

**Combined Meeting of the Blueprint Executive Committee and the  
Blueprint Expansion, Design, and Evaluation Committee  
Notes of  
September 18, 2013**

**Present:** S. Barbosa, P. Cobb, M. Dugan, R. Edelman, N. Eldridge, P. Farnham, K. Fulton, K. Gilbert, E. Girling, S. Hartsfield, J. Hester, C. Jones, P. Jones, M. Lavalley, B. Little, N. Lovejoy, C. Maclean, S. Maier, M. McAdoo, L. McLaren, K. Mooney, K. Novak, M. Olszewski, J. Peterson, D. Prail, J. Prater, A. Ramsey, J. Samuelson, C. Schutz, K. Suter, B. Tanzman, M. Tarmy, D. Weening

I. Update from Dr. Craig Jones

Dr. Craig Jones presented the following PowerPoint Slides: (Attachment A)

- Patient Centered medical Homes and Community Health Team Staffing in Vermont
- Map of the Primary Care Practices Recognized or Engaged in the Blueprint (9/2013)
- Map and breakdown of Number of Patients & Percent of Total Population Served by Patient Centered Medical Homes (8/2013)
- Map of SASH Expansion thru October 2013

There is a substantial growing mass/network within each Hospital Service Area. We are now consistently hearing about the value of the CHT's.

Executive Committee Members received the "Performance of the SASH Program in the First Year of the MAPCP Demonstration" document which we received from CMS. Please be reminded that this document is not to be shared with others.

In the near future, this Committee will be working intensively on the following key items:

- Next phase of payment reforms
- Allocating costs for Community Health Teams

II. A National View: Update on the PCMH from an employer perspective – Paul Grundy, MD, MPH, IBM's Global Director of Healthcare Transformation. President, Patient Centered Primary Care Collaborative

It is an honor to have Dr. Grundy join our Committee meeting to give us an update on the PCMH from an employer's perspective.

Dr. Jones announced that the book, “*Familiar Physician*” is a story, not written by, but about IBM’s Dr. Paul Grundy and those dedicated people who helped build the *Medical Home* and implement it on a national level. We think you will find the book of great interest as we move toward the future.

Dr. Grundy’s Bio and slide deck are attached (Attachment B) to these notes.

Below are a few highlights of the discussion:

- Dr. Grundy met with President Obama and his staff during the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of his administration. The basic concept: Interrelationship of Trust. Outcomes of implementing patient centered medical home interventions were shared.
- Dr. Grundy shared the results of the Pennsylvania and Michigan pilots with us.
- Employers are looking for healthcare organizations (hospitals) that emphasize prevention not procedures and technology.
- The two main drivers of healthcare transformation include:
  - o Cost
  - o Data
- Payment reform requires more than one single method.
- Benefit Redesign – Adjust premiums based on patient engagement in preventative services. Different strategies for different healthcare spend segments. (i.e., those with acute, severe illness or injuries, those with chronic illness, those who are well or think they are well)
- Work force and communication changes – movement toward care given remotely.
- Australian government has adopted the Patient-Centered Medical Home as standard of care. Evidence in support of Patient-Centered Medical Homes is compelling:
  - o Improved access to care
  - o Improved clinical outcomes;
  - o Better management of chronic and complex disease;
  - o Decreased use of inappropriate medications;
  - o Decreased hospital admissions and readmissions; and
  - o Improved palliative care services.
- In the 03/19/2013 Health Affairs Magazine, a survey of 5 European countries suggests Patient-Centered Medical Homes would improve Family Medicine Primary Care.  
<http://content.healthaffairs.org/content/early/2013/03/19/hlthaff.2012.0184.full.html>

With no time remaining, the meeting adjourned at 10:10 a.m.

# **Vermont Blueprint for Health**

## ***Community Networks for Health Services***

**Combined Meeting of the Blueprint  
Executive Committee and the Expansion,  
Design, & Evaluation Committee**

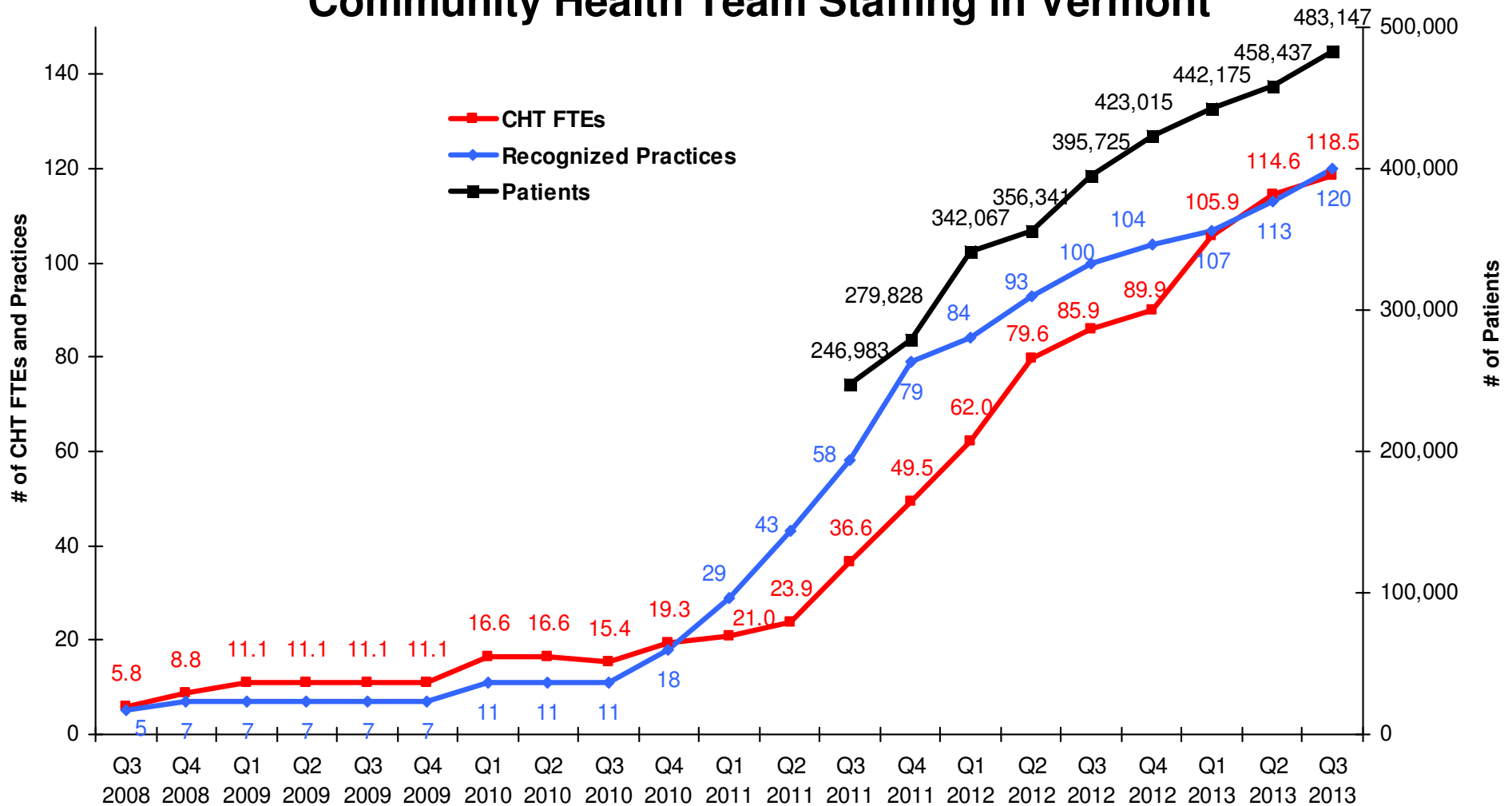
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## **Agenda**

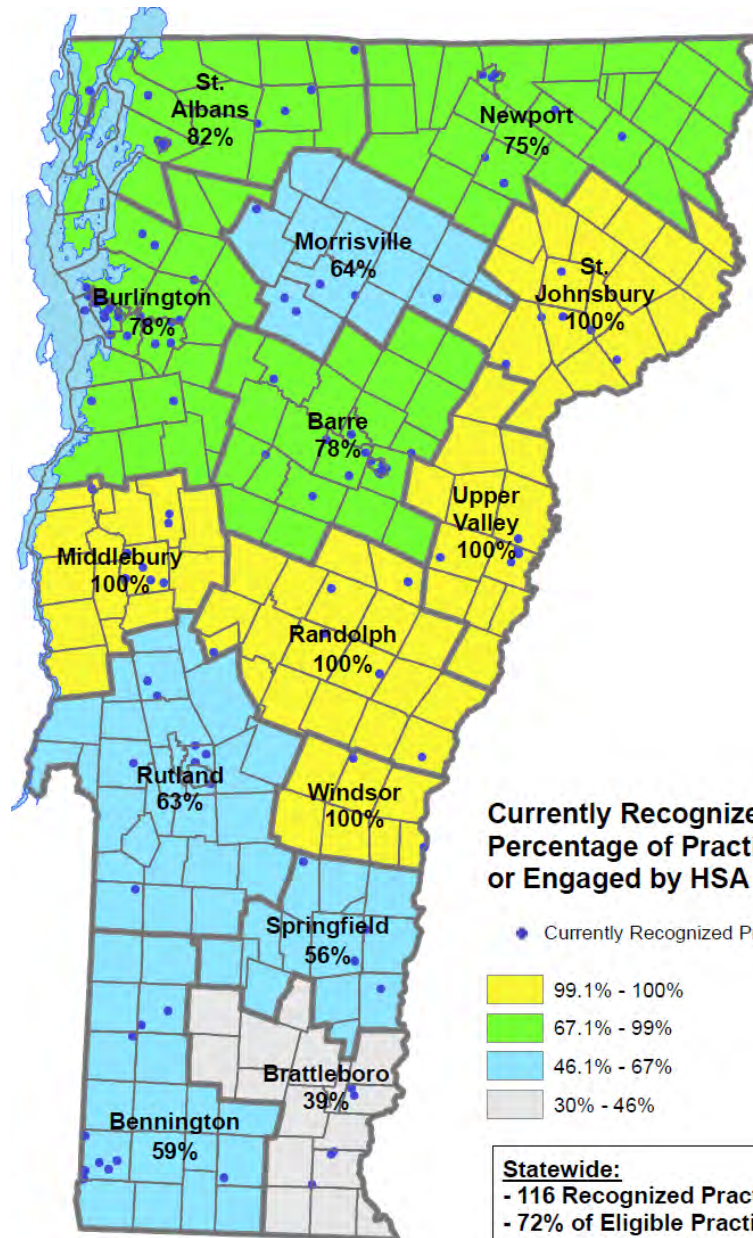
- 1. A National View: Update on the PCMH from an employer perspective - Dr. Paul Grundy, IBM's Global Director of Healthcare Transformation. President, Patient Centered Primary Care Collaborative**
- 2. Discussion on community teams & emerging networks: Burlington area example**
- 3. Discussion on the new Integrated Health Record**

## Patient Centered Medical Homes and Community Health Team Staffing in Vermont



\*Since joining the Blueprint, three practices have combined to form a new practice, one practice has joined an existing practice, and one practice has closed.

## Primary Care Practices Recognized or Engaged in the Blueprint, September 2013



**Currently Recognized Practices and  
Percentage of Practices Recognized  
or Engaged by HSA**

• Currently Recognized Practice

99.1% - 100%

67.1% - 99%

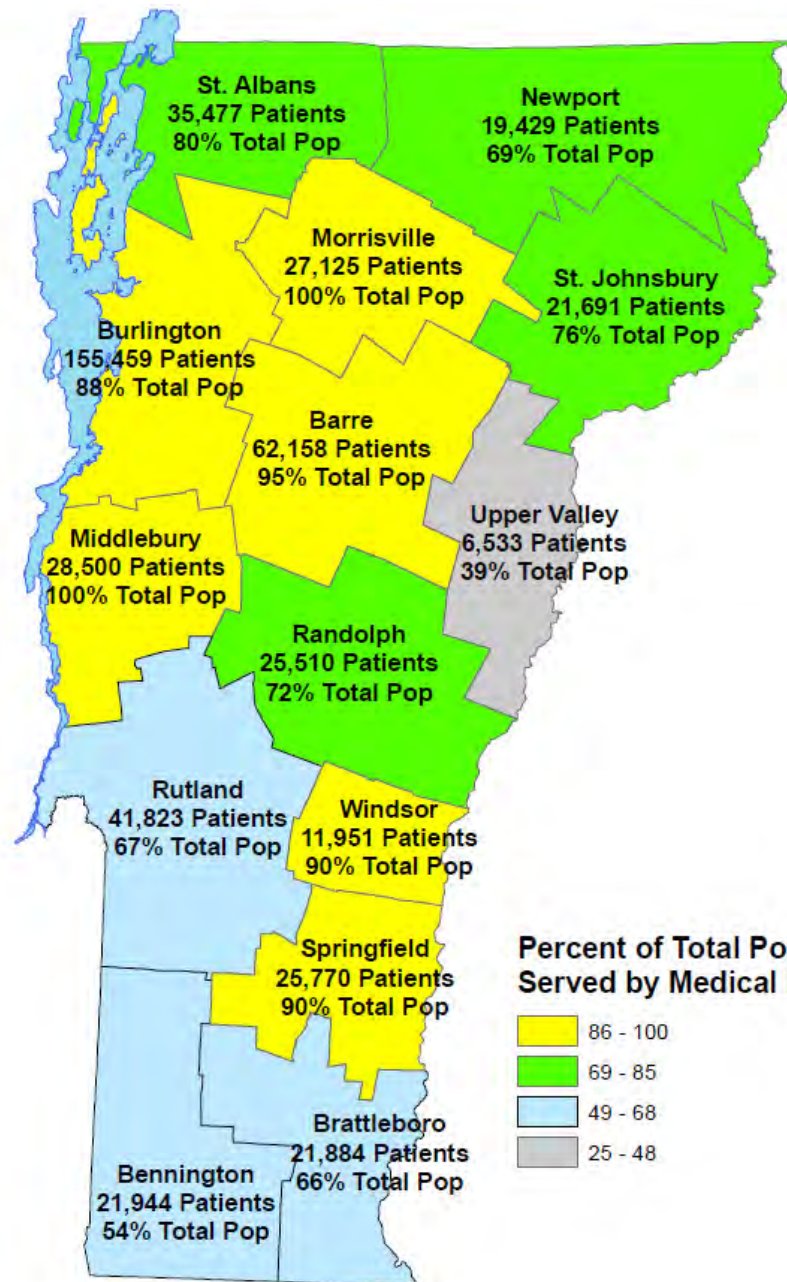
46.1% - 67%

30% - 46%

**Statewide:**

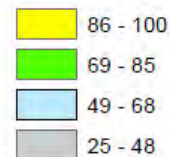
- 116 Recognized Practices
- 72% of Eligible Practices  
Recognized or Engaged



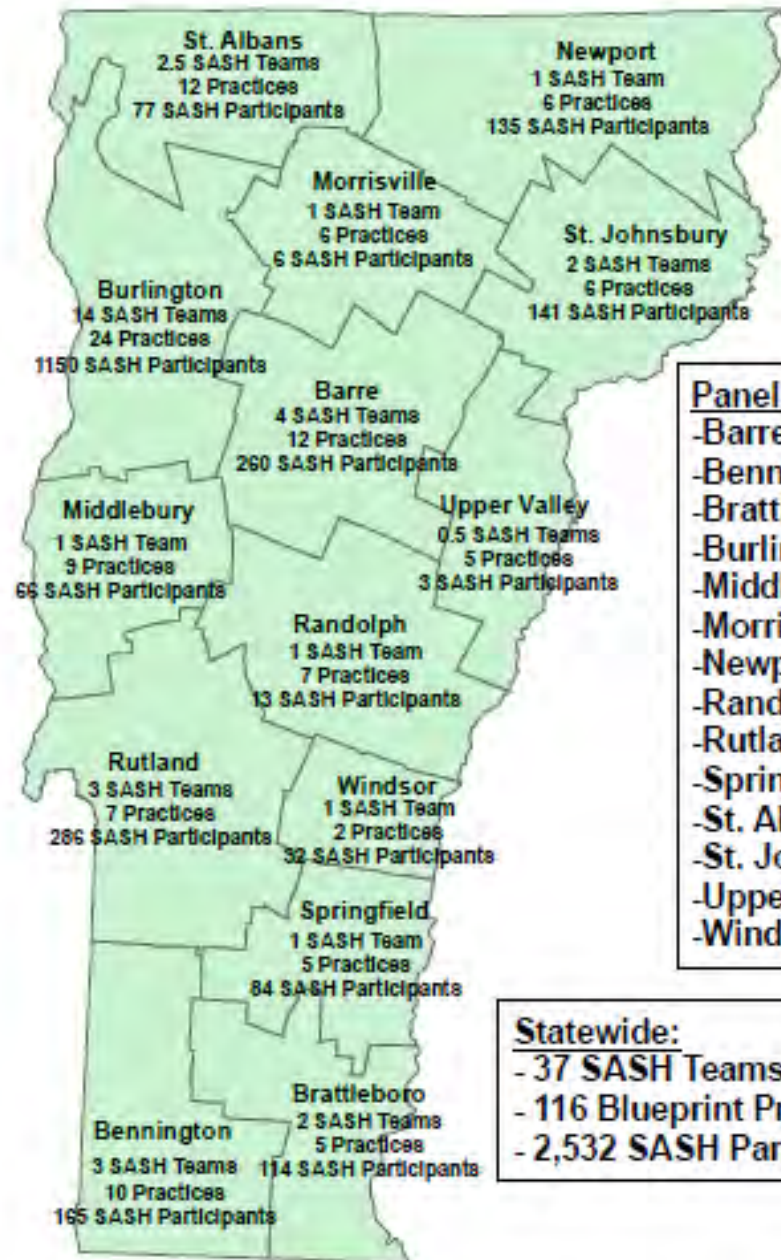


## Number of Patients & Percent of Total Population Served by Patient Centered Medical Homes, July 2013

### Percent of Total Population Served by Medical Homes



# SASH Expansion Thru October 2013



## Panel Capacity:

- Barre: 400
- Bennington: 300
- Brattleboro: 200
- Burlington: 1400
- Middlebury: 100
- Morrisville: 100
- Newport: 100
- Randolph: 100
- Rutland: 300
- Springfield: 100
- St. Albans: 250
- St. Johnsbury: 200
- Upper Valley: 50
- Windsor: 100

## Statewide:

- 37 SASH Teams
- 116 Blueprint Practices
- 2,532 SASH Participants



## Key items for upcoming meetings

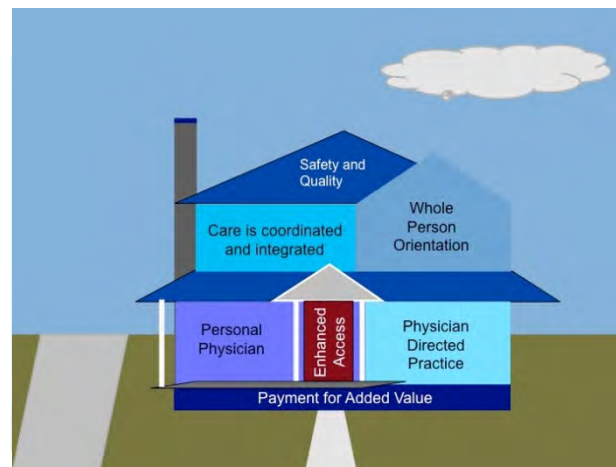
1. Next phase of payment reforms
2. Allocating costs for Community Health Teams

# Patient Centered Medical Home


Paul Grundy MD, MPH

IBM's Director Healthcare Transformation

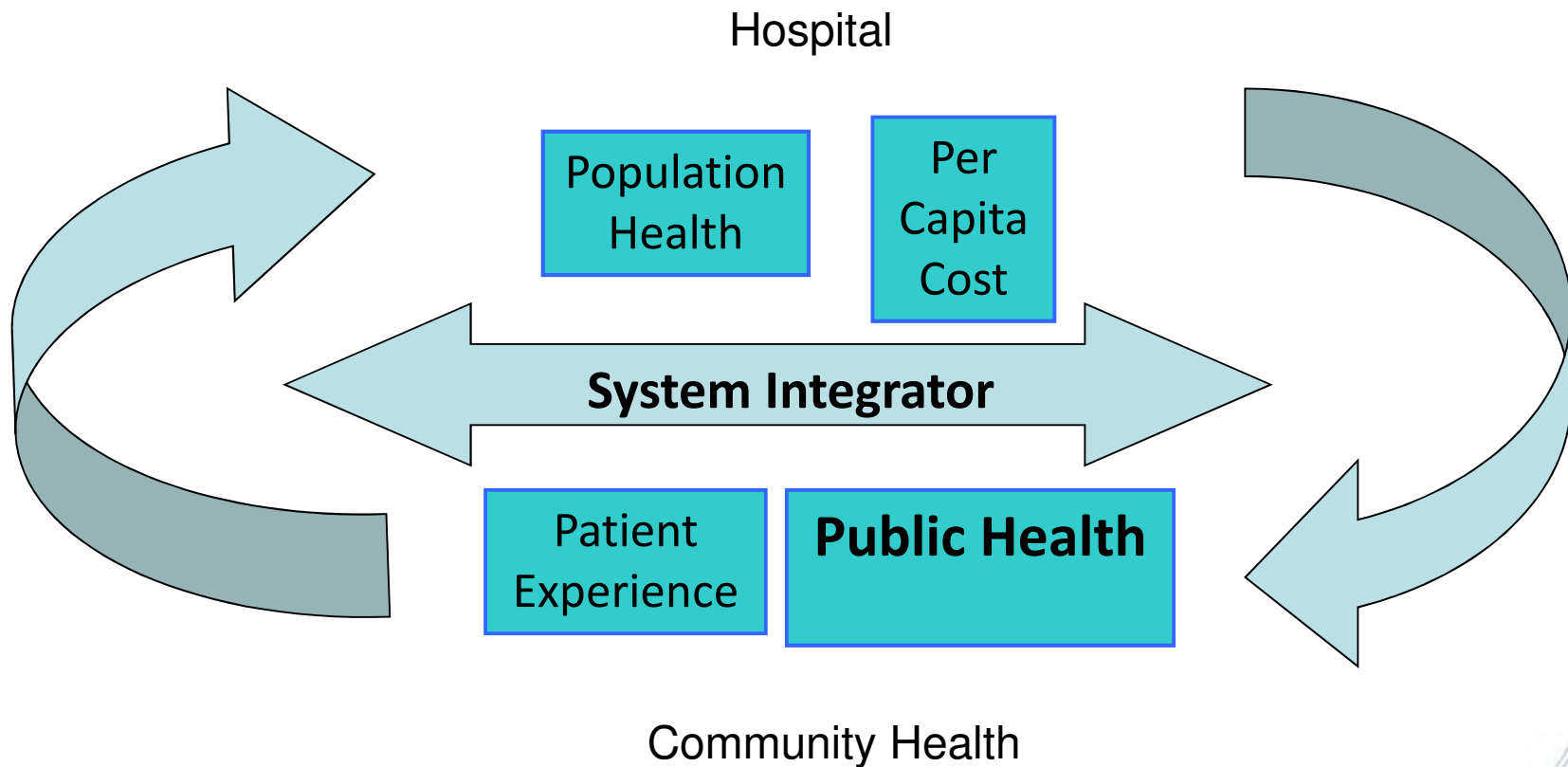
President Patient Centered Primary Care Collaborative



# Paul Grundy MD MPH Bio

- “Godfather” of the Patient Centered Medical Home
  - IBM Global Director Healthcare Transformation
  - President of PCPCC
  - Member Institute of Medicine
  - Member Board ACGME
  - Professor Univ. of Utah Department Family Medicine
  - Winner NCQA national Quality Award
  - A Leader of MOH level taskforce primary care transformation 8 nations: USA, Canada, New Zealand, Australia, Holland, Denmark, UK, Belgium,
  - Univ. of California MD, John Hopkins Trained
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# Away from Episode of Care to Management of Population

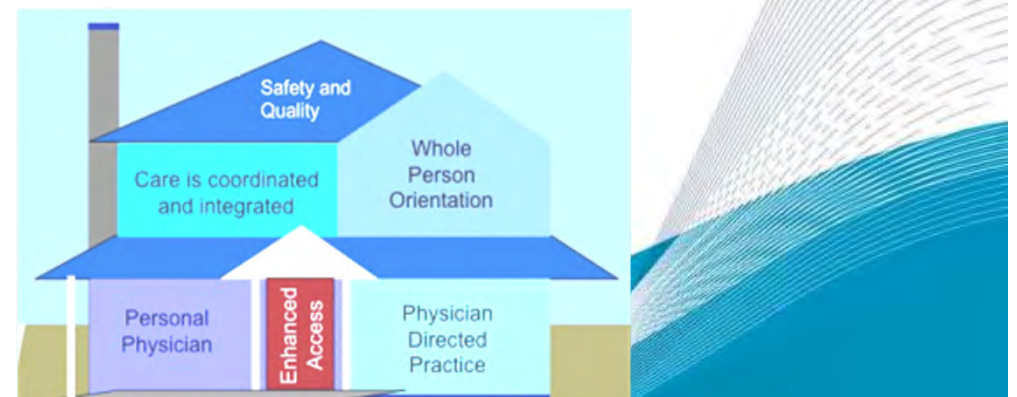


## The System Integrator

Creates a partnership across the medical neighborhood

Drives PCMH primary care redesign

Offers a utility for population health and financial management



## TODAY'S CARE

My patients are those who make appointments to see me

Care is determined by today's problem and time available today

Care varies by scheduled time and memory or skill of the doctor

I know I deliver high quality care because I'm well trained

Patients are responsible for coordinating their own care

It's up to the patient to tell us what happened to them

Clinic operations center on meeting the doctor's needs



## PCMH CARE

Our patients are the population community

Care is determined by a proactive plan to meet patient needs with or without visits

Care is standardized according to evidence-based guidelines

We measure our quality and make rapid changes to improve it

A prepared team of professionals coordinates all patients' care

We track tests & consultations, and follow-up after ED & hospital

A multidisciplinary team works at the top of our licenses to serve patients



# Smarter Healthcare

36.3%	Drop in hospital days
32.2%	Drop in ER use
12.8%	Increase Chronic Medication use
<b>-15.6%</b>	<b>Total cost</b>
10.5%	Drop Inpatient specialty care costs
18.9%	Ancillary costs down
15.0%	Outpatient specialty down



**Outcomes of Implementing Patient Centered Medical  
Home Interventions:** A Review of the Evidence from  
Prospective Evaluation Studies in the US - PCPCC Oct 2012



# **PCMH Lower Costs**

## **Aug 5<sup>th</sup> 2013 Pennsylvania**

- 44% reduction in hospital costs
- 21% reduction in overall medical costs.
- 160 PCMH practices Pennsylvania from 2008 to 12
- Number of patients with poorly controlled diabetes declined by 45%.

Jeffrey Bendix [modernmedicine.com/](http://modernmedicine.com/)



## PCMH Michigan – Aug 11<sup>th</sup> 2013

- 19.1% lower rate of adult hospitalization.
  - 8.8% lower rate of adult ER visits.
  - 17.7% lower rate ER visits (children under age 17)
  - 7.3% lower rate of adult high-tech radiology usage
- VS other non-PCMH designated primary care physicians.

### 3,017 Physicians

- . Medical home physicians help patients avoid ERs and admissions by evening hour appointments, weekend and same-day appointments

# WellPoint PCMH Preliminary Year 2 Highlights In Sept Issue Health affairs 2012



Colorado

**18% *decrease* in acute IP admissions/1000, compared to 18% *increase* in control group**



NEW HAMPSHIRE

**15% *decrease* in total ER visits/1000, compared to 4% *increase* in control group**

**Specialty visits/1000 remained around flat compared to 10% *increase* in control group**



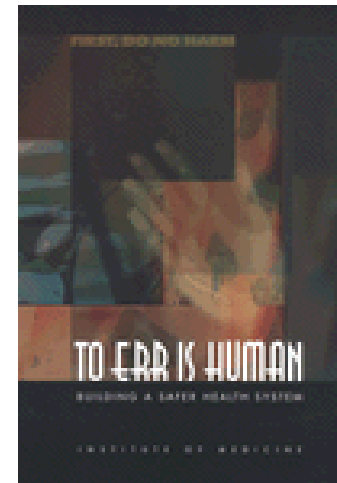
New York

**Overall Return on Investment estimates ranged between 2.5:1 and 4.5:1**



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OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMIES

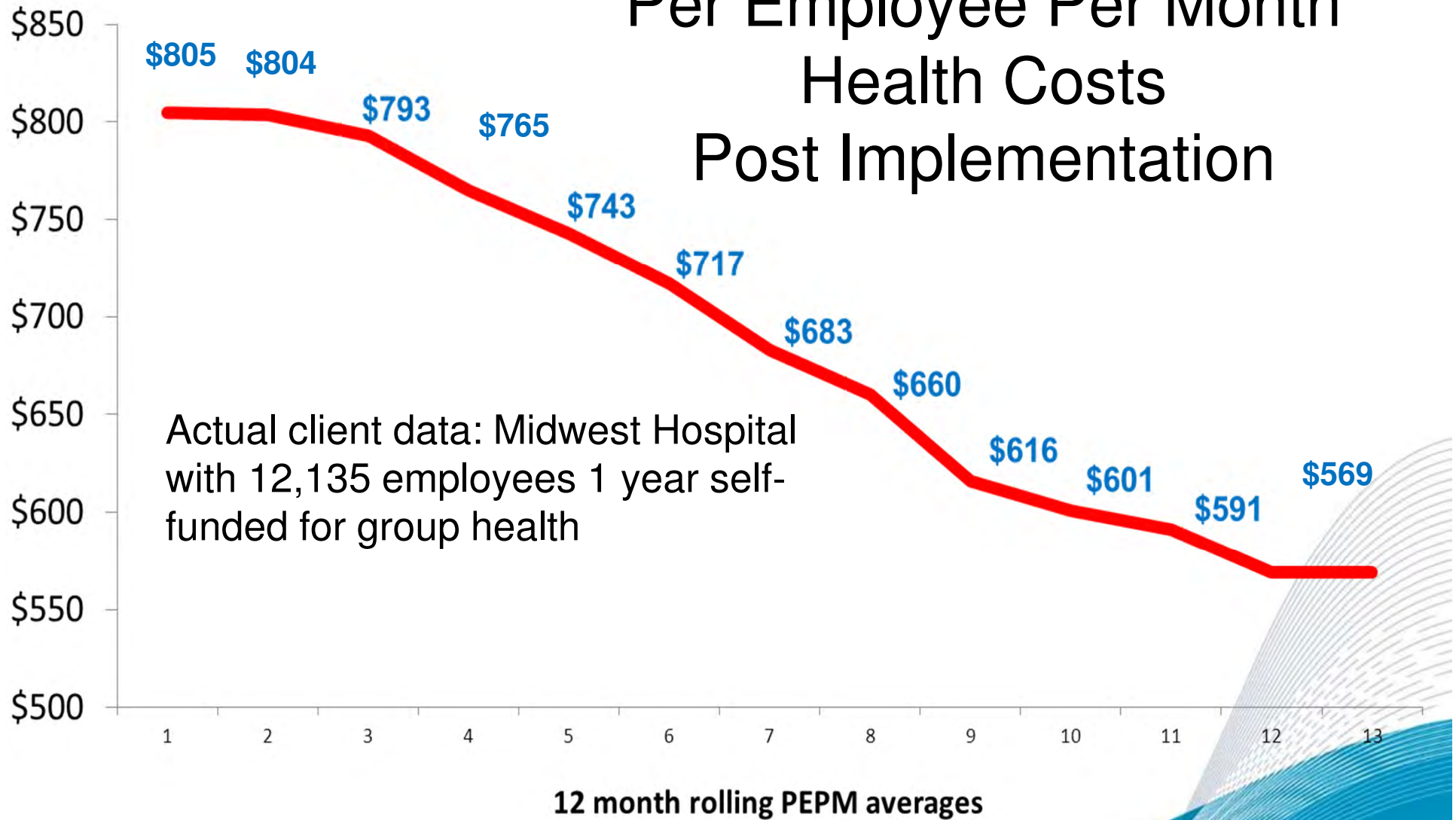
- 1/3 less cardiac intervention needed
- 60% less complication Diabetes





# Build your own corporate PCMH

## Per Employee Per Month Health Costs Post Implementation



# Trajectory to Value Based Purchasing:

Achieving Real Care Coordination and Outcome Measurement

**HIT Infrastructure:** EHRs and Connectivity

**Primary Care Capacity:** Patient Centered Medical Home

**Operational Care Coordination:** Embedded RN Coordinator and Health Plan Care Coordination \$

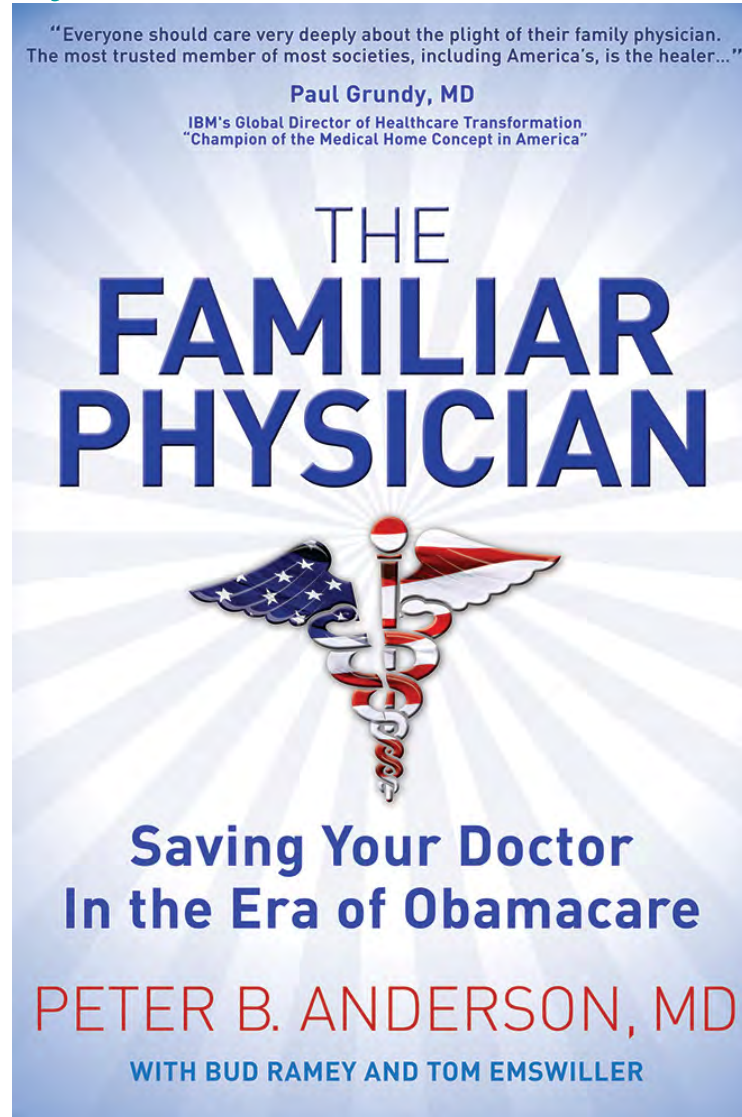
**Value/ Outcome Measurement:** Reporting of Quality, Utilization and Patient Satisfaction Measures

**Value-Based Purchasing:** Reimbursement Tied to Performance on Value (quality, appropriate utilization and patient satisfaction)

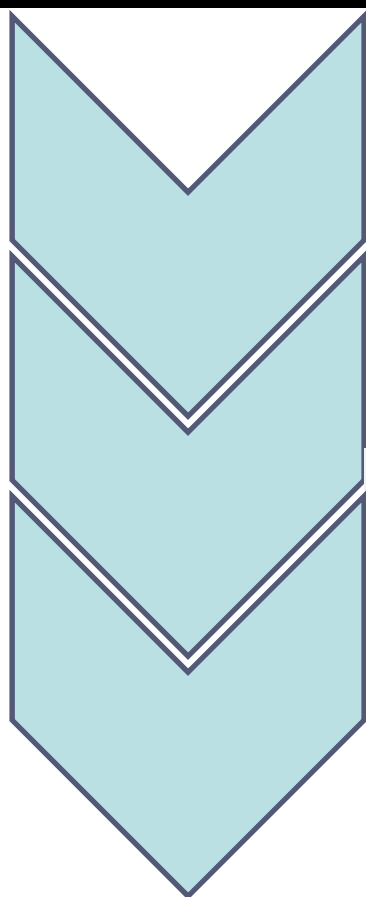
**Achieve Supportive Base for ACOs and Bundled Payments with Outcome Measurement and Health Plan Involvement**

Source: Hudson Valley Initiative

[http://www.amazon.com/Familiar-Physician-Saving-Doctor-Obamacare/dp/1614487375/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1375885302&sr=1-1&keywords=The+Familiar+Physician](http://www.amazon.com/Familiar-Physician-Saving-Doctor-Obamacare/dp/1614487375/ref=sr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1375885302&sr=1-1&keywords=The+Familiar+Physician)



# Defining the Care Centered on Patient

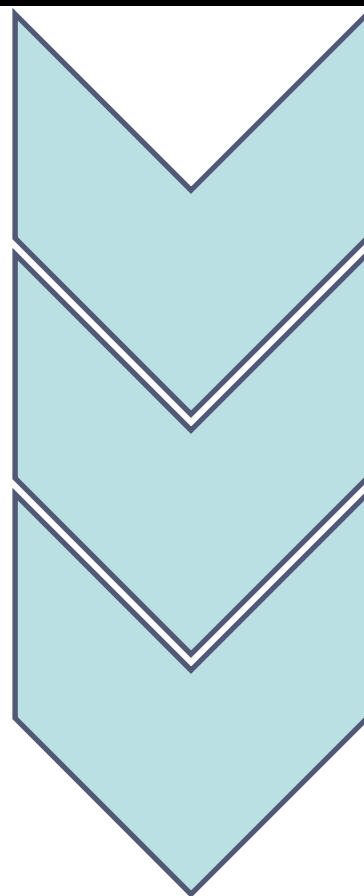


Superb Access  
to Care

Patient Engagement  
in Care

Clinical Information  
Systems, Registry

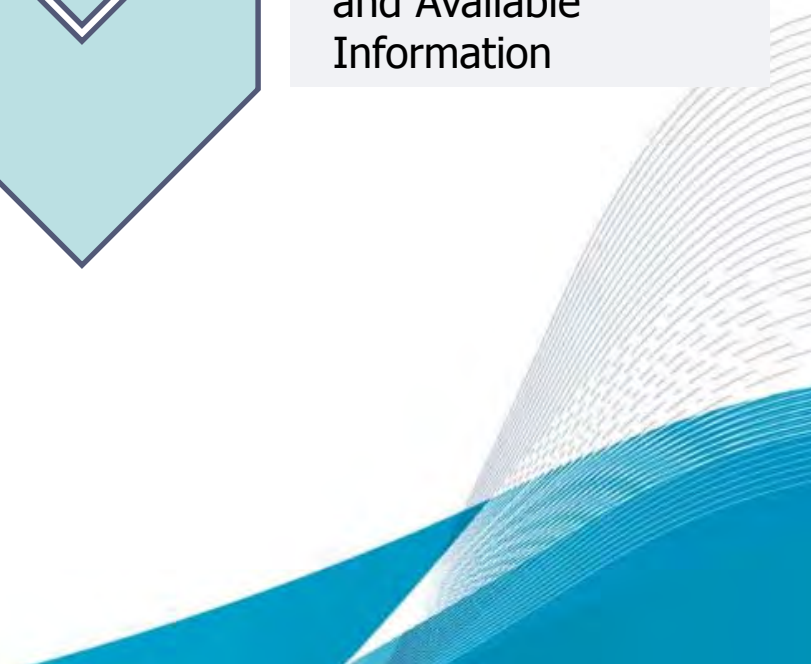
Care Coordination



Team Care

Communication  
Patient Feedback

Mobile easy to use  
and Available  
Information



A billboard is shown against a clear blue sky with a few wispy clouds. The billboard has a large white rectangular sign in the center. The sign contains the text "We do the best heart surgeries." in a bold, black, sans-serif font. The billboard structure, including its support pole and backings, is visible below the sign.

**“We do the best  
heart surgeries.”**

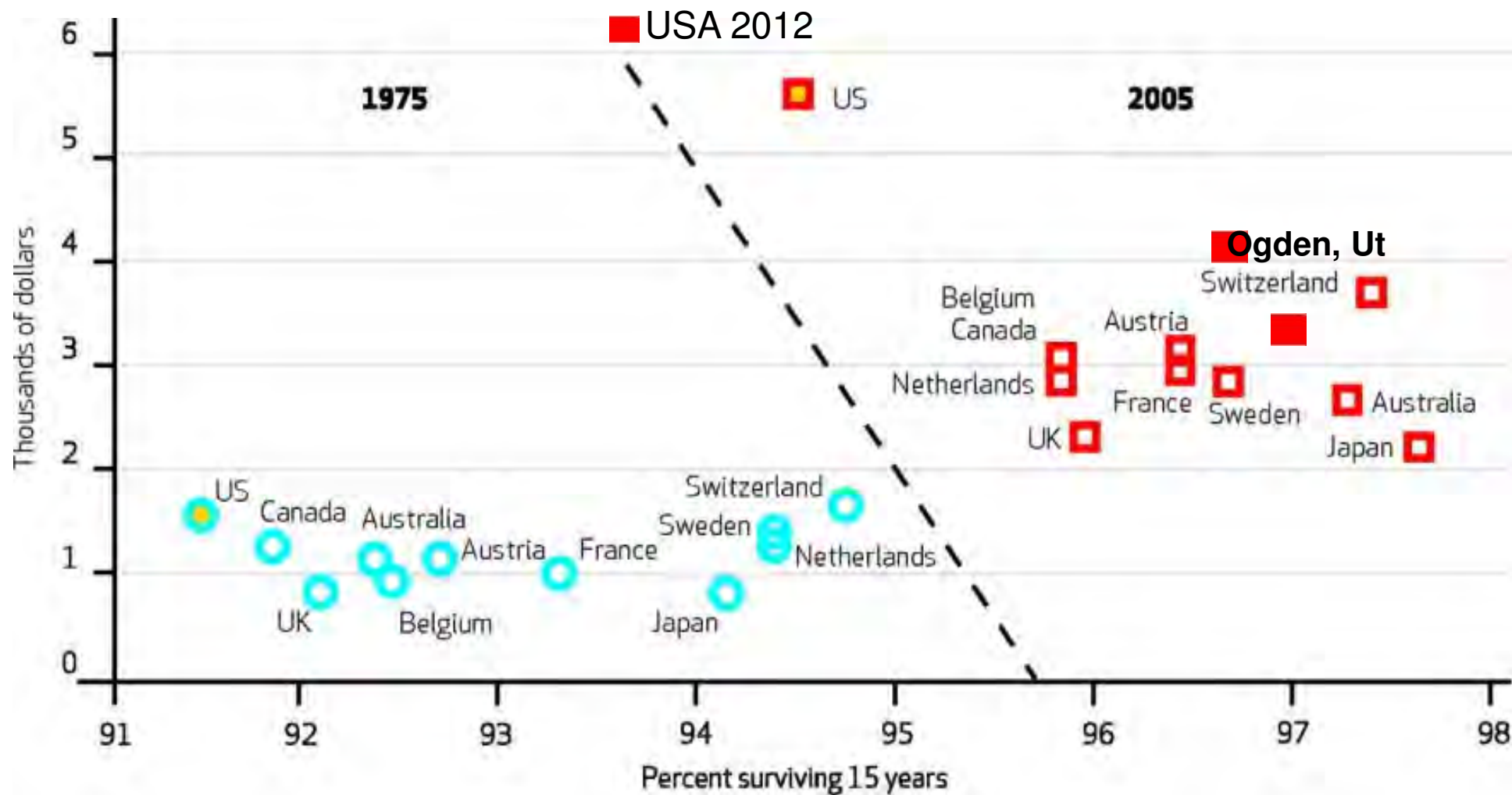


# OPM Carrier Letter Feb 5<sup>th</sup> 2013

## Patient Centered Medical Homes (PCMH) within the Federal Employees Health Benefits (FEHB) Program

- A growing body of evidence supports **investment in PCMH – SO we are!!**
- there must be a plan for all FEHB lives enrolled in the practice to be included in a reasonable timeframe.
- ACA 2334



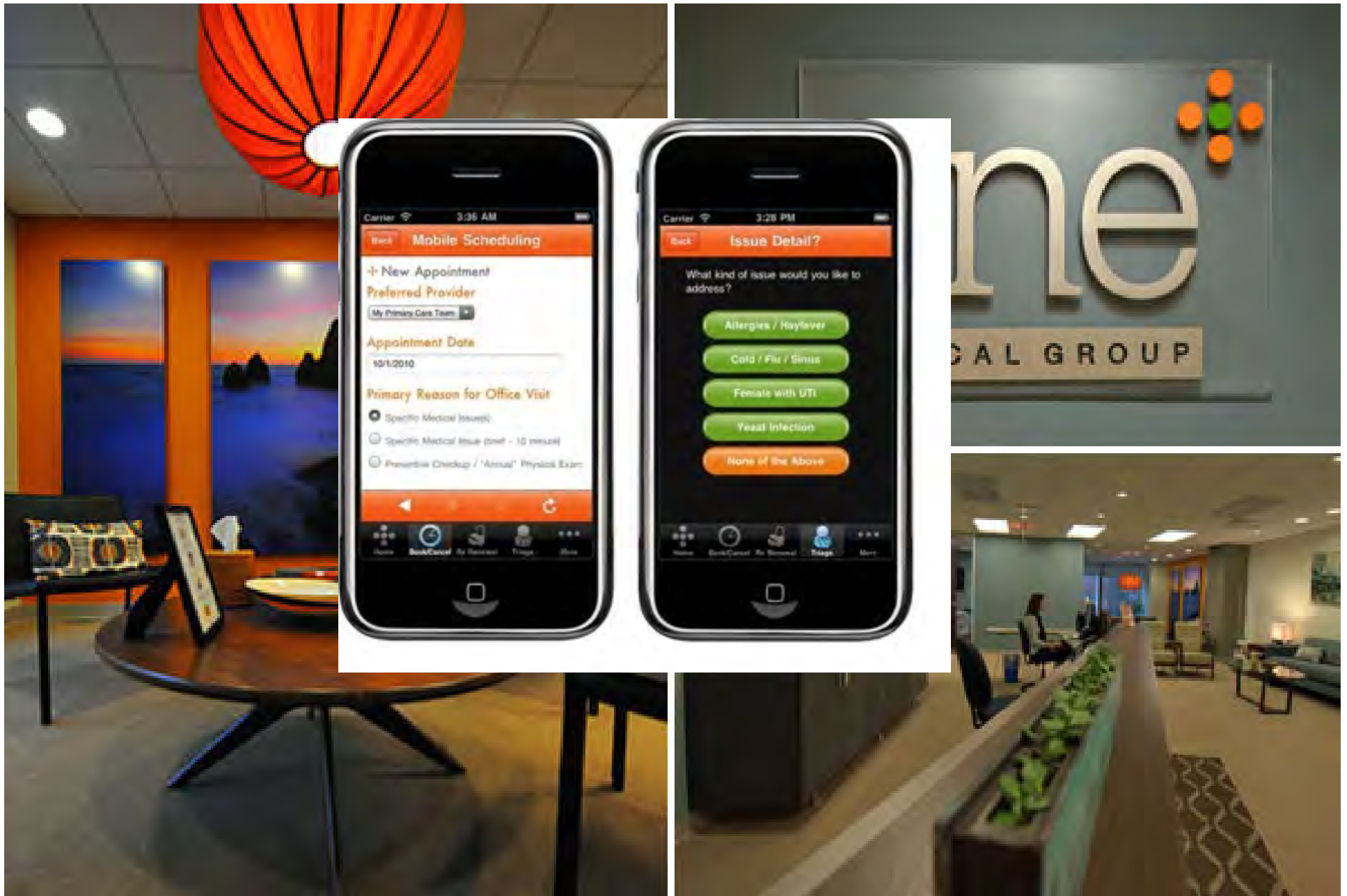








# MobileFirst Patient Consumer





# MobileFirst Remote Sensing

Mobile Sensing emotion for mental health status -- *analyzes facial expressions*

Mobile Sensing position for asthma -- *integrates GPS into inhalers*

Mobile Sensing motion for Alzheimer's -- *monitoring gait*

Mobile Sensing ingestion of medications. *activated by stomach fluid*



Mobile Sensing for sleep disorders -- *tracks breath, heart rate, motion*

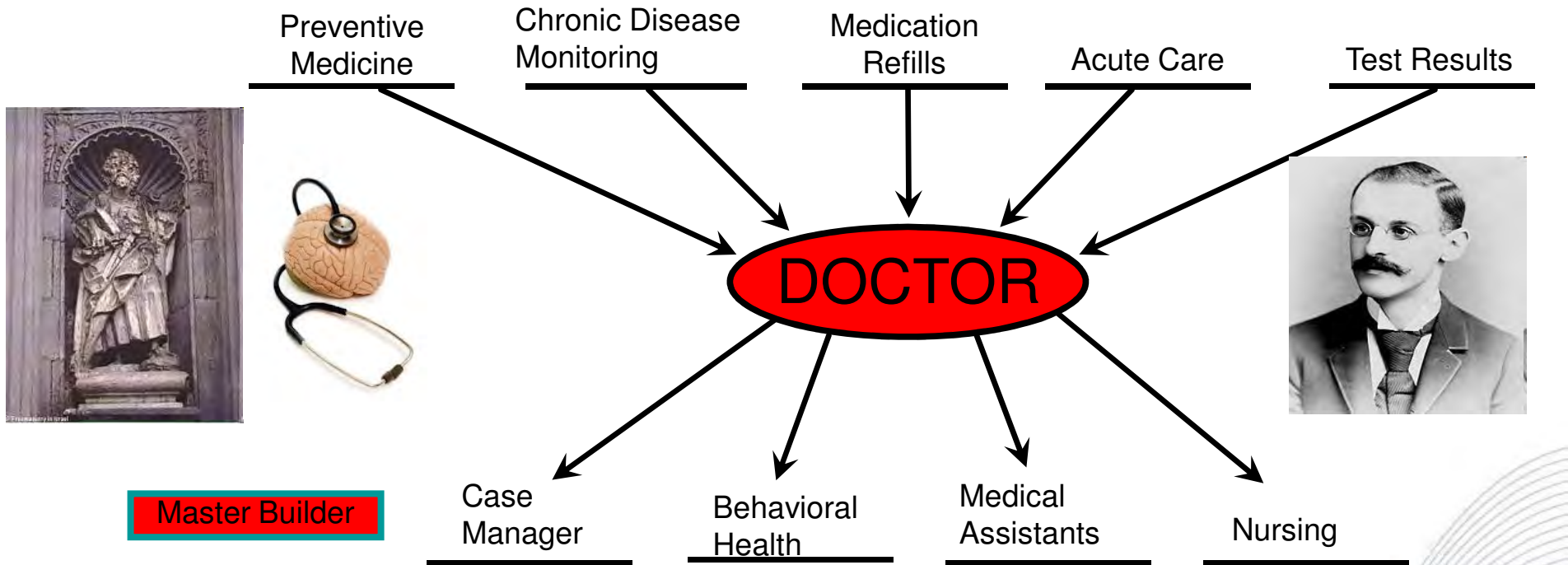
Mobile Sensing for diabetes. *continuous monitoring iPhone non invasive sensor.*

Mobile Sensing for readmission prevention -- *BP, weight, pulse, ekg*

Mobile Sensing for exercise wellness -- *benefit design feedback*

# Practice transformation away from episode of care

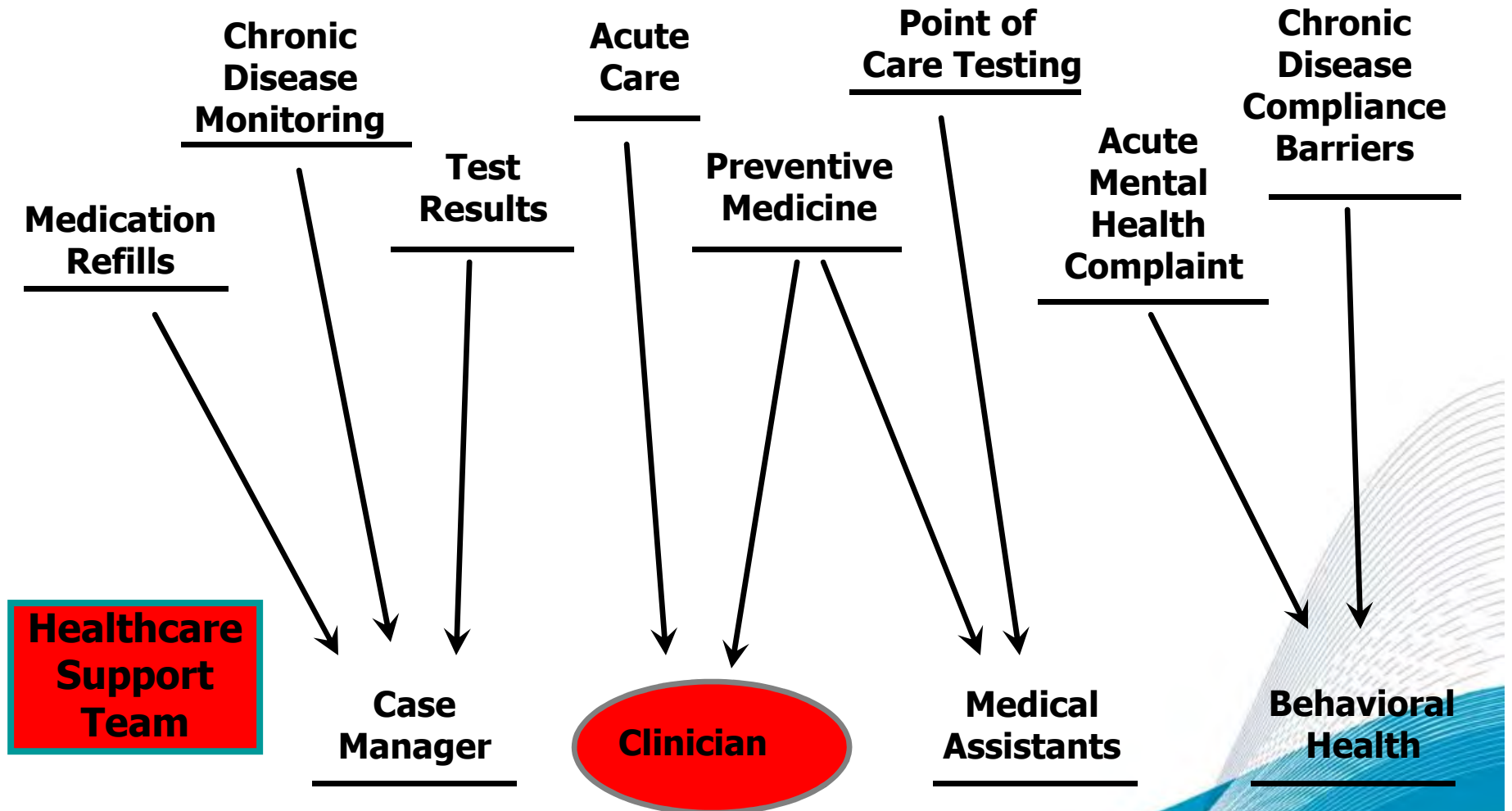
## Master Builder



Source: Southcentral Foundation, Anchorage AK

# PCMH Parallel Team Flow Design

## The glue is real data not a doctors Brain



Source: Southcentral Foundation, Anchorage AK

# Healthcare will Transform

- Data Driven
- Every patient has a plan
- Team based
- Managing a Population  
Down to the Person



# Payment reform requires more than one method, you have dials, adjust them!!!



“fee for health”

fee for value



“fee for outcome”



“fee for process”

“fee for belonging



“fee for service”

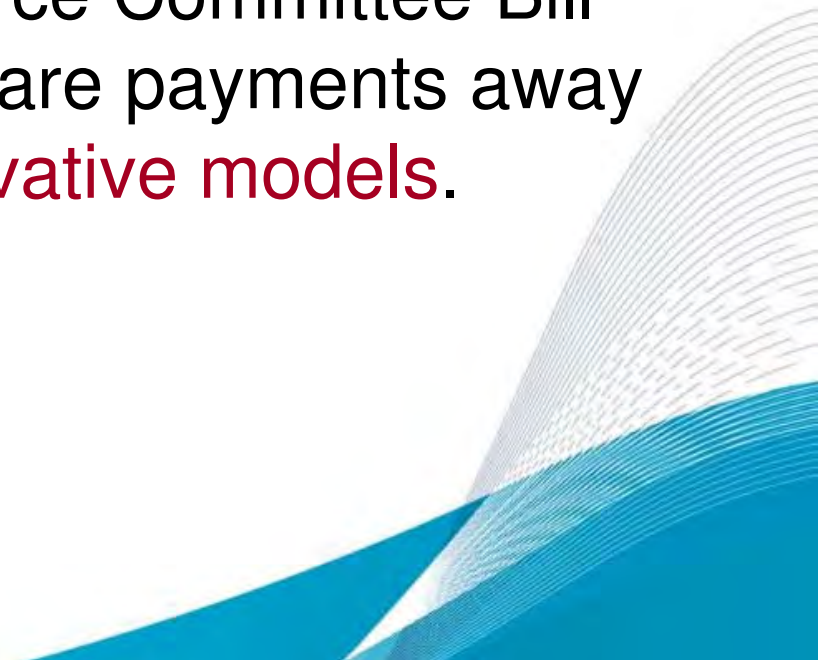
“fee for satisfaction”



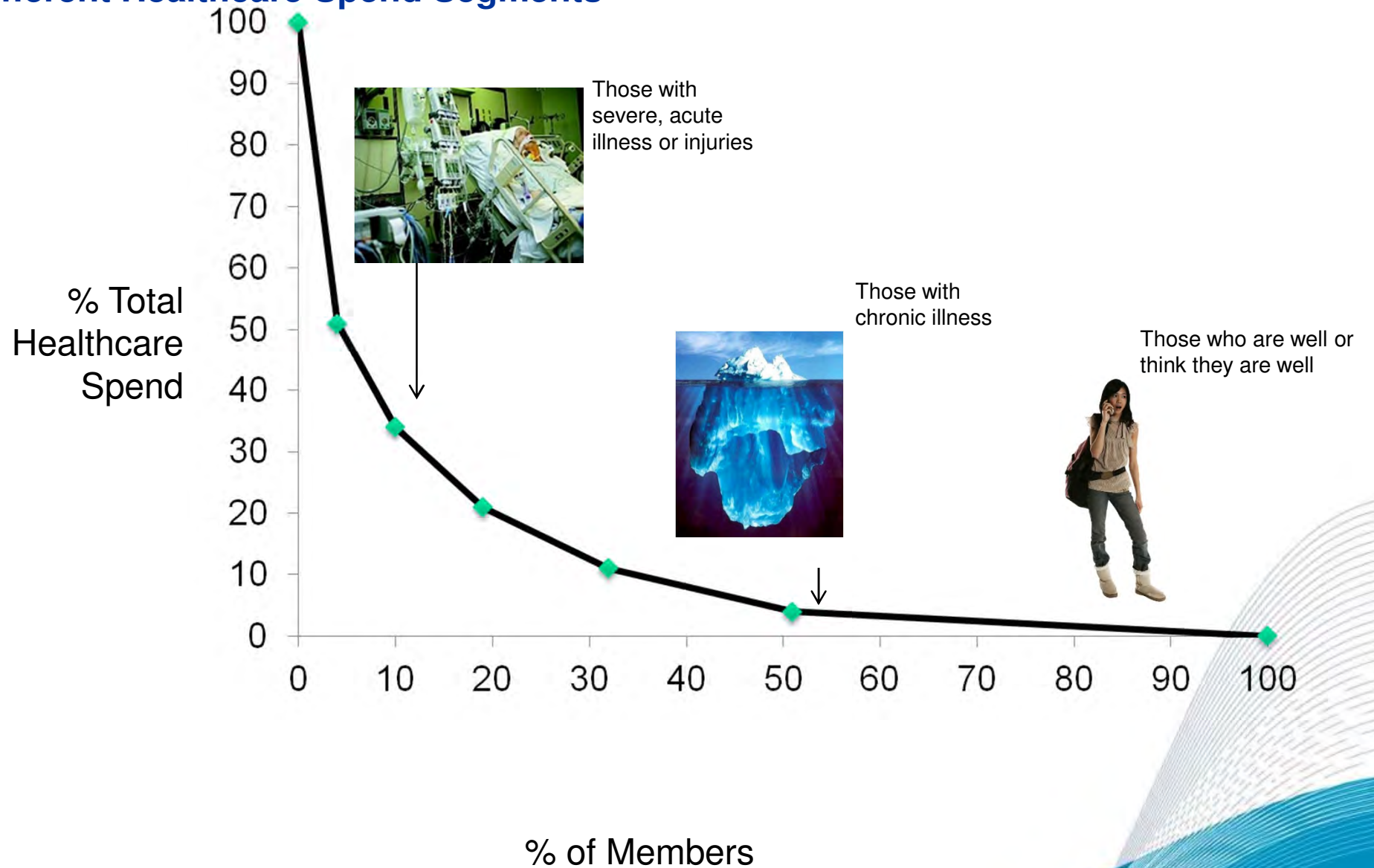


# New \$ Dials

- Complex Chronic Care Management payment codes. authorize payments to physicians for the work that goes into managing complex patients **outside** of their actual office visits.
- House Energy and Commerce Committee Bill **repeals SGR** moving Medicare payments away from FFS toward new, **innovative models**.
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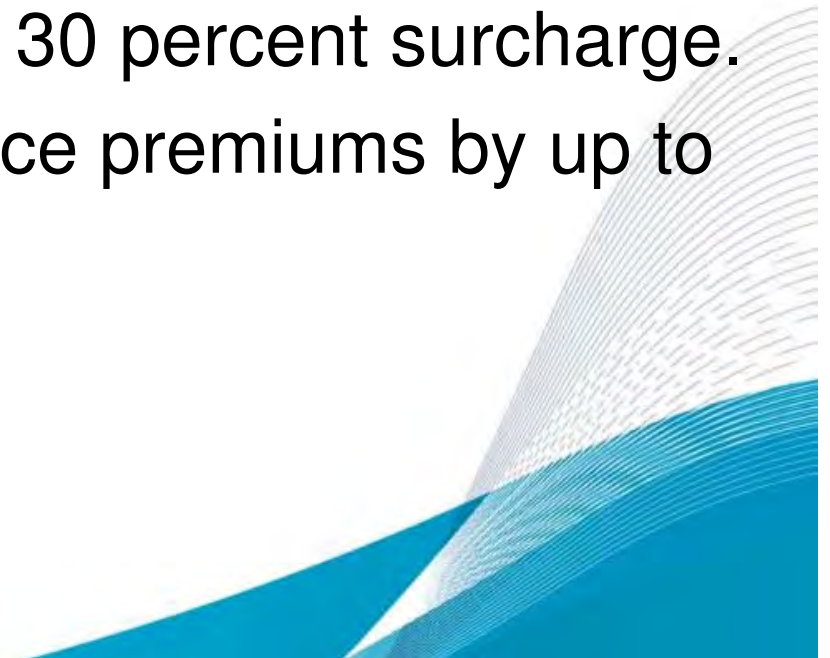


## Benefit Redesign - Patient Engagement Different Strategies for Different Healthcare Spend Segments



# Benefit Redesign

- Cost 2013 \$16,351 emp on ave paying \$4,565
- Federal government [Final Rules](#) wellness incentives.
- Smoker --employer may increase your insurance premiums by up to 50 percent.
- Overweight, you may look at a 30 percent surcharge.
- And employers may also reduce premiums by up to 30 percent for normal weight.



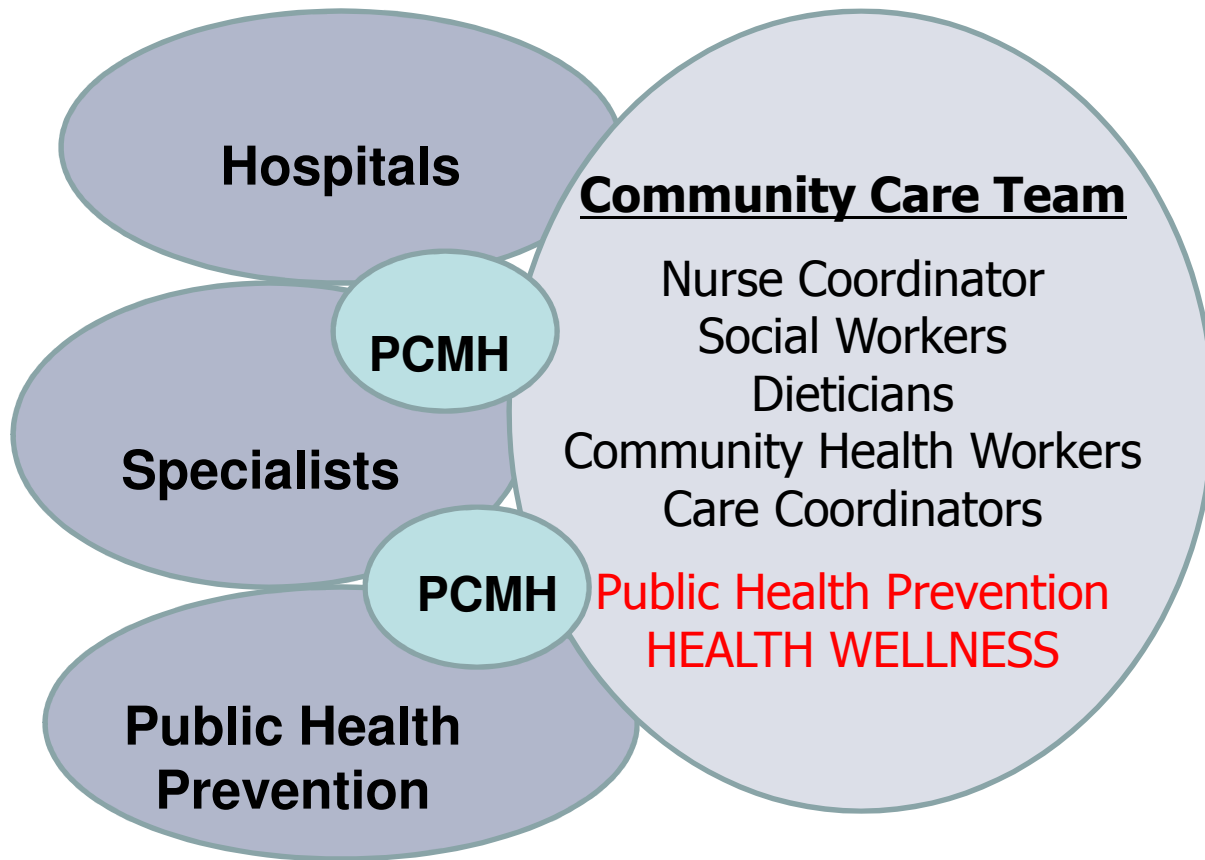
# benefit design reference pricing

- California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS), from 2008 to 2012.
- insurer sets limits on the amount to be paid for a procedure, with employees paying any remaining difference.
- Shift by Patients from high to low cost 55.7%
- Hospitals reduced their prices by an ave of 20%.
- Accounted for \$2.8 million in savings in 2011

<http://content.healthaffairs.org/content/32/8/1392.abstract>

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# PCMH 2.0 in Action



**A Coordinated  
Health System**

**Health IT  
Framework**

**Global Information  
Framework**

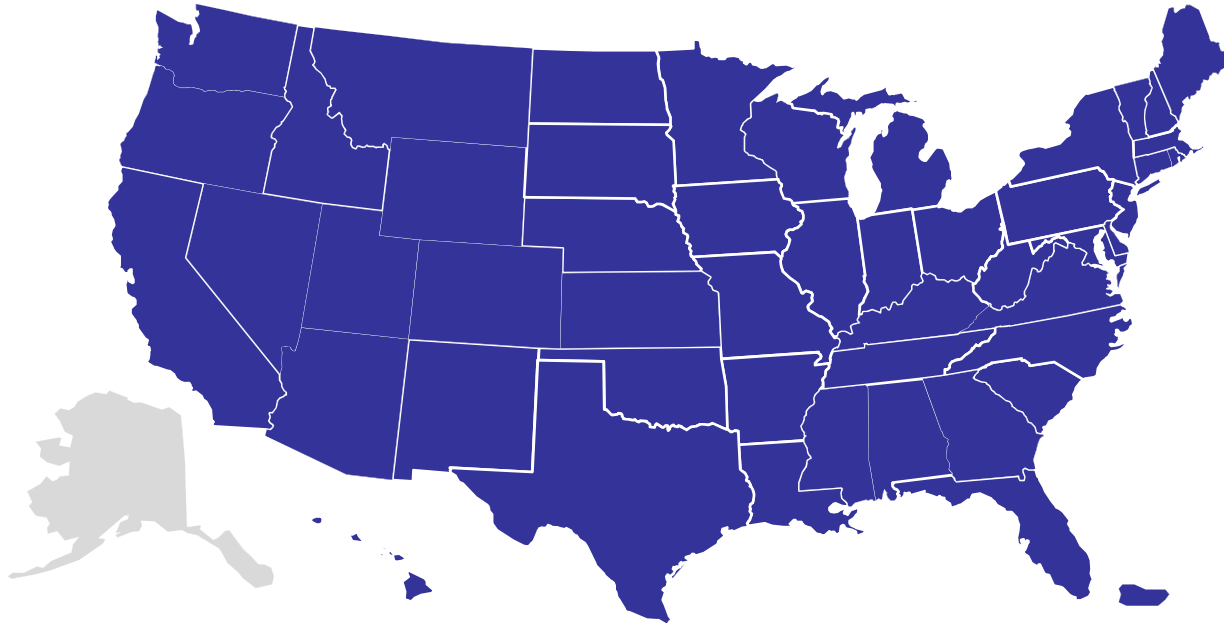
**Evaluation  
Framework**

**Operations**



# Blue Plan Care Delivery Innovations

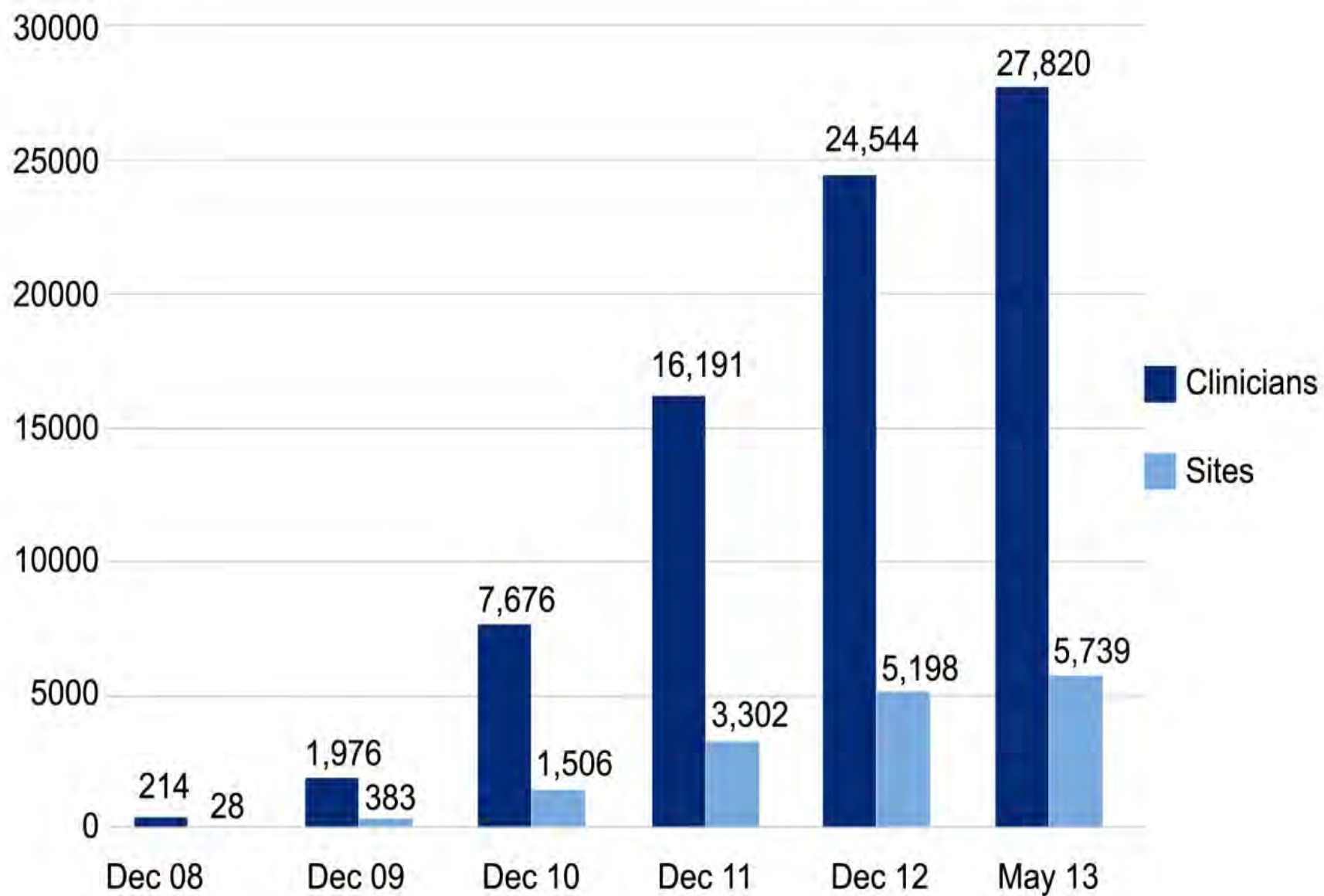
PCMH Level Care in market or in development in 49 states,  
District of Columbia and Puerto Rico



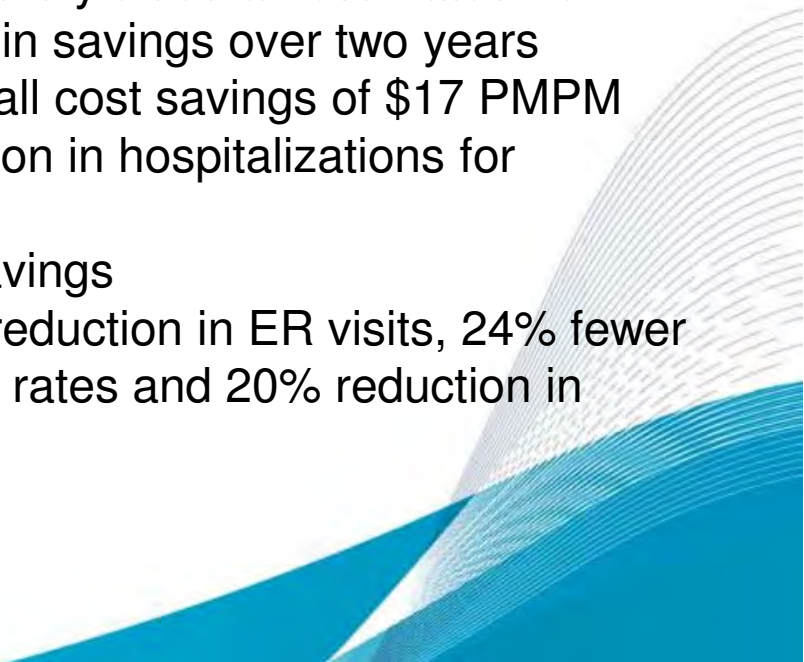
United HC, Humana, Aetna, CIGNA, Kaiser  
Martins Point, CDPHP, Priority,

PCPCC

Note: Information as of October 18, 2012. Program accessibility to National Account members varies by market.

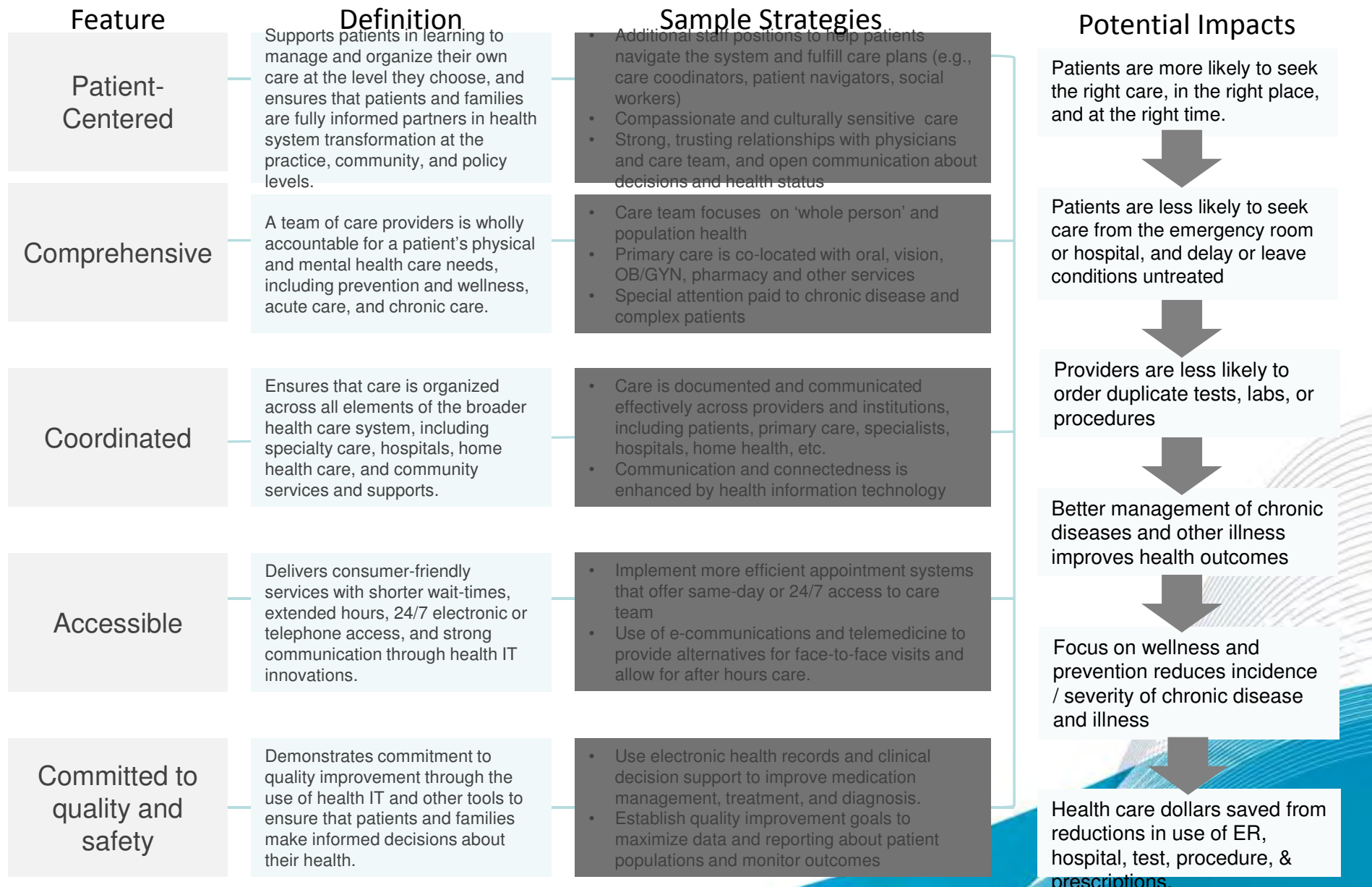


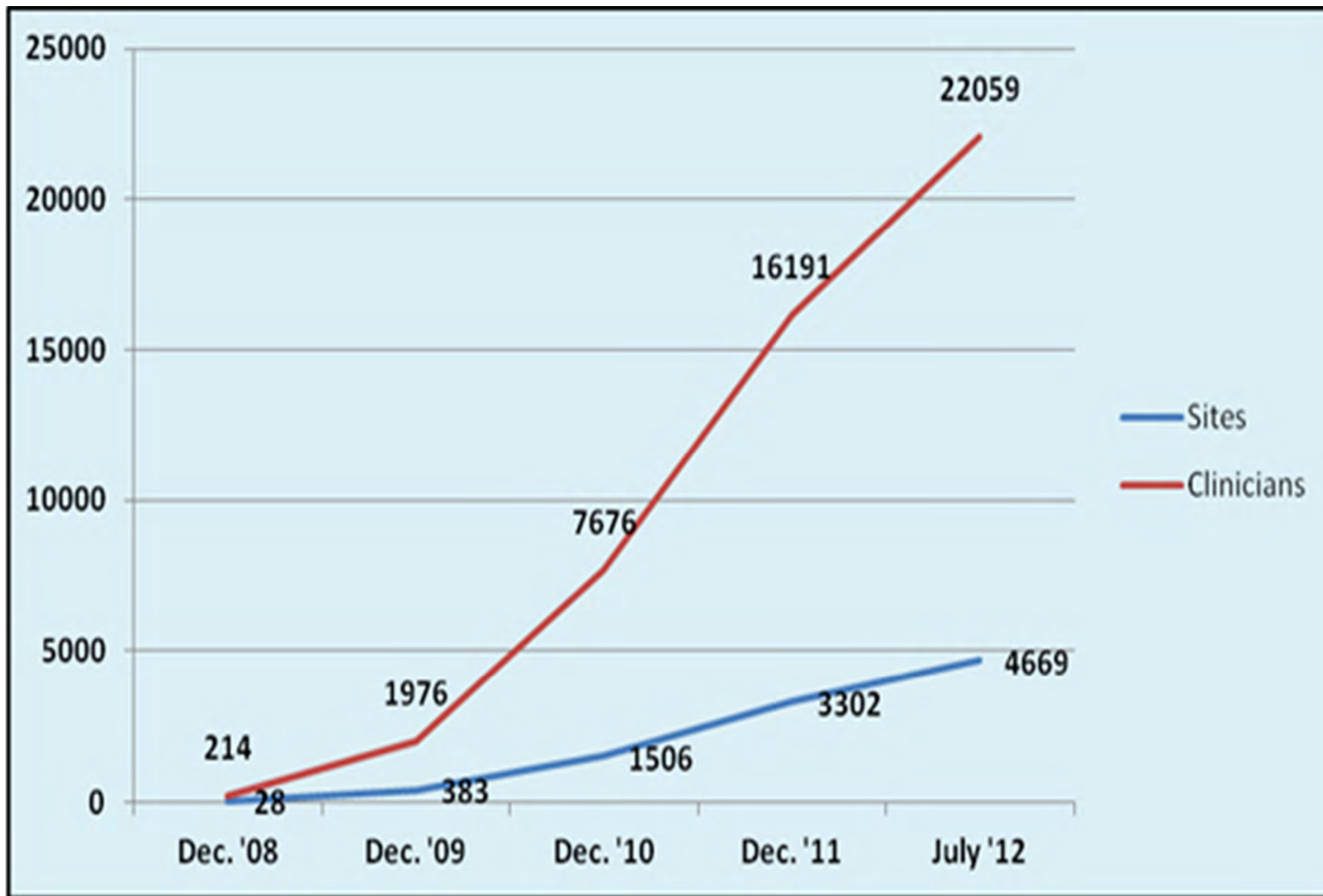
**Geisinger's Proven Health Navigator Model** serving Medicare Patients in rural Pennsylvania reported 7.1% savings over expected costs from 2006-2010 with an ROI of 1.7

- **Genesee Health Plan** in Flint, Michigan, reported PCMH services helped reduce ER visits by 51% between 2004 and 2007 and reduced hospital admissions by 15% between 2006 and 2007
  - **WellPoint's** PCMH model in New York yielded risk-adjusted total PMPM costs that were 14.5% lower for adults and 8.6% lower for children enrolled in the medical home
  - **CareFirst Blue Cross Blue Shield** of Maryland yielded an estimated 15% pmpm savings in the first year and \$98 million in savings over two years
  - **Group Health of Washington** reported overall cost savings of \$17 PMPM including 29% fewer ER visits and 11% reduction in hospitalizations for ambulatory sensitive conditions
  - **Oklahoma Medicaid** reported \$29 PMPM savings
  - **HealthPartners** in Minnesota reported 39% reduction in ER visits, 24% fewer hospitalizations, 40% reduction in readmission rates and 20% reduction in inpatient costs
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# Why the Medical Home Works: A Framework

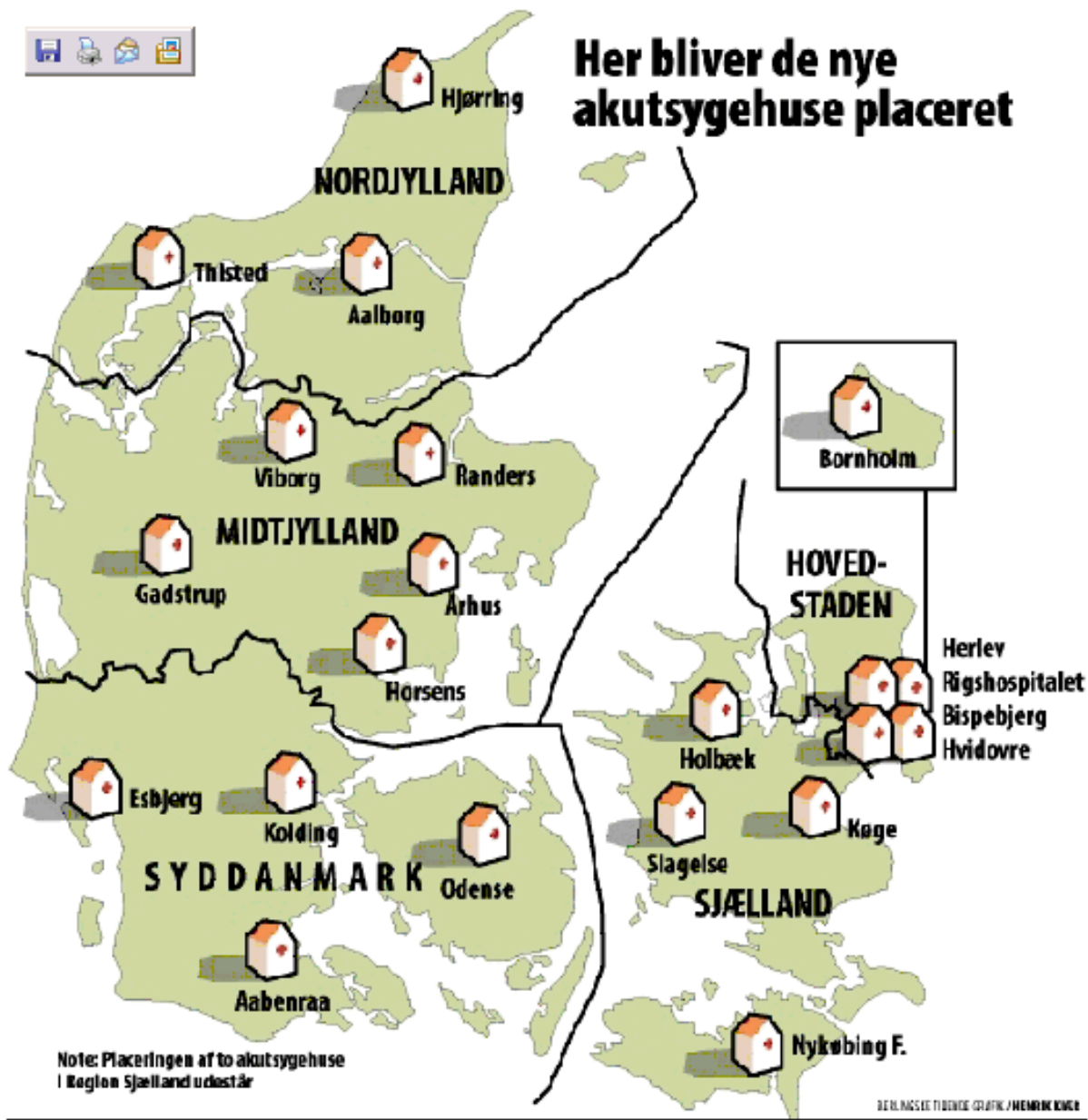
[www.pcpcc.net](http://www.pcpcc.net)





PCMH Growth





A journey to higher quality lower cost  
quality as well as efficiency



Australian Government

**Minister for Health, The Hon Tanya Plibersek**  
**New Family Medicine**  
**Parliament, Canberra Australia**  
**19 March 2013**

- **Australia** recognizes evidence in support of Patient-Centered Medical Homes is in, and it's compelling.
- Improved access to care;
- Improved clinical outcomes;
- Better management of chronic and complex disease;
- Decreased use of inappropriate medications;
- Decreased hospital admissions and readmissions; and
- Improved palliative care services.
- Therefore the Australian government will adopt Patient-Centered Medical Home as standard of care.

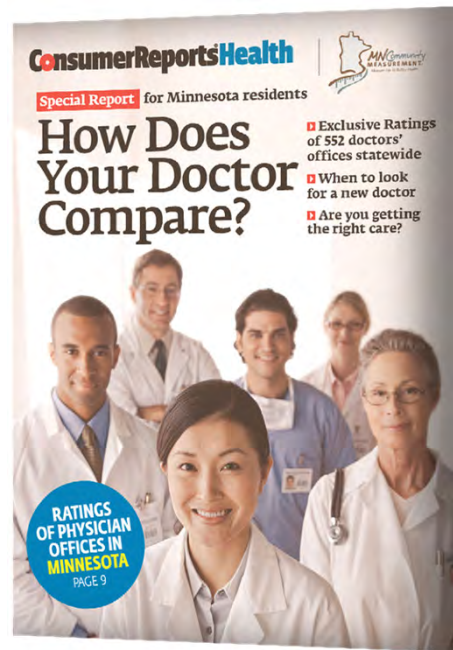
# Survey Of 5 European Countries Suggests Patient-Centered Medical Homes Would Improve Family Medicine Primary Care

## 2013/03/19



<http://content.healthaffairs.org/content/early/2013/03/19/hlthaff.2012.0184.full.html>

# Patients not shortchanged

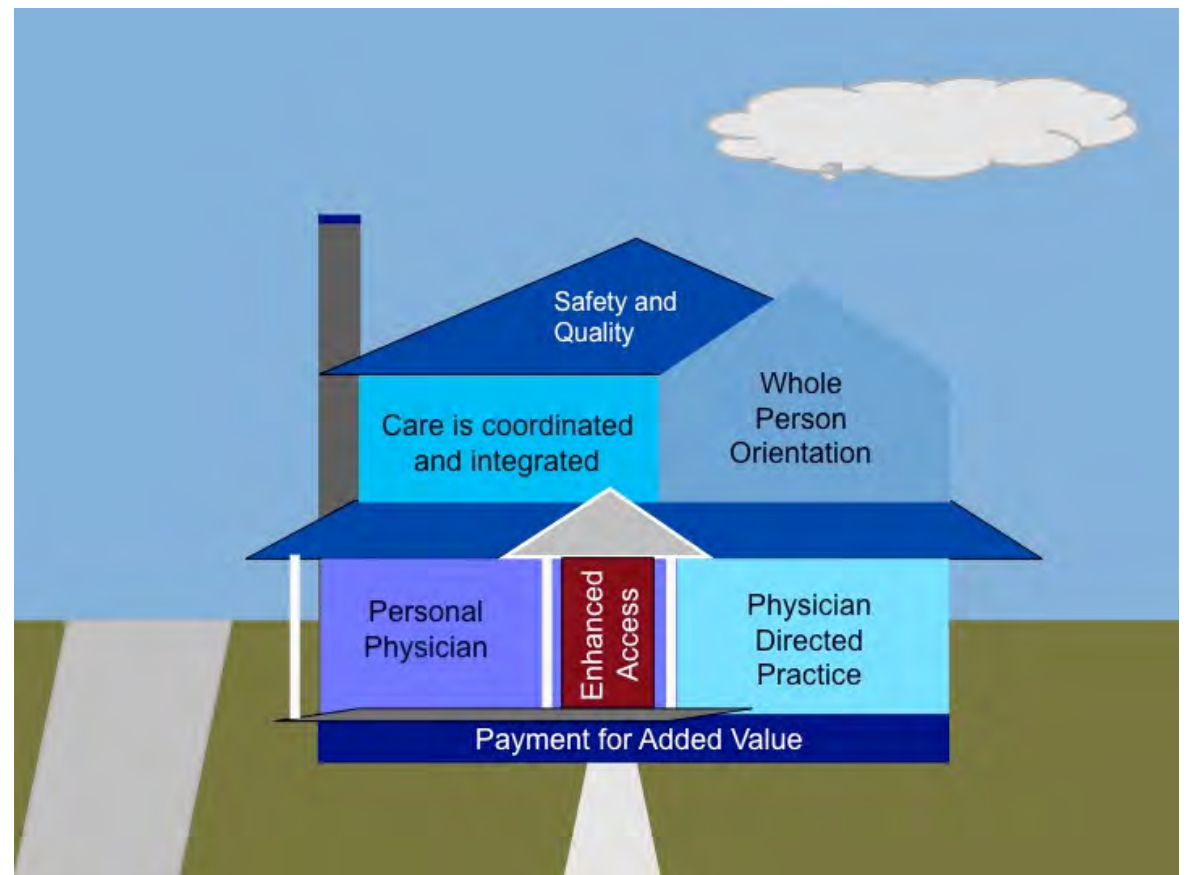


# PCMH as the Foundation

The right care foundation

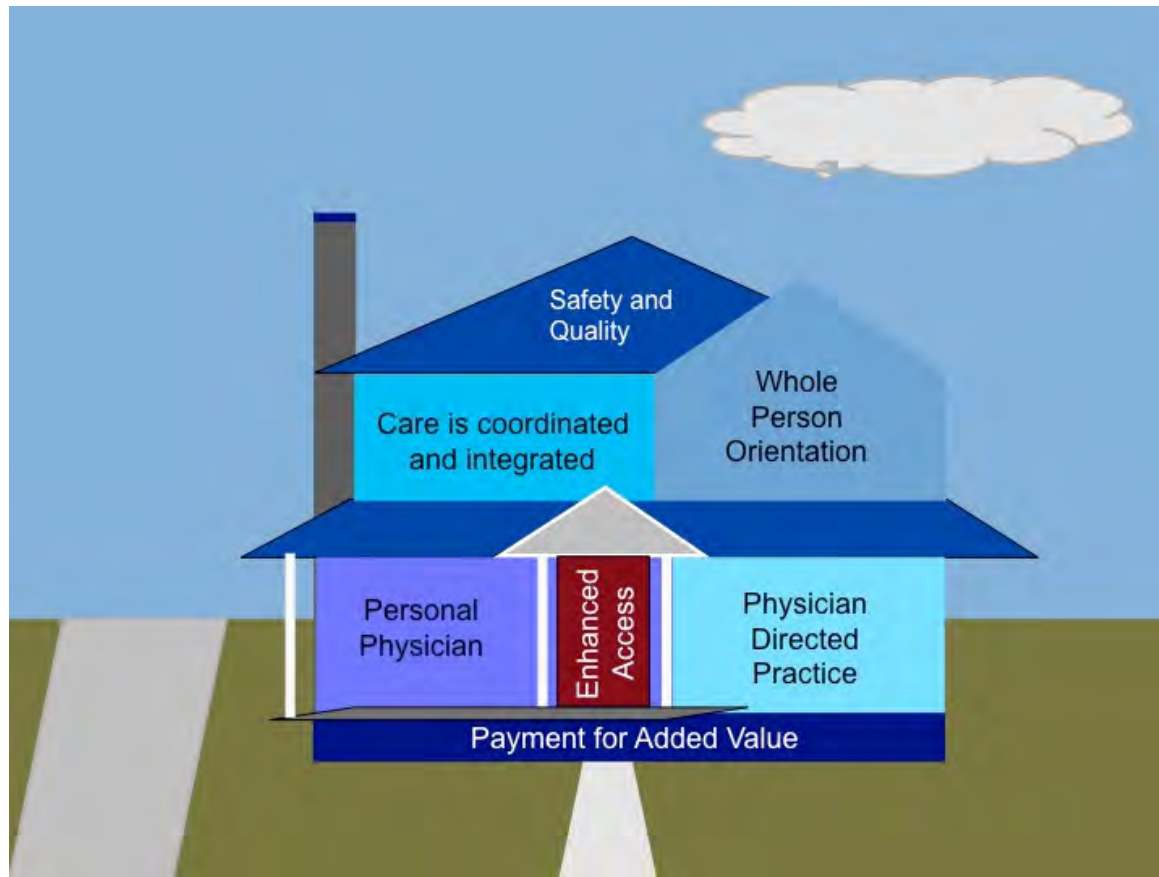
The right time

The right price





# THANK YOU



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Transformation  
President, Patient-Centered Primary Care  
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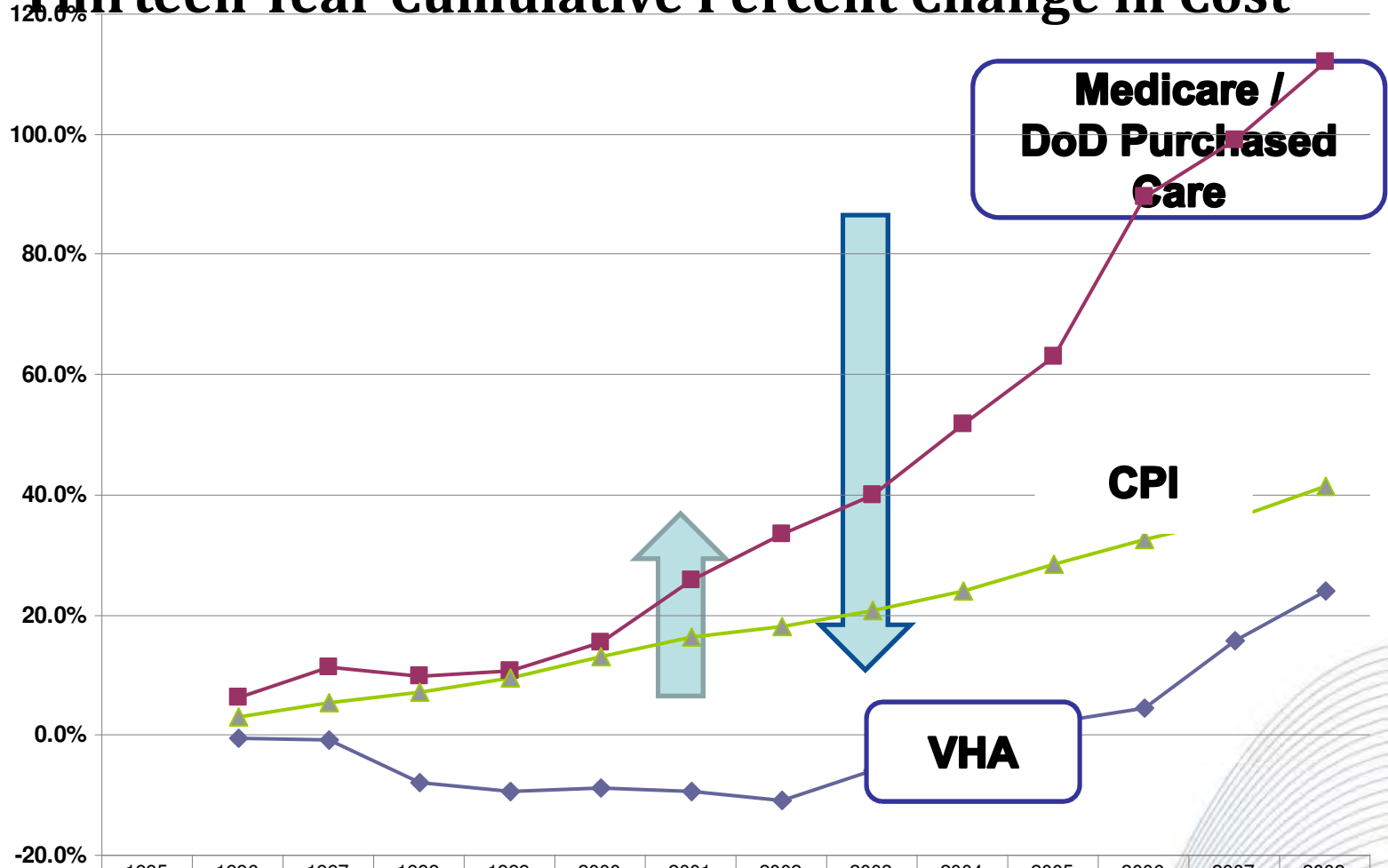


## Onsite Health and Wellness Centers





# Thirteen Year Cumulative Percent Change in Cost



	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
VHA Cost Per Patient		-0.4%	-0.9%	-7.9%	-9.3%	-8.9%	-9.5%	-10.8%	-5.9%	-0.1%	2.1%	4.4%	15.6%	24.1%
Average Medicare Payment/Enrollee		6.3%	11.4%	9.7%	10.8%	15.4%	25.9%	33.5%	40.0%	51.7%	62.9%	89.6%	99.2%	111.9%
Consumer Price Index		3.00%	5.37%	7.05%	9.41%	13.13%	16.30%	18.16%	20.88%	24.14%	28.36%	32.47%	36.18%	41.35%