and unemployment
- (Z57) Contact with and suspected occupational exposure
  - Z57.5 Occupational exposure to toxic agents in other industries
- (Z58) Problems related to physical environment
  - Z58.6 Inadequate drinking-water supply
- (Z59) Problems related to housing and economic circumstances
  - Z59.0 Homelessness
  - Z59.5 Extreme poverty
  - Z59.6 Low income
- (Z60) Problems related to social environment
- (Z62) Problems related to upbringing
- (Z63) Other problems related to primary support group, including family circumstances

- (Z64) Problems related to certain psychosocial circumstances
  - (Z64.0) Problems related to Unwanted pregnancy

- (Z65) Experiences with crime, violence and the judicial system

- (Z71) Drug or Alcohol Counseling
- (Z72) Problems related to lifestyle
- (Z73) Problems related to life management difficulty
- (Z75) Problems related to medical facilities and other health care
  - Z75.3 Unavailability and inaccessibility of health care facilities
- (Z77) Contact with and suspected exposure
  - Z77.011 Contact with and (suspected) exposure to lead
- (Z91) Personal risk factors
  - Z91.120 Patient's intentional underdosing of medication regimen due to financial hardship

# Coding and Billing – Data Tracking and Analytics

Valid Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) codes should be used to ensure PCCN and payors are able to track and analyze SDoH data

**G9919**

Screening performed and positive for provision of recommendations

**-OR-**

**G9920**

Screening performed and negative

# Well Care/SDoH Coding Examples

## Vignette 1:

A four-year-old established patient is at a physician's office for her/his annual well-child examination. The patient is medically healthy, and SDoH screening is negative.

	Office visit CPT	SDoH Screening	Coding for Documentation of Screening
CPT:	99392	96160	G9920 (negative)
ICD10:	Z00.129	Z13.89	Z00.129

## Vignette 2:

A three-year-old established patient is at a physician's office for her/his annual well-child examination. The patient is medically healthy with abnormal findings due to a positive SDoH screening for housing and food needs.

	Office visit CPT	SDoH Screening	Coding for Documentation of Screening
CPT:	99392	96160	G9919 (positive)
ICD10:	Z00.121	Z13.89	Z00.121
		Z59.8	
		Z59.4	

# Sick Visit/SDoH Coding Examples

## Vignette 3:

A two-year-old is seen for a sick visit and diagnosed with strep pharyngitis. The SDoH screening is negative.

	<b>Office visit CPT</b>	<b>SDoH Screening</b>	<b>Coding for Documentation of Screening</b>
<b>CPT:</b>	99213	96160	G9920 (negative)
<b>ICD10:</b>	J02.0	Z13.89	J02.0

## Vignette 4:

A two-year-old is seen for a sick visit and is diagnosed with otitis externa, right ear. The SDoH screening is positive for homelessness and extreme poverty

	<b>Office visit CPT</b>	<b>SDoH Screening</b>	<b>Coding for Documentation of Screening</b>
<b>CPT:</b>	99214	96160	G9919 (positive)
<b>ICD10:</b>	H60.391	Z13.89	H60.391
		Z59.0	
		Z59.5	

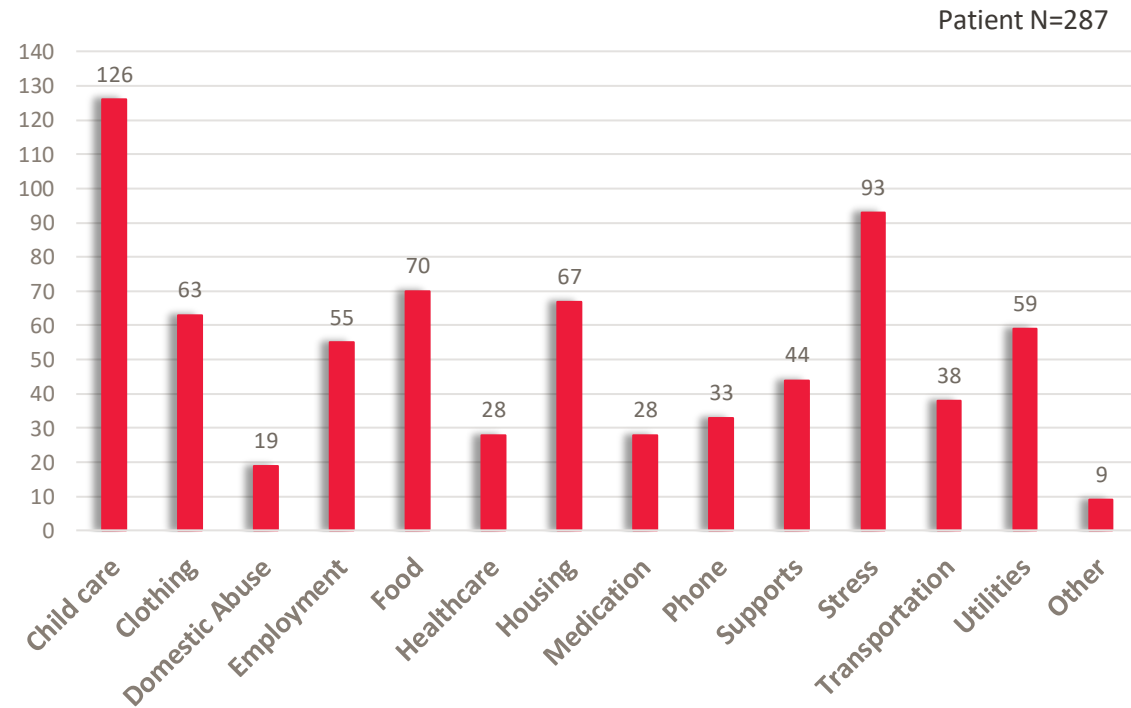


# PCCN's SDOH Trends

## By the numbers

- Participating Practices: 11
- Total Patients Screened: 2,578
- Total Positive Screens: 307 (12%)
- Patients Enrolled in ICC: 287
- Patients with Urgent Needs: 14

## Needs Identified



Program Effective Date: April 1, 2022

Program Data as of September 16, 2022

## References:

Bright Futures Questionnaire:

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Centers):

<https://www.nachc.org/research-and-data/prapare/>

Data Set Directory of Social Determinants of Health at the Local Level:

[https://www.cdc.gov/dhdsp/docs/data\\_set\\_directory.pdf](https://www.cdc.gov/dhdsp/docs/data_set_directory.pdf)

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# Break

Upcoming at 3:05 p.m. - Breakout Sessions

## Conference room 106

**Breakout Session #4: Risk recapture strategies to support providers and members**

Attendees will hear from a health system and payer on how they are partnering to engage providers in risk recapture strategies to ensure the risk of the population is accurately captured.

## Conference room 101

**Breakout Session #5: Engaging patients with primary care**

During this breakout session attendees will learn approaches to engaging patients with primary care. Attendees will learn from Park Nicollet on how they use their care consultants to ensure patients at risk receive appropriate follow-up and care. Medica will present member outreach models that have targeted non-users, preventable emergency department utilization, as well as out-of-network utilization.

Up next:

# Breakout Session #4

Risk recapture strategies to support providers and members

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Start time: 3:05 pm



# Welcome to Breakout Session 4

Risk recapture strategies to support providers and members



# Breakout session 4

**Kristen Kopski, MD, PhD, CRC Senior Medical Director Value Based Care | Medica**



Dr. Kopski is Medica's physician leader in clinical value-based care, collaborating with more than 20 health systems across 10 states using robust data and analytics to drive performance in the quadruple aim (quality, value, experience, and sustainability) for our members and care system partners. Prior to joining Medica, Dr. Kopski held leadership roles at Park Nicollet Health Services in St. Louis Park, MN. In her 16 years at Park Nicollet she led successful performance in value based contracts across multiple payers and populations, Dr. Kopski has a Bachelor's of Science degree in Biochemistry from The Pennsylvania State University, a PhD in Biochemistry from Cornell University, and an MD from Georgetown University. She completed her residency training at the University of Minnesota.

# Breakout session 4

**Dustin Cupp, DO, MSHD, CPE, FAAFP, Medical Director Ambulatory Services, Ascension St. John**



Dustin Cupp, DO, MSHD, CPE, FAAFP is a board-certified family medicine physician who serves as the medical director for ambulatory services at Ascension St. John/Ascension Medical Group in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Dr Cupp has spent time practicing in rural and underserved locations in Oklahoma and Kentucky, providing comprehensive/full-spectrum primary care as well as practicing in the Tulsa metro area, including experience in graduate medical education. Dr Cupp has a special interest in developing innovations in care delivery that focus on population health, value based care and quality improvement. Dr Cupp has a passion for the underserved domestically as well as abroad, having led multiple international medical missions and disaster relief trips. Dr Cupp and his wife have 4 children and stay active with children's activities, sporting events, music/theater and traveling.



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# Supporting Risk Score Accuracy

Kristen Kopski MD PhD

Senior Medical Director Value Based Care

October 10,2022

# Weaving together the "Why"

Business	Clinical
Plan revenue to better reflect the projected costs of the patient population	Understand and plan for the complexity of population and individuals
Compensate plans that enroll high-cost members	Identify people with higher medical need
Explain trends to assist in future forecasting of resources to deliver care efficiently	Monitor the population for changes
May influence payment & quality as patient needs are identified	Improve quality of care
Increase accuracy and completeness of data submissions	

# Examples of risk score methodologies

CMS HCC	Medicare Hierarchical Condition Category
HHC HCC	Health and Human Services Hierarchical Condition Category
ACG	Adjusted clinical Groups-Outpatient
CDPS	Medicaid Chronic Illness and Disability payment systems
DRG	Diagnosis related groups- Inpatient

CMS-HCC Characteristics	HHS-HCC Characteristics
Primarily used for Medicare Advantage (Part C) reimbursement	Primary use is commercial payer managed care plans (Health Exchange plans under the Affordable Care Act)
Intended for patients over 65 and/or disabled patients	Intended for patients of all ages
Risk-adjusted attributes include age, gender, demographics, medical conditions, and <b>institutional status</b>	Risk-adjusted attributes include age, gender, demographics, medical conditions, and <b>financial status</b>
Data capture included in regular Medicare processes	Requires additional data capture for demographics
Predicts future medical spending	Predicts future medical and drug spending
Prospective: Uses diagnostic information from a base year to predict costs for the <b>following year</b>	Concurrent: Uses data from the current benefit year to predict costs for that <b>same year</b>
Includes a special needs plan for individuals with severe or disabling chronic conditions	Includes an adult model (age 21+), child model (age 2-20), and infant model (age 0-1)
Provides frailty adjustment to predict expenditures for the community-residing frail elderly	Contributing elements vary by age (e.g., child model does not include disease severity interactions and categories in the infant model are defined by birth maturity)

1. <https://bok.ahima.org/doc?oid=302516#.Yxz333bMKUk>



# HCC Risk Scoring Models

- Not all ICD10 codes risk adjust
- Both HCC models group codes into clusters of conditions
- Both have an element of "Hierarchy"

Hierarchical Condition Category (HCC)	If the Disease Group is Listed in this column...	...Then drop the Disease Group(s) listed in this column:
Hierarchical Condition Category (HCC) Label		
8	Metastatic Cancer and Acute Leukemia	9,10,11,12
9	Lung and Other Severe Cancers	10,11,12
10	Lymphoma and Other Cancers	11,12
11	Colorectal, Bladder, and Other Cancers	12
17	Diabetes with Acute Complications	18,19
18	Diabetes with Chronic Complications	19
27	End-Stage Liver Disease	28,29,80
28	Cirrhosis of Liver	29
46	Severe Hematological Disorders	48
51	Dementia With Complications	52
54	Substance Use with Psychotic Complications	55,56
55	Substance Use Disorder, Moderate/Severe, or Substance Use with Complications	56
57	Schizophrenia	58,59,60
58	Reactive and Unspecified Psychosis	59,60
59	Major Depressive, Bipolar, and Paranoid Disorders	60

2. AAPC 2021 Medical Coding Training CRC

# A side note on ACG

Why do we use this in our clinical reporting?

- Incorporates broader (Dx plus pharm)
- Generally better at predicting or explaining healthcare expenditures
- Provides useful population health tool and predictive analytics



# Understanding opportunity: Retrospective reviews

- Goal is accuracy
  - Codes removed if documentation did not support the code
  - Codes added if documentation did support
- Roughly 1 new HCC for every 9 charts reviewed (net)
- Roughly a 6% increase in risk score



<https://www.newyorker.com/humor/daily-shouts/catching-up-with-sisyphus>



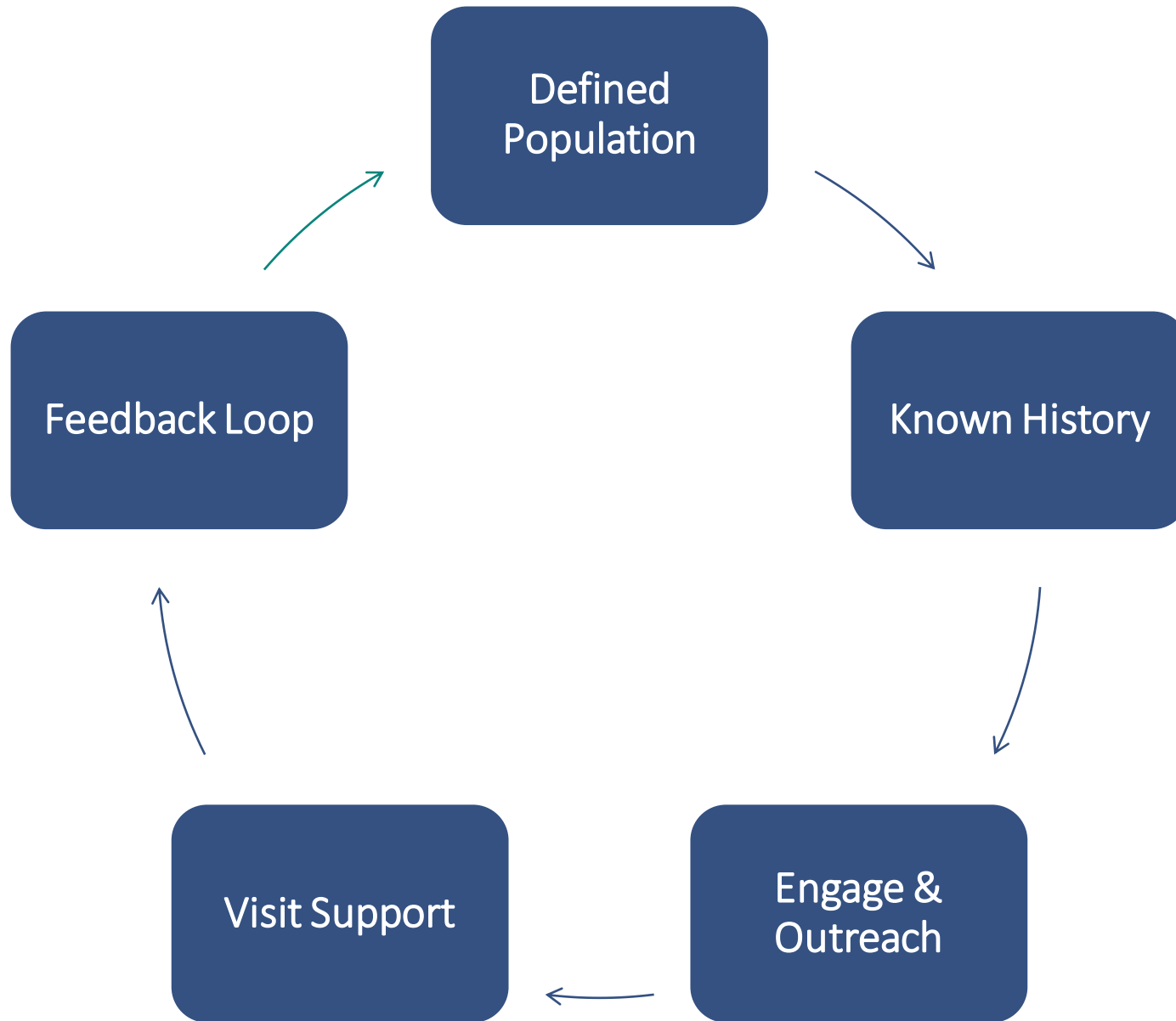
# Sharing Best Practices

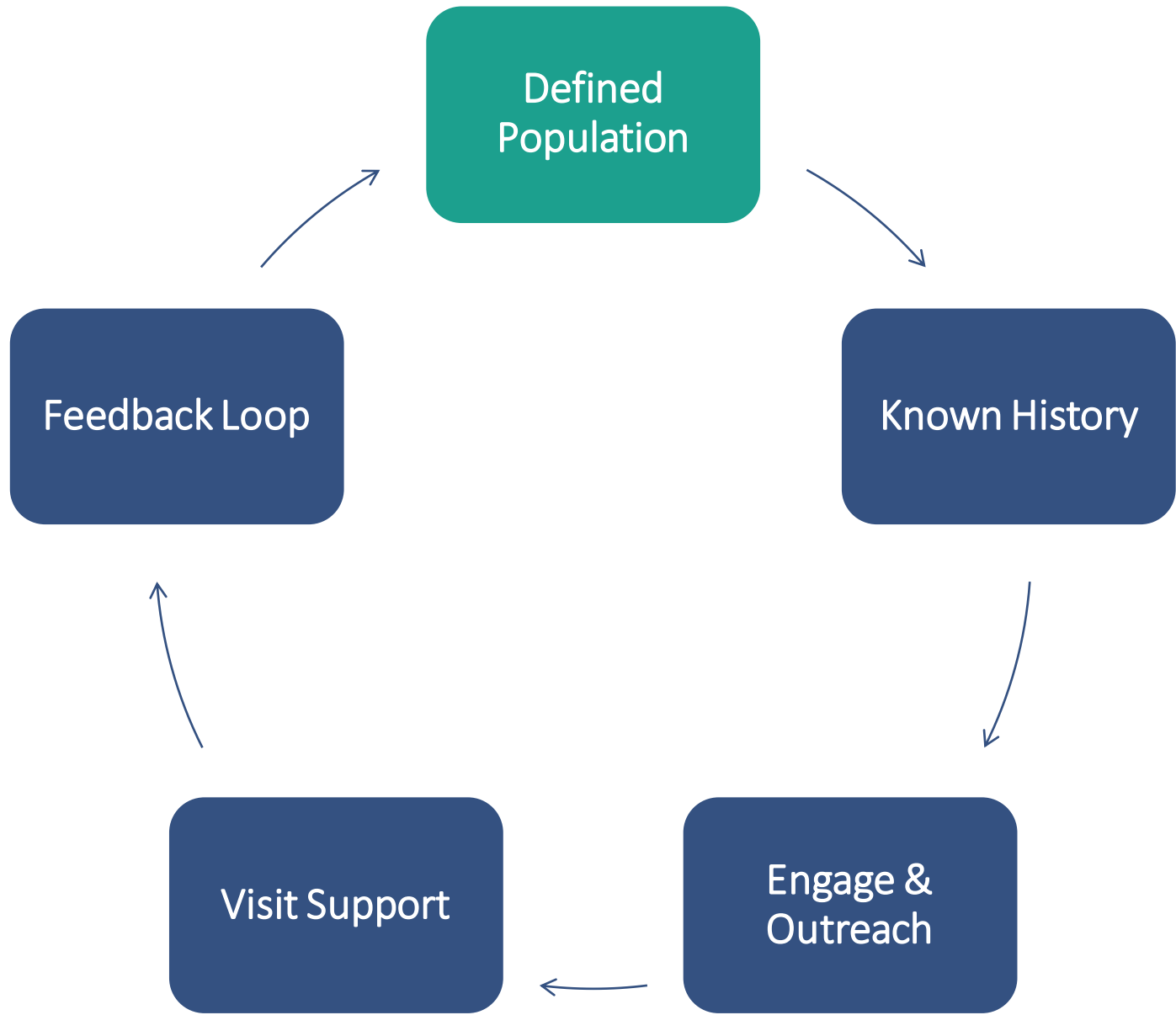
Ambulatory visits (office visits)

Primary care

Chronic persistent conditions

**Not** definitive, this is an evolving conversation





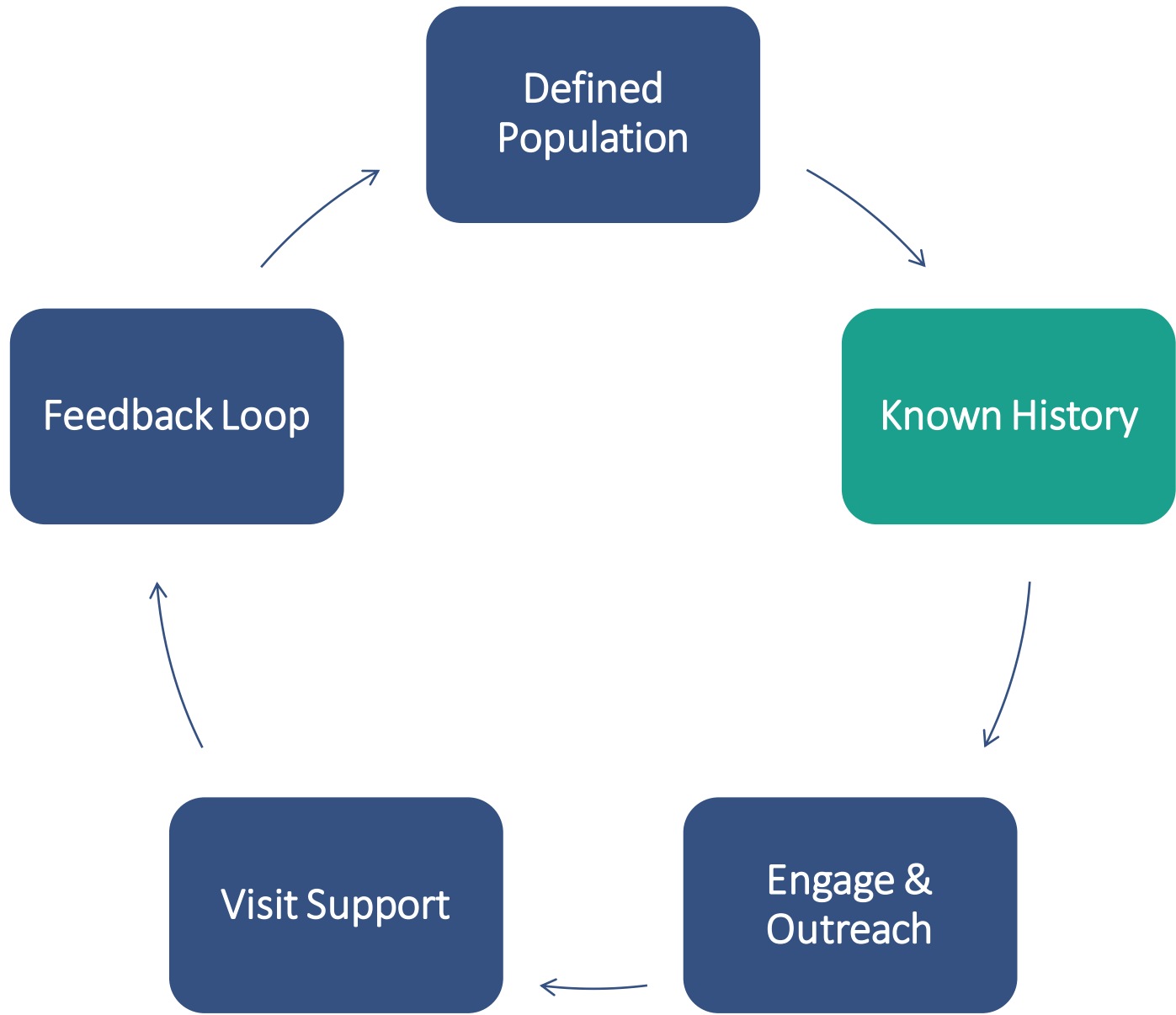
### Care characteristics

- Proactive vs Reactive
- Narrow Network (Keepage)
- Do they have a PCP?
- Annual Visit (Well Visit, Preventive)

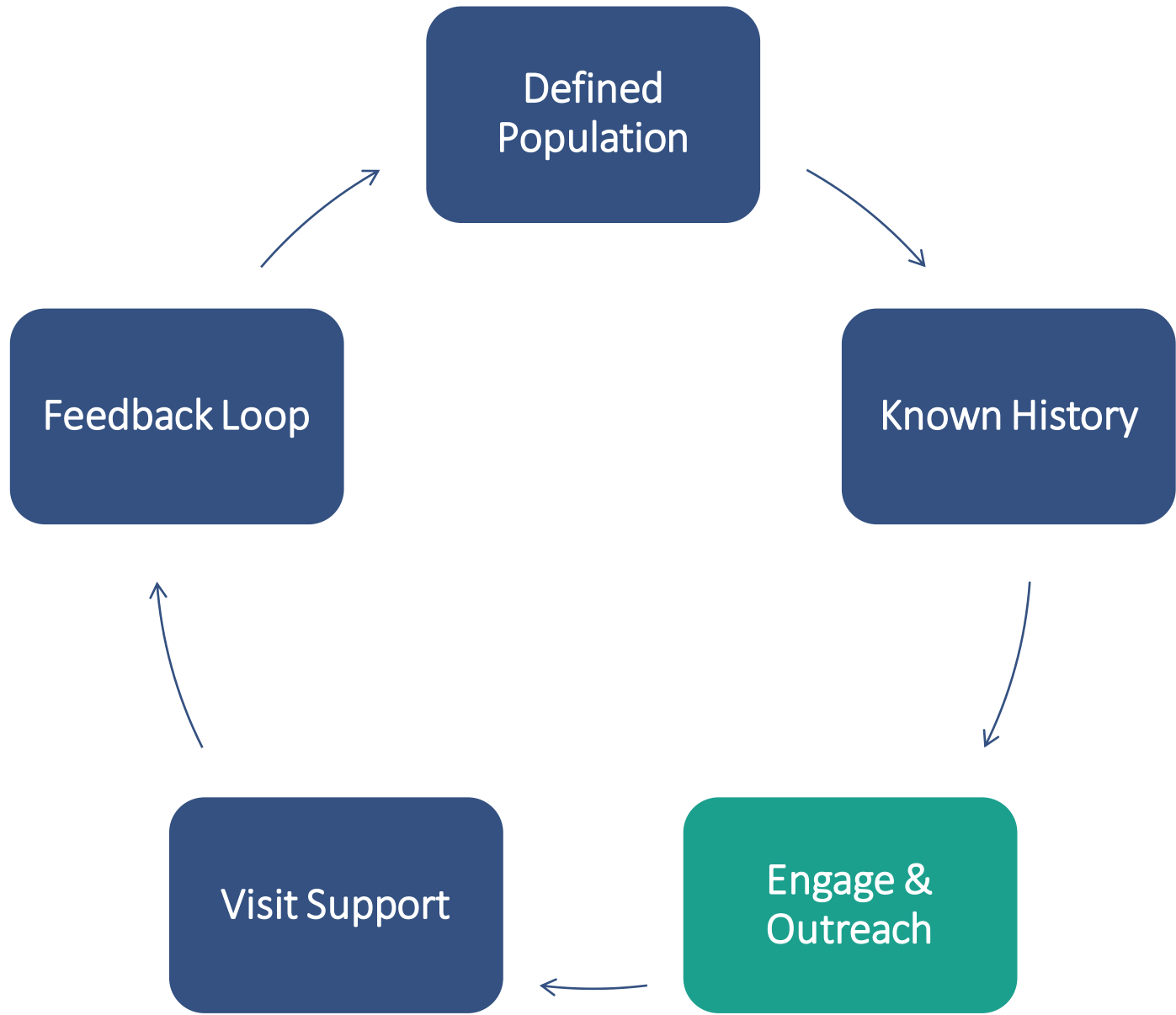
### Patient/member

- Entire population vs. risk arrangement
- Stratify by age
- Differential support based on type of risk model





- Problem List**
- Claims Sources**
  - Claims feeds
  - CMS
  - Recapture Lists
- Person and Family**



**Connecting to primary care**

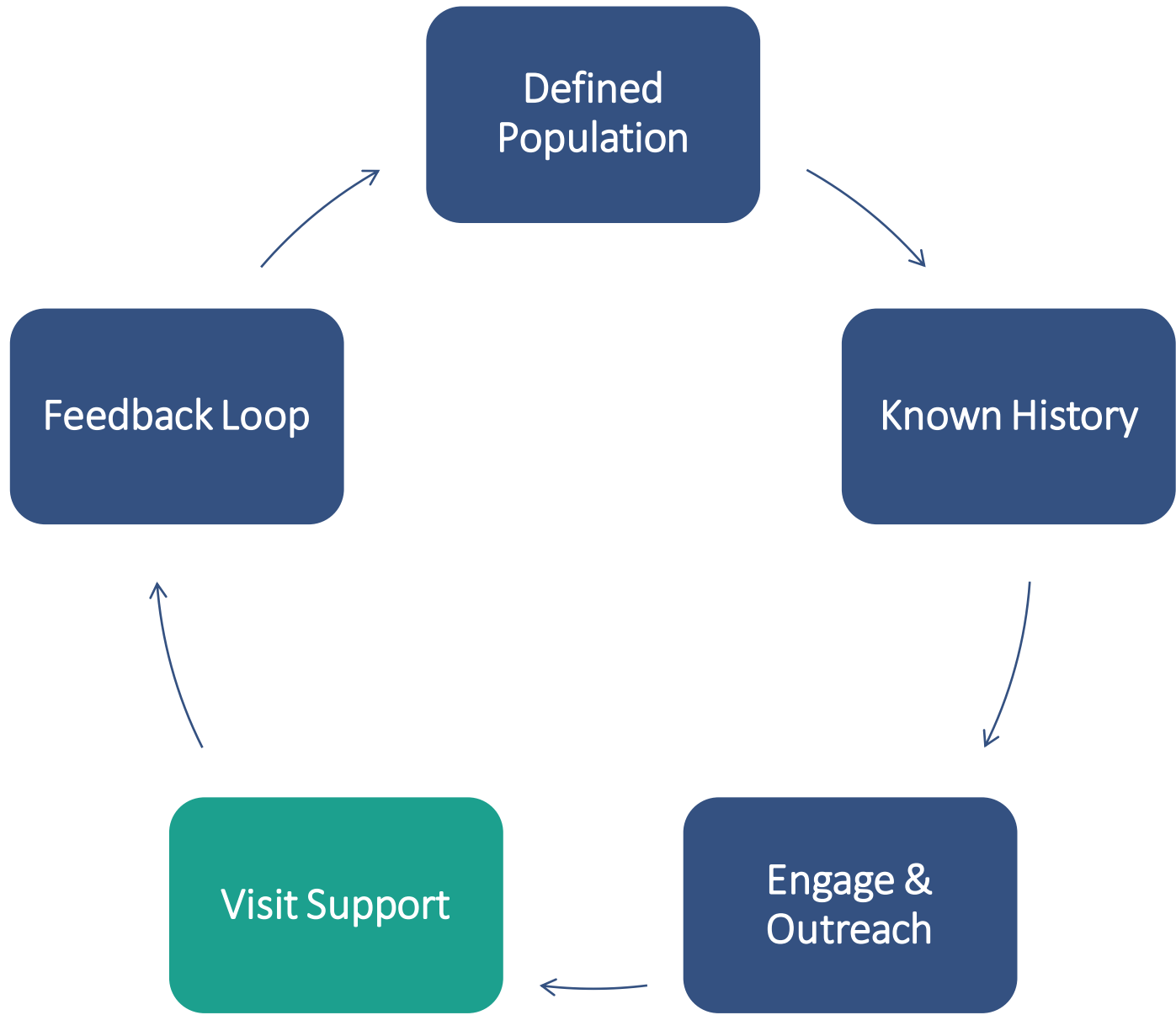
**Annual Visit**

**Planned care, chronic condition follow up**

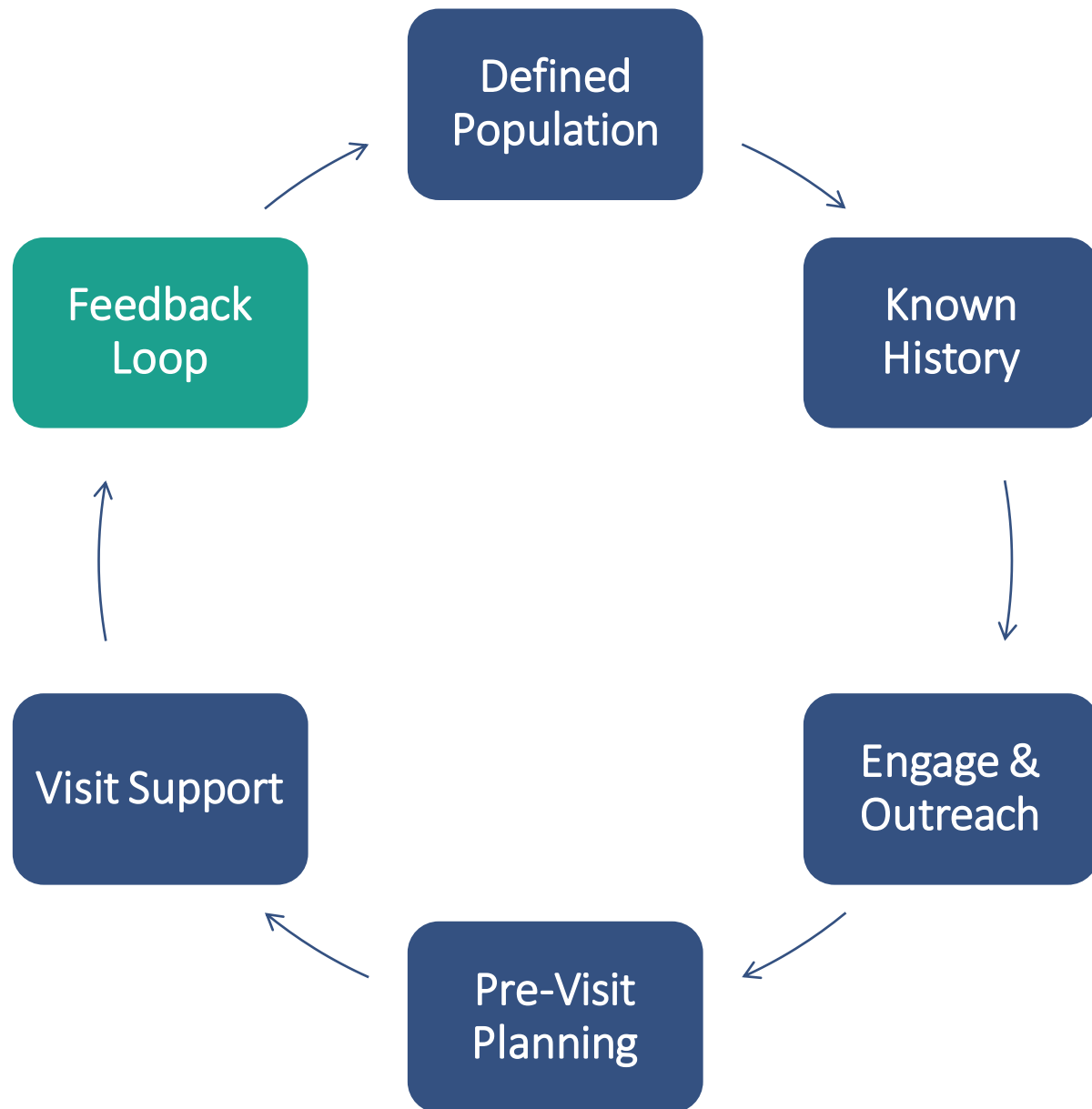
- Expectations
- Perceived Value
- Patient and Family Engagement

**"Gap" Lists**

- Care needs
- Recapture lists



- Gathering accurate information**
- Problem List**
- Incorporation of Claims/outside data**
- Point of Care Support**
  - Reassessment Prompts
- Time and Space**



### Coding review

#### Performance metrics

- Reassessment metric
- Coding Recapture

# Common opportunities

- Reporting only the primary or principal diagnosis
- Coding "rule-out", possible, or probable diagnosis codes from **outpatient** records
- Infants- missing birth weights
- Children-asthma
- Adults-Diabetes, Asthma, COPD, Depression, CHF
- CMS adults- Diabetes chronic complications
- Coding resolved or historical conditions as current (e.g., MI or CVA)
  - MI (acute=4 weeks or less)
  - CVA
- Cancers—active treatment vs. "history of"
  - Active surveillance ("watchful waiting") is considered active cancer

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# Risk Based Coding: A Process Improvement Initiative

Dustin Cupp, DO, MSHD, CPE, FAAFP



# The Who



# Risk-Based Coding

- Ascension Medical Group, St John
  - Tulsa, Oklahoma
- 24 primary care sites of care
  - 124 physicians + APPs
- approx 300,000 outpatient visits/year
- Value-based care participation
  - Two ACO models
  - CPC I/+
  - Primary Care First



# The What

# Hierarchical Condition Category- HCC

- What is it?
  - Payment model mandated by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) in 1997 (implemented in 2004)
  - Designed to identify individuals with serious or chronic illness by assigning a risk adjustment factor score (RAF) to the person based upon a combination of the individual's health conditions and demographic details.
  - Health conditions are identified by ICD-10 diagnoses submitted on claims to insurers by providers
- Why is it important?
  - “In addition to helping predict health care resource utilization, RAF scores are used to risk adjust quality and cost metrics. By accounting for differences in patient complexity, quality and cost performance can be more appropriately measured.” (AAFP)
  - Allows for more direct comparisons between populations

## Hierarchical Condition Category- HCC

- CMS definition of an “average-risk” individual is a RAF score of **1.0**
- **Our medical group average RAF score in 2021 = 0.805**
  - **Highest end-of-the-year score in our medical group’s history!**
  - **Yet... is this good?**





# Hierarchical Condition Category- HCC

- Never Satisfied!



# The Why



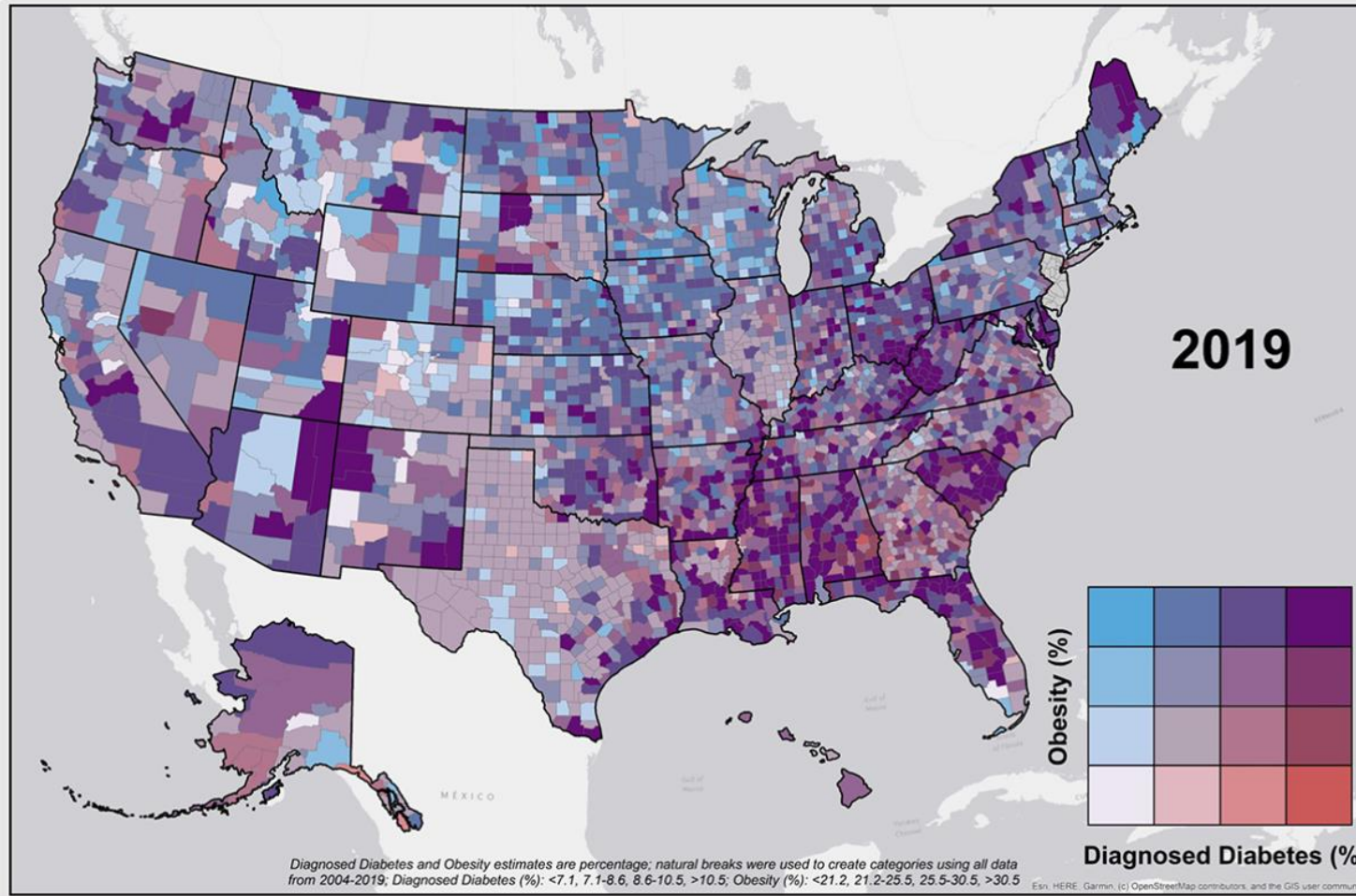
## The Situation Changes

- Primary Care First
- New commercial value-based contracts
- COVID recovery



# What do you Believe??

- Is our population healthy?
  - OR
- Are we not accurately coding health/risk?



the true picture of

# The How



# Clinical Documentation Improvement (CDI)

- CDI team (physician lead, physician assistant, 4 registered nurses) plus ambulatory medical director
  - Mutual understanding on definitions and expectations revolving around management of the problem list (Cerner EHR)
    - Problem List Management Guideline
      - Containing definitions
      - Best practices for problem list management
      - Workflow for care gap closure and HCC recapture



# Clinical Documentation Improvement (CDI)

- 3 phase educational plan
  - Presentation of the guideline to providers
  - Follow-up video from the CDI team
  - Process measure reporting with 1-on-1 feedback
    - 30 min virtual sessions with all primary care providers
      - Best practices
      - Coding accuracy for DM, HTN, CKD, Obesity
      - HCC recapture rate



# Process Measure Feedback

Primary	Number Reviewed	Number of Provider HCC Patients	Number of Clinic HCC Patients Reviewed	% Fully Coded	% Onset Date Pass	% Comment Pass	At Risk AMI	At Risk Stroke	Any At Risk
▼ Clinic <b>AMG Primary Care</b>									
AMG Primary Care			3725	49%					
AMG Primary Care	5109								
AMG Primary Care	5109								
AMG Primary Care			3725		6.7%	8.7%	5	15	93
AMG Primary Care	5109								

# Process Measure Feedback

Primary	Number Reviewed	Display As	% Display As	Resolved Status	% Resolved Status	Belong Noise	% Belong	Duplicate and Synonym Noise	% Duplicate or Synonym
▼ Clinic									
<b>AMG Primary Care</b>									
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AMG Primary Care	5109								
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AMG Primary Care	5109	1386	27%	1333	26%	2652	52%	1406	28%
▼ Clinic									

# Process Measure Feedback

Primary	Number Reviewed	Number of Provider HCC Patients	Number of Clinic HCC Patients Reviewed	Diabetes Gap	HTN Gap	CKD Gap	Obesity Gap	Combined Focus Error Rate
▼ Clinic <b>AMG Primary Care</b>								
AMG Primary Care			3725					
AMG Primary Care	5109							
AMG Primary Care	5109			840	786	506	227	46%
AMG Primary Care			3725					
AMG Primary Care	5109							

# Process Measure Feedback

Primary	Number Reviewed	Number of Provider HCC Patients	Number of Clinic HCC Patients Reviewed	TOC ICD9 Present	% ICD9 Present	TOC Non Provider	% Non Provider
▼ Clinic <b>AMG Primary Care</b>							
AMG Primary Care			3725				
AMG Primary Care	5109			847	17%	1738	34%
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# Process Measure Feedback

- Level setting; non-punitive
- Focused review of low performance
- EHR demonstration
- Focused coding educational review
- Repeat chart audits
- Additional elbow-support
- Physician queries

# Round 2

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# Upon Further Review... Follow-Up Chart Audit Data

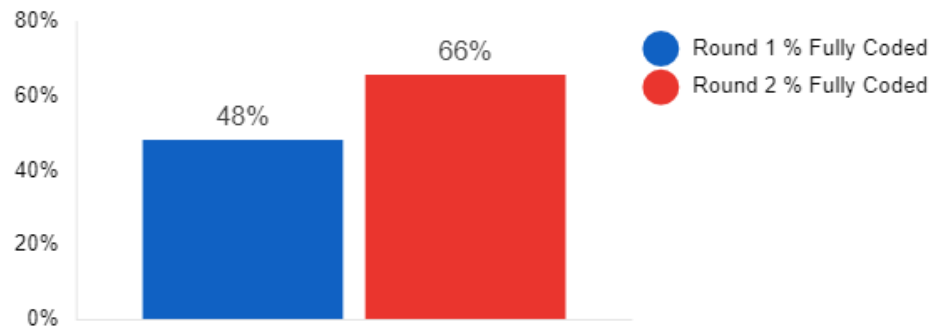
## HCC Process CY 2022

### Sample Size (Only Patients With HCCs)

Round 1 HCC Pt Sample	3579
Round 2 HCC Pt Sample	478

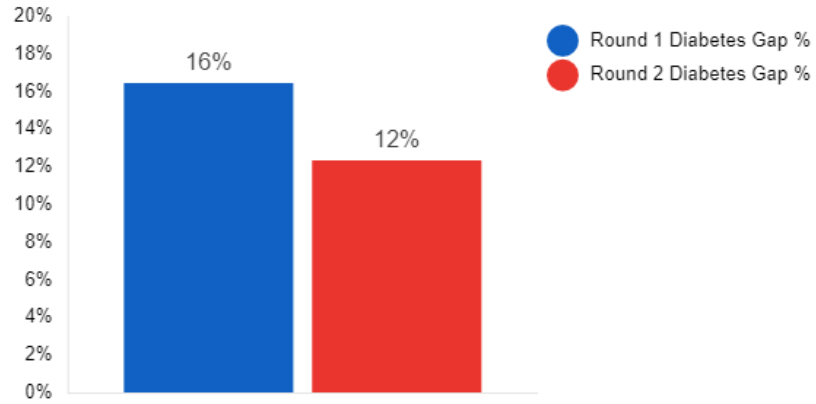
## Fully Coded (All or None) Higher is Better

### Fully Coded

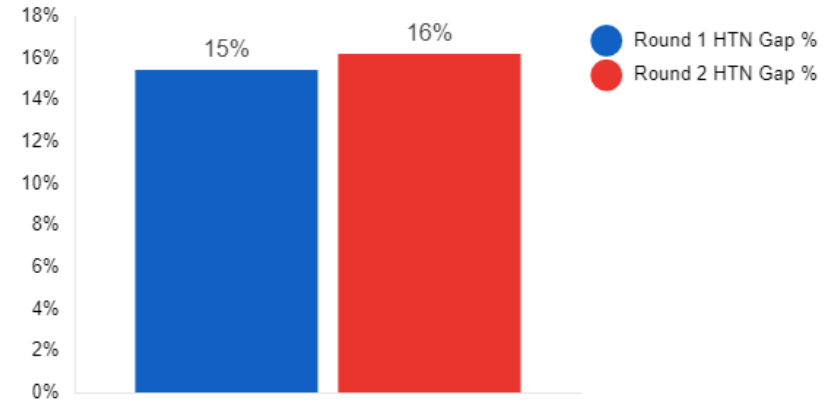


# Coding Accuracy For Common Conditions in Primary Care [AMG Problem List Guideline > 2. and 5.A] Lower is Better

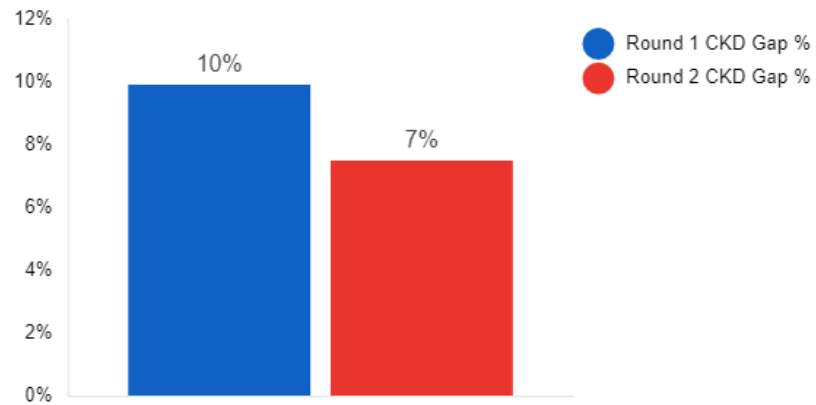
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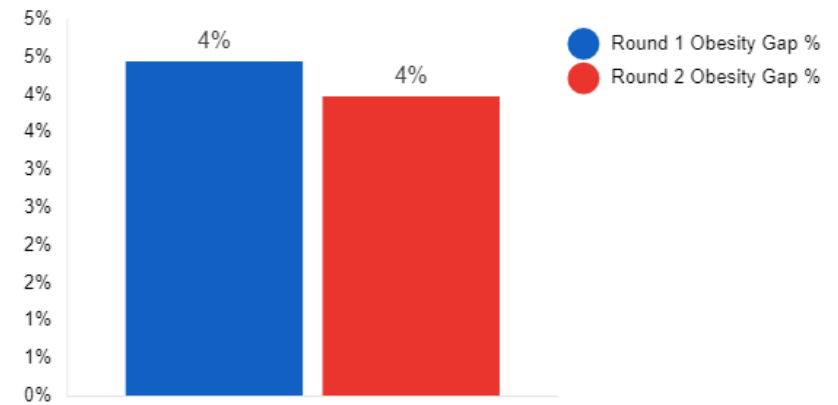
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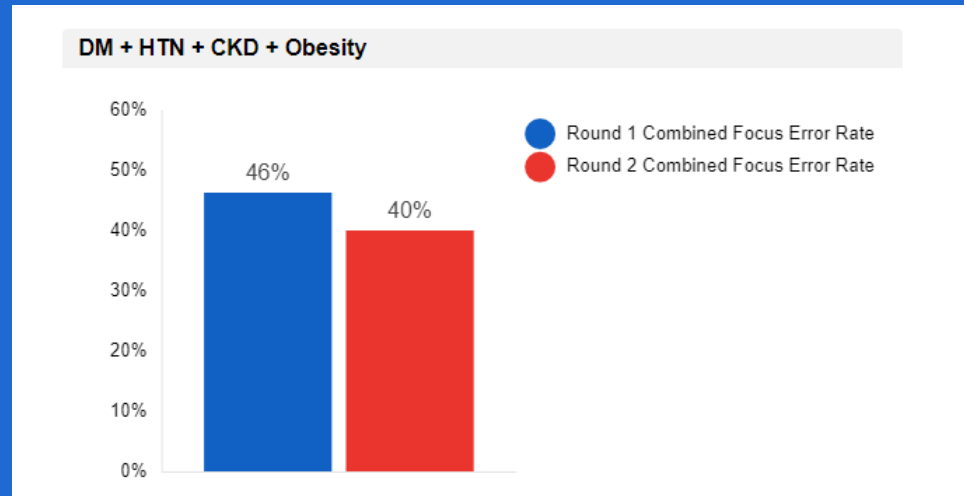
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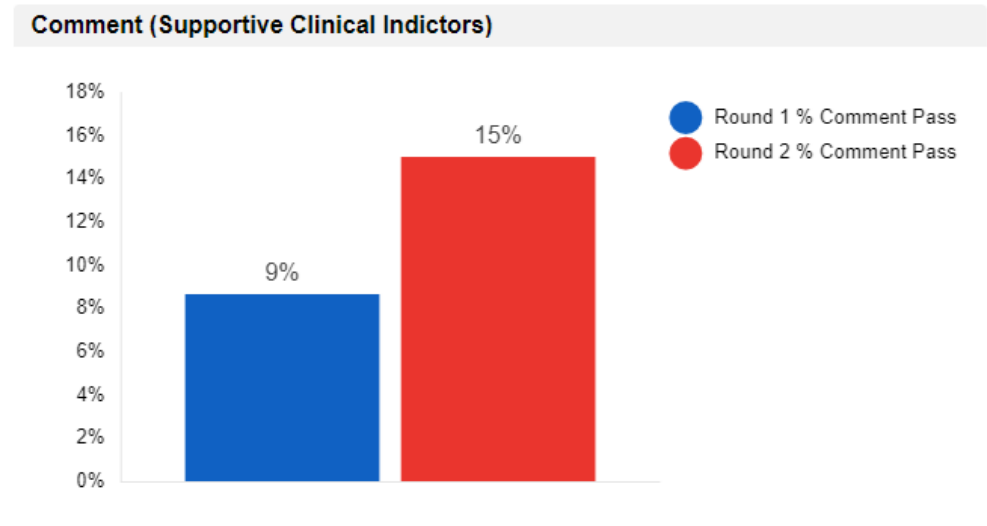
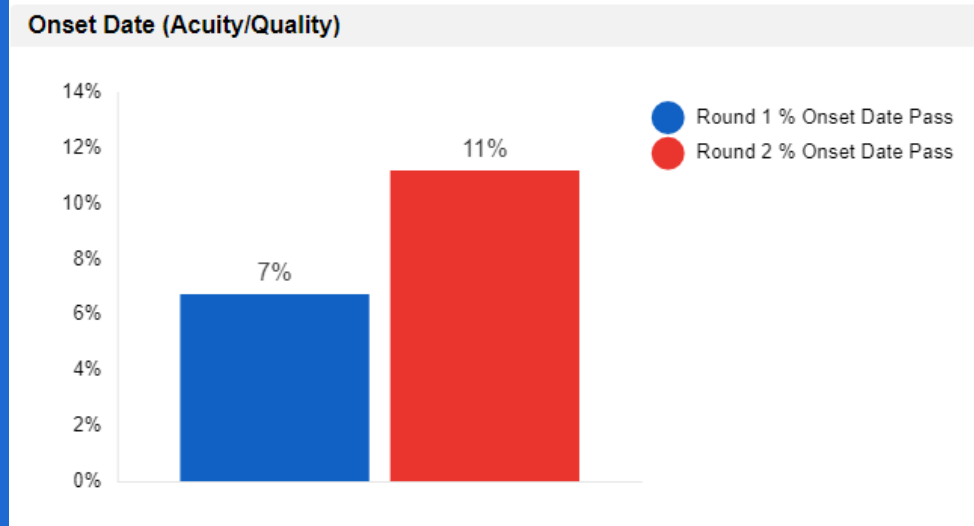
## Obesity



# Overall Focused-Coding Error Rate



## Clinical Validation [AMG Problem List Guideline > 5.C Veracity] Two Required Elements Higher is Better



## Risk-Based Coding

# Follow Up Message to Providers

Dr.

This is a follow up to our problem list/HCC data discussion. Below you will find data on process measure expectations and fully coded HCC diagnoses from a second audit of 30 charts after our recent conversation around your initial data on these same measures.

### Clinical Validation:

Measure	Round 1	Round 2
Number of HCC charts reviewed	35	35
Onset Date Present	13%	32%
Comment Present	19%	41%

### Focused Coding:

Measure/Diagnosis	Round 1	Round 2
Number of charts reviewed	54	41
Diabetes	3	2
HTN with Comorbidity	16	4
CKD	8	1
Morbid Obesity	1	0
Combined Error Rate	52%	17%

### Fully Coded:

Measure	Round 1	Round 2
Number of HCC charts reviewed	35	35
% Fully Coded	65%	81%

### Pre-Visit Planning:

Measure	Round 1	Round 2
Number of charts reviewed	54	41
ICD-9 Diagnoses Present	39%	51%
Non-Provider Diagnoses Present	65%	66%

### Problem List Workflow/Best Practices:

Measure	Round 1	Round 2
Number of charts reviewed	54	41
'Display As' Modification Present	17%	5%
Problems needing to be Resolved	7%	5%
Problems that do not Belong on the Problem List	41%%	29%
Duplicate or Synonym Diagnoses on the Problem List	19%	24%

# Follow Up Message to Providers

### Observation Summary:

It is quite evident that you have made a concerted effort to improve your fully coded HCC diagnoses along with an effort to improve your clinical validation and onset dates of HCC diagnoses and noted improvements in the accuracy of the four common chronic conditions. The only area without noted improvement is noted in the area of pre-visit planning associated with ICD-9 diagnoses and non-provider diagnoses.

### Recommendations:

Continue the strong efforts around recapture of HCC diagnoses to fully code each patient's chart and diagnostic accuracy. Nicely done!

Continue to update/remove inappropriate diagnoses from the problem list as identified in pre-visit planning and at the time of service.

Review the problem list for old ICD-9 diagnosis and non-provider diagnoses and remove them when identified. A quick scan of the problems and diagnosis page can be a more efficient method of addressing these two areas.

Please let me know if you have questions regarding this data or need further explanation.

Your hard work and efforts in this area are greatly appreciated!

Dustin

# Questions?



# Closing Remarks

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Room 101



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Up next:

# Closing Remarks

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Start time: 4:00 pm

# Closing Remarks

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Dr. John Piatkowski  
Vice President Physician Services

# Day 1 Takeaways

## 2022 ACO Engagement Summit

- Collaboration across multiple stakeholders continues to be key to solving complex patient problems
- COVID-19 continues to provide opportunities for transformative care models, from providing long-term symptom management to providing care in non-traditional settings
- Biosimilars are providing a more affordable alternative for many patients; designing efficient systems is key to provider adoption
- Universal SDoH screening and community resource connections is imperative to providing holistic patient care
- Accurate risk coding ensures that care systems are capturing the complexity of their populations
- An integrated team approach provides the ability to address a patients complex medical and social needs

# End of Day #1

2022 ACO Engagement Summit

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## Onsite Guests

Please join us for a networking dinner:

**6Smith**

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Wayzata, MN

## Day 2 Agenda

8:00 a.m. Networking Breakfast

9:00 a.m. Welcome Day 2

9:10 a.m. Roundtable Discussion

10:45 a.m. Behavioral Health Panel Presentation

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