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# All-CIN Physician WebEx

Quality Health Alliance

Mercy Accountable Care

Delaware Care Collaboration

**November 11, 2020**

6:00pm - 7:30pm

# Reflection



**“Our nation owes a  
debt to its fallen  
heroes that we can  
never fully repay.”**

**- Barack Obama**

# Trinity Health Mid-Atlantic (THMA) Clinically Integrated Network (CIN)

## Regional News

Quality Health Alliance – St. Mary Medical Center

Mercy Accountable Care – Legacy Mercy Health System

Delaware Care Collaboration – St. Francis Hospital

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# Welcome New THMA CIN Regional Directors



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# New THMA Regional Newsletter Publication

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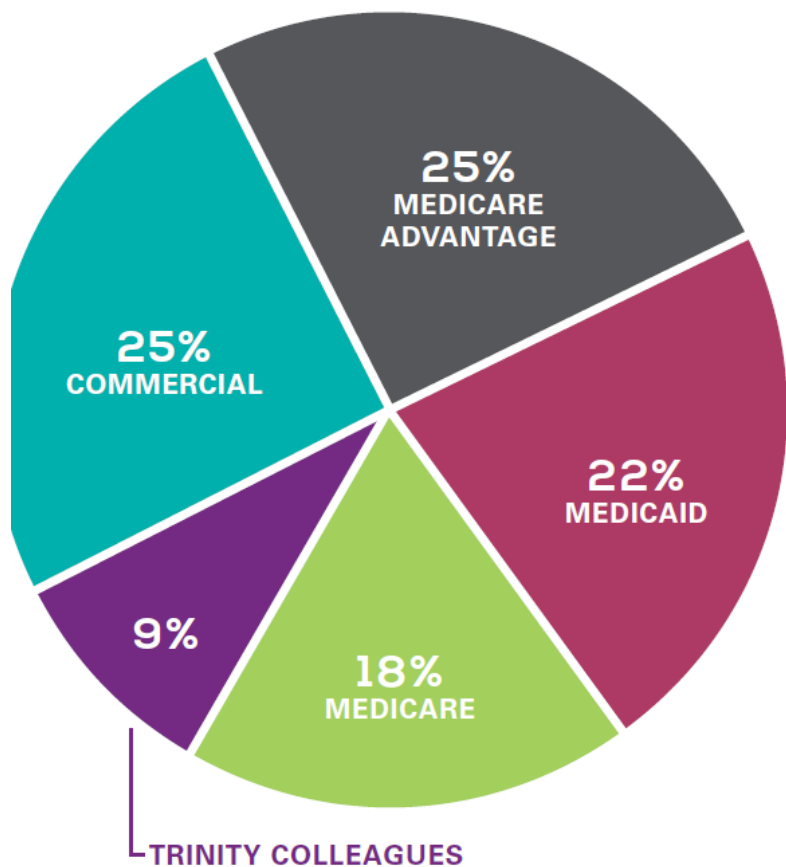
# Network NEWS

October 2020



# THMA CIN Value-Based Agreements 2020

THMA\* CIN VALUE-BASED AGREEMENTS



\*represents QHA, MAC, and DCC as of June 2020

THMA ATTRIBUTION PROFILE

Risk Medicare

20,252

Non Risk Commercial

19,085

Non Risk Medicare Advantage

11,217

Non Risk Medicare

7,877

Non Risk Trinity Health Colleagues

3,910

Risk Medicare Advantage

1,237

# Medicare Shared Savings Program (MSSP) 2019 Participation Year Results

## Trinity Health Integrated Care Delaware Care Collaboration



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- **Trinity Health Integrated Care (THIC)**

**Savings Generated =  
\$19.8 M**

**Savings Earned =  
\$13.7 M**

**Quality Score = 92%  
Savings Rate = 2.9%**



# Medicare Shared Savings Program (MSSP) PY 2019 Results

- **Delaware Care Collaboration (DCC)**

**Savings Generated =  
\$4.9 M**

**Savings Earned =  
0\$**

**Quality Score = 92%  
Savings Rate = 2.2%**



# MSSP 2020 – COVID-19 Implications

- CMS Public Health Emergency (PHE) extended through January 20, 2021;
- MSSP 2020 Quality Metrics:
  - ACOs are accountable to participate in a CMS ACO Quality Measures Audit (GPRO) for the 2020 participation year;
  - CMS preliminary rule indicates ACOs can use the better of the 2019 or 2020 score for the 2020 participation year – NOT FINAL;
- What does this mean for Trinity Health Integrated Care (QHA & MAC) and Delaware Care Collaboration?

# MSSP 2020 – COVID-19 Implications

- **Trinity Health Integrated Care (THIC)**

- NO downside financial risk for 2020 participation year;
- Entitlement to all shared savings earned in 2020 participation year;



- **Delaware Care Collaboration (DCC)**

- NO progression to downside risk for 2021 participation year;
- Entitlement to all share savings earned in 2020 participation year;





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# Quality, Practice Transformation, and Care Management Updates

Presented by Dr. Naomi McMackin  
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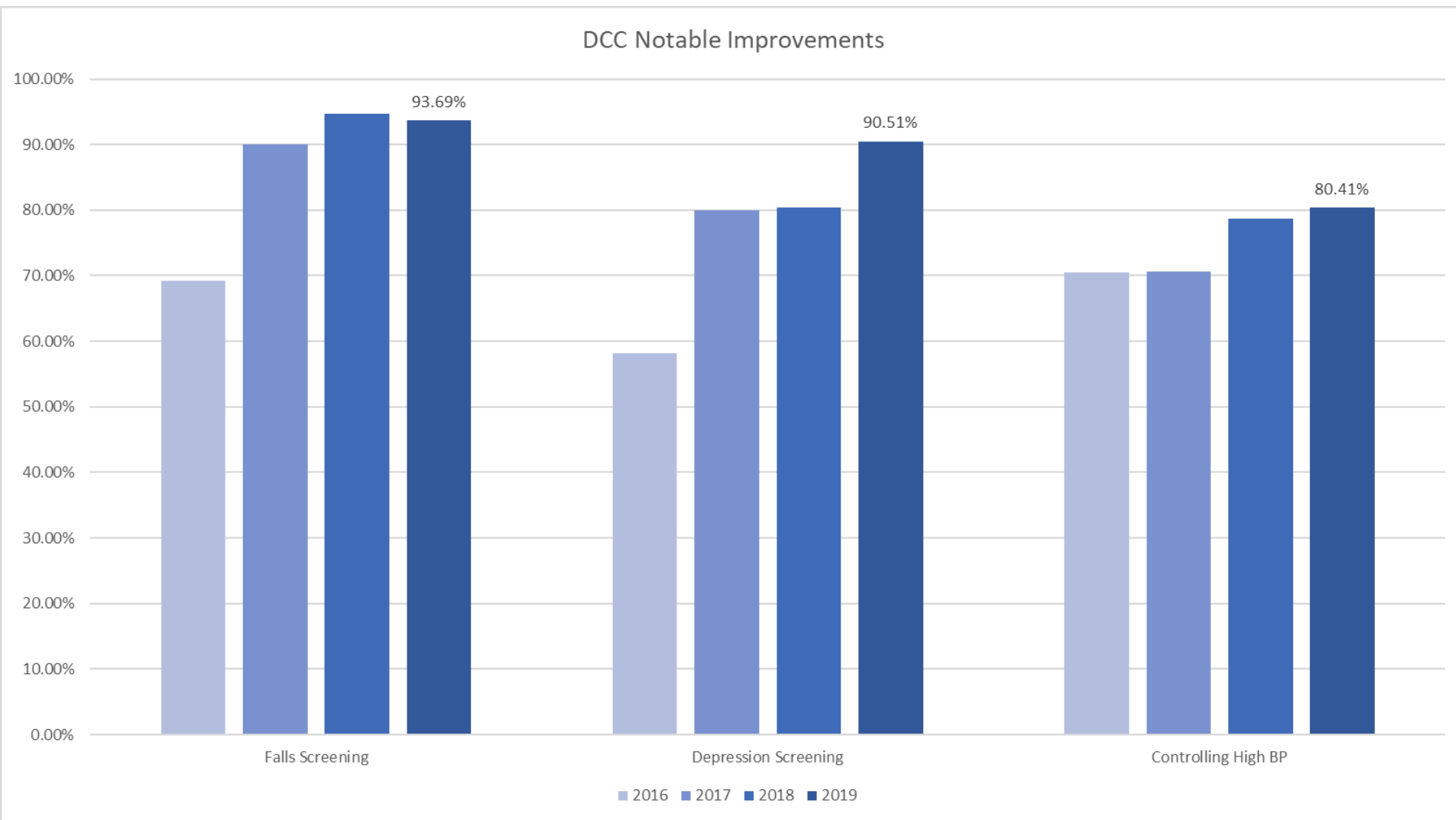
# THMA CIN Quality and Care Coordination Updates

- Quality
  - 2019 GPRO Performance
  - 2021 ACO Proposed Quality Measures
- Practice Transformation
  - COVID19 & Flu
- Care Coordination
  - Advanced Care Planning COVID19

# GPRO Results 2019- DCC

2019 Quality Performance Report (includes 2019 and 2019-A)						
DELAWARE CARE COLLABORATION DCC LLC						
ACO	Measure	Measure Name	Numerator	Denominator	DCC 2019 %Rate	ACO National Mean %Rate
DCC	CARE-2	Falls Screening	282	301	93.69%	84.04%
DCC	DM-2	HbA1c Poor Control	40	296	13.51%	13.88%
DCC	HTN-2	Controlling High BP	242	300	80.67%	75.04%
DCC	MH-1	Depression Remission 12m	5	64	7.81%	13.58%
DCC	PREV-10	Tobacco Use (Screen/Cessation)	21	25	84.00%	78.04%
DCC	PREV-12	Depression Screening	267	295	90.51%	70.40%
DCC	PREV-13	Statin Therapy CVD	263	294	89.46%	82.17%
DCC	PREV-5	BrCa Screening	233	298	78.19%	73.84%
DCC	PREV-6	CRC Screening	232	300	77.33%	70.76%
DCC	PREV-7	Flu Immunization	222	250	88.80%	74.77%

# GPRO Results 2019- DCC Improvements





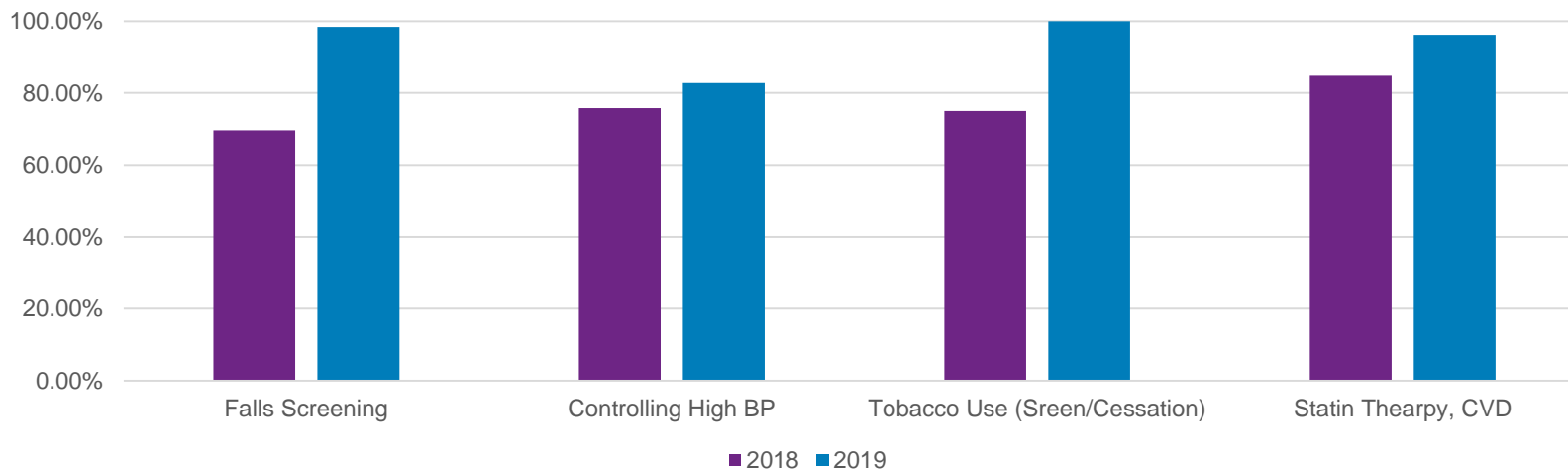
# GPRO Results 2019- QHA & MAC

ACO	Chapter	Measure	Measure Name	Numerator	Denominator	Score
THIC	Langhorne	CARE-2	Falls Screening	120	122	98.36%
THIC	Langhorne	DM-2	HbA1c Poor Control	22	125	17.60%
THIC	Langhorne	HTN-2	Controlling High BP	106	128	82.81%
THIC	Langhorne	MH-1	Depression Remission	1	13	7.69%
THIC	Langhorne	PREV-10	Tobacco Use (Screen/Cessation)	7	7	100.00%
THIC	Langhorne	PREV-12	Depression Screening	97	120	80.83%
THIC	Langhorne	PREV-13	Statin Therapy, CVD	153	159	96.23%
THIC	Langhorne	PREV-5	BrCa Screening	123	145	84.83%
THIC	Langhorne	PREV-6	CRC Screening	123	145	84.83%
THIC	Langhorne	PREV-7	Flu Immunization	96	119	80.67%

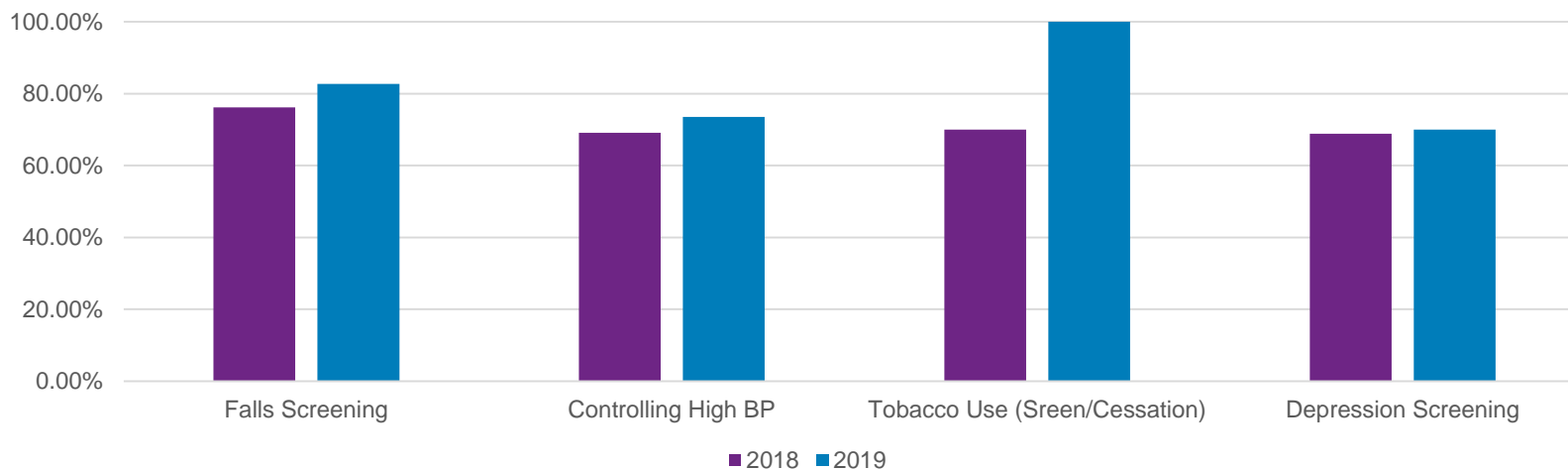
ACO	Chapter	Measure	Measure Name	Numerator	Denominator	Score
THIC	SEPA	CARE-2	Falls Screening	43	52	82.69%
THIC	SEPA	DM-2	HbA1c Poor Control	19	65	29.23%
THIC	SEPA	HTN-2	Controlling High BP	50	68	73.53%
THIC	SEPA	MH-1	Depression Remission	0	4	0.00%
THIC	SEPA	PREV-10	Tobacco Use (Screen/Cessation)	7	7	100.00%
THIC	SEPA	PREV-12	Depression Screening	42	60	70.00%
THIC	SEPA	PREV-13	Statin Therapy, CVD	66	79	83.54%
THIC	SEPA	PREV-5	BrCa Screening	47	70	67.14%
THIC	SEPA	PREV-6	CRC Screening	30	56	53.57%
THIC	SEPA	PREV-7	Flu Immunization	39	54	72.22%

# GPRO Results 2019- QHA & MAC Improvements

## QHA Noteable Improvements



## MAC Noteable Improvements



# Proposed Quality Changes for PY2021

Measure #	Measure Title	Collection Type	Submitter Type	Meaningful Measure Area
Quality ID # 321	CAHPS for MIPS	CAHPS for MIPS Survey	Third Party Intermediary	Patient's Experience
Quality ID # 001	Diabetes: Hemoglobin A1c (HbA1c) Poor Control	eCQM/MIPS CQM	APM Entity/Third Party Intermediary	Mgt. of Chronic Conditions
Quality ID # 134	Preventive Care and Screening: Screening for Depression and Follow-up Plan	eCQM/MIPS CQM	APM Entity/Third Party Intermediary	Treatment of Mental Health
Quality ID # 236	Controlling High Blood Pressure	eCQM/MIPS CQM	APM Entity/Third Party Intermediary	Mgt. of Chronic Conditions
Measure # TBD	Hospital-Wide, 30-day, All-Cause Unplanned Readmission (HWR) Rate for MIPS Eligible Clinician Groups	Administrative Claims	N/A	Admissions & Readmissions
Measure # TBD	Risk Standardized, All-Cause Unplanned Admissions for Multiple Chronic Conditions for ACOs	Administrative Claims	N/A	Admissions & Readmissions

# CPT II Codes for CMS 2021 Quality Measures

## Diabetes Hemoglobin A1c

HbA1c level < 7.0%	3044F	HbA1c level 8 – 9	3052F
HbA1c level $\geq$ but < 8	3051F	HbA1c level > 9	3046F

## Screening for Depression

3725F

## Controlling High Blood Pressure

Systolic < 130	- 3074F	Diastolic < 80	- 3078F
Systolic between 130-139	- 3075F	Diastolic between 80-89	- 3079F
Systolic $\geq$ 140	- 3077F	Diastolic $\geq$ 90	- 3080F

# COVID19 + Flu

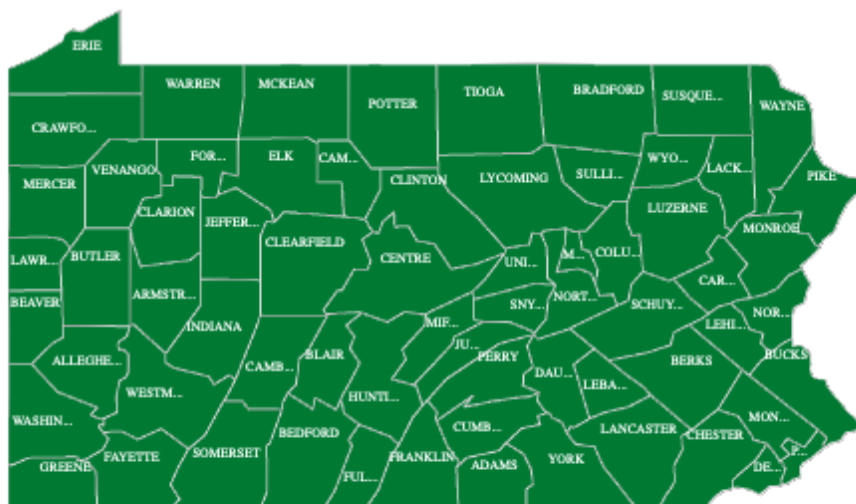
## COVID-19 Early Warning Monitoring System Dashboard

Updated on 11/6/2020

Select a county or multiple  
counties (CTRL+click) in the  
map to filter the table.

Page Navigation

All Counties



### Pennsylvania

**+2,503**

Confirmed cases (diff.)

**124.8**

Incidence rate per 100,000 (curr.)

**6.9%**

PCR percent positivity (curr.)

**+264.8**

Avg. daily hospitalizations (diff.)

**+14.6**

Avg. daily ventilators (diff.)

**0.9%**

Hosp. visits due to CLI (curr.)

diff. - difference between the most recent 7-day period and the  
previous 7-day period.

curr. - most recent 7-day period

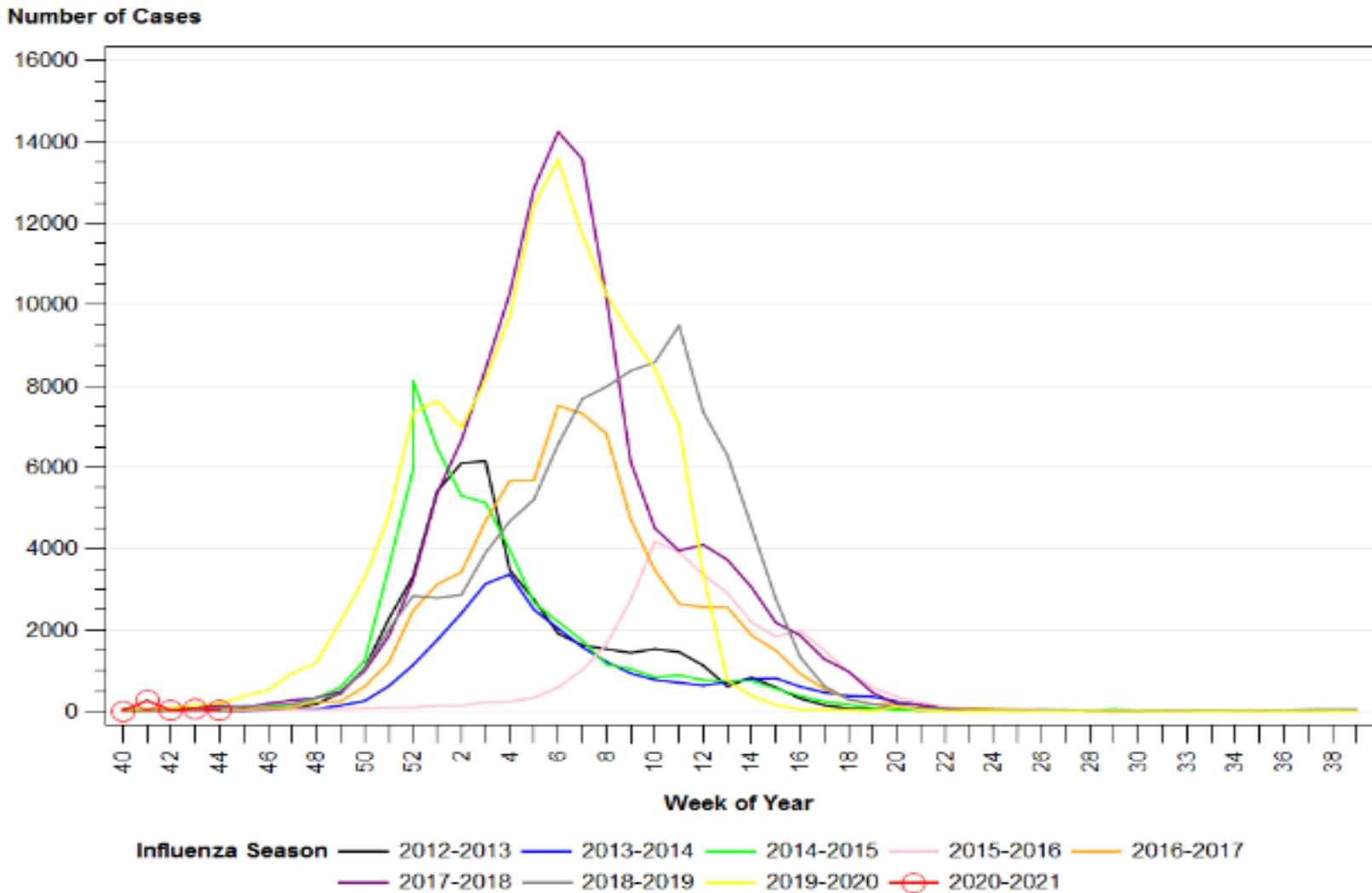
**Most recent 7-day period: October 30-November 5**

**Previous 7-day period: October 23-October 29**

For detailed county progress hover over the metric.

<sup>1</sup><https://www.health.pa.gov/topics/disease/coronavirus/Pages/Monitoring-Dashboard.aspx>

# Comparison of PA Influenza Cases in Current Season to the Eight Previous Seasons



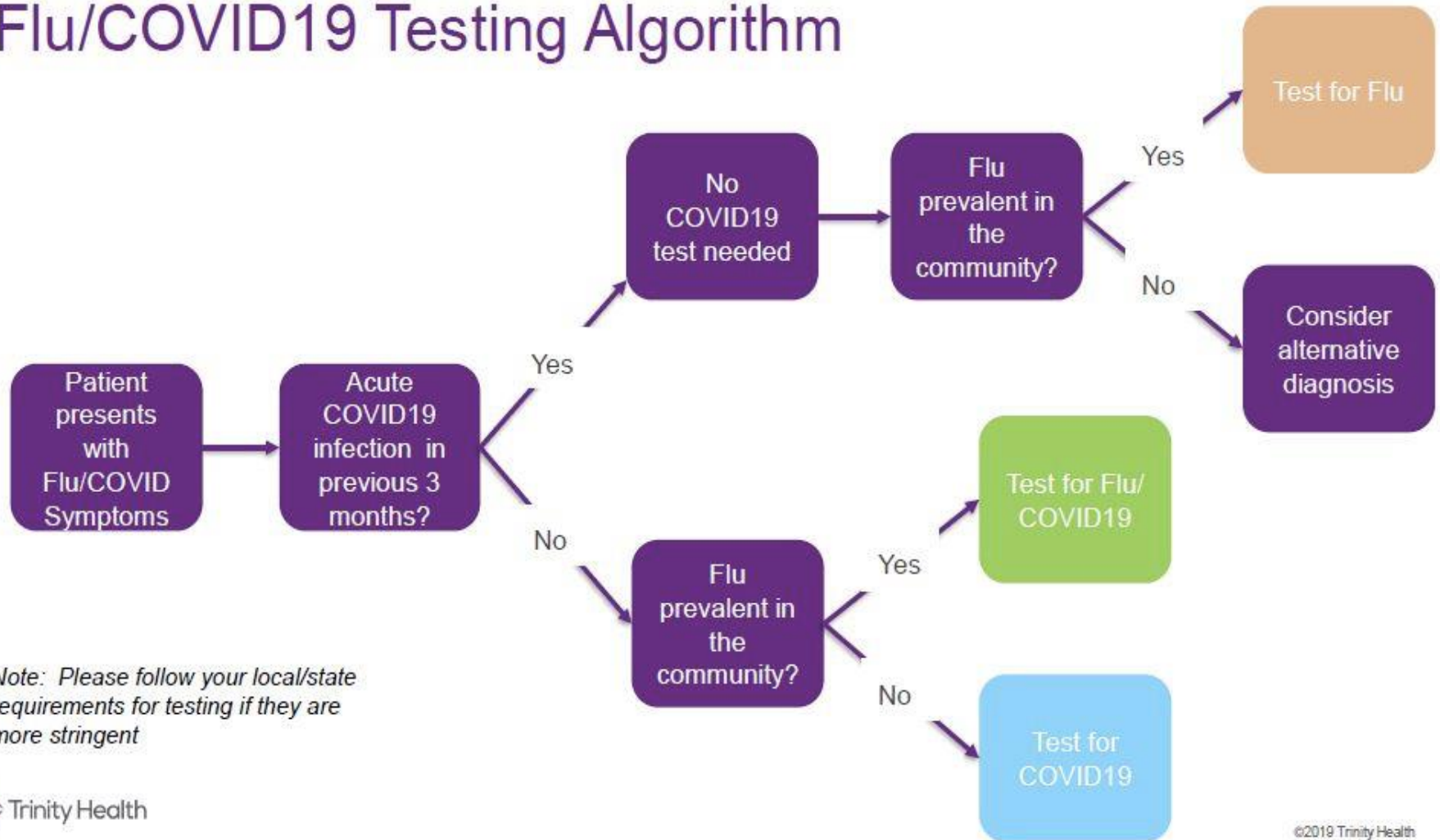
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# COVID19 vs Flu

Symptoms	Coronavirus (COVID-19) Symptoms range from mild to severe	Influenza (FLU) Abrupt onset of symptoms	Cold Gradual onset of symptoms	Seasonal Allergies Symptoms improve or worsen depending on environment
Fever	Often	Often	Rare	Sometimes
Fatigue	Sometimes	Sometimes	Sometimes	Often
Cough	Often (usually dry)	Often (usually dry)	Mild	Often
Sneezing	No	No	Often	Often
Aches & Pains	Sometimes	Often	Often	No
Runny or Stuffy Nose	Rare	Sometimes	Often	Often
Sore throat	Sometimes	Sometimes	Often	No
Diarrhea	Rare	Sometimes in Children	No	No
Headaches	Sometimes	Often	Rare	Sometimes
Shortness of breath/ Difficulty breathing	Often	Rare	Rare	Rare
Loss of taste and smell	Often	Rare	Rare	Rare



# Flu/COVID19 Testing Algorithm



*Note: Please follow your local/state requirements for testing if they are more stringent*

# Partnering to Keep Patients Safe During COVID-19

- **Patient Collateral** developed to help patients seek care in appropriate setting based off symptoms (→)
- Partner with your patients to **mitigate** community spread
- Focus on inappropriate ED visits for **ambulatory conditions & chronic disease management** to prevent future inpatient admissions
- Ensure office access for same day/next day visits and education to patients to **call your office** for help deciding where to seek care.

## Where Should I Go?

Here are some examples to help you decide when and where to go for care.

Your  
Doctor



- Minor cuts or burns
- Allergy symptoms
- Cold, cough or sore throat
- Eye infections
- Rashes or insect bites
- Fever or flu like symptoms
- Muscle aches or back pain
- Lab testing/STD screening
- Disease management
- Medication refills
- Headache
- Anxiety or depression
- Substance abuse concerns
- UTI

Call your Primary  
Care Physician  
any time, 24/7 if you  
experience these symptoms.

Urgent  
Care



- Minor injuries—sprains or strains
- Deep cuts or burns
- Bladder infections
- Severe headache
- Abdominal pain
- Fever or flu-like symptoms
- Abdominal pain
- Lab testing/STD check
- X-rays/broken bones

Go to urgent care if you  
are experiencing any of the  
conditions listed under "your  
doctor" but can't wait for the  
next available appointment.

Emergency  
Room

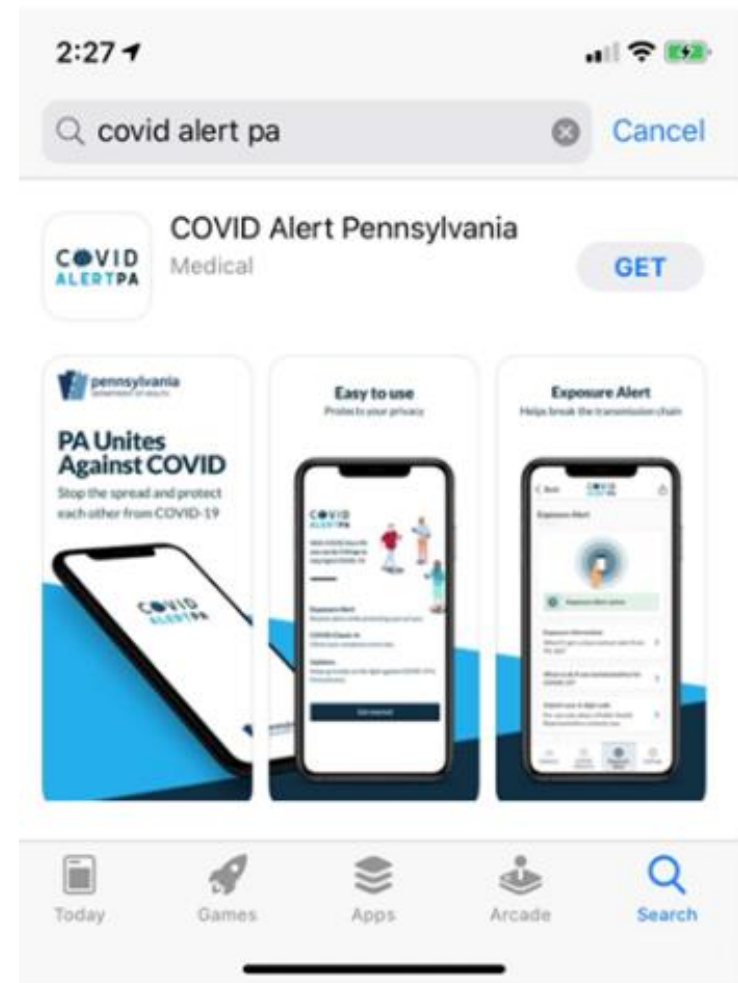


- Signs of a heart attack
- Heart palpitations
- Trouble breathing/Chest pain
- Signs of a stroke
- Seizures
- Loss of consciousness
- Fever in a newborn
- Moderate-to-severe burns
- Gunshot or deep knife wounds
- Poisoning or drug overdose
- Broken bones
- Serious head, neck, or back injury
- Severe abdominal pain
- Pregnancy-related problems
- Thoughts of harming yourself/others
- Worst headache of your life

This is not a  
comprehensive list.  
Use your best judgement in  
case of an emergency.

# COVID Alert PA app

- App uses anonymous Bluetooth low technology to know when your phone is within 6 feet of another phone with the app for 15 minutes or more.
- When an app user confirms a positive COVID-19 test result in the app, it will check to see if it matches any of the anonymous Bluetooth close contact interactions your phone has had over the last 14 days.
- If there is a match, COVID Alert PA may send an alert after taking into account the date, duration of exposure, and the Bluetooth signal strength



# THMA CIN Regional Care Coordination Leadership Team

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# Advance Care Planning During COVID 19 – Role of Primary Care Provider

- Ensure patients receive the care they want, aligning the care that is delivered with patients' values and goals.
- Know that patients most likely to develop severe illness will be older and have greater burden of chronic illness.
- Have the relationships with patients and families while hospitalist/intensivists are tasked with urgent decisions in a crisis.
- Best understand how visitor restrictions create communication challenges with patients and their loved ones.

<sup>1</sup>The Importance of Addressing Advance Care Planning and Decisions About Do-Not-Resuscitate Orders During Novel Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19)

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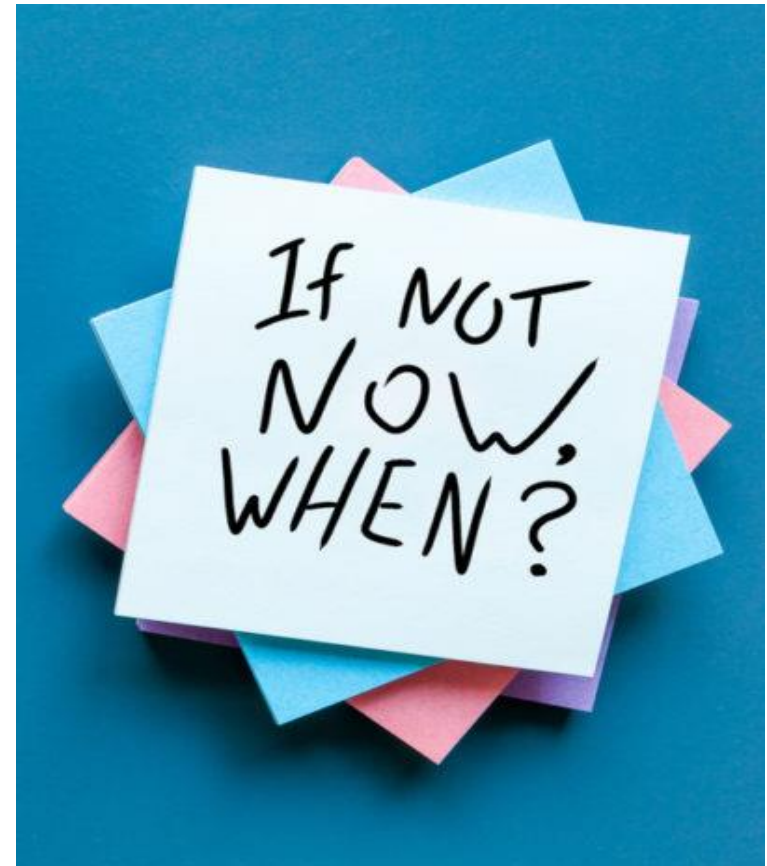
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# Advance Care Planning During COVID 19

- Ambulatory Care Managers have been trained in ACP and Serious Illness conversation
- ACP quality measure for BPCI-A
- Newsletter contains education on documentation and coding opportunities



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# Guidance Regarding Best Practices for Prescription Medication and Refill Requests and Prescribing of Chronic Regimens of Controlled Substances

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# Summary of Guidance for Refill and Prescription Requests

## Education

- Informing and educating staff and patients of the refill policy should be a priority

## Process of Patient Prescription and Refill Requests

- Refills should be requested at patient's office visit or via office refill line during normal business hours
- Ninety-day supplies should be prescribed whenever possible
- Prescribing should primarily be performed electronically
- Requests should be checked at least twice a day

## Denial of Patient Prescription and Refill Requests\*

- Reasons would include:
  1. not being seen by provider in last 6 months
  2. if request is for a medication not previously prescribed by provider
- If an appointment is needed, it should be scheduled for patient within 72hrs of request

*\* Exceptions to this policy are allowable per provider on a case by case basis.*

# Summary of Guidance for Prescribing of Chronic Regimens of Controlled Substances

## **New Patients, Initiation of Therapy and Controlled Substance Agreements**

- New patients are required to give informed consent and submit their prior health records
- Opioid Risk Assessment and urine drug screen should be performed
- Controlled substance agreements are required for regimens >7 days

## **Usage of Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PDMP)**

- Prescribers must continue to query the PDMP before therapy initiation and for every therapy renewal
- Prescribers must be registered with the PDMP in each state they are licensed to practice

## **Clinician Guided Monitoring for Continuation of Therapy**

- Periodic fluid drug screens should be completed at least every 12 months in PA and every 6 months in DE
- Patients should be available for monitoring requests within 24hrs

# Summary of Guidance for Prescribing of Chronic Regimens of Controlled Substances

## Procedure for Handling of Prescription Refills and/or Renewal Requests

- Patients should be seen once every 3 months by telehealth or in-person visit before renewal is approved.
- At the patient's office visit, a prescription for CII medications can only be written for a thirty-day supply.
- CIII-CV prescriptions can be written for up to a ninety-day supply
- Prescription renewal requests for CII medications should be requested by the patient for the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> prescriptions by phone to the office staff or via refill phone extension.

## Discontinuation and Tapering of Ongoing Therapy

- Tapering should not occur at a rate greater than 25% per week, in order to minimize serious risk of withdrawal.

## Monitoring of Clinician Compliance with Prescribing, and Patient Surveillance

- Random audits of compliance should be performed by the compliance department or the network's corporate staff.



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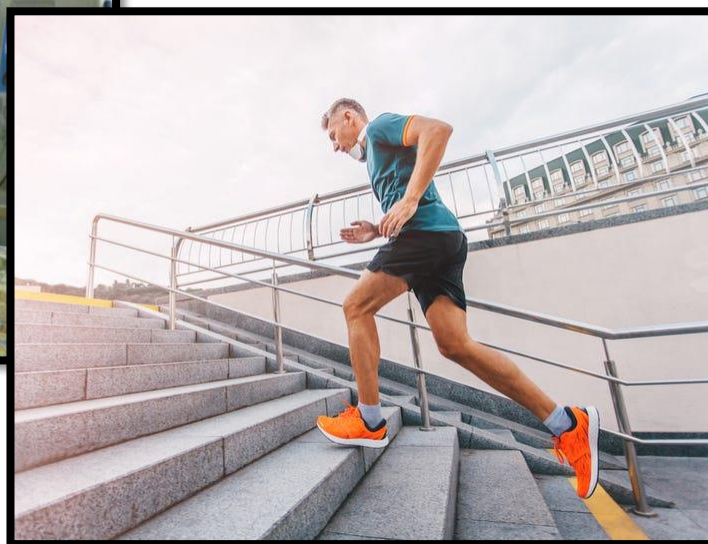
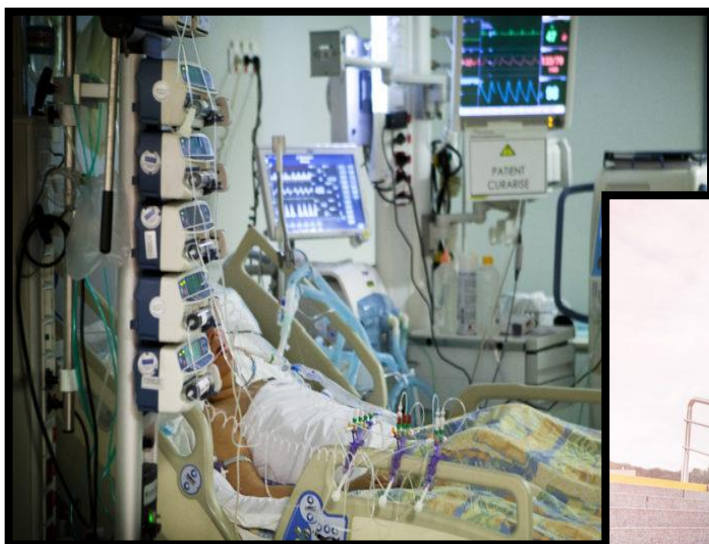
# Clinical Condition Documentation/ Hierarchical Condition Category (HCC) Coding

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# Importance of Focusing on Clinical Condition Documentation (CCD) Education

- *The move from FFS to Value-Based Care makes it increasingly important for providers to properly document the disease burden of their patients*
- *CCD educational efforts are geared toward helping assure that the codes being used on claims help payers accurately risk adjust patients*
- *This will result in both more accurate forecasting of benchmarks in CMS shared savings programs and more accurate reimbursement in Medicare Advantage and other commercial programs*

# What do you see?



# How many lives are we talking about for our Clinically Integrated Network?

Approximately  
28,000 Attributed  
Medicare Patients



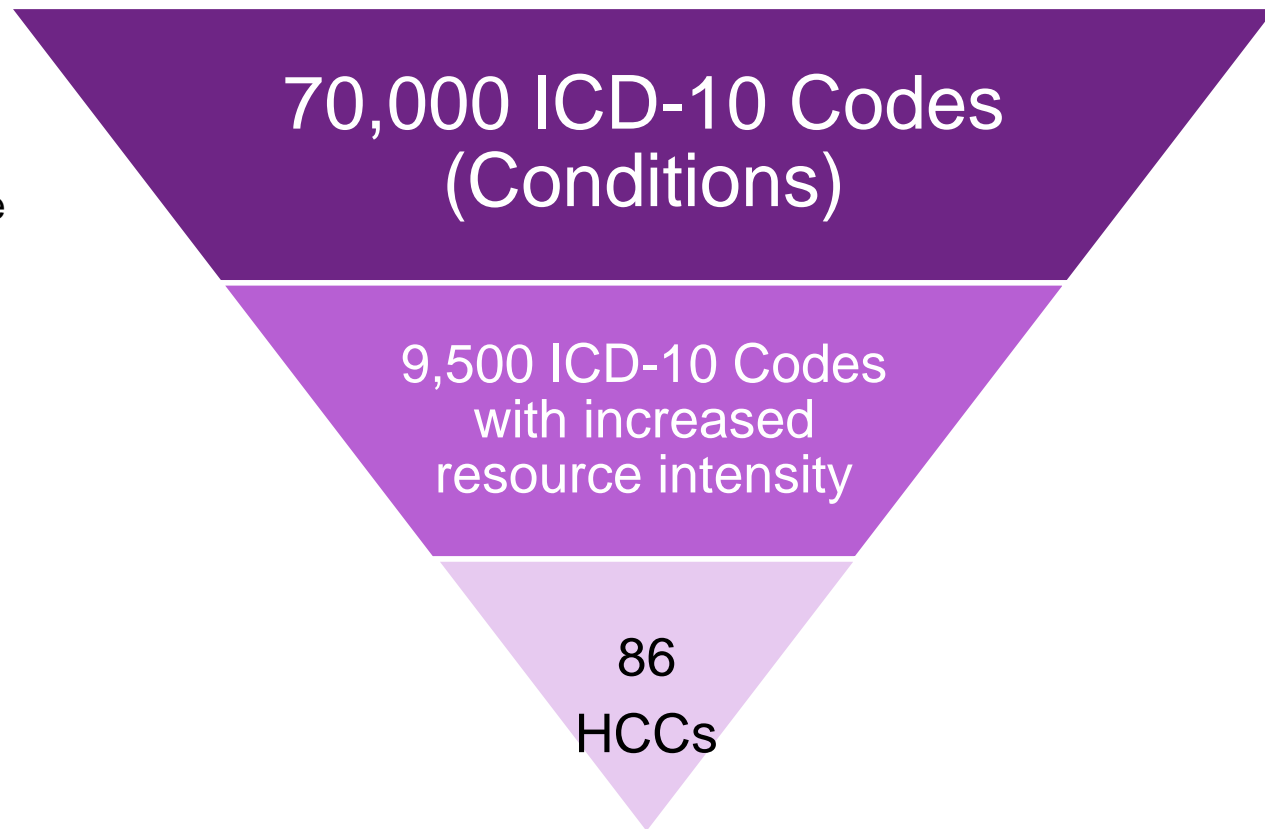
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# Risk Adjustment Factor (RAF) and Methodologies



# CMS-HCC model

- 70,000 ICD-10 Codes (Conditions)
- 9,500 ICD-10 codes require increased costs to manage
- Conditions grouped into Hierarchical Condition Categories (**HCC**)
  - Similar conditions
  - Similar resource needs



# CMS-HCC model

ICD-10-CM codes	HCC category description	HCC	Disease Hierarchy
E08.0-, E08.1-, E08.641, E09.0-, E09.1-, E09.641, E10.1-, E10.641, E11.0-, E11.1-, E11.641, E13.0-, E13.1-, E13.641	Diabetes with acute complications	17	18, 19
E08.21-E08.638, E08.649-E08.8, E09.21-E09.638, E09.649-E09.8, E10.21-E10.638, E10.649-E10.8, E11.21-E11.638, E11.649-E11.8, E13.21-E13.638, E13.649-E13.8	Diabetes with chronic complications	18	19
E08.9, E09.9, E10.9, E11.9, E13.9, Z79.4	Diabetes without complication	19	
I85.-, K70.41, K71.11, K72.01-K72.91, K76.6, K76.7, K76.81	End-stage liver disease	27	28, 29, 80
K70.30-K70.9, K74.3-K74.69	Cirrhosis of liver	28	29
B18.-, K73.-, K75.4	Chronic hepatitis	29	

# How is risk score (RAF) calculated?



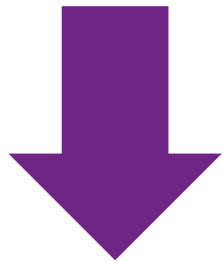
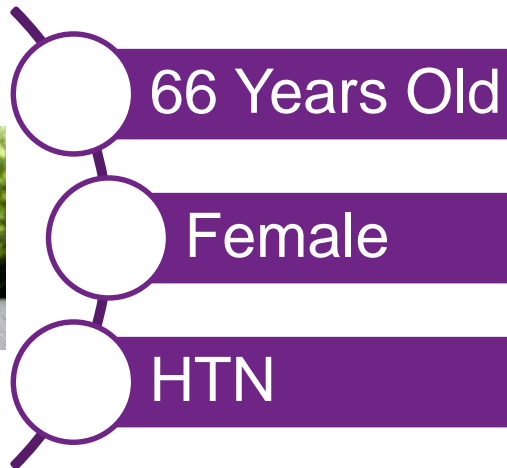
*RAF: Risk Adjustment Factor; HCC: Hierarchical Condition Categories*

# Where does each patient stand?

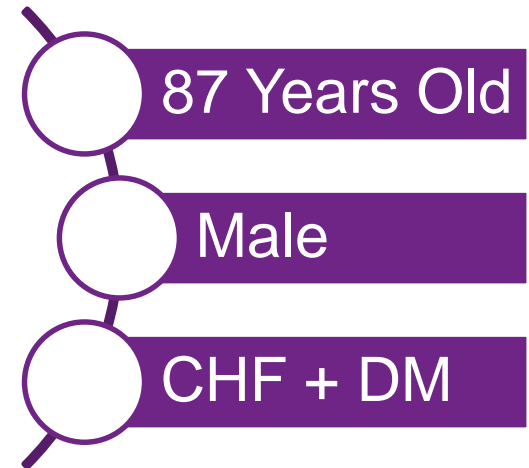
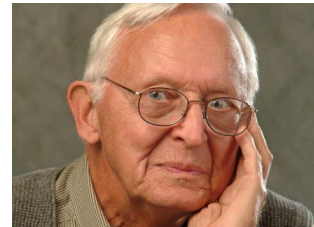


**Important to note that CMS rebases what “1” is every year based on all Medicare beneficiaries and their risk score**

# Patient Comparison



Below Average RAF



Above Average RAF

# Provider concerns

Providers want to provide the best care for their patients.

Providers want to properly document the disease burden of their patients.

Providers are not specifically trained in diagnostic coding.

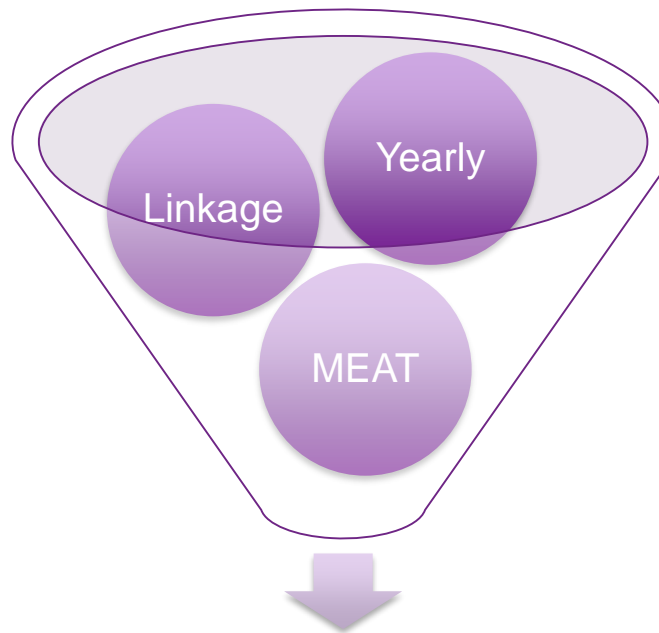
# Documentation Elements

# The sooner, the better

**Yearly-** Document chronic conditions at least once annually

**Linkage-** clarify any complications that relate to chronic conditions

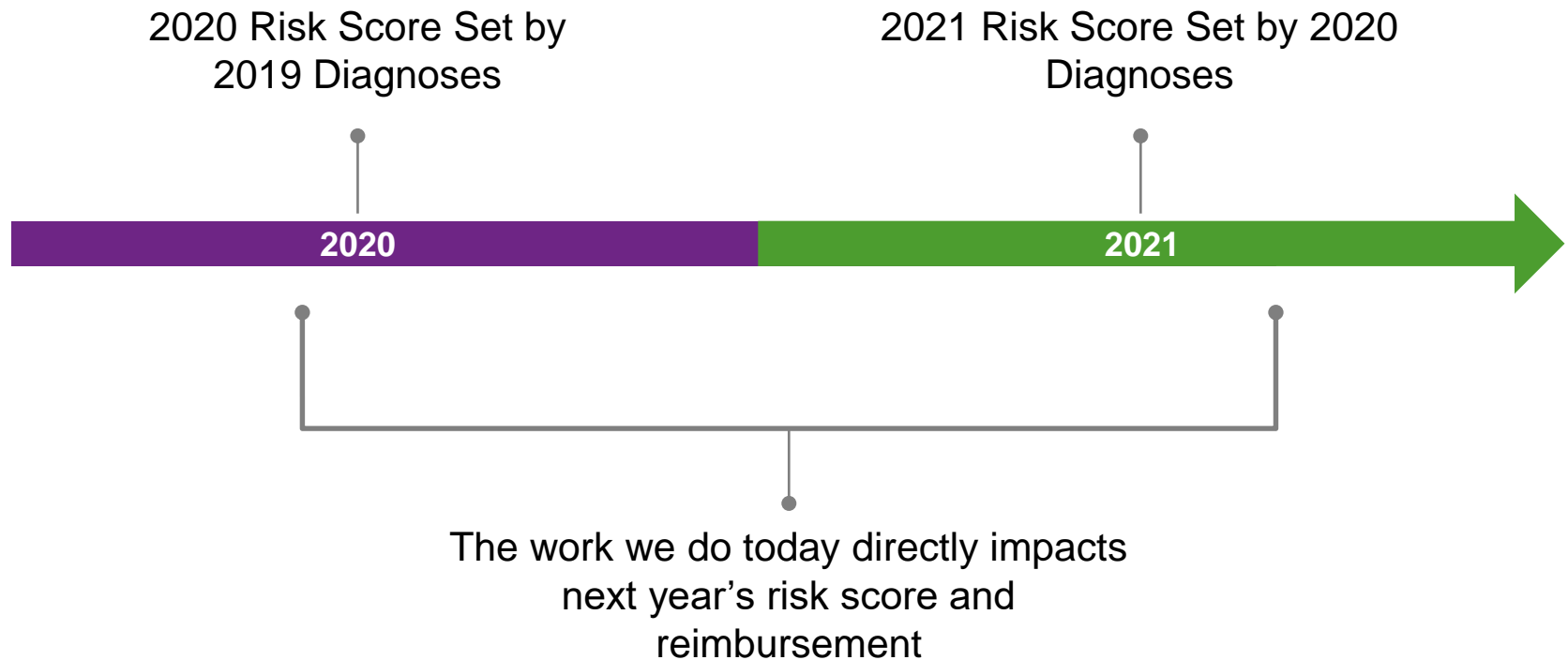
**MEAT-** add supporting documentation for each chronic condition assessed



**Excellent  
Documentation**



# The documentation done in 2020 directly impacts 2021



**HCCs must be reconfirmed on an annual basis**

# Linkage

Medical complications can result from a long-standing, under-controlled primary condition. In these cases, the complication is *assumed* to have resulted from the primary condition. The patient's encounter diagnosis should reflect the connection between the primary and secondary conditions

The most common assumed relationship are:

- Diabetes with complications
- Hypertension with heart failure or kidney failure

# Remember this acronym

**Monitor**

**Evaluate**

**Assess/Address**

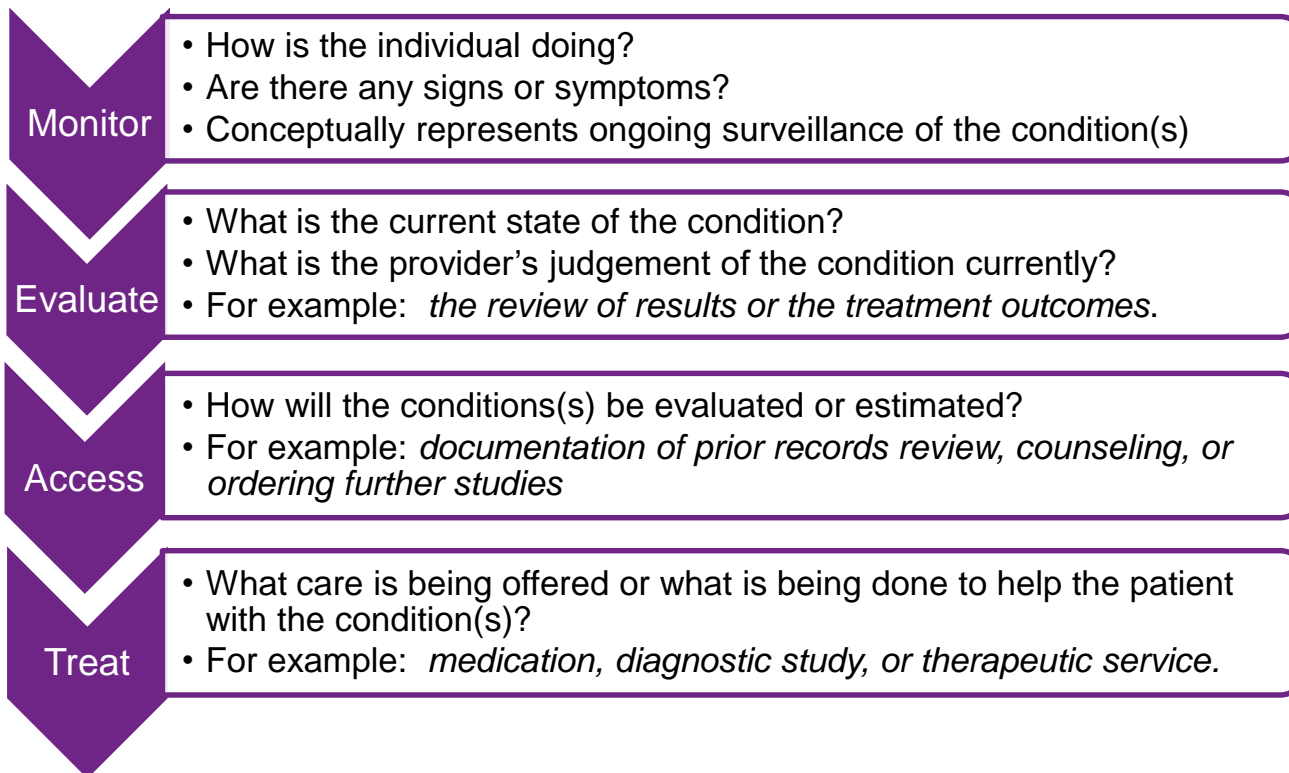
**Treat**

**MEAT** is an easy acronym for remembering what suffices as supporting documentation.

Only **one** of the elements needs to be present for a coded condition.

# Essential Concepts

## What is MEAT?



# What are acceptable locations for MEAT documentation?

YES		NO	
✓	History of present illness	X	Past medical history
✓	Review of symptoms	X	Surgical history
✓	Physical exam	X	Problem list
✓	Assessment	X	Medication list
✓	Plan		
✓	Treatment		

# Assessment and Plan with Opportunities

- Type 2 Diabetes **with retinopathy**- refill meds and continue follow up with Ophthalmologist, Dr. Smith. Diabetic **retinopathy** education is provided.
- Hypertension- controlled, continue meds
- **Recurrent** depression, **mild**- Stable on citalopram, symptoms are improving
- Morbid obesity- Diet and exercise information given and discussed

# Assessment and Plan with Opportunities

- Congestive heart failure, **diastolic, chronic**- this is **not due to hypertension**. Patient is tracking salt intake and has quit smoking.
- **Hypertensive chronic kidney disease**-patient is compliant with ACE inhibitor and has been referred to nephrology with new diagnosis of stage 5 CKD.
- History of breast cancer-patient had a double mastectomy and is currently **completed** all treatment. Originally diagnosed in **1995**.

# It all boils down to this!

No Conditions Coded		Only Some Conditions Coded and with Poor Specificity		All Conditions Coded Accurately	
Clinical Factor	Weight	Clinical Factor	Weight	Clinical Factor	Weight
76 year old female	0.468	76 year old female	0.468	76 year old female	0.468
Medicaid Eligible	0.177	Medicaid Eligible	0.177	Medicaid Eligible	0.177
DM not coded	0	DM, type 2	0.121	DM <u>with</u> CKD	0.667
CKD not coded	0	CKD, stage 4	0.23	CKD, stage 4	0.23
Use of insulin not coded	0	Use of insulin not coded	0	Long term use of insulin	0.121
COPD not coded	0	COPD not coded	0	COPD	0.355
Interaction of COPD + DM	0	Interaction of COPD + DM	0	Interaction of COPD + DM	0.204
Total Risk Adjustment Factor	0.645	Total Risk Adjustment Factor	0.996	Total Risk Adjustment Factor	2.222
PMPM Spending Budget	\$484	PMPM Spending Budget	\$747	PMPM Spending Budget	\$1,667
Annual Expected Cost of Care	~\$6K	Annual Expected Cost of Care	~\$9K	Annual Expected Cost of Care	~\$20K

This is what the payer believes it should cost annually to care for a patient with a score of 2.2 compared to a patient with a score of 0.64. Same patient, \$14,000 difference based on accurate and complete coding



# The Essential Eight



**Diabetes**



**Chronic Kidney Disease**



**Depression**



**Neoplasms**



**BMI and Nutritional Status**



**Obstructive Pulmonary Disease**



**Congestive Heart Failure Chronic**



**Vascular Disease**

# BMI & Nutritional Status



## **BMI Status**

- You can diagnose Obesity based upon BMI
- You can diagnose Cachexia based upon BMI



## **Nutritional Status**

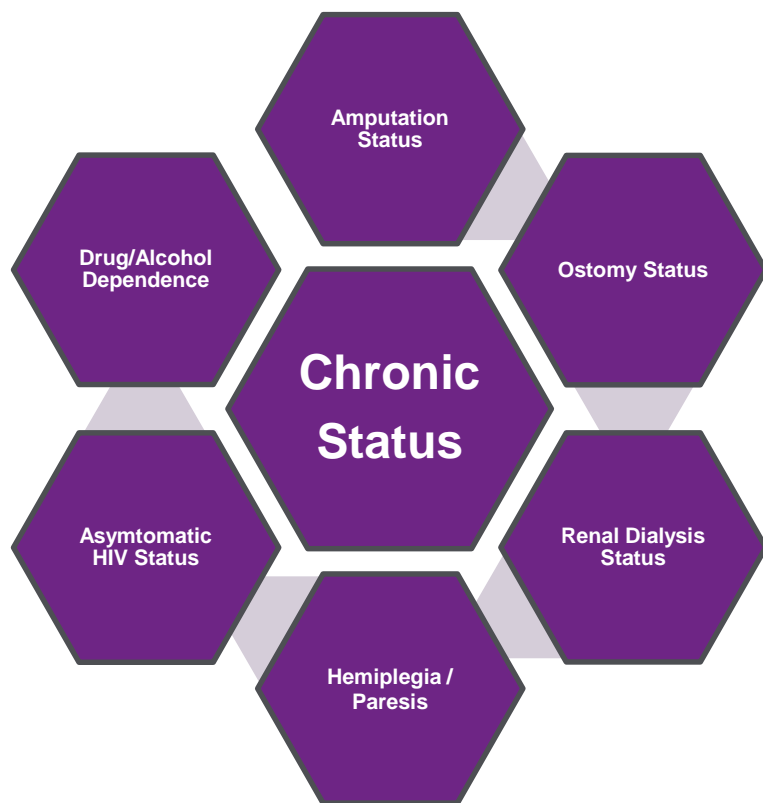
- You can diagnose morbid obesity related to excessive calorie intake
- You can diagnose protein-calorie malnutrition

Code	Description	HCC
E66.01	Morbid (severe) obesity due to excess calories	22
Z68.41-Z69.45	BMI > 40	22
R64	Cachexia	21
E43-E46	Protein-calorie malnutrition	21

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\*not all-inclusive list

# Chronic Statuses Illustrate Full Picture



**If these conditions are still present they need to be coded at least once *EVERY* year.**

## Use of Comprehensive Care Visit (CCV) forms



- CCVs assist in achieving an accurate risk score by listing opportunities to :
  - Revalidate chronic active conditions for the current year
  - Reject resolved conditions or incorrect diagnoses
  - Document conditions with status codes for the current year
  - Use more specific language for certain diagnoses and/or link to other conditions by, e.g., “due to”
  - Add new chronic active conditions diagnosed in other settings

# Keys to Success

- Address Chronic Conditions once a year
- Better to see patients sooner in the year
- Give a full picture of patient



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# Adjournment