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Guest Speakers

- Pele Fischer
 - Vice President, Policy and Political Affairs, Arizona Medical Association
- Marcus Johnson
 - Director, State Health Policy and Advocacy, Vitalyst Health Foundation
- Jim Whitfill, MD
 - President, Lumetis, LLC.
 - Chief Medical Officer, Innovation Care Partners
- Lisa Mead, RN
 - President, Crowne Healthcare Consulting
 - Founder, Arizona Women in Healthcare

Agenda

- Welcome, Introductions
- Legislative Update with Pele Fischer
- Medicare Advantage
- AHCCCS
- ACA Coverage Update with Marcus Johnson
- Value-Based Networks with Jim Whitfill
- Quality as a Business Strategy with Lisa Mead
- Discussion

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Value-Based Care, Bundled Payments, & Post-Acute Partnerships — Az HFMA One Day Event



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Thursday, February 22nd 8:30 am – 4:30 pm Phoenix Airport Marriott 1101 N. 44th St. Phoenix, Arizona 85008

This one-day event will convene executives from health systems, medical groups, health plans, value-based networks, post-acute providers and other organizations to explore progress toward value-based care, bundled payments, and episodic accountability. Learn how the Arizona healthcare community is connecting through technology and data sharing and moving to larger episodes of care; focusing on the importance of coordinated post-acute partnerships and shared accountability.

Cost: \$90 per person

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8:30 - 9:00 a.m. Regist

Registration, Continental Breakfast, Networking

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The Arizona Medical Association is a voluntary membership organization for all Arizona medical and osteopathic physicians.

Mission:

Promote and provide leadership in the art and science of medicine;

Preserve and improve the health of all Arizonans;

Represent Arizona physicians in the public forum;

Defend Arizona physicians' freedom and ability to practice medicine in the best interests of your patients.



CURRENT POLITICAL CLIMATE

- Arizona Politics are in flux like never before ...
- Unique dynamics ...
 - Tense Political Climate
 - New Legislators
 - Statewide elections
 - Term limits impacts
 - High profile issues and debates



2018 Legislative Overview

- Leadership
 - Senate President: Steve Yarbrough (Chandler)
 - Minority Leader: Katie Hobbs (Phoenix)
 - House Speaker: J.D. Mesnard (Chandler)
 - Minority Leader: Rebecca Rios (Phoenix)
- Health Committees
 - House Health Chair: Rep. Heather Carter (North Phoenix Cave Creek)
 - Senate Health Chair: Senator Nancy Barto (North Phoenix)
- Medical Expertise?!?!



2018 Legislative Forecast - Health

Combatting the Opioid Epidemic

 Governor Ducey called for a special session to pass legislation related to combating the opioid crisis.

Regulation

- Certification Community Health Workers
- Licensure of Dental Therapists

AHCCCS

- Federal Waiver implement caps and work requirements
- Chiropractic Coverage for Adults
- Oral Health Coverage for Pregnant Women



Special Session – The Arizona Opioid Epidemic Act

- \$10 million for access to treatment (uninsured or underinsured Arizonans)
- Expanding access to Naloxone for law enforcement and corrections officers
- Regulation of pain management clinics to stop "pill mill" activities
- Enacting criminal penalties for manufacturers who defraud the public about their products
- Enhancing continuing medical education for all professions that prescribe or dispense opioids and requiring opioid related education for medical students
- Enacting a Good Samaritan law to allow people to call 911 for a potential opioid overdose
- Mandating e-prescribing for Schedule II Controlled Substances
- Requiring pharmacists to check the CSPMP
- Red Caps and Warning Labels
- Prior authorization reforms to expedite treatment
- Limiting the first-fill of an opioid prescription to five days for all opioid naïve patients and limiting dosage levels over 90 MME (with exceptions)



2018 Legislative Forecast - Health

- Public Health
 - Tobacco 21
 - Prohibit Indoor Tanning for Children
 - Rear Facing Car Seats
 - School Recess
- Administration
 - Credentialing Improvements and Efficiencies
 - Various Board Reforms
- More to Come



WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

- VOTE! And Vote Early!
 - Primaries are critical
- Join associations that are advocating for the issues that are important to YOU!
- Support Candidates
- Donate to a PAC
- Attend a fundraiser
- Get to know your legislators!





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CMS Removes Medicare Advantage Sanctions on Cigna



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January 2016 CMS blocked marketing and enrollment of Cigna's Medicare Advantage and Plan D offerings.

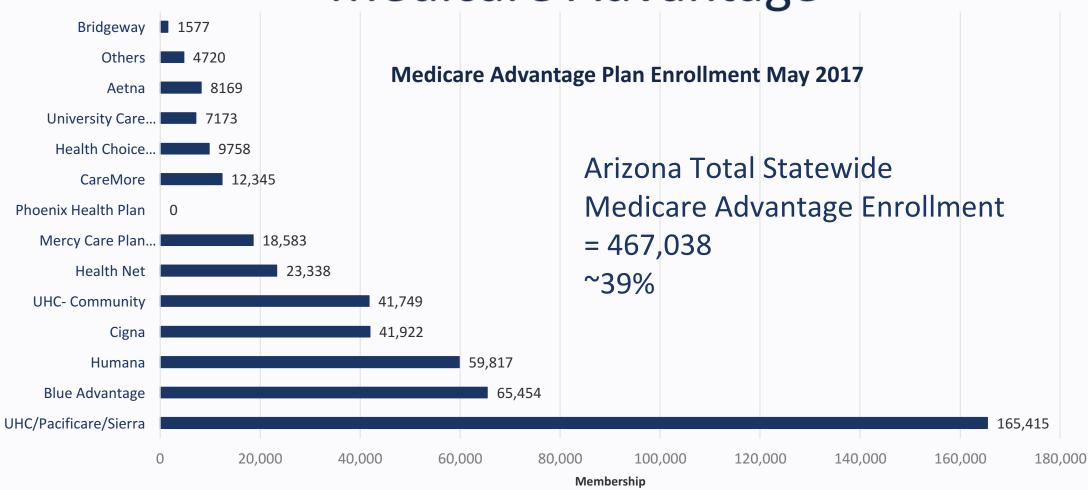
The CMS said Cigna plans "posed serious threats to the health and safety of Medicare beneficiaries." For example, Cigna inappropriately denied medical care and prescription drugs to its members. Cigna and CMS spent more than a year trying to resolve issues with its Medicare Advantage plans.

Insurance industry analysts note that the lifted sanctions pave the way for Cigna to pursue an acquisition in the lucrative Medicare Advantage segment. Any acquisition would likely require divestitures, but it would have been difficult for Cigna to sell its Medicare Advantage business while under sanction. Analysts say Humana is a likely target. Read more in <u>Modern</u>

Healthcare

The government told Cigna in a June 16 letter that it could now market Medicare Advantage as well as its Medicare

Medicare Advantage



Source: CMS

Medicare Advantage Penetration Expected to Hit 50 Percent by 2025



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L.E.K. Consultants release white paper after in-depth analysis.

L.E.K. Consulting's proprietary county-level projection model shows Medicare Advantage enrollment rising from roughly 20 million, or 35% penetration, at the end of 2017 to approximately 38 million, or 50% penetration, by the end of 2025. Nor will it stop there, it is believed that Medicare Advantage's march forward will continue until its penetration rate hits 70%.

Medicare Advantage is one of the rare products in the U.S. healthcare system that not only satisfies the "triple aim" of healthcare improvement — that is, improving the experience of care and the health of populations while reducing per capita healthcare costs — but also appeals to the self-interests of three very powerful constituents that have been driving its march forward: consumers, health plans and the government.

Read this interesting analysis in the white paper "Executive Insights"



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BREAKING: Bright Health to offer MAPD plans in Maricopa County







The insurer, which launched an MAPD product in Colorado last year, is led by former UnitedHealth executive Bob Sheehy.

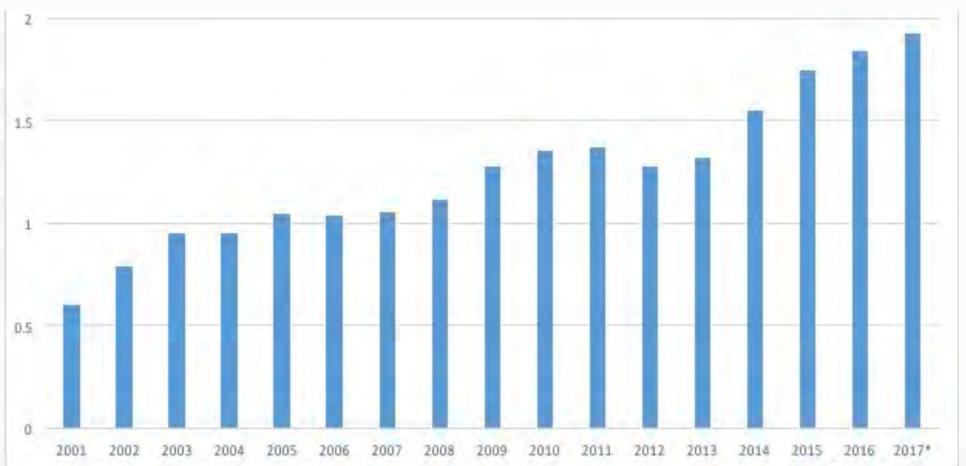
The new start-up insurance company Bright Health is entering the Arizona marketplace in 2018 in collaboration with Arizona Care Network (ACN). Marketing of MA plans begins October 1.





A Physician and Health System Collaboration

AHCCCS Total Population as of July 1st (in millions) 2001 - 2018*



January 2018 1.89M

Restoration and Expansion by the numbers

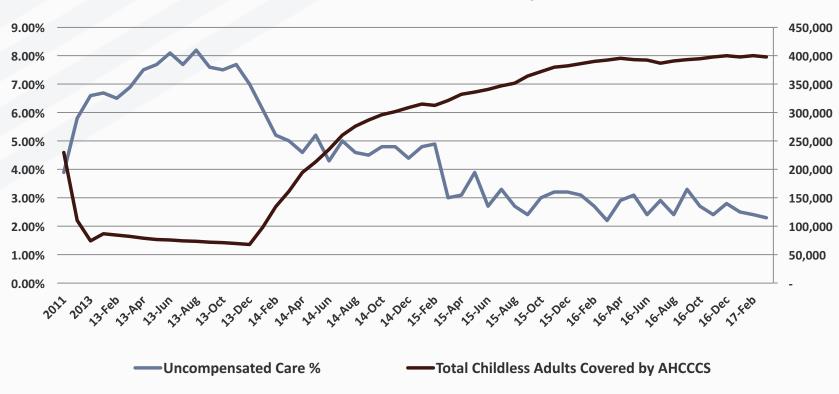
- 400,000
- 82,000
- 47,000
- 26,700
- 31% each
- 11,563

- Expansion Adults
- Mental Health Service
- Substance Use Disorder
- Cancer Treatment
- 20-29 YO and >50 TO
- Individuals with SMI
- 17.3% to 11.1%
 Uninsured 2013-2015



Uncompensated Care Trends

Arizona Hospital Uncompensated Care Trends Before and After Medicaid Expansion



Source: Arizona Hospital and Healthcare Association

ALTCS Award for 10-1-17 Start

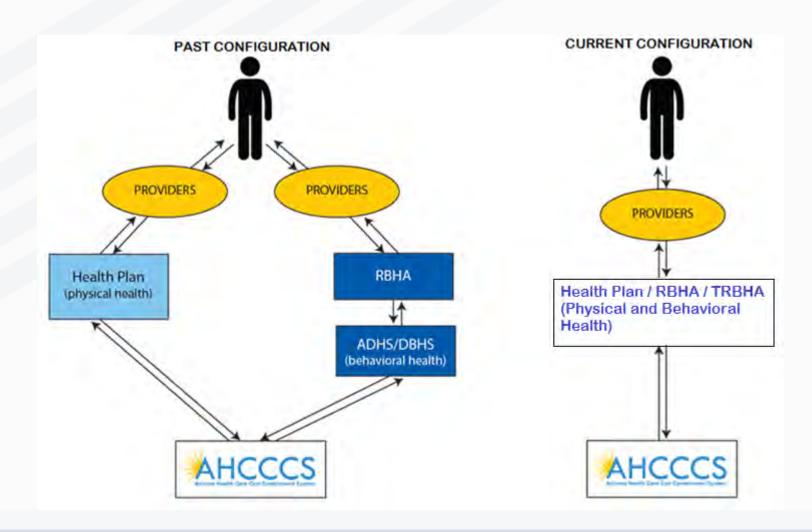
- North United
- Central (Maricopa, Pinal, Gila)
 - University Mercy Care United
- South
 - University
 - Mercy Care (Pima)
- Roughly 9,000 members transitioned
- Bridgeway (Centene) out

AHCCCS Committed to Integration

A Case for Integrating Physical and Behavioral Health Services:

- 1. Ease navigation of health care services;
- 2. Single point of accountability;
- 3. Align incentives to improve a person's whole health; and
- 4. Streamline care coordination to get to better outcomes.

Vision - Integration at all 3 Levels



Integrated Acute Care Bid AHCCCS Complete Care

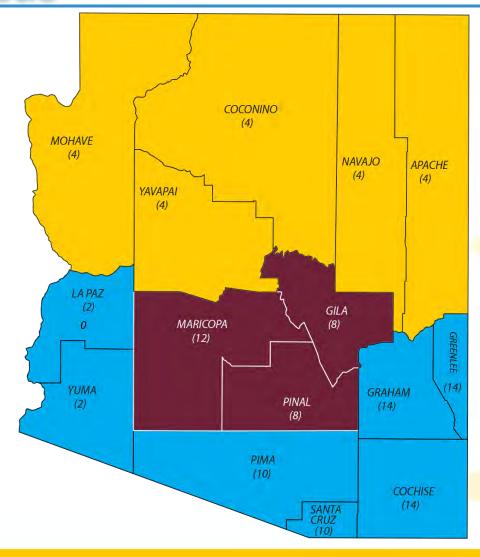
- RFP out November 2, 2017
- Integrated Physical and Behavioral Care
- For all Adults without Serious Mental Illness
- And All children except CMDP (foster kids)
- Crisis Services responsibility of RBHA
- Move to GSA's like ALTCS
- PROPOSALS DUE JAN 25!

Date	Activity
November 02, 2017	Issue Request for Proposal
November 08, 2017	Pre-Proposal Prospective Offerors' Conference and Technical Interface Meeting
November 14, 2017	Prospective Offerors' First Set of Technical Assistance and RFP Questions Due by 5:00 p.m. Arizona Time
November 30, 2017	First RFP Amendment Including Responses to RFP Questions Issued
December 08, 2017	Prospective Offerors' Second Set of Technical Assistance and RFP Questions Due by 5:00 p.m. Arizona Time
December 20, 2017	Second RFP Amendment Including Responses to RFP Questions Issued
December 28, 2017	Prospective Offerors' Third Set of Technical Assistance and RFP Questions Due by 5:00 p.m. Arizona Time
January 08, 2018	Third RFP Amendment Including Responses to RFP Questions Issued
January 25, 2018	Proposals Due by 3:00 p.m. Arizona Time
March 08, 2018	Contracts Awarded/Transition Services Begin On or Before
October 01, 2018	Program and Medical Service Implementation On or After

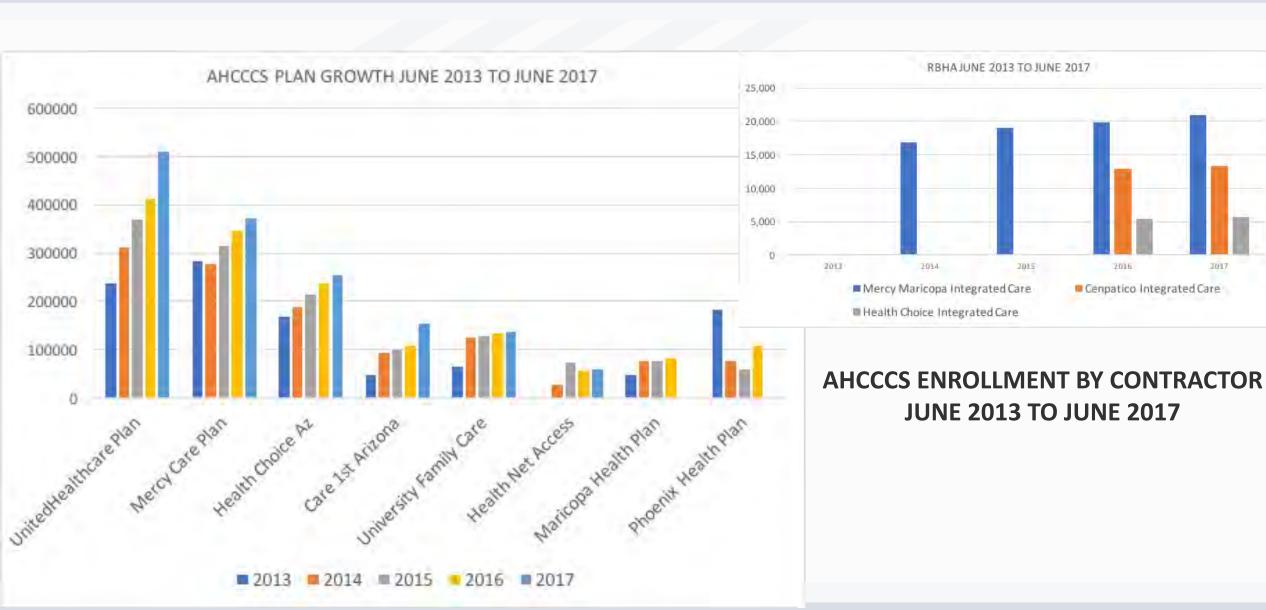
Note: Dates are subject to change

Integrated Contractor Geographic Service Areas

Additional zip code exceptions may be considered to allow for further alignment with certain tribal lands.







AHCCCS Acute Plan Enrollment Shift January 2017 to 2018

HEALTH PLAN	MEMBERSHIP	YOY CHANGE
United Healthcare	507,409	15%
Mercy Care Plan	368,137	1%
Health Choice AZ	248,971	-1%
Care 1st AZ	146,386	31%
University Family Care	131,948	-4%
Health Net Access	58,567	1%

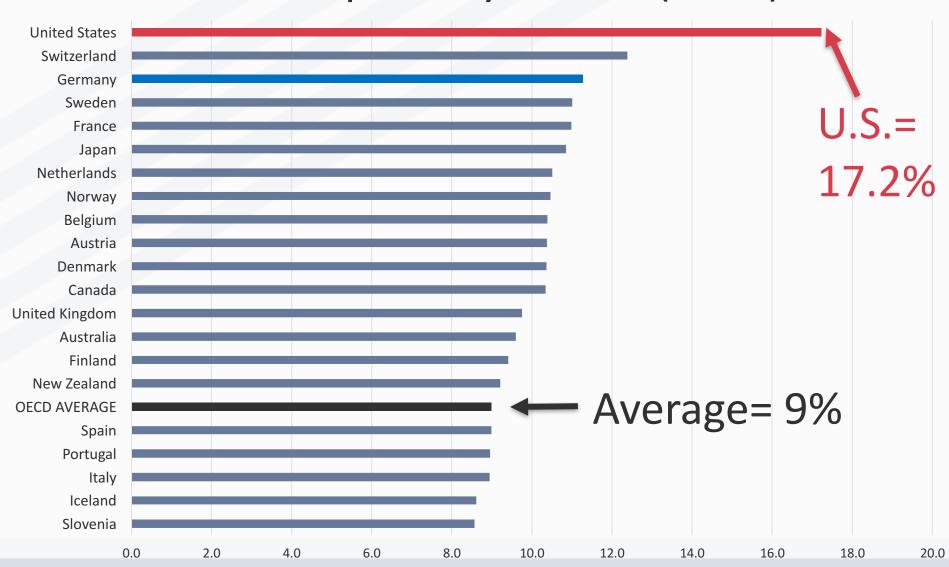
AHCCCS Waiver's in the Queue

- AHCCCS Works Able-bodied work requirements, 5 year max
- Retro-coverage from ACA level 90 days, back to 30
- Non-Emergency Medical Transportation excluded for ablebodied
- Formulary, rebates

ACA Coverage Updates

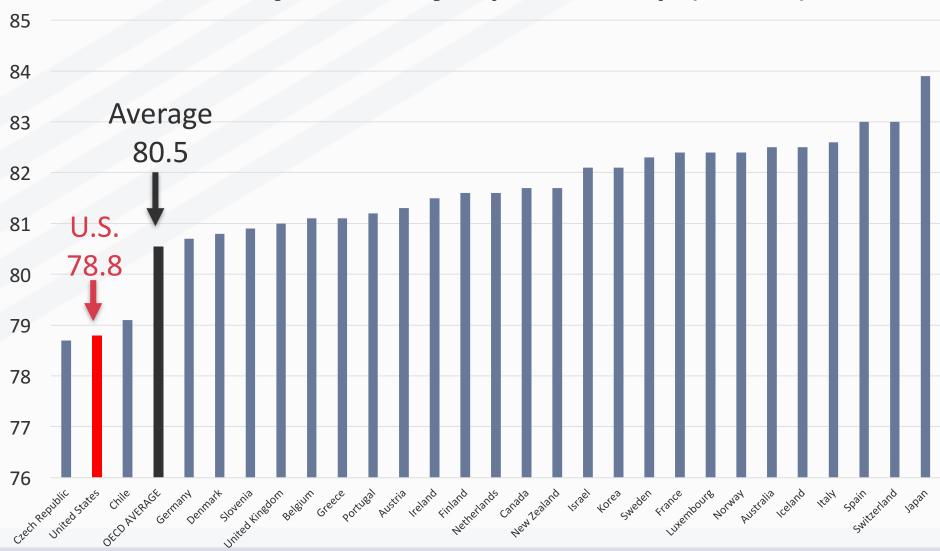
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Health Spend by % GDP (2016)



Source: OECD

Life Expectancy by Country (2015)



Objectives of The Affordable Care Act

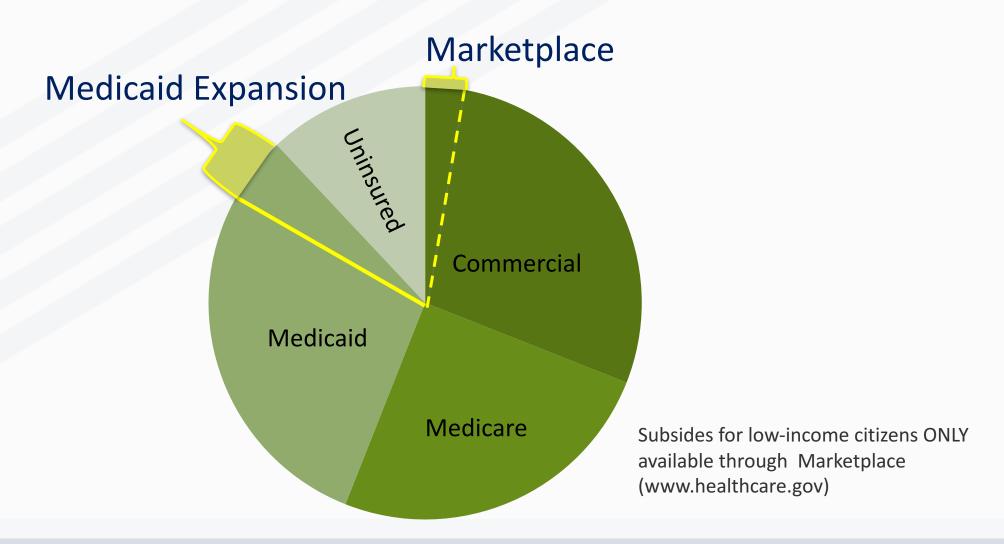
- Reduce Uninsured
 - Mandate and Exchanges
 - Medicaid Expansion



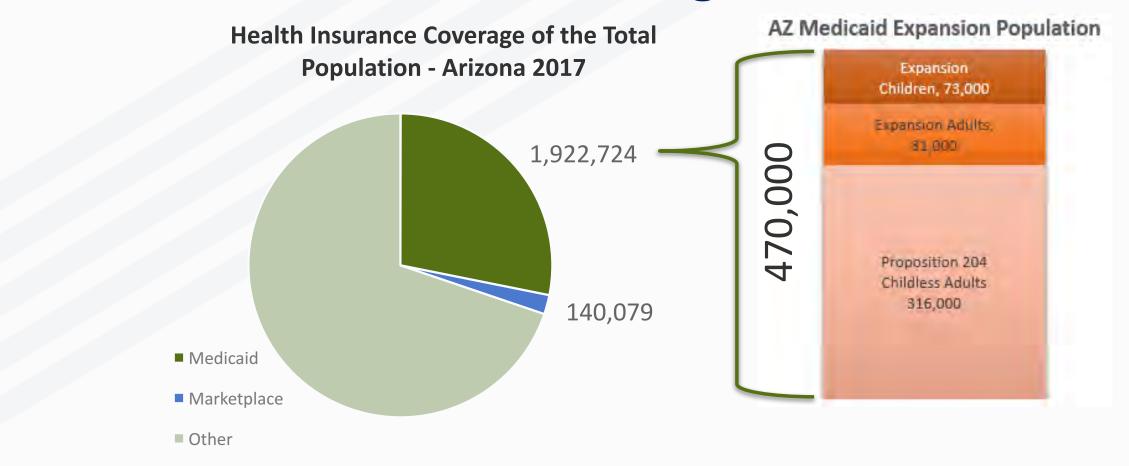
- Squeeze out the fat (Insurance Co. & Provider)
- ACOs/Value-Based Networks/Care Coordination
- Provider Accountability



UNINSURED MIGRATION



Who's Covering Arizona?

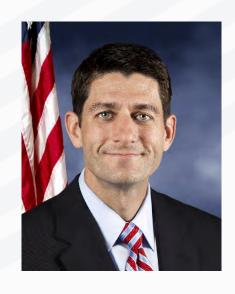


^{*} Marketplace enrollment reflects effectuated #s from 2/17. Total enrollment = 196,291.

Source: AHCCCS

Source: CMS

Change is Coming



Paul RyanSpeaker of the House

"The primary driver of our national debt is our healthcare programs. There's no one magic bullet— like pass this and it's fixed— but, save the healthcare system and you're saving the country from its debt crisis."

Modern Healthcare

The Summer of Repeal and Replace

- AHCA
- BCRA
- Skinny Repeal
- Graham-Cassidy
- Bipartisan Efforts
- Executive Orders
- Regulatory Levers



The Show Must Go On

Summer '17

- Health care facilities still moving toward value
- Insurance companies planning for market shifts (Marketplace Open Enrollment and Medicaid Integrated Contract)
- AHCCCS calculating Fed impact on 1115 Waiver submittal
- Consumers deciphering what this actually means





ACA OPEN ENROLLMENT 2018

2018 ACA Open Enrollment

- Enrollment period cut in half (November 1-December 15, 2017)
- Less Support for Navigators (~40% cut, nationally)
- Much Less Advertising (~90% cut, nationally)
- Tax Bill Zeroes-Out Individual Mandate Penalty
- Cost Sharing Reductions unfunded, unsupported by White House

Cost Sharing Reduction Payments Still Uncertain

- 2014: U.S. House Filed Suit
 - Argument: Cost-Sharing Payments Illegal No Congressional Appropriation
- 2016: District Court Provides Favorable Ruling to House
 - Decision Stayed by Judge Revisit Decision Post Election
 - Funding continues with uncertainty, month to month
- 2017: Trump Administration does not defend lawsuits, stops funding
- 2018: Susan Collins (R) ME still bargaining with Senate to fund CSR's

Cost-Sharing Reductions were available for beneficiaries at or below 250% FPL or \$29,700 for a single person

With Cost Sharing Reductions:















Without Cost Sharing Reductions:















Marketplace Prices

Average Premiums for Arizona Marketplace Enrollees

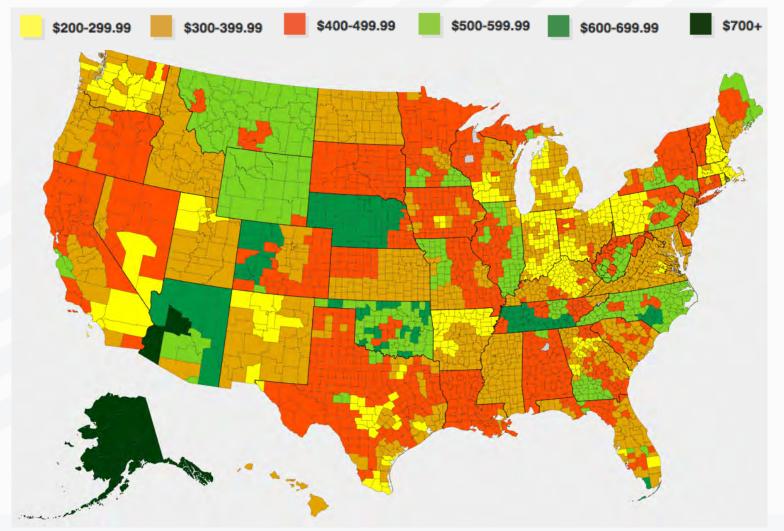
	2016	2017	% Change
Total Premium Sticker Price	\$324	\$611	↑ 88.6%
Consumer Cost after Subsidies (among those receiving subsidies)	\$120	\$104	↓ 13.3%

Number of Insurers in Arizona's Marketplace

2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
8	11	8	2	2

Source: Kaiser Family Foundation

Marketplace Premium Variation (Pre-Subsidy)



AZ particularly vulnerable to market disruption.

Disproportionately high Marketplace premium prices in AZ.

Fortunately, subsidies buffer <u>most</u> enrollees from high premium costs.

BUT...enrollees >400%FPL exposed to full cost of coverage

Map based on 40-yr old, non-smoker, selecting 2^{nd} lowest cost silver plan in 2017

Source: National Academy of State Health Policy

Arizona's Marketplace

Who's Benefiting

- Arizonans earning up to 400%FPL, receiving subsidies
- Largely protected from price fluctuations, due to subsidy formula.

Who's Hurting

- Arizonans earning above
 400%FPL, who don't have...
 - Employer Insurance
 - AHCCCS or CHIP
 - Medicare
 - VA

Family Size	100%	133%	138%	250%	350%	400%
1	\$11,880	\$15,800	\$16,400	\$29,700	\$41,580	\$47,550
2	\$16,020	\$21,300	\$22,100	\$40,050	\$56,070	\$64,100
3	\$20,160	\$26,800	\$33,600	\$50,400	\$70,560	\$84,650
4	\$28,440	\$37,850	\$39,250	\$60,750	\$85,050	\$97,200
5	\$28,410	\$37,785	\$39,205	\$71,100	\$89,210	\$113,800

HIM Arizona Plans 2018 Final Lineup

Maricopa and Pima Counties





[Average premium increase 1.8%]

All Rural Counties



[Average premium decrease 0.8%]

2018 Marketplace Costs (39 year-old, Maricopa County)

Income	Silver Premium (Gross)	Silver Premium (Post-Subsidy)
\$18,090 (150%FPL)	\$464.88	\$20.88
\$27,135 (225%FPL)	\$464.88	\$123.88
\$45,225 (375%FPL)	\$464.88	\$320.88

2018 Marketplace Costs (39 year-old, Pima County)

Income	Silver Premium (Gross)	Silver Premium (Post-Subsidy)
\$18,090 (150%FPL)	\$357.40	\$62.40
\$27,135 (225%FPL)	\$357.40	\$164.40
\$45,225 (375%FPL)	\$357.40	\$357.40

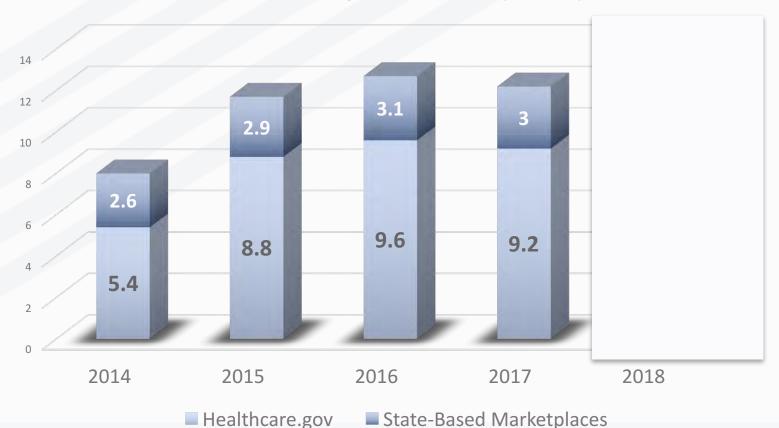
2018 Marketplace Costs (39 year-old, Yavapai County)

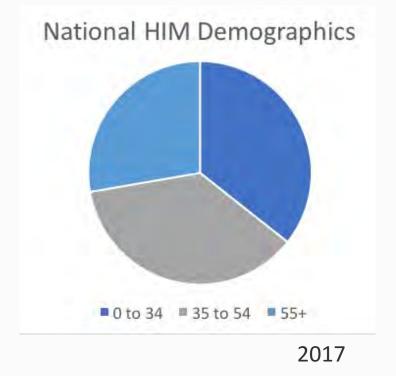
Income	Silver Premium (Gross)	Silver Premium (Post- Subsidy)
\$18,090 (150%FPL)	\$713.95	\$60.95
\$27,135 (225%FPL)	\$713.95	\$162.95
\$45,225 (375%FPL)	\$713.95	\$359.95

ACA Marketplace Enrollment Trends

National Health Insurance Marketplace Enrollment

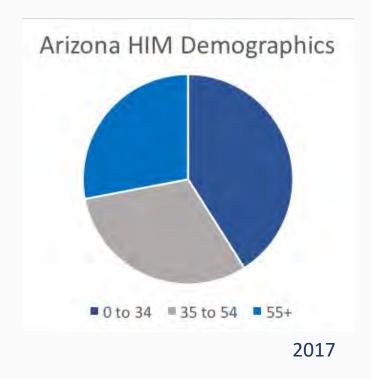
National Marketplace Enrollment (millions)





Arizona Marketplace Enrollment





2017-2018 HIM Enrollment Statistics

2017

- 12.2 million enrollments (9.2M on healthcare.gov platform)
- 69% renewal / 31% new
- 83% of all enrollments received financial assistance
- 36% of enrollment is under age 35
- 12% earn incomes outside of subsidy range

2018

- 8.7 million FFM enrollments
- 72% renewal / 28% new

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- 196,291 enrollments (140,079 effectuated)
- 74% renewal / 26% new enrollment
- 84% of all enrollments received financial assistance
- 41% of enrollment is under age 35
- 18% earn incomes outside of subsidy range

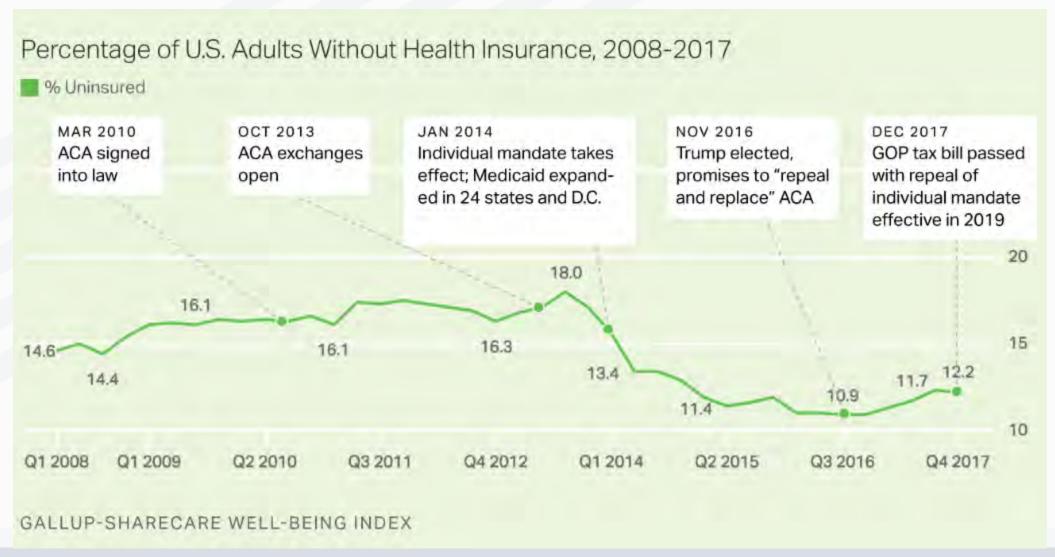
• 166,961 enrollments

 Detailed 2018 enrollment data not yet made available

Source: CMS



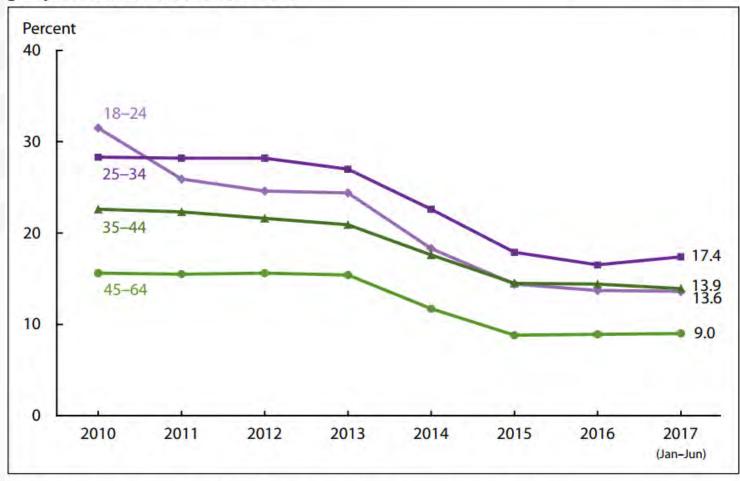
"This year CMS took a more cost effective outreach approach, spending just over \$1 per enrollee on outreach and education for Exchange coverage compared to nearly \$11 per enrollee last year." – Seema Verma



	Q4 2016	Q4 2017	Change
	%	%	pct. pts.
National Adults	10.9	12.2	+1.3
Age			
18-64	13.1	14.8	+1.7
18-25	14.7	16.7	+2.0
26-34	18.9	20.1	+1.2
35-64	11.0	12.8	+1.8
65+	2.3	2.1	-0.2
Race/Ethnicity			
Non-Hispanic white	6.9	7.6	+0.7
Non-Hispanic black	12.5	14.8	+2,3
Hispanic	27.4	29.6	+2.2
Annual household income			
Less than \$36,000	20.8	22.8	+2.0
\$36,000 to \$90,000	9.2	10.6	+1.4
\$90,000 +	2.7	3.5	+0.8
GALLUP-SHARECARE WELL-BEING INDEX			

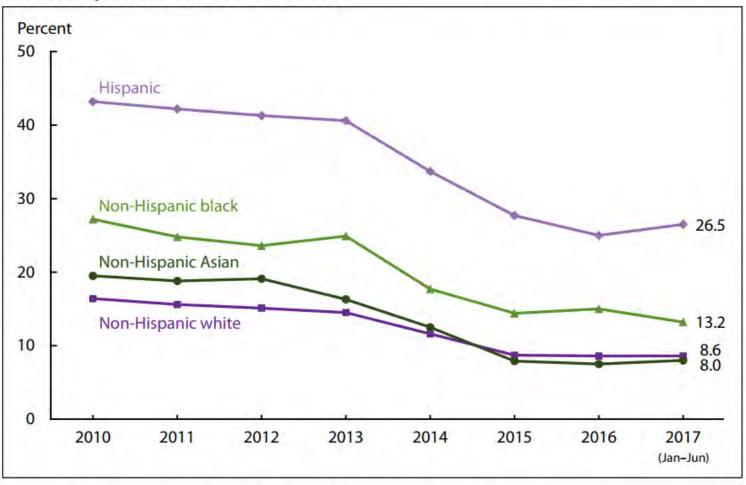
POPULATION	1 YEAR CHANGE (%)
Non-Hispanic White	+0.7
Non-Hispanic Black	+2.3
Hispanic	+2.2
Income < \$36,000	+2.0
\$36,000 to \$90,000	+1.4
\$90,000+	+0.8

Figure 3. Percentage of adults aged 18–64 who were uninsured at the time of interview, by age group: United States, 2010–June 2017



NOTE: Data are based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. SOURCE: NCHS, National Health Interview Survey, 2010–2017, Family Core component.

Figure 6. Percentage of adults aged 18–64 who were uninsured at the time of interview, by race and ethnicity: United States, 2010–June 2017



NOTE: Data are based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. SOURCE: NCHS, National Health Interview Survey, 2010–2017, Family Core component.

Coverage Policy Outlook

- Impact of individual mandate repeal?
- Alexander-Murray, Collins-Nelson?
 - CSR Funding
 - Reinsurance Funding
 - Outreach and Enrollment Funding
- Association Plans?
- Short-Term Medical Plans?
- Medicaid Buy-In?
- Medicaid Per-Capita Caps?
- Medicaid Block Payments?
- KidsCare Funding?



Coverage reform is only one piece of the puzzle.

The shift toward value may hold even greater promise...

Payment Modernization Progression

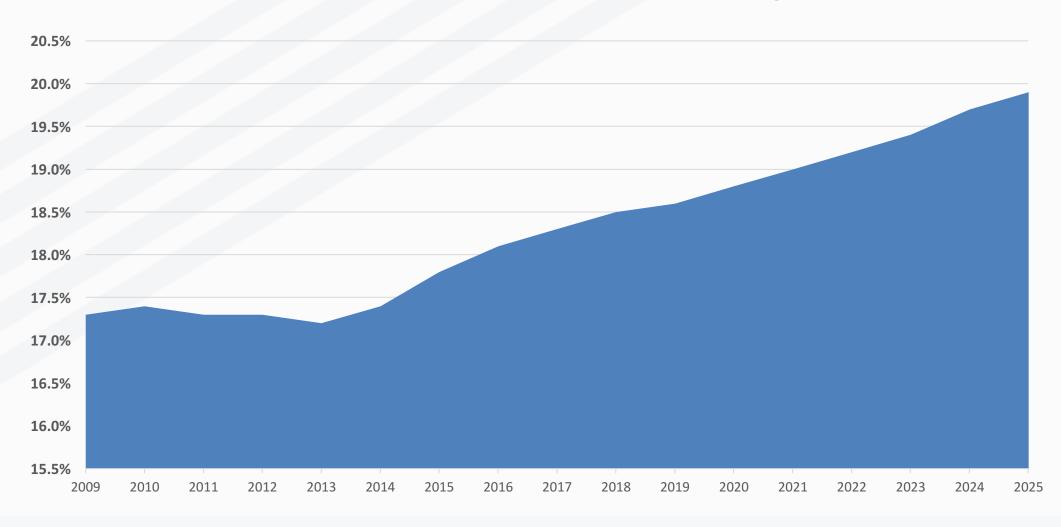




Value-Based Care How to Get From Here to There

With Jim Whitfill

Healthcare as % GDP Projected



Employer and Employee Costs Rising

Source: Kaiser/HRET Survey of Employer-Sponsored Health Benefits

Cumulative Increases in Health Insurance Premiums, Workers' Contributions to Premiums, Inflation, and Workers' Earnings, 1999-2016

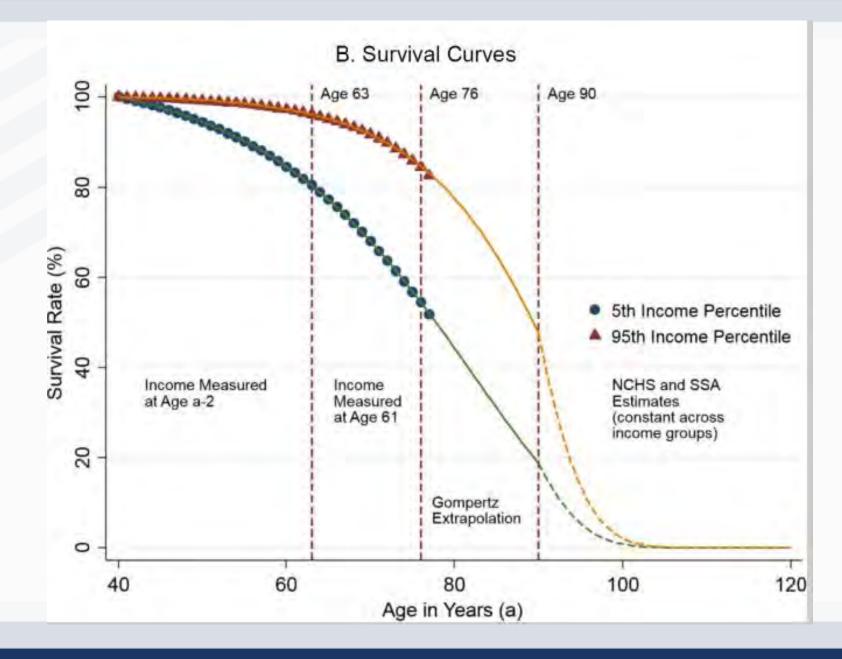


SOURCE: Kaiser/HRET Survey of Employer-Sponsored Health Benefits, 1999-2016. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Consumer Price Index, U.S. City Average of Annual Inflation (April to April), 1999-2016; Bureau of Labor Statistics, Seasonally Adjusted Data from the Current Employment Statistics Survey, 1999-2016 (April to April).



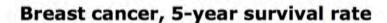


US Life Expectancy Tied to Income

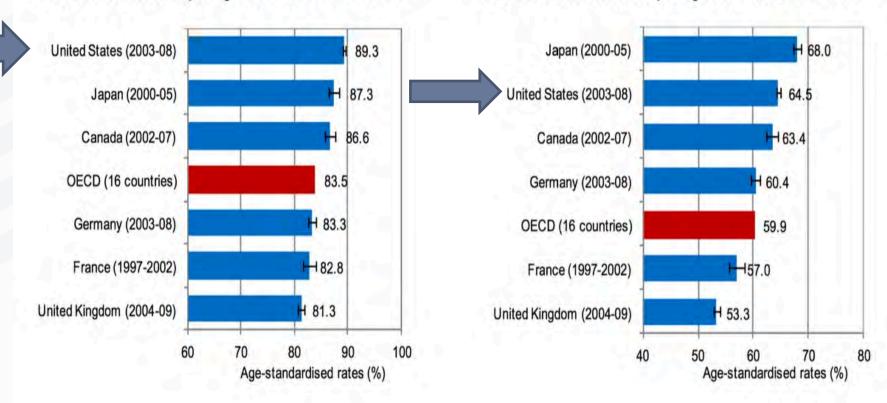


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Cancer system is generally performing well



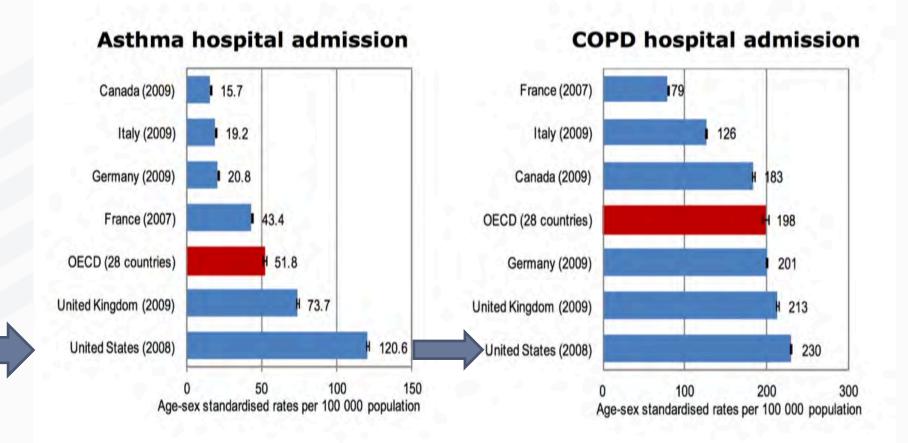
Colorectal cancer, 5-year survival rate



Note: 95% confidence intervals are represented by H.

Source: OECD Health Data 2012.

Primary care sector is not performing so well



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Source: OECD Health Data 2012.

How Do We Address Increasing Costs with Inconsistent Outcomes?

It's the Value Based Network, Stupid

Let's talk about Nomenclature

- Accountable Care Organizations ACO's are funded by the ACA and specifically address traditional Medicare
- Clinically Integrated Networks
- Physician Hospital Organizations
- Independent Physicians Associations
 - Primary Care
 - Multispecialty
- Single TIN Groups

All can be Value-Based Networks



Indicators of Value-Based Networks

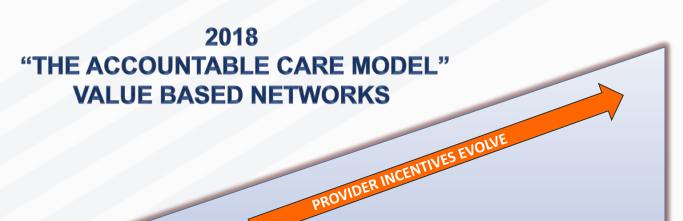
- Aggregate Providers into Integrated networks
- Contract with health plans with rewards tied to triple aim
- Connect electronically
- Track and report quality data
- Track and report utilization data
- Upside risk agreements (MSSP Track 1, Commercial ACO deals)
- Upside and downside risk (MSSP Track 2-3, Next Gen)
- PMPM Targets
- Percent of Premium

"Transactional Services"

- Health Risk Assessments
- Gaps in care
- Medication reconciliation
- Attestations
- CCM
 - 99490, 99487, 99489
- TCM
 - 99495, 99496

- Better relationship between patient and provider
- Can uncover multiple conditions leading to better care
- Potential to reduce ER Visits and avoidable admissions
- Potential to reduce cost of care
 - Right Services, Right Place, Right Time
- Increased Revenue Potential for Risk Entity (Appropriate RAF scoring)
- Increased Revenue Opportunity for Providers

WIN for the Patient, Win for the Provider, Win for the Payor Targets the triple aim: Better Care, Better Patient Experience, Lowers the Cost of Care



Fee-for- service (FFS)	P4P VBM	Per Diem Per Case Bundled Payment	Shared Risk Upside only Gainsharing MSSP Track 1 Pioneer	Shared Risk upside and downside Next Gen ACO Tracks 1+, 2, 3	Capitation	Percent of Premium
More \$	Prove quality	efficiency	Upfront costs, reward	Financial Risk	Provider is decision- maker	Full-Risk Incidence and prevalence
More Cases	More Cases	More cases	Avoid waste prevention Quality Measures	Reduce utilization	Less Cases Reserves Risk tolerance	True Pop Health

Provider Accountability Risk/reward

CMS and the Push for Value



Managed Medicare/MA



Alternate Payment
Methods
(MSSP/ACO/BPCI)

• Choice

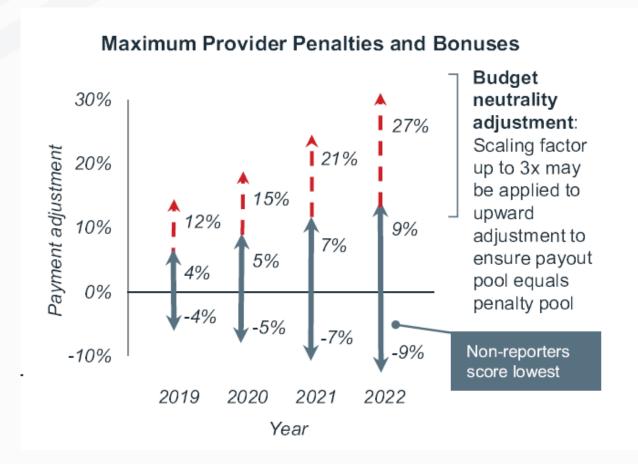
Quality

Cost

Fee for Service/MIPS/Value Based Purchasing

MIPS brings threats of fee schedule cuts and incentives based on MIPS scores

- All providers are required to participate in MIPS in 2017, proposed rule
- First reporting period 1/1/2017 to 12/31/2017
- Payments adjusted in 2019 based on performance in the 2017 period
- MIPS is budget neutral so any incentives are paid for via cuts to other providers
- However there is a budget exempt \$500 million dollars for "exceptional" performance in the first 5 years



MIPS Score: Components

Clinical Practice
Improvement
Activities Category
15% of score in year 1

Cost Category*

10% of score in year 2; replaces the Value Modifier Program, also known as Resource Use)



Quality Category

60% of score in year 1; replaces the Physician Quality Reporting System

Advancing Care Information Category*

25% of score in year 1; formerly Meaningful Use

*For clinicians who do not meet these category requirements, CMS proposes reweighting the score to 0 and recalculating the other categories.

MIPS Participant Exemptions



FIRST year of Medicare Part B participation



Below low patient volume threshold



Certain participants in ADVANCED Alternative Payment Models

Are newly enrolled in Medicare;

Have ≤ \$90,000 in Medicare billings OR have ≤ 200 Medicare patients;

Are significantly participating in an AAPM.

Has MACRA Been Neutered?

- Slowing of implementation under Obama has continued under Trump
- 40% of providers now exempt from MACRA
- MIPS score of 3 will prevent cuts in 2019
- Mean FFS increase will be 0.9%
- Cost to report MIPS nationally is greater than the additional payment by CMS for best performers



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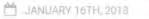
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MedPAC Votes to Kill MIPS





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The Medicare Payment Advisory Commission (MedPAC) voted 14-2 to in favor of killing the Merit-based Incentive Payment System (MIPS) and replacing it with an alternative model of reimbursement.

MedPAC Chairman Francis "Jay" Crosson of Palo Alto, California, said he wished the commission had made its recommendation sooner, but it had spent much time investigating whether the program could be modified.

HealthLeaders Media quoted Crosson:

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We came to the conclusion that it's simply not fixable.

MSSP Tracks

Track 1

Upside Risk only (2012 -)

- APM under MACRA
- Retrospective attribution
- Max sharing rate 50%
- Payment limit 10%
- MSR: 2-4% set by CMS

Track 1+

Upside and Downside Risk (2018 -)

- AAPM under MACRA
- Prospective attribution
- Max sharing rate 50%
- Max loss rate of 4% of benchmark
- Payment limit 10%
- MSR: 0-2% & chosen by ACO

Track 2- Upside and Downside Risk; 2012-

- AAPM under MACRA
- Retrospective attribution
- Max sharing rate 60%
- Payment limit 15%
- Lower MSR and now with choice in MSR/MLR levels
- Loss limit 5% | 7.5% | 10%

Track 3 Upside and Downside Risk; 2015-

- AAPM under MACRA
- Prospective Attribution
- Max sharing rate 75%
- Payment limit 20%
- More waivers
- Loss limit 15%

Qualifying Advanced APMs for 2017

- Advanced Alternative Payment Models vs Alternative Payment
 Models: only the former will count for incentives and MIPS exemption
 - Shared Savings Program Track 2
 - Shared Savings Program Track 3
 - Next Generation ACO Model
 - Comprehensive ESRD Care (CEC) Two-Sided Risk
 - Comprehensive Primary Care Plus (CPC+)
 - Oncology Care Model (OCM) Two-Sided Risk
 - Comprehensive Care for Joint Replacement (CJR)
 Payment Model (Track 1- CEHRT)
 - Vermont Medicare ACO Initiative (as part of the Vermont All-Payer ACO Model)



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CMS Announces New Payment Model: Bundled Payments for Care Improvement Advanced







BPCI Advanced will qualify as an Advanced Alternative Payment Model (APM) under the Quality Payment Program.

BPCI Advanced will operate under a total-cost-of-care concept, in which the total Medicare fee for services (FFS) spending on all items and services furnished to a BPCI Advanced Beneficiary during the Clinical Episode, including outlier payments, will be part of the Clinical Episode expenditures for purposes of the Target Price and reconciliation calculations, unless specifically excluded. Read the <u>CMS announcement</u>.

Becker's Hospital Review boiled it down to "Six Things to Know":

1. The new model, called Bundled Payments for Care Improvement Advanced, includes 32 clinical episodes, with 29 in the inpatient setting and three in the outpatient setting. The clinical episodes may change in the future, as CMS may elect to

Arizona Medicare ACOs 2018

Start Date	Ownership/Structure Service Area	PCP's	Attributed members/ #Beneficiaries
1/1/2012	BH, BPHO, BMG, AIP Maricopa and Pinal Counties	1020	78,000
4/1/2012	Community Providers, TMC Southern Arizona	195	6500
1/1/2013	Dignity Health & Abrazo Health Arizona	1000	30,000
1/1/2013	Independent PCP's Arizona, New Mexico	100	16,000
7/1/2013	Honor Health Maricopa County	126	16,500
1/1/2014	Honor Health Maricopa County	107	23.500
1/1/2015	Independent Physicians (ASPA) Arizona, New Mexico	35	5200
1/1/2015	Yavapai RMC, with NAH, Affiliates Yavapai & Coconino Counties	140	14,600
1/1/2016	Arizona Community Physicians Southern Arizona	131	26,853
1/1/2016	Optum Medical Network Maricopa County	203	37,000
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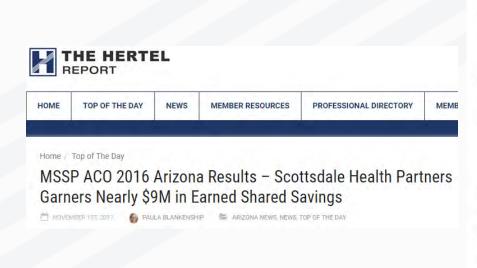
^{*}MSSP Track 3 **Next Generation and MSSP Track 1+ *** MSSP Track 2 **** Next Generation

All others MSSP Track 1

Arizona ACO Tracks

ACO Name	2017 Track	2018 Track	
Banner Health Network	MSSP Track 3	MSSP Track 3	
Arizona Connected Care	MSSP Track 1	MSSP Track 1	
Arizona Care Network	MSSP Track 1 and Next Generation	MSSP Track 1+ and Next Generation	
Commonwealth PCACO	MSSP Track 1	MSSP Track 1	
John C. Lincoln ACO	MSSP Track 1	MSSP Track 1	
Scottsdale Health Partners	MSSP Track 1	MSSP Track 2	
ASPA Connected Community	MSSP Track 1	MSSP Track 1	
North Central Arizona AC	MSSP Track 1	Track 1+	
Abacus ACO	MSSP Track 1	MSSP Track 1	
Optum ACO	Next Generation	Next Generation	
PathfinderHealth	N/A	Track 1+	

Arizona ACO 2016 Results



Arizona MSSP ACO details are listed below:

Abacus Health

Beneficiaries Served: 28,106

Quality Score: NR

Benchmark-Expenditures: -\$2.2M Over Benchmark

Arizona Care Network

Beneficiaries: 32,343 Quality Score: 89%

Benchmark-Expenditures: \$5.8M Savings

Commonwealth Primary Care ACO

Beneficiaries: 17,497 Quality Score: 96%

Benchmark-Expenditures: -\$138K Over Benchmark

North Central Arizona Accountable Care

Beneficiaries: 13,391 Quality Score: 93%

Benchmark-Expenditures: -\$7M Over Benchmark

ASPA Connected

Beneficiaries: 5010 Quality Score: 87%

Benchmark-Expenditures: \$700K Savings

Arizona Connected Care

Beneficiaries: 7,331 Quality Score: 88%

Benchmark-Expenditures: -\$14.5M Over Benchmark

John C. Lincoln ACO

Beneficiaries: 16,852 Quality Score: 93%

Benchmark-Expenditures: -\$27M Over Benchmark

Scottsdale Health Partners

Beneficiaries: 19,216 Quality Score: 97%

Benchmark-Expenditures: \$18.7M Savings.

Earned Share: \$8.8M

ACO Movement/News

- PathfinderHealth leaves NCAAC and starts MSSP Track 1+
- Summit (NEAR network) Joins NCAAC
- NCAAC moves to Track 1+
- Banner Health Network moves from Pioneer to Track 3
- ACN Running MSSP Track 1+ and Next Generation
- Scottsdale Health Partners goes to MSSP Track 2

Have ACOs Been Successful?

- CBO scored MSSP to save \$4.9 Billion through 2019
- OIG reported MSSPs have saved CMS \$1.7 Billion through
 2016
- Quality scores have risen in more mature ACOs
 - Better care vs better reporting

http://thehealthcareblog.com/blog/2017/12/18/fixing-macra-should-mean-fixing-the-apm-pathway/

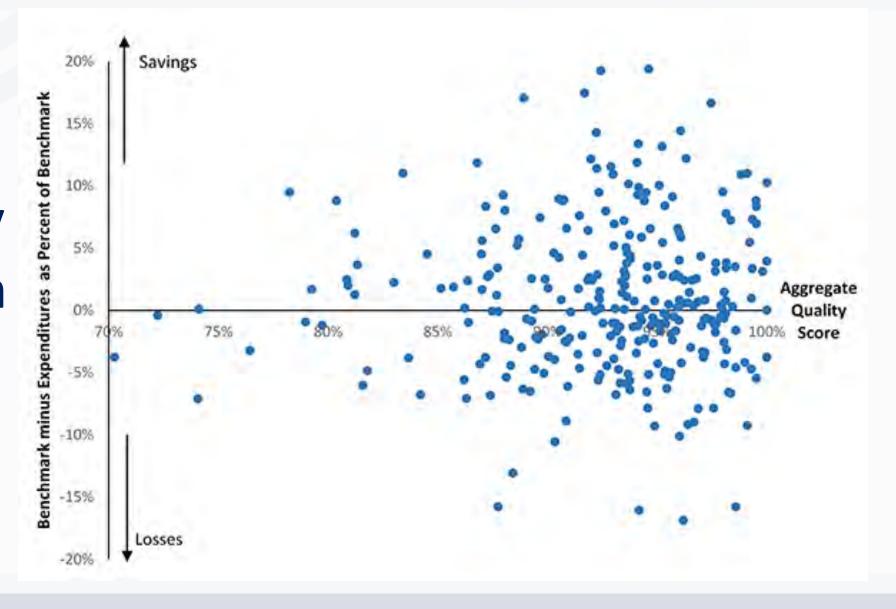
National MSSP Results To Date

MSSP Results	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Earned Shared Savings	29	55	92	125	134
Reduced spending, below threshold	25	60	89	83	107
Increased spending, below threshold	60	88	223	184	187
Owed money back to CMS	0	1	0	0	4
Total	114	204	404	392	432

2018

- 561 ACOs
- 101 downside risk
- 21 with no experience

Cost vs
ACO Quality
Measures in
MSSPs



THE WALL STREET JOURNAL.

Medicare and Medicaid Need Innovation

Trump's HHS seeks to encourage health-care competition.



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By Seema Verma Sept. 19, 2017 7:00 p.m. ET

- CMMI will be going in a "new direction"
- Too much healthcare consolidation
- "We must shift away from a fee-for-service system that reimburses only on volume and move toward a system that holds providers accountable for outcomes and allows them to innovate"
- "Consumers need more control over the allocation of health-care resources."

VBN's

*All of the attributed lives in the Medicare column are through the MSSP or Next Generation programs. **PCPs is total MD/DO and midlevel practitioners

This table illustrates attributed lives for many Value-based Networks in Arizona. While this list is comprehensive, we know there are other VBN's in Arizona not accounted for in this report and table.

The data was aggregated by The Hertel Report, sourced from responses directly from the VBN's.

Value-Based Networks - Estimated Covered Lives Report 2018

Organization Name	Medicare*	Medicare Advantage	Commercial	Medicaid	Estimated Total Lives	Estimated Number of PCP's**
Abacus ACO	28,000	23,200	30,000	7,100	88,300	131
Arizona Care Network	33,000	1,500	105,000	111,000	250,500	1,069
Arizona Connected Care	8,318	5,819	14,021	0	28,158	195
Arizona Priority Care	N/A	11,005	0	0	11,005	322
ASPA Connected Community	6,200	0	0	0	6,200	50
Banner Health Network	50,737	90,381	288,644	13,200	442,962	1,032
Commonwealth ACO	16,000		24,000	5,000	42,200	97
District Medical Group	N/A	0	0	91,500	91,500	60
Equality Health Network	N/A	0	0	77,255	77,255	290
Health Choice Preferred	N/A	6,000	1,000	31,000	38,000	125
Innovation Care Partners	N/A	17,000	20,000	0	37,000	300
John C. Lincoln ACO	16,400	N/A	N/A	N/A	16,400	140
MIHS	N/A	0	0	91,500	91,500	60
NCAAC	14,500	0	0	0	14,500	145
Optum ACO	37,000	65,000	0	0	102,000	600
PathFinder ACO	9,843	0	6,056	0	15,899	78
Phoenix Childrens Care Network	N/A	N/A	2,300	126,000	128,300	359
Scottsdale Health Partners	23,500	N/A	N/A	N/A	23,500	150
TOTAL	243,498	219,905	488,721	336,055	1,288,179	4,784
	19.2%	17.3%	37%	26.5%		

N/A: Not Applicable

Other Value-Based Networks

- Iora Health
- P3 Healthcare Partners
- Summit Medical Group
- Cigna Medical Group

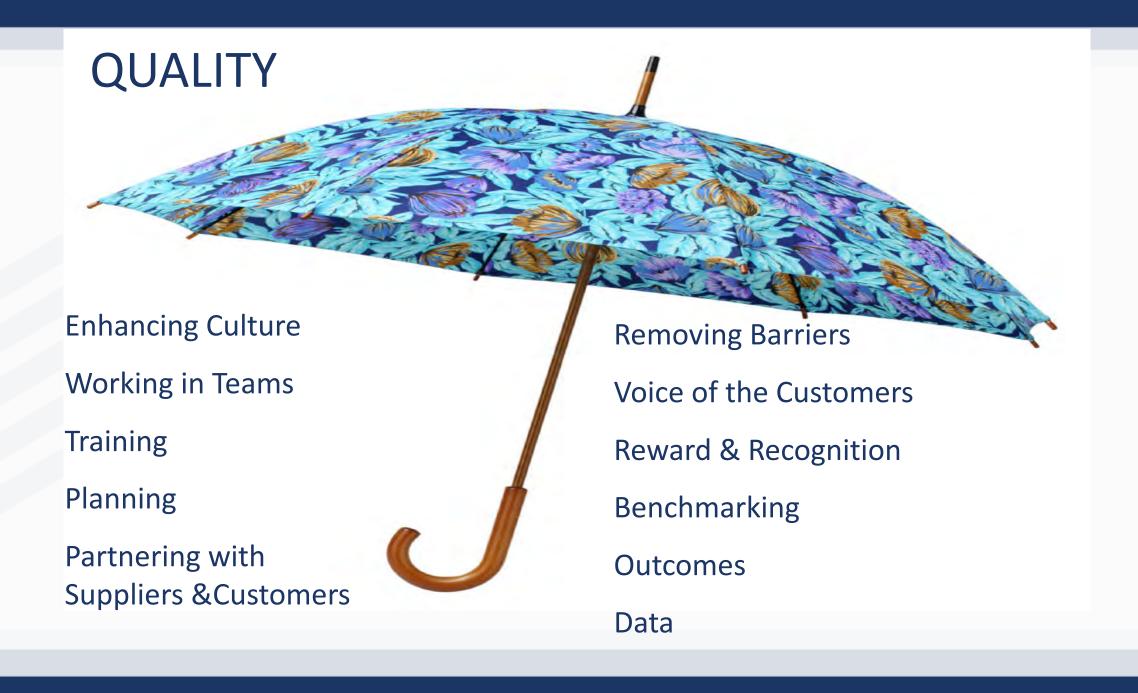
How Are VBNs Navigating This Uncertainty?

- Developing financial and operational capabilities to support different value-based payment models and different plan types and market segments
- Engaging providers
- Ensuring that culture, leadership and commitment to quality are aligned

Quality as a Business Strategy

Value = Quality/Cost (Over Time)

Lisa Mead, RN, MS, CPHQ



The New Paradigm for Quality Improvement

- Aimed at continuous improvement
- Data Driven
- Avoids Blame
- Create systems that prevent errors
- Encourages "thinking outside the box"

Six Improvement Aims from IOM:

The process of improving the lives of patients, the health of communities, and the joy of the healthcare workforce involves focusing on an ambitious set of goals adapted from the Institute of Medicine's six improvement aims for healthcare systems:

- Safety
- Effectiveness
- Patient-Centeredness
- Timeliness
- Efficiency
- Equity

Quality care is also coordinated, compassionate, and innovative. (Roper, IOM 2006)

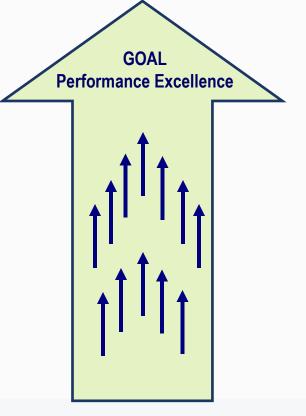
The Platform for Improvement

- Will, Hope, and Optimism
- Transparency: All Teach All Learn
- Safe and Just Environment
- Innovation and Improvement Science
- Integrated, Results-Oriented Teams
- Designing Care with the Patient Involved
- Courageous and Adaptive Leadership

How Far Along is Your Company in the Quality & Process Improvement Journey?

Random Acts of Improvement GOAL GOAL Performance Excellence

Aligned Acts of Improvement



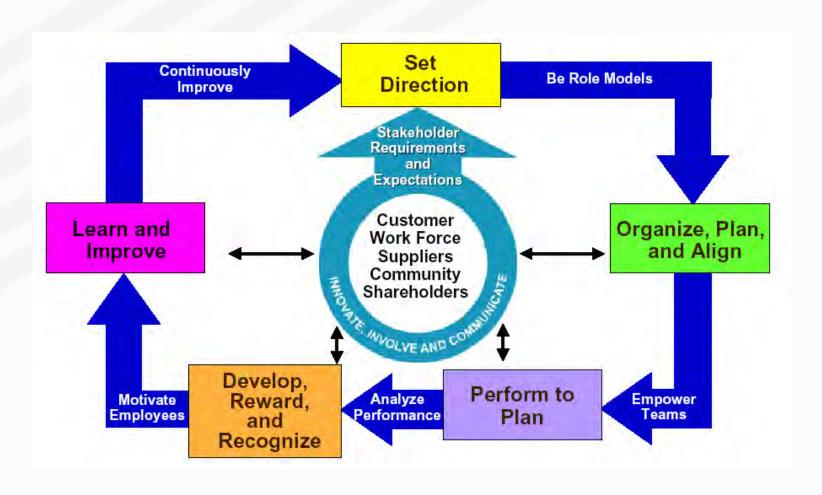
How to Drive Excellence

- Implement methods to build and maintain performance excellence in your health care organization.
- Execute strategies to enhance accountability and achieve quality and patient safety objectives.
- Utilize measurement tools to track clinical and organizational progress toward meeting performance expectations.

Role of Leadership

- Champion of an environment that "enables" performance excellence
 - Builds relationships
 - Helps to achieve results
 - Leads people
 - Leads strategic change
 - Allocates talent and resources

The Leadership System



Questions to Consider:

- What would you like to improve?
- What about your organization could be made:
 - Safer
 - Timelier
 - More Efficient
 - More Effective
 - More Patient Centered
 - More Equitable

Getting Started

- Engage your leaders
- Define/Review the vision, values, mission, culture
- Teach Quality PI principles
- Set priorities for Quality Plan Development
- Develop policy and procedures
- Develop a "scorecard" or "dashboard"
- Gather data
- Analyze the data
- Develop improvement plans
- Implementation and follow through

Final Thoughts

- ACA Not Dead Yet
- Uncertainty
- Medicaid is Evolving
- CMMI Call-out for Innovation
- Push to Value-Based Care Models
- Traditional Network and Utilization Decisions Shifting to VBN's
 - Transparency
 - -The in-crowd has to earn it!
 - –Essentially the Triple Aim

Mandate **Medicaid Expansio Marketplace Subsidies** No Pre-X Guarantee Issue No lifetime Max Community Rating Dependents to age 26 MLR Rule Full-time= 30 hrs/wk Hospital Cuts **Readmission Reduction** MA Plan Cuts **Accountable Care Organizations Patient Centered Medical Homes Bundled Payments Pay for Performance** Value-based modifier **Merit Based Incentives** Meaningful Use of EHR **Innovation Funding** Quality Cost Satisfaction

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Local News

AHCCCS Awards, Waiver acceptance and implementation,
 ACO/VBN, AHCCCS and Medicare Advantage data, more value-based deals and risk contracts, innovation.

National News:

- Executive Order: Sales across state lines, association plans, etc.
- Congressional Action: CSRs, extenders, reinsurance, state by state market reform, Medicaid block grants/per capita, Medicaid buy-in, short term plans, future enrollment funding, etc.





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Why Value-Based Payment Isn't Working, and How to Fix It

Creating a Patient-Centered Payment System to Support Higher-Quality, More Affordable Health Care

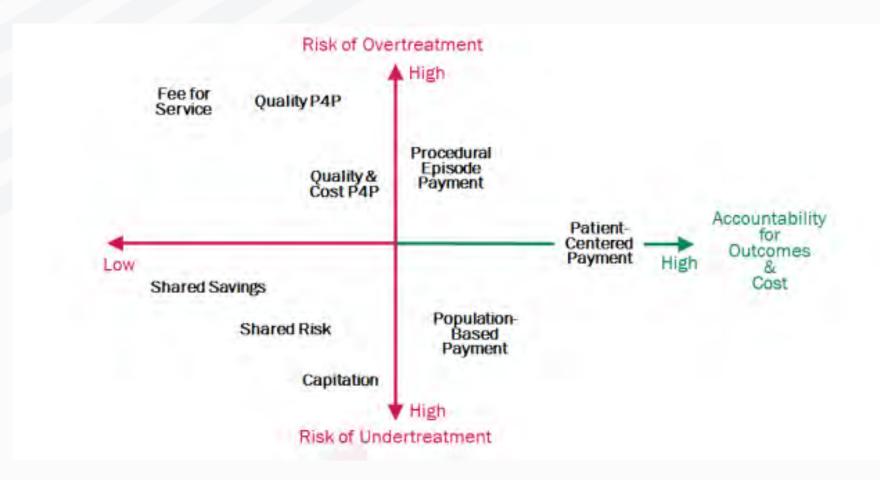
Harold D. Miller



http://www.chqpr.org/downloads/WhyVBPIsNotWorking.pdf

https://www.thehertelreport.com/white-paper-why-value-based-payment-isnt-working-how-to-fix-it/

Failures of Existing Payment Models



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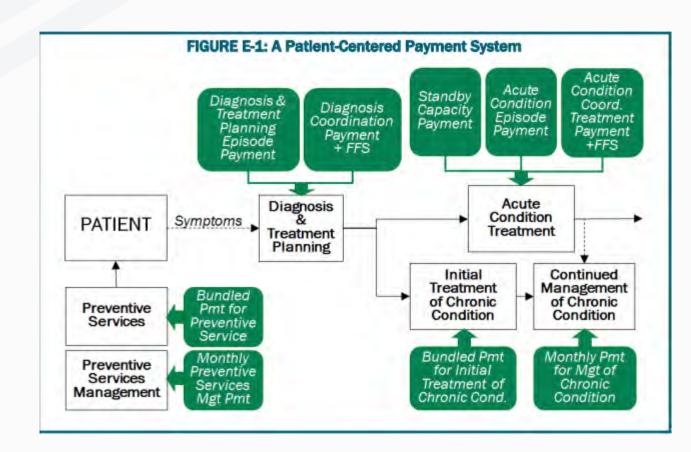
Shared Savings Model Failures

- Do not ensure high quality care is delivered
- Do not align payments with cost of care
- May not support services not covered under FFS
- Incentives to not do things may not align with patients
- Risk adjustment not enough to encourage serving high need patients
- Provider payment not under control of the provider
- Retrospective payment design leads to provider uncertainty

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Patient Centered Payment System

- Preventative Care
 - CMF and bundles
- Diagnosis and Treatment Planning
 - Bundles
- Acute Condition Treatment
 - Bundles
- Managing Chronic Conditions
 - Bundle and CMF



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