#### Key Employer Insights: What makes Primary Care ADVANCED Primary Care (APC) and How does it Add Value to Healthcare?

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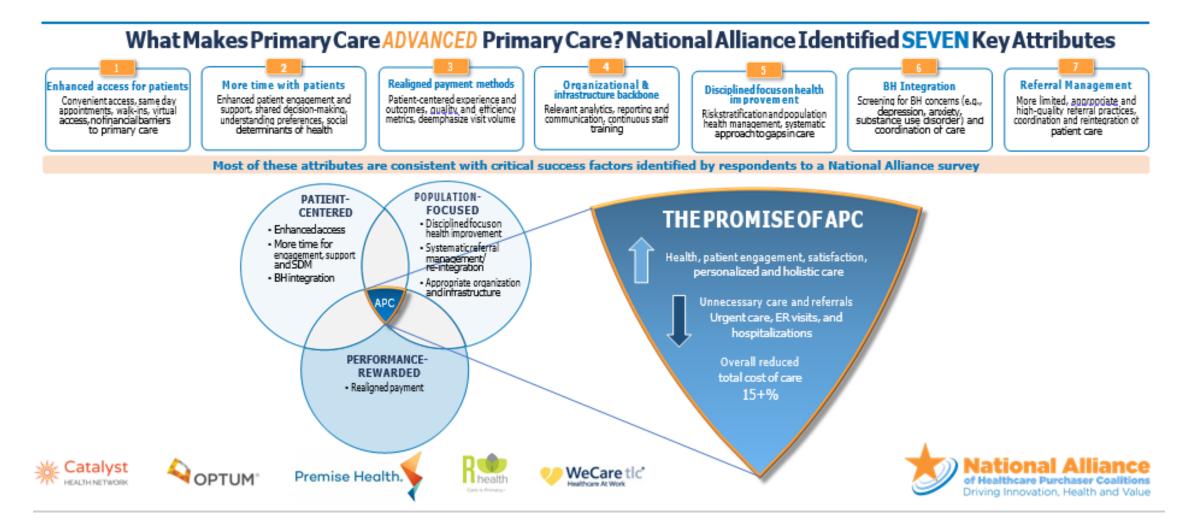
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#### Agenda

- Welcome & Introductions
- Assessing the Efficacy of CHW Programs and Integrating CHW into Primary Care
- MNCARES Minnesota Care Coordination Effectiveness Study
- Advanced Primary Care Innovation What it means for employers
- Reactor Panel
- Questions?



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### **PCORI Introduction**



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### Assessing the Efficacy of CHW Programs and Integrating CHW into Primary Care

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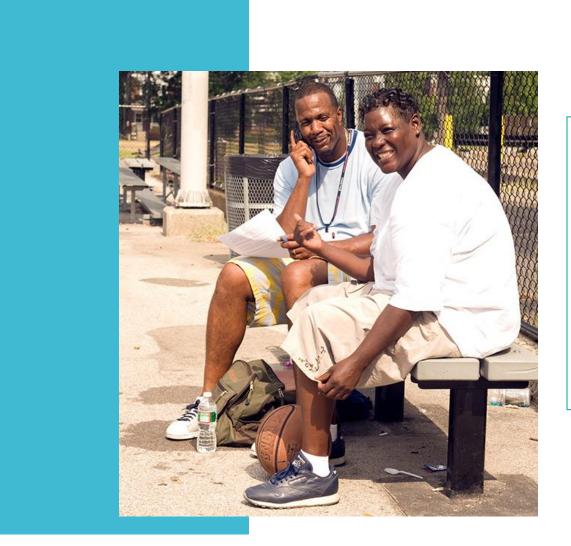
## Social Determinants of Health



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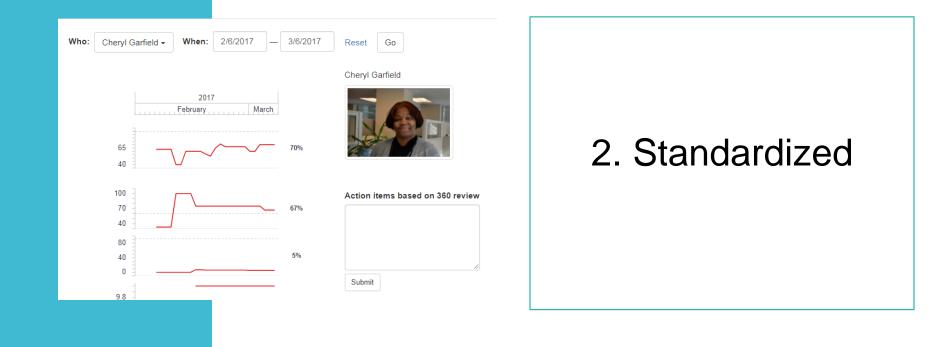




#### 1. Patient-Centered







Research

#### **Original Investigation**

Patient-Centered Community Health Worker Intervention to Improve Posthospital Outcomes A Randomized Clinical Trial

Shreya Kangovi, MD, MS; Nandita Mitra, PhD; David Grande, MD, MPA; Mary L. White; Sharon McCollum; Jeffrey Sellman, BA; Richard P. Shannon, MD; Judith A. Long, MD

AJPH RESEARCH

Community Health Worker Support for Disadvantaged Patients With Multiple Chronic Diseases: A Randomized Clinical Trial

Shreya Kangovi, MD, MS, Nandita Mitra, PhD, David Grande, MD, MPA, Hairong Huo, PhD, Robyn A. Smith, BS, and Judith A. Long, MD

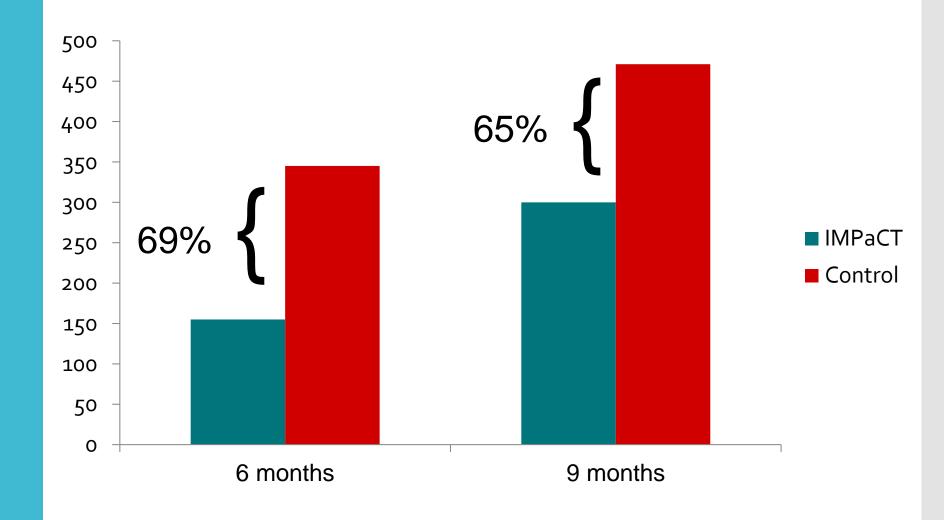
#### 3. RCT Evidence

JAMA Internal Medicine | Original Investigation

Effect of Community Health Worker Support on Clinical Outcomes of Low-Income Patients Across Primary Care Facilities A Randomized Clinical Trial

Shreya Kangovi, MD, MS; Nandita Mitra, PhD; Lindsey Norton, MSS, MLSP; Rory Harte; Xinyi Zhao, MPH; Tamala Carter, CHW; David Grande, MD, MPA; Judith A. Long, MD

### Total Hospital Days

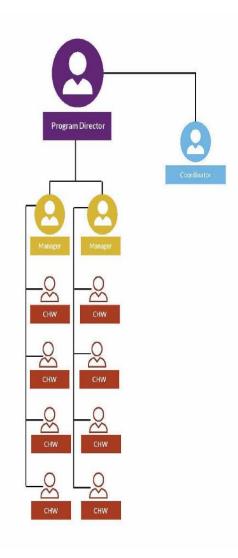


#### Hospitalization

	Diff-in-diff	P value
Mean length of stay	-3.1	0.06
	Odds Ratio	P value
Repeat admissions <sup>+</sup>	0.4	0.02
30-d readmission <sup>+</sup>	0.3	0.04

<sup>†</sup>Among those with index admission







### IMPaCT PATIENT CARE

\$2:1 Return on Investment

>10,000 Patients in Philadelphia

Kangovi, Long, Et al. Health Affairs: 2020



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# Thank You

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#### MNCARES Minnesota Care Coordination Effectiveness Study

Principal Investigators Leif Solberg, MD & Steve Dehmer PhD Research reported in this presentation was funded through a PCORI (Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute) Award HIS-2019C1-15625

## **Major Partners**

#### HealthPartners Institute

- Prime site for PCORI award and lead for data collection & analysis

#### • MN Dept. of Health, Health Care Homes Program

- Subject matter experts & point of contact with health care home clinics
- MN Community Measurement
  - Data collection manager and data source for health care quality
- Health plans
  - MN Dept. of Human Services, UCare, BCBS of MN, & HealthPartners as data sources for claims/utilization
- Primary care clinics and care systems
  - Care delivery experts and key information source
- Patients
  - Advisors and key information source
- National consultants
  - Subject matter experts



# The Back Story

- MN Health Care Homes
  - 2010 law empowered the MN Dept. of Health to certify clinics
  - 5 standards (access, registry, care plans, QI, & care coordination)
  - 400 of 700 PC clinics are certified





# Background

- Systematic reviews of care coordination find:
  - Patients needing care coordination have multiple chronic conditions, use 2/3 of healthcare \$, & are mostly managed in primary care
  - Probably some health & cost benefits for patients with particular chronic conditions
  - Not clear which coordination strategies and circumstances are best, nor which types of patients benefit the most



# Specific Aims

- To compare key outcomes for adult patients receiving care coordination services from clinics using a "nursing/medical" model versus a "medical/social" model that includes a social worker on the care coordination team
- 2. To identify the key components of the two models and test their association with desired outcomes
- 3. To explore how organizational, community, care process, and patient factors help explain differences in the models or outcomes



### About care coordination in MN

Type of care coordination model adopted is closely split in MN

Clinic type	Nursing-Medical Model	Medical-Social Model
Critical access hospital	5	2
Federally-qualified health center	10	11
Hospital-based	3	5
Independent medical group	38	20
Integrated delivery system	104	176
Other	14	1
Grand Total	174	215



# Study Design

- Observational study comparing which coordination model produces best outcomes among clinics that have already made their own choice of model
  - Compare existing quality and utilization data before and after each patient receives care coordination
  - Add patient outcomes from a patient survey after enrolled in care coordination
  - Use interviews of care coordinators and patients to create clinic surveys that will determine the model and its impacts



### Primary Outcome Measures

- Quality of care: Composite % of chronic disease/prevention measures that are relevant and achieved (MN Community Measurement)
- **2. Utilization:** Emergency dept. visits and hospitalizations (Payor claims data)
- **3. Patient-reported outcomes:** Satisfaction and health status (Patient survey)

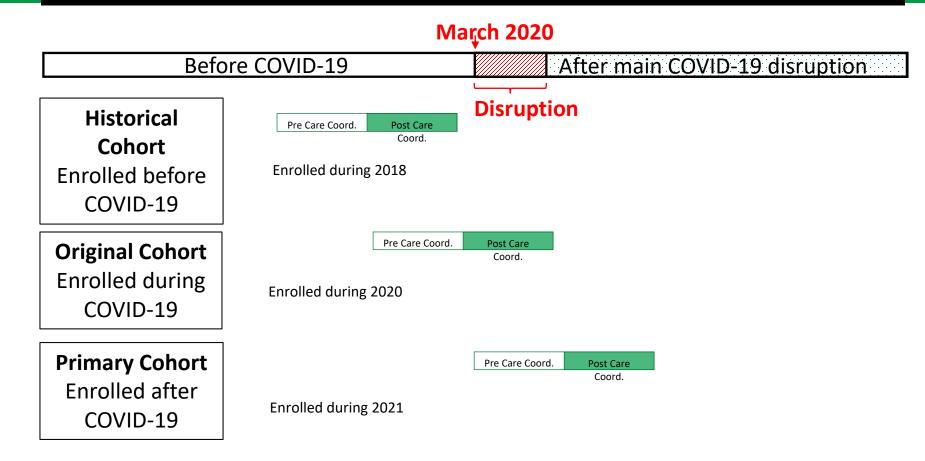


### And then COVID-19 happened

- Our original plan was to ask each clinic to identify all of their *currently active* care coordination patients in 2/21
- Now, that would mean much fewer patients starting care coordination and receiving more limited services



#### **MNCARES – 3 Possible Cohorts of Care Coordination Patients**





## What will we be able to tell you?

- Which approach to care coordination improves outcomes the most
- What components of either model make the most difference in outcomes
- What types of patients benefit the most from care coordination
- How these high cost/high need patients were affected by the COVID-19 care disruption, and whether there were disparities in services or impacts



## Thank you!



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#### Table 1

Distribution of Annual Visit Pattern and Self-Reported Mental Health Rating

	SF-12, MCS <sup>a</sup>		
Vielt mettern	$\geq$ 35 (Better)	<35 (Poor)	
Visit pattern	% (n)	% (n)	
Primary care only	49.8 (84,512)	49.5 (7392)	
Mental health only	1.0 (1697)	5.0 (747)	
Mental health and			
primary care	2.2 (3734)	13.6 (2031)	
Other combinations	18.5 (31,395)	14.1 (2106)	
No visit	28.6 (48,535)	17.7 (2643)	
Person-year observations	169,703	14,933	
Weighted percent	91.9	8.1	

<sup>a</sup> Short Form-12, Mental Component Score.

#### Distribution of Annual Visit Pattern and Self-Reported Mental Health Rating

Petterson, S., Miller, B. F., Payne-Murphy, J. C., & Phillips, R. L., Jr. (2014). Mental health treatment in the primary care setting: Patterns and pathways. *Families, Systems, & Health, 32*(2), 157-166. doi:10.1037/fsh0000036

65% of elderly patient visits for depression were made in primary care in 2000/2001

Harman, J.S., Veazie, P.J. & Lyness, J.M. Primary care physician office visits for depression by older Americans. *JGIM* **21**, 926–930 (2006).



#### Can Primary Care Afford Behavioral Health?

 Retrospective Cohort Study of integrated behavioral health model vs. usual practice found lower ED visits, hospitalizations, and better quality of care but practices received *less* reimbursement than usual care

Reiss-Brennan B, Brunisholz KD, Dredge C, et al. Association of Integrated Team-Based Care With Health Care Quality, Utilization, and Cost. JAMA. 2016;316(8):826-834.

 "providing integrated mental health and primary care is the right thing to do for the sake of the patient, but the resultant financial benefits of reduced resource utilization accrue to someone else—the employer who pays for health insurance, the insurance company itself, or a large health system—and not to the practice that bears the expense and reduced reimbursement"

Schwenk TL. Integrated Behavioral and Primary Care: What Is the Real Cost? JAMA. 2016;316(8):822-823.

See also: Basu, S., Landon, B.E., Williams, J.W. *et al.* Behavioral Health Integration into Primary Care: a Microsimulation of Financial Implications for Practices. *JGIM* **32**, 1330–1341 (2017).



# Hennepin Healthcare



Hennepin population-based health system

Direct transfers of health care funding into social services

"Ambulatory ICU" has behavioral health, substance use, community workers, housing stability for very small panels to manage very chaotic families

Care coordination, which includes access to a care coordinator Transportation and housing assistance Mental health Alcohol and drug abuse Chiropractic, Dental, Hearing, Vision and eye glasses Family planning, reproductive health, and doula services Home care and hospice

<u>Cross-Sector Service Use Among High Health Care Utilizers In Minnesota After</u> <u>Medicaid Expansion</u> Vickery et al Health Affairs 2018 37:1, 62-69



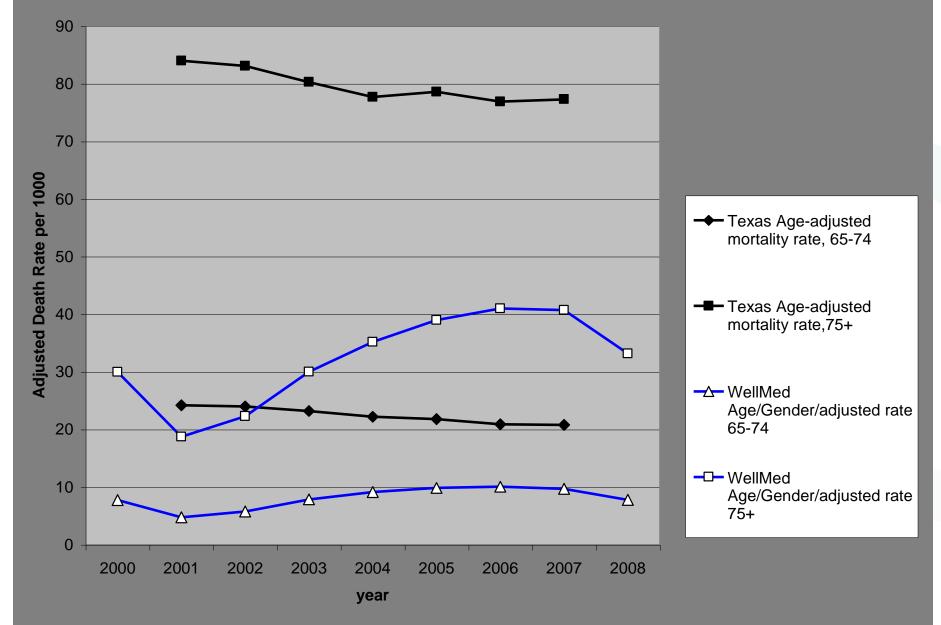


# Medicare Advantage Plans



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For-profit primary care clinic network of 23 practices in San Antonio, TX partnered with a Medicare Managed Care Plan. First identified as having unusually high quality measures as part of a practice-based research network



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Phillips et al. Case Study of a Primary Care–Based Accountable Care System Approach to Medical Home Transformation. J Ambulatory Care Management. 2011;34(1)" 67-77

# The Role of Massively Powerful Primary Care

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# Why listen to our story?



# The Nuka System of Care

Replaces medical culture with
Relationship
Shared Responsibility
Customer-Ownership
Story and
Complex Adaptive System

#### What does it take for Advanced Primary Care?

- Teams to increase Comprehensiveness
- Panels adjusted for complexity
- Population Payment, beyond visits—including social needs
- Relationships—patients, family, community = Trust
- Bringing care in, avoid referring out; Coordinate
- Facilitation, because change isn't easy
- We've known this for a LONG Time



#### **Reactor Panelist**



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#### **Questions?**



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