The National Academies of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine Integrating Health Care and Social Services for People with Serious Illness

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OUT OF THE MOUNTAIN OF DESPAIR,
A STONE OF HOPE

OVERVIEW OF PACE

Population

- High Need, High Cost (HNHC)
- •Frail, older adults, multimorbidity, complex psychosocial needs, disabled, vulnerable, poor
- Fragmented care
- High risk



WHY INTEGRATED CARE?

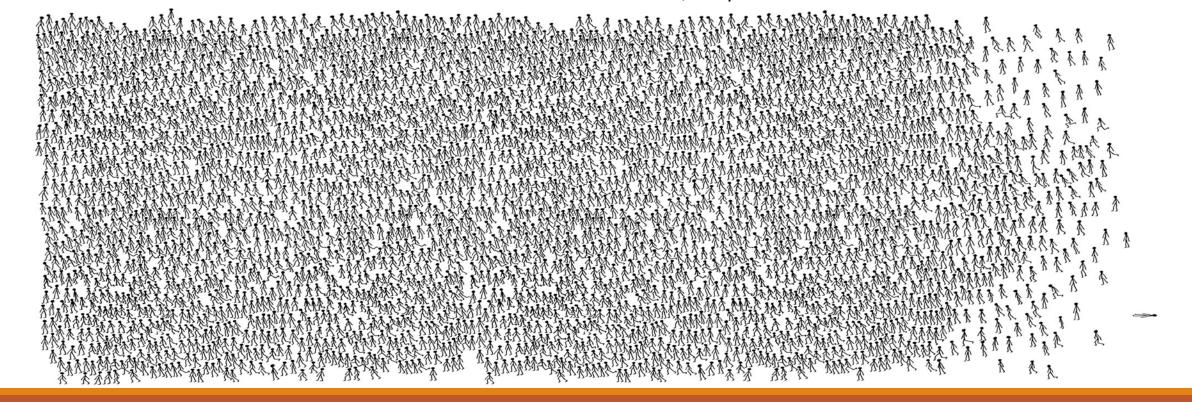


Remembering What Beneficiaries Want from their Health Plan

Resources for Providers and Plans for Medicare-Medicaid Integration

"People want health not healthcare, those who require the most healthcare and get the least health---high need, high-cost patients with multiple or severe medical, feels this most acutely."

-Dr. Dhruv Khullar, September 2017





Integrated Care Model

- -Healthcare delivery and financing
- -Acute and long-term care
- -Behavioral Health and Primary Care
- -Interdisciplinary Care
- -Medical and Social



WHY PACE?

QUALITY OF LIFE:

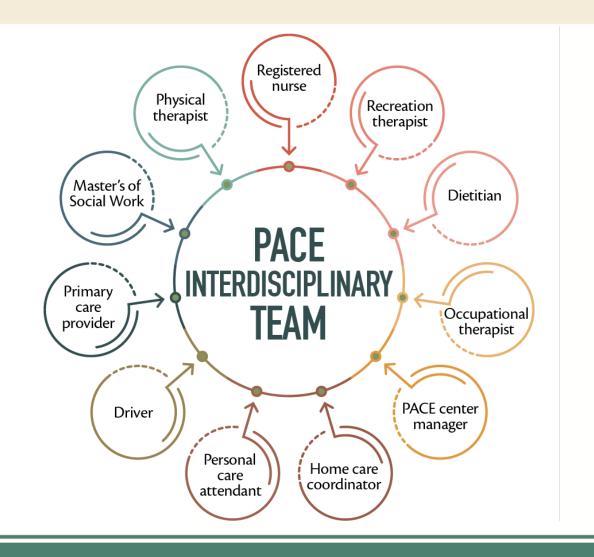
- Higher self health report
- Reduction on nursing home placement
- Reduction in hospitalization
- Reduction in fragmentation of care
- Impact on health disparities for AA older adults
- Caregiver support
- Lower cost



Benefits

Integrated care	The best of each discipline to provide the best care
Wrap-around care	Interdependent
Education	Participant focused (case study)
Best practice	Hospitalization/ED
Quality: Federal regulations Cost Insurance and Healthcare provider	Value Based IDT Creative use of dollars-IDT

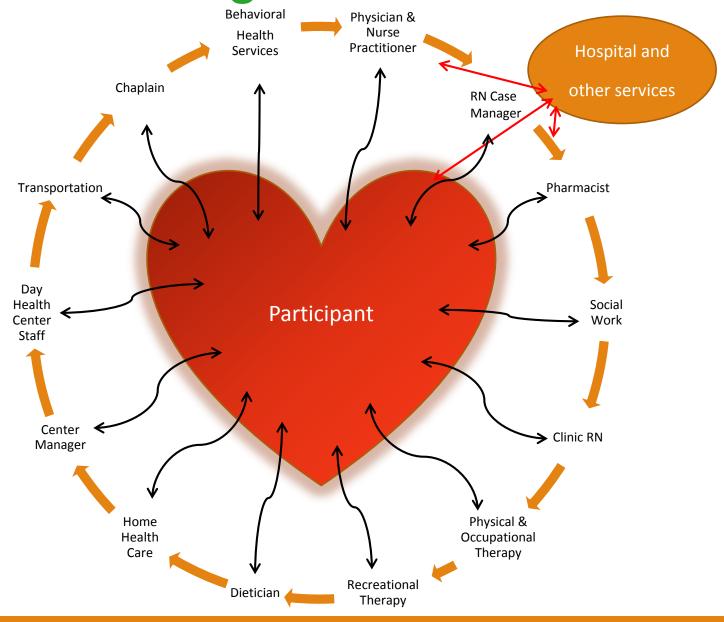
Integrated Service Delivery and Team Managed Care







PACE Integrated Care Model



Understanding PACE and its Benefits Competition Competition Wanting to stay with PCP Lack of visibility Medicaid income eligibility Spend-down Start up cost Lack of appropriate referrals Creative innovation of other populations Medicaid dollars and capitation Lack of community liaisons who know how to connect with community Spend-down Lack of census goals to work toward Limitations on the type of people served Provider skill-set Health Care providers – concerns re: risk



WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?



2016-2021 NPA Strategic Plan

Champion the value of PACE and support growth

- PACE pilot programs
- New population expansion
- New payer arrangements
- Regulatory support for growth
- Local, grassroots advocacy
- Benefits of population health management strategies
- Benchmarking tools capabilities
- Vendor support for data analytics

Advocate for effective regulatory and payment policies

- Strong relationships with regulators
- Operational flexibility in regulatory policies
- Appropriate payment
- Interested stakeholder collaboration
- Population health management advocacy

Support PACE operational quality through education and data

- Training and education programs readily available
- Industry and PACE-specific model practices
- Educational partnerships
- · Investment in data
- Value of data for benchmarking and analytics
- Onboarding programs for new members
- Membership tiers

Distinguish and promote the PACE brand

- Positive awareness of PACE
- Common communications strategy for members
- Social media support for members
- Cross-marketing with like-minded organizations
- Data analytics demonstrate value
- Standards and performance based quality assurance system



TAKE HOME LESSONS

- UNDERSTAND INTEGRATION
- INNOVATION IS THE KEY TO THE FUTURE
- ADVOCATE FOR MODELS OF CARE LIKE PACE
- PUBLISH WHAT YOU ARE DOING
- LOOK FOR OPPORTUNITIES
- EDUCATION, EDUCATION, EDUCATION
- WRITE TO SEEMA .VERMA@CMS.HHS.GOV







Sustainability

- PACE Innovation Act
- Federal and state policy interest
- General knowledge thru research
- Increasing the skill set for those who will take care of this population
- Elimination of "Ageism"



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