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Bootstrapping Value- Based Care

A Pilot Approach



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Health Federation of Philadelphia promotes health equity for marginalized communities by advancing access to high-quality, integrated, and comprehensive health and human services and serves as a keystone supporting a network of Community Health Centers as well as the broader base of public and private-sector organizations that deliver healthcare, public health and human services to vulnerable populations.



About Us

Health Center Controlled
Network grantee since 2012

35 FQHCs/Look-Alikes

Statewide



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PA Value Based Care Environment

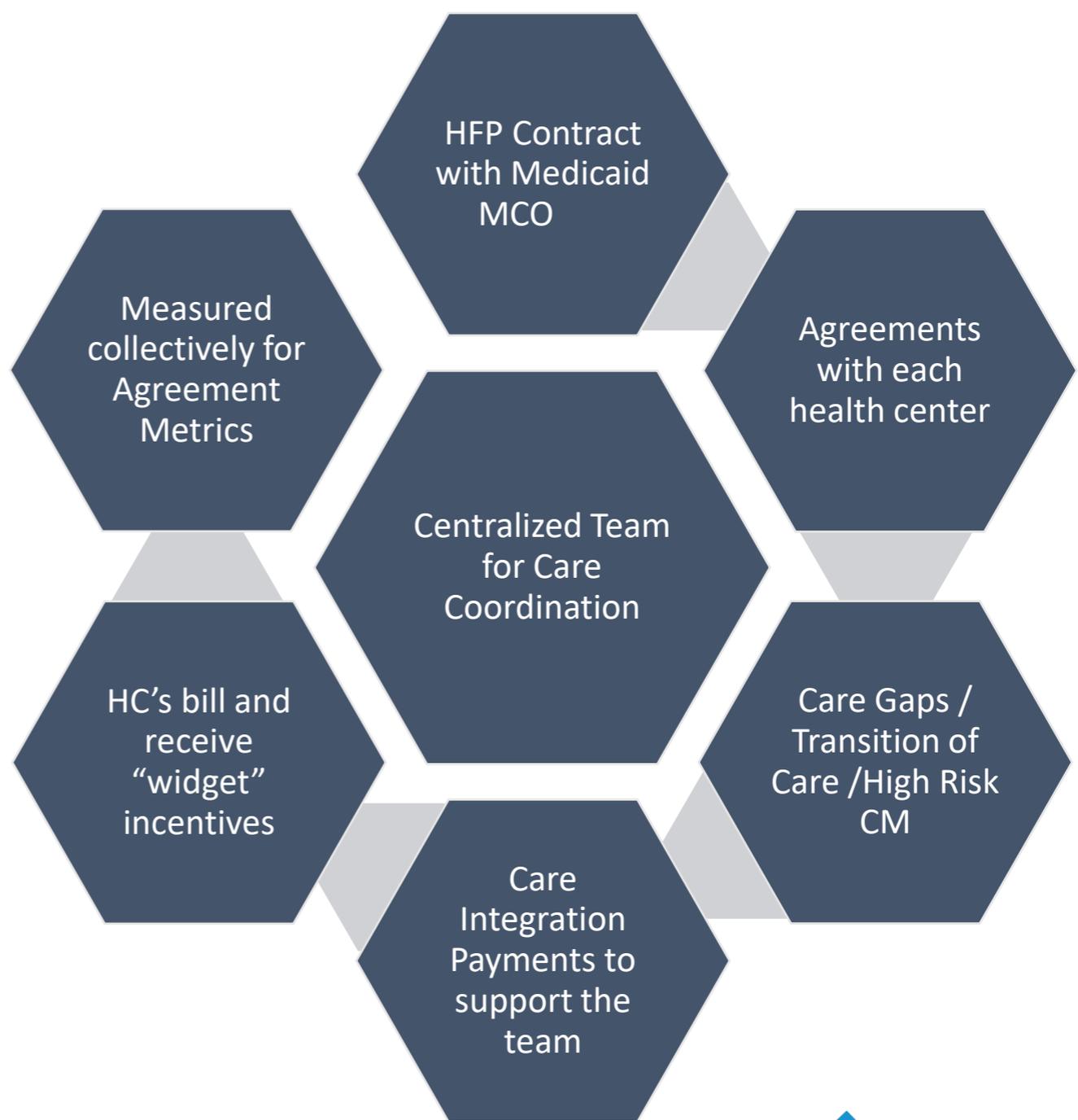
- Mature managed care (since 1995)
- State has delegated lots of decision making to MCOs
- Large health systems
- 50+ FQHCs
- Medicaid expansion/good PPS

Slow
transition
to VBC

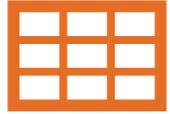


So...How to Move Forward?

A Pilot



Lots of Questions



Would we be able to get access to the data?



Would patients pick up the phone?



Would health centers engage?



Would we be able to make a difference for outcomes and revenue?



The Team



Tried hiring/retaining nurses (RN or LPN) without success.



Workflows



Transition of Care

- Visit with PCP or Specialist within 7-10 days of discharge from ER or IP



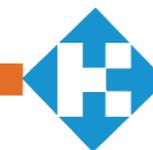
Care Gaps

- Hit benchmarks on five quality measures:
 - Lead screening
 - Well child visits (3-21)
 - Oral Evaluation Dental
 - A1c<9
 - Breast cancer screening



High Risk Care Management

- Small panel, adjusted every six months
- Engagement with PCP at least every 90 days



Our Technology Journey: The Beginning

From the payer

So many
spreadsheets!

Team
documentation

Google
sheets/forms

Real time ADT
notifications

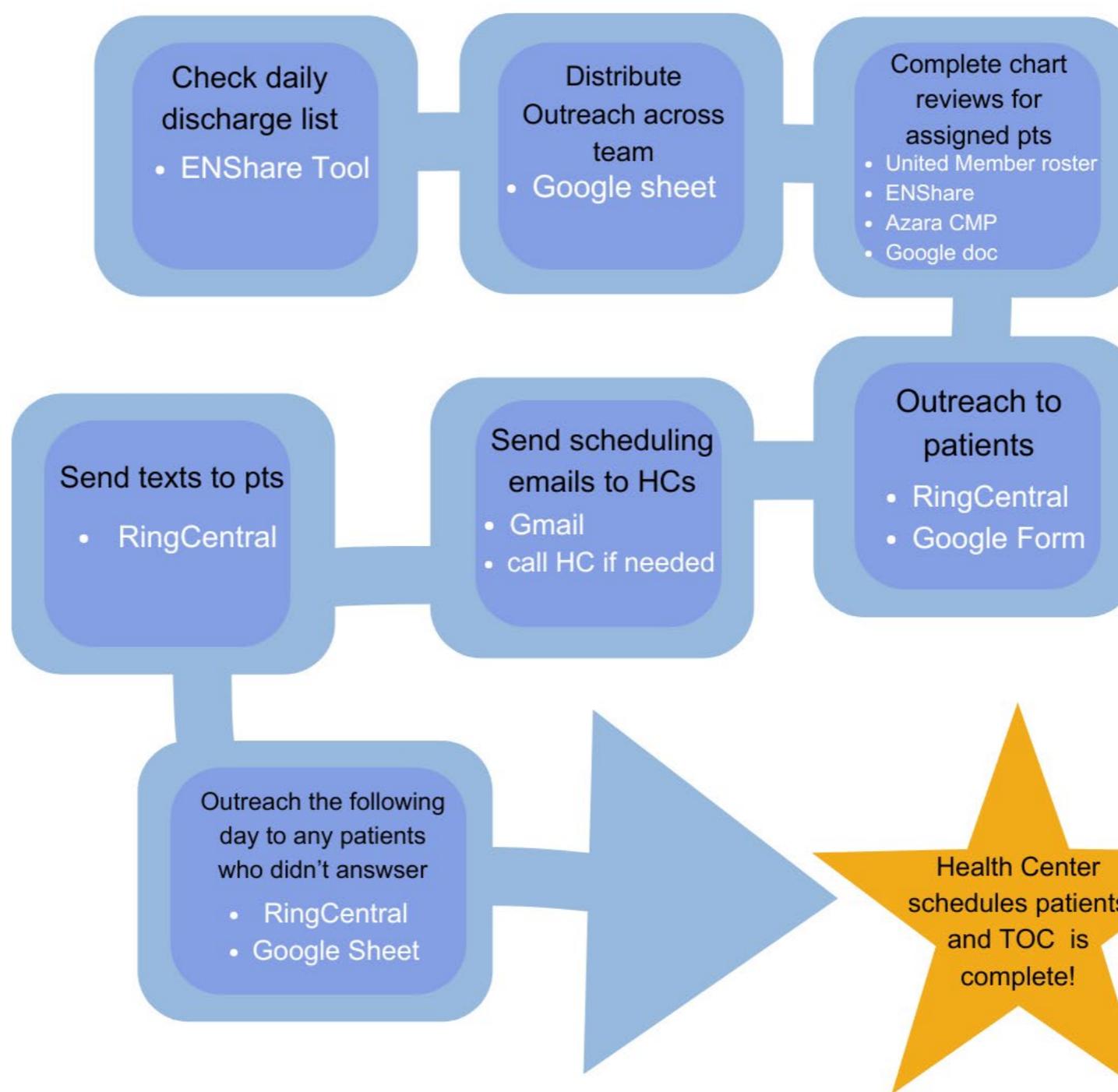
Through local
HIE

Access to
patient data

Remote access
to each health
center's i2i
Tracks



TOC Workflow



Scripting

Phone Call intro script:

Hi, I'm looking for [patient first name]
(patient confirms)

My name is Maggie, I'm a Community Health Worker calling on behalf of United Healthcare Community Plan. I'm calling to see how you're feeling after your hospital visit (and to see if you want to make a follow up appointment with your primary care doctor).

Text:

Hello, this is Maggie reaching out on behalf of United Healthcare Community Plan. I'm hoping to assist you in connecting you with your primary care provider after your recent hospital visit. Please call me when you get a chance.

Phone Call Outreach Considerations

- Listen for the patient's needs
- What brought you into the hospital?
- Med reconciliation - were you able to pick up your medications, do you know how to take them?
- Transportation - can you get to your appointment?
- Specialists



ENShare Tool



Notifications

Received Time ▾

Newest ▾

Last 180 Days ▾

All Filters

Search MRN or Name

discharge yesterday ▾

Clear

Health Federation - UHC ▾

Status: All ▾

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Name	MRN	Event Time	Facility	Patient Class	Event Type	Alert Type	Status
██████████ Female, 25 years	██████████	03/18/2025 11:11 PM	54th and Cedar Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania	Emergency	Discharge	ENS ProMPT	Not Started ▾
██████████ Female, 34 years	██████████	03/18/2025 10:41 PM	Temple University Hospital	Emergency	Discharge	ENS ProMPT	Not Started ▾
██████████ Female, 36 years	██████████	03/18/2025 10:34 PM	54th and Cedar Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania	Emergency	Discharge	ENS ProMPT	Not Started ▾
██████████ Male, 35 years	██████████	03/18/2025 10:02 PM	Temple University Hospital	Emergency	Discharge	ENS ProMPT	Not Started ▾
██████████ Female, 28 years	██████████	03/18/2025 07:00 PM	Penn-Presbyterian Medical Center	Emergency	Discharge	ENS ProMPT	Not Started ▾
██████████	██████████	03/18/2025	Hospital of the	Inpatient	Discharge	ENS ProMPT	Not Started ▾



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Outreach Documentation

TOC Patient Outreach

mgreen@healthfederation.org [Switch account](#)



* Indicates required question

Email *

Record mgreen@healthfederation.org as the email to be included with my response

Name of Patient (F, L) *

Your answer

Health Center assigned to? *

Choose

Date of contact *

Date

mm/dd/yyyy

Time *

Time

Who did you speak to? *

Choose

Date of discharge *

Date

mm/dd/yyyy

Nature of visit: *

Choose

What was patients explanation for what brought them to the hospital?

Your answer

Did patient mention medications were changed during their visit?

Choose

Who was identified as patient's primary care/family doctor?

Your answer

If any, what benefits of following up with ones PCP regularly did you discuss?

- Prescription management (timely, consisting refills, med reconciliation)
- Referrals and resources
- Preventative care (vaccines & health counseling)
- Early identification of health conditions (blood pressure readings, mammograms, labwork,etc.)
- One physician who knows all of your medical and family history
- Review of IP or ED discharge instructions to prevent future readmissions
- Other: _____

If any, what barriers were addressed to attending PCP visits?

- Transportation
- Challenges with scheduling w/ office
- Challenges with scheduling personal life
- Cost concern
- Too many appointments
- Don't understand the need
- No barriers identified
- Other: _____

If any, what community resources/education were provided to patient?

Your answer



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High Risk Tracking

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	
1	Health center	Full Name	DOB	NOT on roster	Manna qualified	Staff	Outreach 1	Outreach 2	Goal Status	Appt status	Letter?	Notes	Date
2				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/7/2025		In progress w/ goals	Recent Appt	SENT 6/26/2024	CRO ON 2/7/2025 - APPT SCHEDULED FOR 2/1	
3				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	JG			In progress w/ goals	Recent Appt	SENT 6/26/2024	NO WORKING NUMBERS AS OF 8/28	
4				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/7/2025		In progress w/ goals	Needs f/u for	YES	NO WORKING NUMBERS AS OF 2/7/2025	
5				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/7/2025		In progress w/ goals	Needs f/u for		LVM AND TEXT ON 2/7/2025	
6				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/7/2025		In progress w/ goals	Needs f/u for	SENT 6/26/2024	TRANSPLANT PATIENT - NO WORKING NUMBE	
7				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG			In progress w/ goals	Emailed cont			
8				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/7/2025		In progress w/ goals	Needs f/u for		LVM AND TEXT ON 2/7/2025	
9				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/7/2025		In progress w/ goals	Emailed cont		REQUESTED APPT ON 2/7/2025	
10				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/7/2025		In progress w/ goals	Needs f/u for	SENT 6/26/2024	LVM AND TEXT ON 2/7/2025	
11				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/7/2025		In progress w/ goals	Emailed cont		REQUESTED APPT ON 2/7/2025	
12				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/7/2025		In progress w/ goals	Needs f/u for		CRO ON 2/7/2025 - APPT SCHEDULED FOR	
13				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG			In progress w/ goals	Recent Appt		CRO - APPT COMPLETED 9/30/2024	
14				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/7/2025		In progress w/ goals	Needs f/u for		OUTSIDE PCP	
15				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG			In progress w/ goals	No follow up			
16				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	JG			In progress w/ goals	Recent Appt		SPOKE TO MOTHER ON 5/1/2024- APPT COMPI	
17				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/7/2025		In progress w/ goals	Needs f/u for		DOES NOT NEED APPT, BUT REQUESTED UBE	
18				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/13/2025		In progress w/ goals	Recent Appt		CRO ON 2/13/2025- APPT SCHEDULED FOR 5/7/2025	
19				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/13/2025		In progress w/ goals	Recent Appt		CRO ON 2/13/2025- APPT SCHEDULED FOR 2/20/2025	
20				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/13/2025		In progress w/ goals	Needs f/u for		OUTSIDE PCP	
21				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	JG			In Need of f/u	Needs f/u for	SENT 6/26/2024	NO WORKING NUMBERS	
22				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/13/2025		In progress w/ goals	Needs f/u for	YES	NO WORKING NUMBERS AS OF 2/13	
23				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/13/2025		In progress w/ goals	Recent Appt		CRO ON 2/13/2025- APPT COMPLETED 12/11/20	
24				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/13/2025		In progress w/ goals	Needs f/u for		NEED IPCA DATA	
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26				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/13/2025						
27				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JG	2/13/2025		In progress w/ goals	Recent Appt		CRO ON 2/13/2025 - APPT SCHEDULED FOR 2/	

High Risk Tracking

When was the patients last visit with health center?

Skip if patient has outside PCP

Date

mm/dd/yyyy 

Does patient have outside PCP? *

Yes

No

Based on detailed chart review, consideration of diagnoses, and phone call questions, how is the patient managing their overall health at this time?

Poorly 1 2 3 4 5 Excellent

List any support patient mentioned that would help improve their health at this time

Your answer

Does patient have goals to work toward?

Yes

No

CHW Support and Health Education

Which of the following benefits of having a PCP were discussed?

- Preventative care and early detection of health conditions
- Prescription mangement
- One provider knowing medical history
- Referrals and resources
- Recent hospitalization (TOC)

Were any of the following barriers to primary care discussed?

- Transportation
- Health center communication
- Personal issues
- Technical issues
- Cost
- Other:

Use the below space to detail parts of the call that were not captured in the above questions

Your answer

Was an appointment scheduled during this call? *

Yes



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Our Technology Journey: The Middle

2022

HCCN decided to move from i2i to Azara, mostly due to greater capacity to integrate data from external sources (payers, HIE)

2024

20+ health centers implemented on DRVS, including 5 out of 6 of health centers in this contract

- Started to implement TOC Module in Southeast PA
- Started to use CareMessage (Not APO)



Initial use of Azara to support this work

Specific center group for this contract

- Only HFP group with PHI access
- Allows team to use DRVS to access individual patient data, replacing i2i.
- Ease of login

One-way “payer integration”

- Payer not interested
- HFP paid for the module and uploading rosters and care gaps manually
- No sharing of supplemental clinical data back to payer

Other tools

- Using cohorts for high risk panels
- Measure scorecard/dashboard
- Pulling lists for texting outreach



High Risk Cohort in DRVS

Primary Care: Adult REGISTRY FILTER

VISIT DATE RANGE: 04/10/2024-04/10/2025

CENTERS: Delaware Valley Co...

RENDERING PROVIDERS: All Rendering Provid...

COHORTS: HFP - DVCH High Ris... ✕

Cohort filter can be applied throughout DRVS.

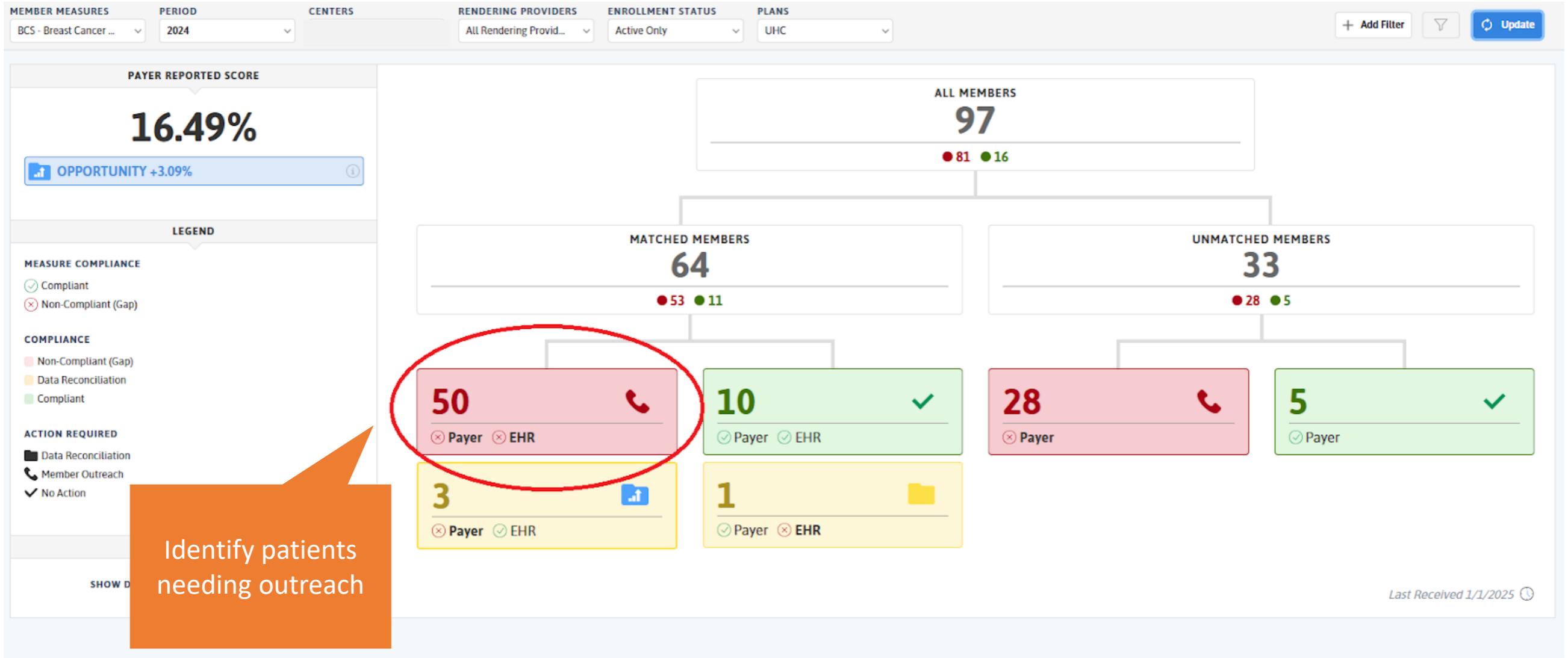
REGISTRY

Search Patients ... Reset Columns SAVED C

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	2/3/2025	133/80	133	80	2/3/2025	35.30	2/3/2025	97	2/3/2025	4548-4	4.9	4.90
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Care Gap Outreach



Text Messaging

Date & Time ↓	Outreach Title ↕	Status ↕	Patients ↕	Response % ↕
02/27/2025 11:30 AM		COMPLETED	100	2%
02/20/2025 12:00 PM		COMPLETED	57	7%
10/31/2024 01:00 PM		COMPLETED	27	0%
10/24/2024 12:00 PM		COMPLETED	43	7%
07/31/2024 11:00 AM		COMPLETED	1228	9%
05/28/2024 03:00 PM		COMPLETED	277	6%



HEDIS Tracking Dashboard

CM Team UHC Dashboard

DASHBOARD

FILTER



PERIOD: 2024
 CENTERS: All Centers
 RENDERING PROVIDERS: All Rendering Provid...
 ENROLLMENT STATUS: Active Only

+ Add Filter Update

HEDIS Measures						
MEASURE	RESULT	NUM	DENOM	PYR GAP	EHR GAP	
HEDIS_BCS_PlanCalculated	18.8%	39	207	19	6	
LSC - Child Lead Screening	65.7%	67	102	0	4	
WCV - Child and Adol. Well-Care Visits Total	23.1%	368	1,594	415	18	
OED - Oral Evaluation	2.2%	42	1,882	210	27	
GSD2 - HbA1c Poor Control	19.0%	42	221	28	46	

EHR HEDIS Metrics						
MEASURE	RESULT	NUM	DENOM	EXCL	GAP	
Breast Cancer Screening (CMS 125v12)	40.6%	86	212	0	126	
Lead Screening	76.3%	74	97	0	23	
Well-Child Care Visits (3-21 Yrs)	84.2%	1,191	1,414	1	223	
Dental Patients with an Oral Evaluation	87.8%	498	567	1	69	
DM A1c > 9 or Untested (CMS 122v12)	32.2%	85	264	0	85	



Future Use of Azara – ACC!

TOC

- Expanding TOC roster to include unregistered members
- Using ACC Care Coordination to set daily work lists and track outreach

Care Gaps

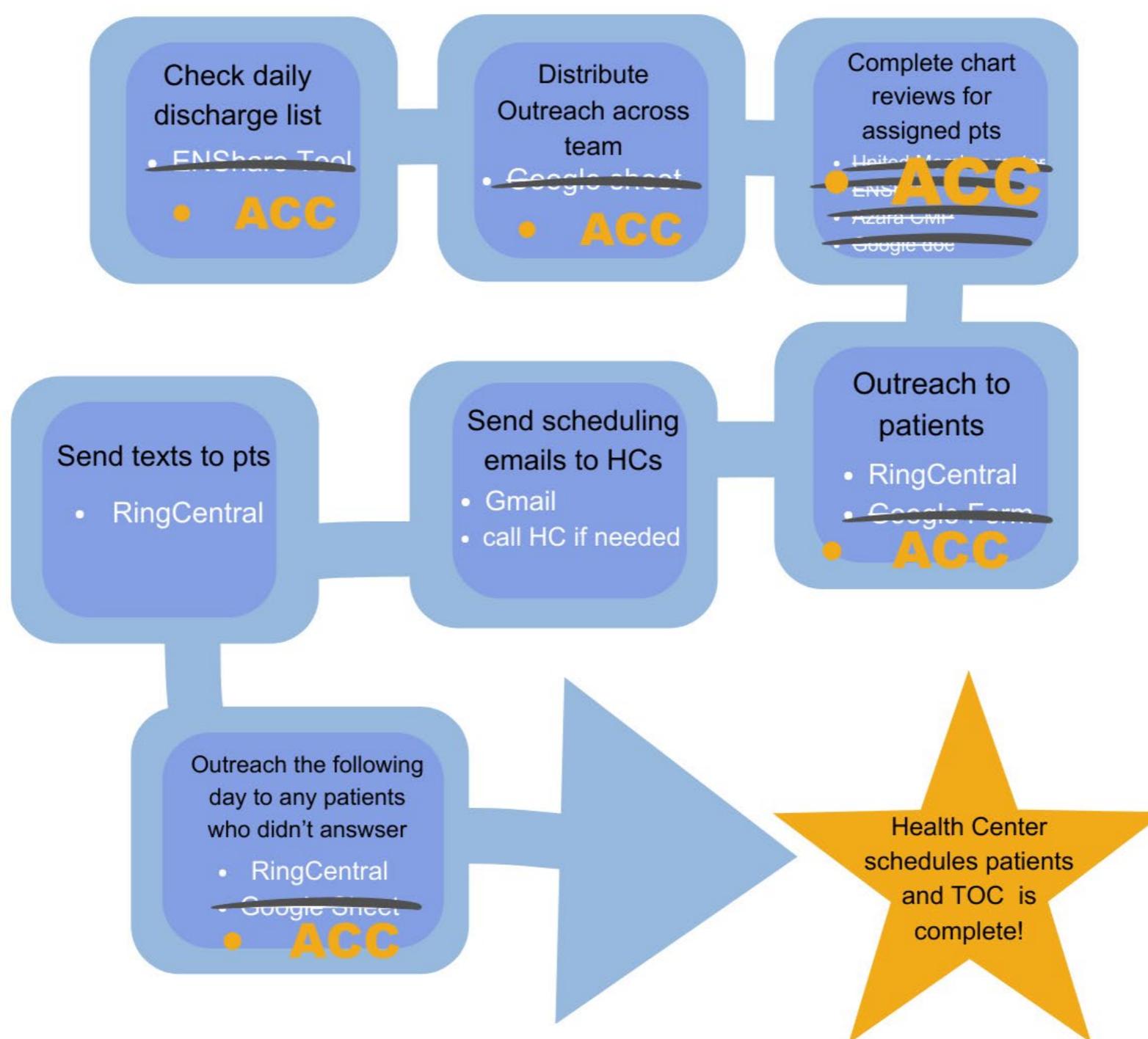
- Target care gaps informing care coordination outreach in ACC

High Risk

- Pushing high risk cohorts into ACC Care Management
- Using ACC Care Management for documentation and task management



Future TOC Workflow



Future of TOC Workflow and Documentation

PATIENT	GAP COUNT	CONTACT REASONS	LAST OUTREACH	OUTREACH COUNT	USER
BERMEL, TATIANA	2	HEDIS,MCRD	04/10/25	1	Unassigned
MCCURRY, JAMEL	2	HEDIS,MCRD	04/01/25	1	Unassigned
JURCIK, JOELLEN	5	HEDIS,TOC	Never ▲	0	Unassigned
CAMPBELL, VIVIAN	1	TOC	03/26/25	1	Karoline, Maribei
KAN, ALONZO	1	TOC	Never ▲	0	Karoline, Maribei
AVELLAR,	2	HEDIS,MCRD	Never ▲	0	Unassigned
EDGAR, EDEN	2	HEDIS,MCRD	Never ▲	0	Unassigned
GARRY, OSWALDO	2	HEDIS,MCRD	Never ▲	0	Unassigned
HENSLEY, IMA	2	HEDIS,MCRD	Never ▲	0	Unassigned
HYSON, TOBY	2	CQM,TOC	Never ▲	0	Unassigned
KUSICK, EMELY	1	TOC	Never ▲	0	Unassigned
ASHFIELD, HILARIO	4	CQM,HEDIS	Never ▲	0	Unassigned
BISCHOF, JOANNE	4	CQM,HEDIS	Never ▲	0	Unassigned
BOQUET, ELLIOT	4	CQM,HEDIS	Never ▲	0	Unassigned
CICERO, SAUL	4	CQM,HEDIS	Never ▲	0	Unassigned
FARACO, ELOIS	4	CQM,HEDIS	Never ▲	0	Unassigned
BRENDELAND, RAYMOND	3	CQM,HEDIS	Never ▲	0	Unassigned

FILTERS MANAGE

Search Patient...

NARROW RESULTS BY

No Contact in last 30 days

Attributed in Last 30 Days

MEDICAID REDETERMINATION

None Selected

CONTACT REASONS

9 selected

Include No Active Gaps

OUTREACH REASONS 5 All **Open** Complete Selected 0 Attempted Connected

REASON DETAILS	LAST OUTREACH	OUTREACHES	REPORTED	STATUS
<input type="checkbox"/> TOC: 10/27/2024 - St. Josephs Hospital: ER Visit	JB 11/07/24	1	10/28/24	Open
<input type="checkbox"/> CQM 4		2		
<input type="checkbox"/> BMI Screen & Follow-Up 18+ (CMS 69v12)	JB 11/07/24	2	08/07/24	Open
<input type="checkbox"/> HIV Screening (CMS 349v6)	JB 11/07/24	2	11/07/24	Open
<input type="checkbox"/> Depression Screening & Follow-Up (CMS 2v13)	JB 11/07/24	2	11/07/24	Open
<input type="checkbox"/> Medicare AWW	JB 11/07/24	2	11/07/24	Open

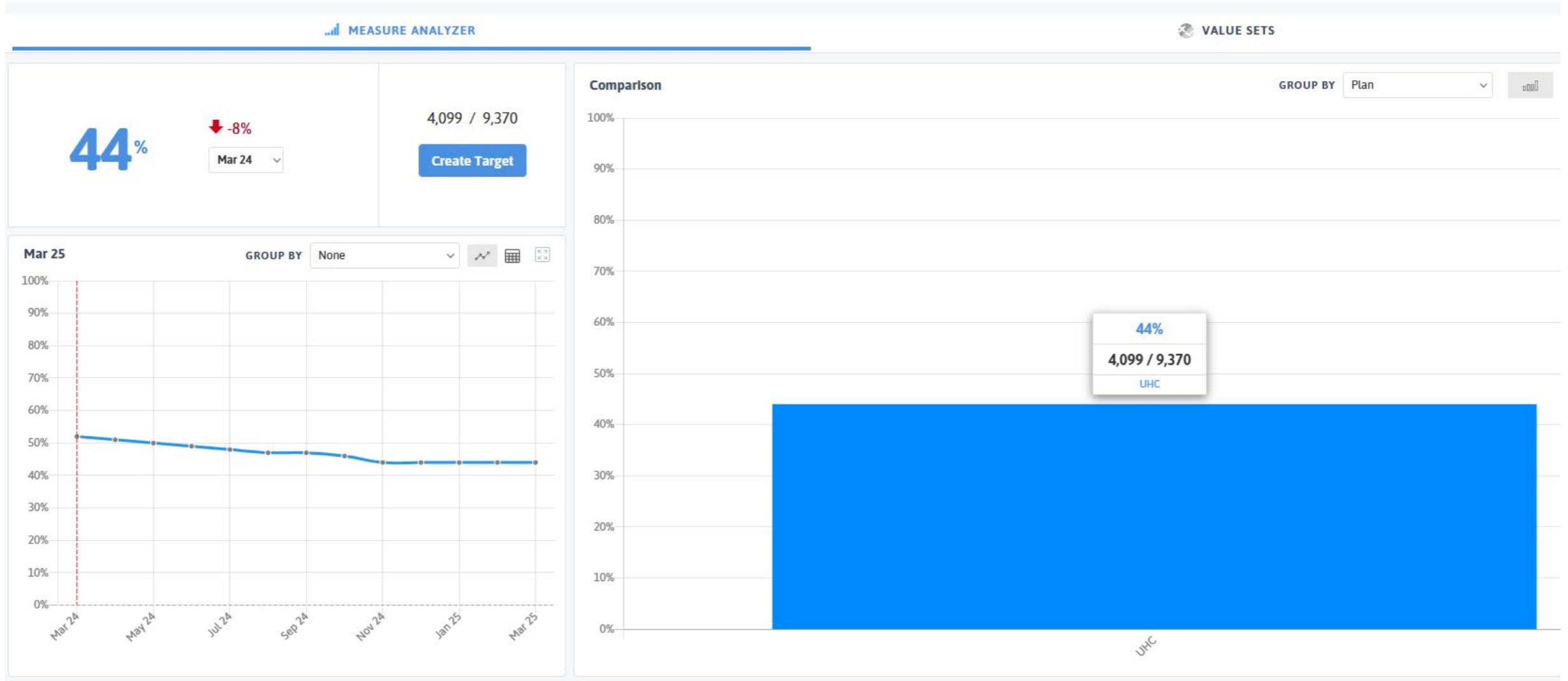
Challenges



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Really low member matching



Effective Communication/Collaboration with Payer Team

- Mistakes in site assignments
- Still no movement on engaging them directly with Azara
- Care gap lists have been wonky



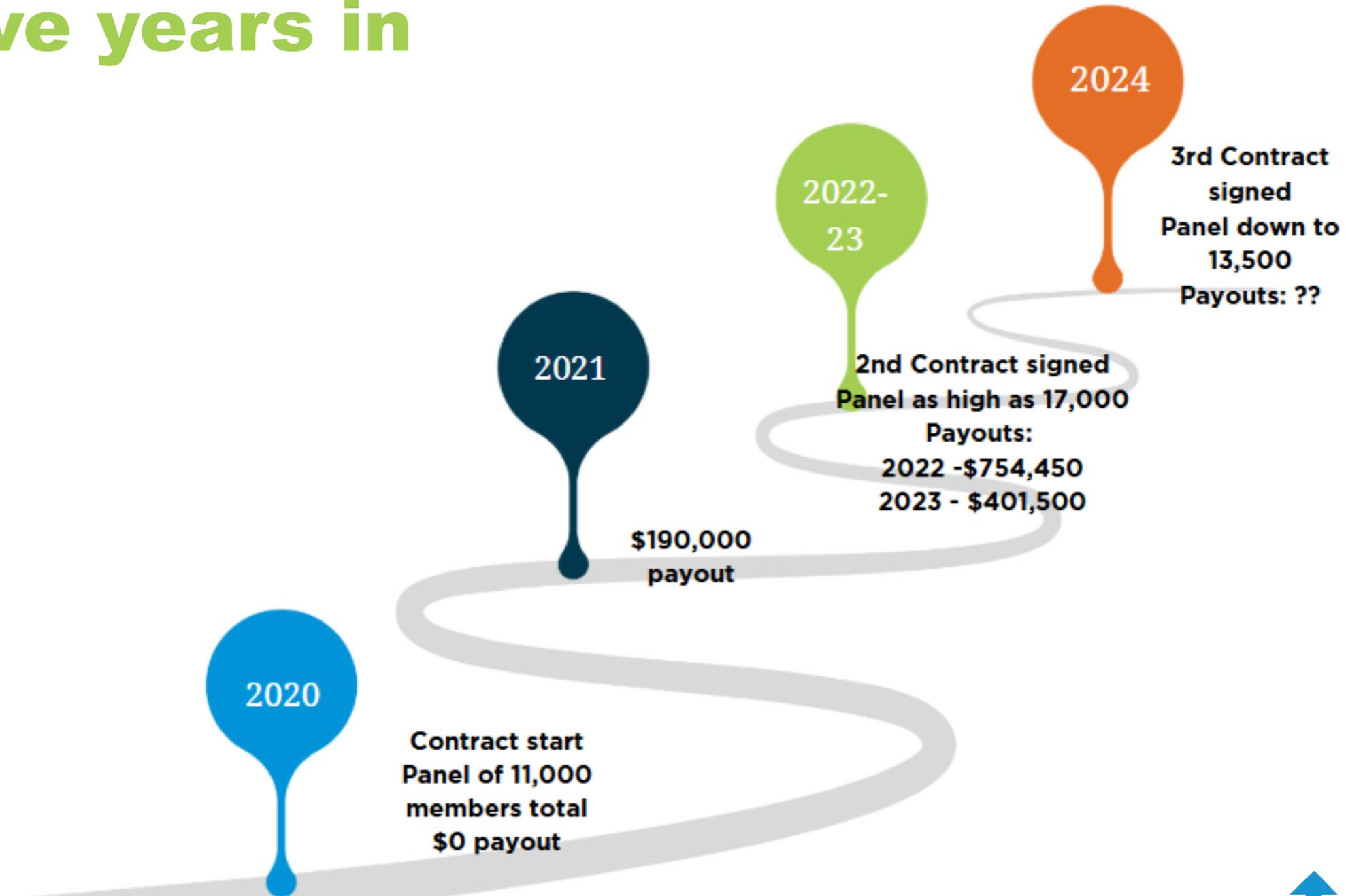
Successes



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Five years in



Outreach Results

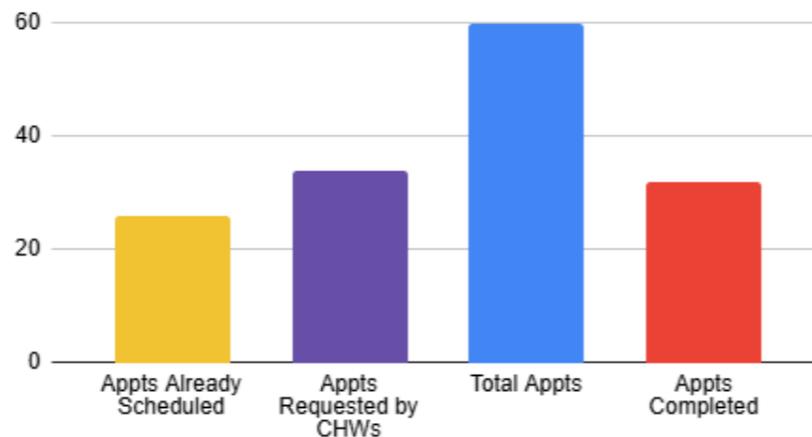
SEPTEMBER

Appts Already Scheduled	26
Appts Requested by CHWs	34
Total Appts	60
Appts Completed	32

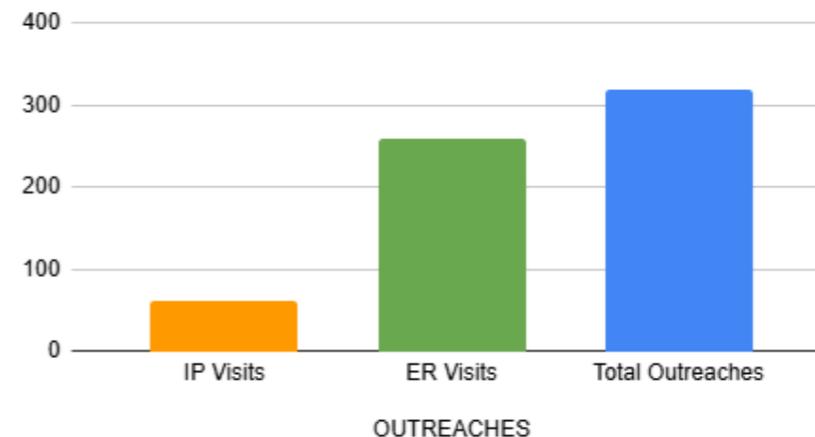
OUTREACHES

IP Visits	61
ER Visits	259
Total Outreaches	320

September Appointments



September Outreaches



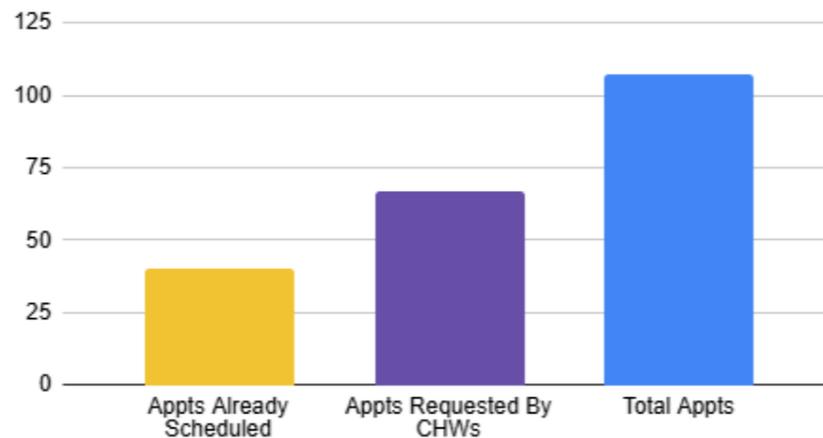
OCTOBER

Appts Already Scheduled	40
Appts Requested By CHWs	67
Total Appts	107

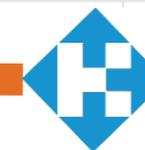
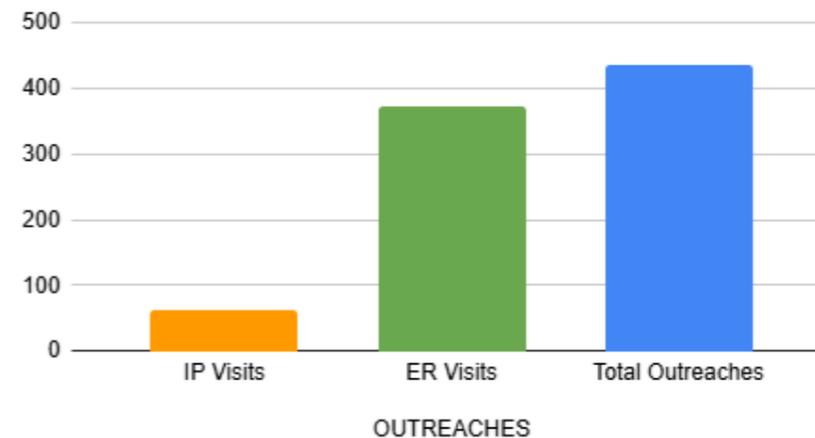
OUTREACHES

IP Visits	62
ER Visits	374
Total Outreaches	436

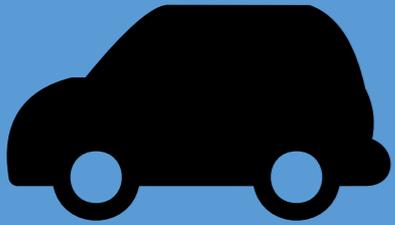
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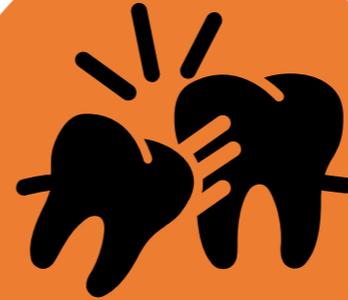
October Outreaches



Patient Stories – Avoiding ER/Hospital Use



Provided transportation for a patient to travel to specialist appointments.



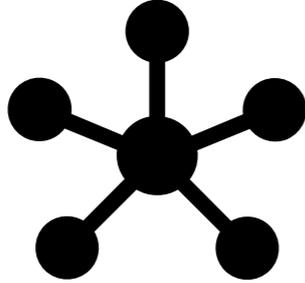
Connected patient with an oral surgeon who accepts insurance for wisdom tooth surgery.



Parent of a patient was unable to reach health center and said she would need to take her baby back to the ER. Health center was immediately contacted and made an appointment for the following day, keeping the patient out of the ER.

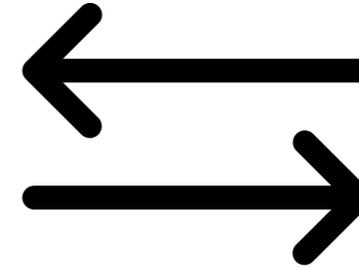


No new payer contracts yet, but....



Centralized services for a cancer screening / navigation infrastructure funded by Merck

- We proposed it because we knew it was possible



Amerihealth's bidirectional data integration with Azara

- New opportunities?



The Health Federation of Philadelphia is continually developing new programs in response to both the needs of underserved communities and the availability of data indicating improved approaches to health care and behavioral support.

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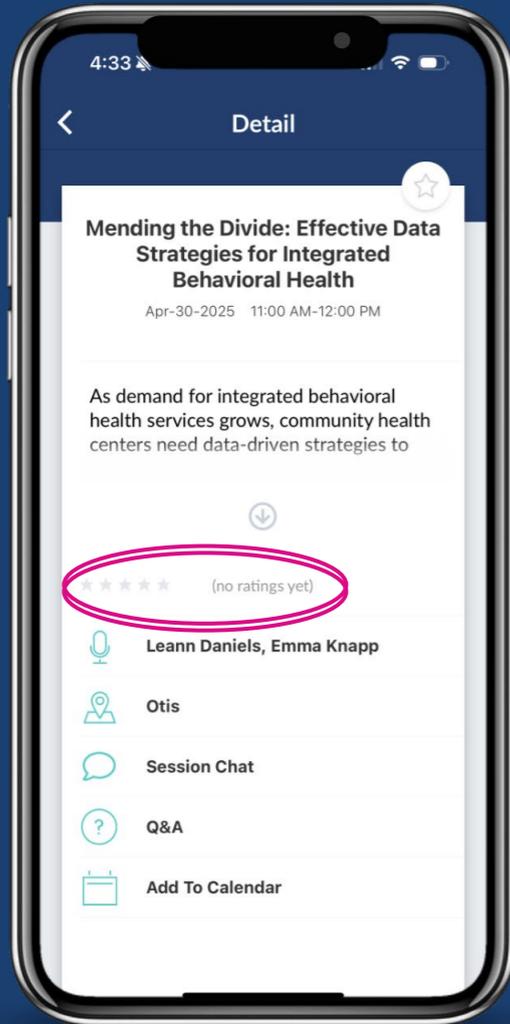
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ACE'd it? Share your DRVS success story and become an Azara ACE!

Show your organization has used DRVS to **A**chieve measurable results, **C**elebrate improvement in patient health outcomes, and effectively **E**ngage care teams and/or patients. Stories should showcase how DRVS helped your organization overcome a challenge, the tools and solutions used to drive improvement and details of the successes that resulted from your initiatives. ACEs should be able to provide examples that quantify quality improvement, cost savings, operational efficiency or patient health improvement.

Benefits:

- Azara will help tell your story and provide a client-branded version for your use
- Potential to create a 2-4 minute video or hour-long Azara-hosted webinar
- Potential to be featured at next year's Azara User Conference
- Win Azara swag!

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