

Health system level interventions and financial strategies to facilitate multi-disciplinary, multispecialty expert care for people with cancer

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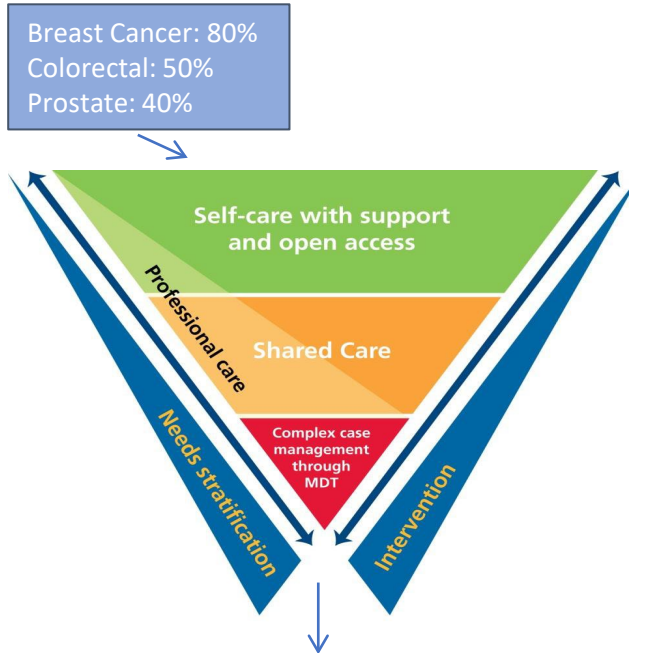
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Making our Survivorship Workforce more Efficient

UK Example Program:



Stratified Model met patients' needs while improving clinical efficiency:

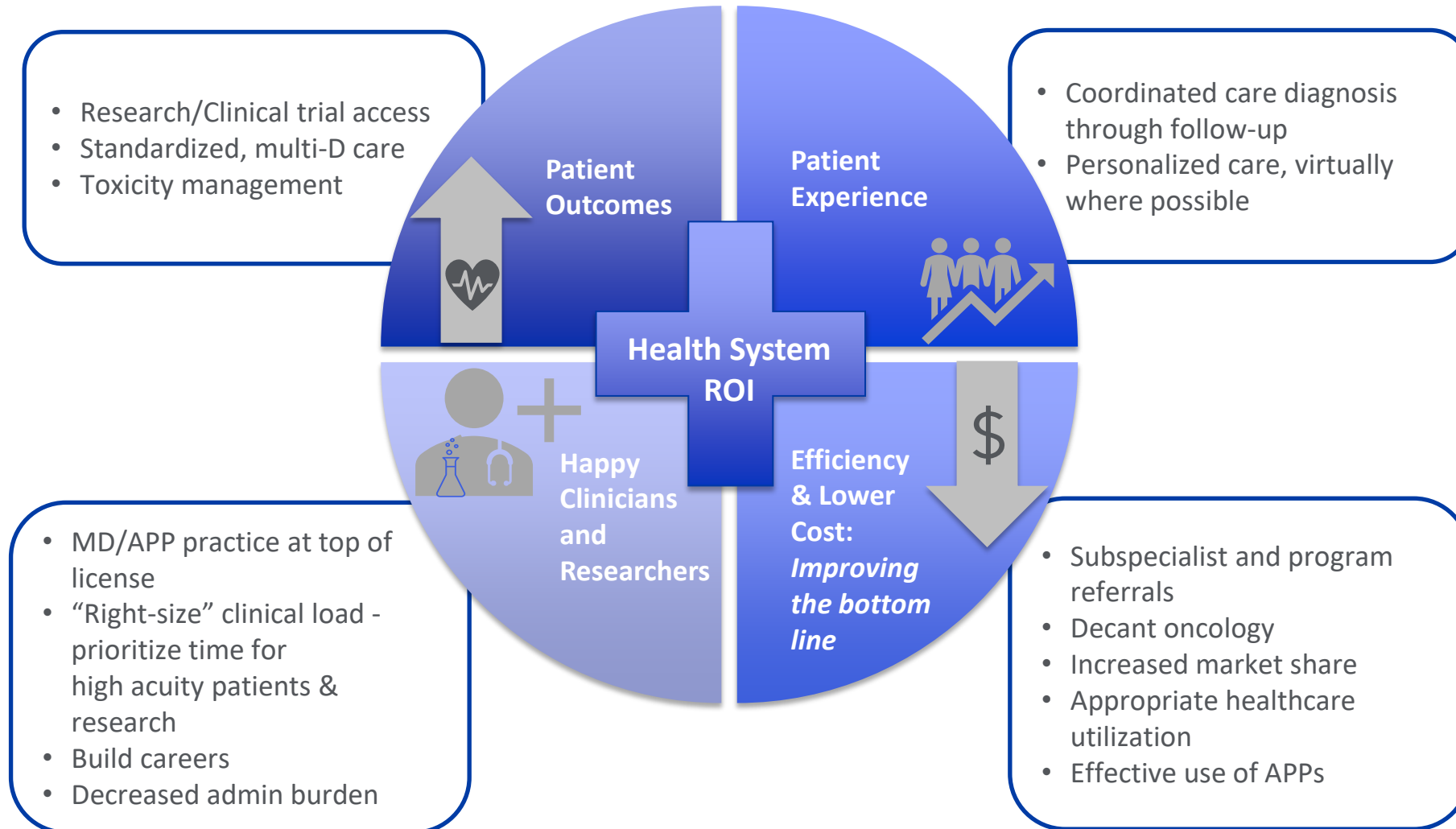
- 20% Improved follow-up surveillance tests
- Freed up oncology= 34% ↓ new pt wait time
- Projected cost savings: 90M pounds/5 years

Source: NHS Improving Quality: *Stratified cancer pathways: redesigning services for those living with or beyond cancer*, 2013

What We Need to Build	Suggested Policy Reform
Algorithm-based triage “decision aids”	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EHR with consistent structured data • Funding for data science
ePRO system for remote monitoring	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Insurance reimbursement for system and clinician monitoring • Integrate ePRO, flags, & referrals into EHR
New MD & APP to start @ diagnosis- quarterback team with oncology; engage subspecialists & PCP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clinical Training; ACGME fellowship • Insurance reimbursement for care coordination • Tech tools for care coordination • Align incentives/metrics to nudge oncology to share care
Patient Navigation to connect care	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Insurance reimbursement for navigators
Patient self-management and education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Insurance reimbursement for supporting patient self-management
Test New Models of Care to Build Sustainable Business Model	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Insurance pilots to demonstrate ROI • Develop Quality Survivorship Care Metric

Alfano et al., *CA Cancer J Clin* 2019; Alfano et al., *ASCO Ed Book*, 2019

Test New Models of Care on ROI Across the Health System



Alfano, Oeffinger, Sanft, Tortorella
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