

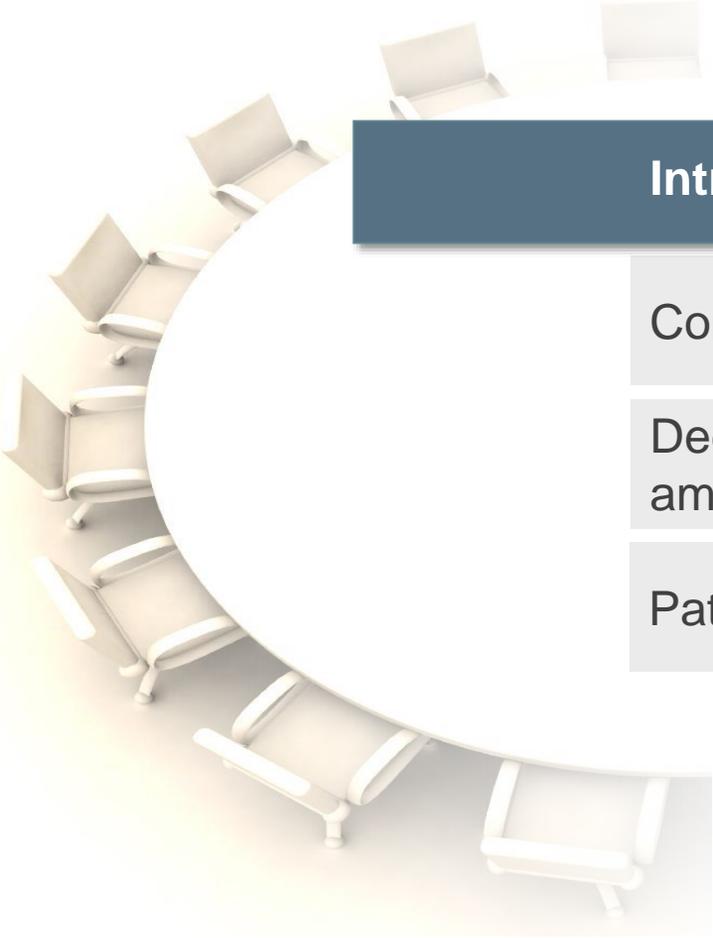


Delaware Center for  
Health Innovation

# Cross-Committee meeting

July 15, 2015

# Agenda for today



**Introduction (9:00-9:30 am)**

Committee updates (9:30-10:15 am)

Deep dives on cross-cutting topics (10:15-11:45 am)

Path forward (11:45 am-12:00 pm)

# Goals for today



Share great progress and accomplishments over the past year



Promote a cross-committee discussion on issues at the intersection of different elements our strategy



Preview major milestones for the coming 3 months

# Reminder: our aspiration and goals

## Aspirations for Triple Aim

- Become 1 of the 5 healthiest states in the U.S.
- Achieve top performance for quality/patient experience
- Bring health care spending growth more closely in line with growth of economy
- PLUS ONE: Achieve higher provider experience

## Specific Goals Reflected in Plan

- Create >\$1 billion in total savings to the system through 2020
- Reinvest about half of savings in care delivery to ensure sustainability for providers
- Pass about half of savings on to consumers and purchasers to preserve affordability

## Goals for Adoption to Achieve Plan

- Participation by all payers: Commercial, Medicaid, Medicare by 2016
- Participation by >70% of self-insured employers by 2018
- Adoption by >90% of PCPs by 2018
- Meaningful changes in capabilities/processes

*Total investment: \$130 million over 4 years*

# Our vision

- **All Delawareans will have a primary care provider**, and it will be simple for them to access care when they need it
- Providers will be **rewarded for innovative and efficient approaches** to delivering quality care
- When people need to go to the ER, they will **not need to repeat their medical history and prescription information**
- Providers will have the **time and resources to reach out to an elderly father after a hospital discharge** to make sure he receives a follow-up appointment with his PCP
- When a **mother needs help caring for her child with asthma, she will know where to turn**
- **Providers will work more closely together** so that patients will feel as though the individuals caring for them, including behavioral health providers, are part of a team
- **Employers will be able to continue providing health insurance** to their employees

# Delaware's strategy

Transformation of primary care through PCMHs and ACOs

Innovative two-year **learning and development program with common curriculum** on team-based, integrated care

Support for primary care **practice transformation and care coordination**

Scorecard, tools, data, and resources to support neighborhoods

First in the country multi-payer **Common Scorecard** for primary care

**Patient at center of everything Delaware does**

**Integration of community-based health initiatives with delivery system** focused on priority health needs

**Multi-payer adoption** of value-based payment on statewide basis

**Care coordination funding** in addition to outcomes-based payments

Medicaid MCO RFP, state employees, and QHP standards to drive adoption<sup>8</sup>

# Where we are in our journey

2011-2014

## Initial pilots and planning

- Individual physicians, societies, hospitals begin to adopt new models (e.g., PCMH, ACOs)
- Stakeholders shape Delaware State Health Innovation Plan through 50+ workgroups and public meetings
- Delaware Center for Health Innovation is formed as public-private partnership

2015

## Design for scale

- Finalize details for core program elements to prepare for launch
- Test and refine Common Scorecard through staged rollout
- Begin practice transformation support for PCPs
- Facilitate provider education regarding new models

2016 onwards

## Adoption at scale

- Funding for care coordination more widely available
- PCPs eligible for rewards tied to Common Scorecard
- Continuation of practice transformation support
- Healthy Neighborhoods initiatives launched
- Begin implementation of workforce strategy

# DCHI was formed as a public-private partnership to help carry forward this work

5

Standing committees to develop a multi-stakeholder consensus on the different elements of Delaware's strategy

70

Stakeholders across Delaware on the Board and committees

51

Organizations represented

56

Meetings held by all committees and the Board of Directors

# Over this time, we have accomplished a lot

## Examples of current progress to implementation

- Finalized measures for initial version of Common Scorecard and began visits to participating pilot practices
- Defined milestones for practice transformation, published consensus paper, and developed input into request for proposals
- Aligned on priority themes for Healthy Neighborhoods and measures for Population Health Scorecard
- Determined elements of value-based payment models that would benefit from cross-payer standardization
- Finalized input for Health Professionals Consortium request for proposals
- Provided consumer input to other committees (e.g., Healthy Neighborhoods) and helped craft consumer outreach materials

# And we have learned a lot

## Examples of our learnings

- Our collaborative approach is our greatest asset
- We need to strike a balance between the pragmatic answer and the ideal one
- We need to take into account that the market still continues to be very dynamic across the health system (e.g., now at 6+ ACOs, 30+ NCQA-certified PCMH)
- We need to get into the technical details in order to get this right
- We cannot be afraid to discuss and tackle the hardest questions

# Importance of keeping patient at center of everything we do

- All our work is **grounded in improving quality and affordability** for patients and consumers
- DCHI was formed with the **patient as the central focus**
- Components of our strategy are designed to support everyday health, prevention, and chronic disease management, which **addresses the needs of all Delawareans**
- It is important as we continue to shape our progress together that we **consider a people-focused strategy in everything we do**

# The strength of our strategy is that many components apply to all Delawareans... (1/2)

Example elements of our strategy	Relatively healthy	At-risk	Acute needs	One or more chronic conditions	Special needs populations
Everyone has a PCP					
All providers on care team work together to help meet needs					
Same day appointments					
After-hours access to care					
Ability to reach provider by phone 24/7					
Providers are rewarded for quality and patient experience					

# The strength of our strategy is that many components apply to all Delawareans... (2/2)

Example elements of our strategy	Relatively healthy	At-risk	Acute needs	One or more chronic conditions	Special needs populations
Proactive outreach to follow up after hospitalization					
Proactive approach to avoid unnecessary ER use					
Proactive outreach to support preventative care					
Community and social services integrated with care delivery					

# ... and there are also aspects that are targeted to particular populations

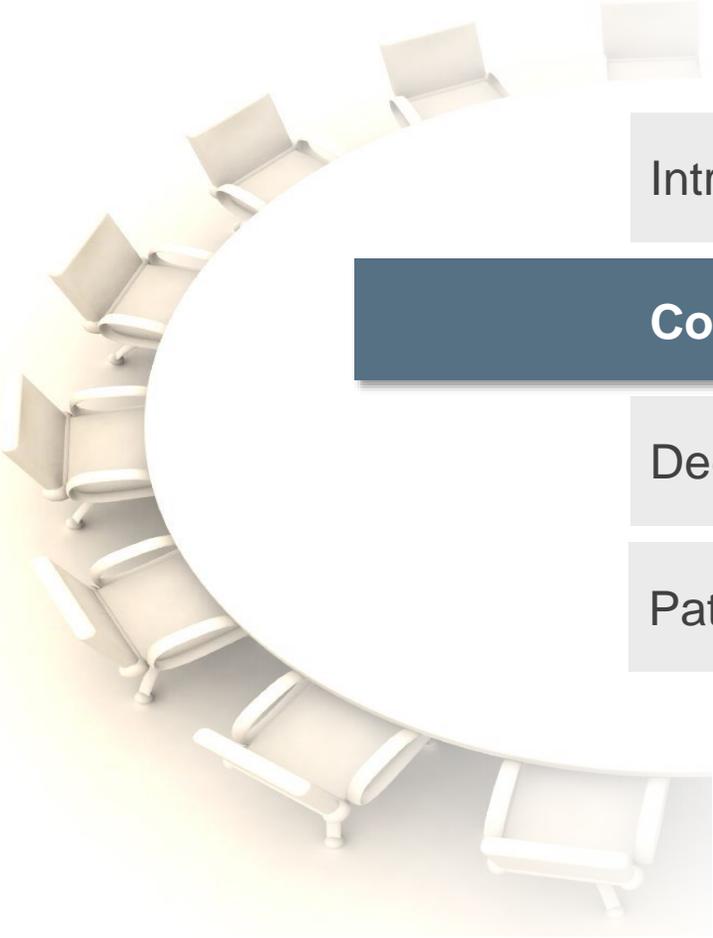
Example elements of our strategy	Relatively healthy	At-risk	Acute needs	One or more chronic conditions	Special needs populations
All providers on care team work together to help individuals with their most complex needs					
Health is managed across populations					
Funding for behavioral health EMRs					
Behavioral health integration					

# Our shared challenge today: keep a patient orientation

As we implement the components of our strategy, how can we...

- Comprehensively address the needs of **the patient and consumer**?
- Build towards meaningful improvements in the **way patients and their families will experience care**?
- Design initiatives that are **culturally competent**?

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# Format for “gallery walk”

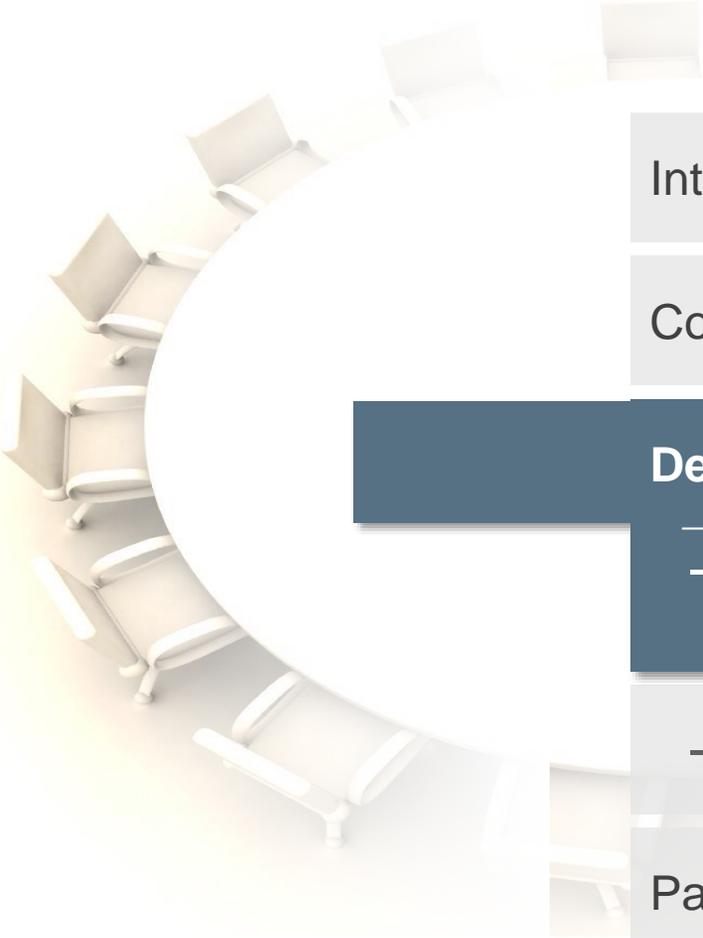
## Purpose

- Update you on the work of each committee and the TAG
- Get your feedback on the important elements of our strategy

## Instructions

- There are 6 numbered stations around the room
- Your packet includes a number, which is where you will start for the gallery walk
- At each station, there will be a few minutes of presentation from committee members
- When you hear the bell, please rotate clockwise around the room

# Agenda



Introduction

Committee updates

**Deep dives on cross-cutting topics**

– **Advancing Primary Care  
(10:15-11:00 am)**

– Healthy Neighborhoods

Path forward

# Goals for today's discussion

- Describe how all components of this work **integrate to support care delivery innovation**
- Gather **feedback on different components of support** for primary care innovation
- Share emerging perspective on approach to **payment reform**
- Discuss how to **coordinate overall approach to primary care innovation with continued acceleration of innovation** in Delaware (e.g., newly-launched ACOs)

# Overview of Advancing Primary Care

- Aspiration is for **more coordinated and integrated care led by primary care practices** and their affiliated organizations (e.g., ACOs)
- Although there is significant innovation in the market, expectation is that **primary care providers have varied levels of experience** with coordinating care
- Delaware's strategy provides a **comprehensive set of enabling tools and resources** to support providers regardless of starting point
- Transformation is **enabled with funding and aligned incentives**, linked to common scorecard and milestones

# Capabilities of Advanced Primary Care



**1** Panel management



**2** Access improvement



**3** Care management



**4** Team-based care coordination



**5** Patient engagement



**6** Performance management



**7** Business process improvement

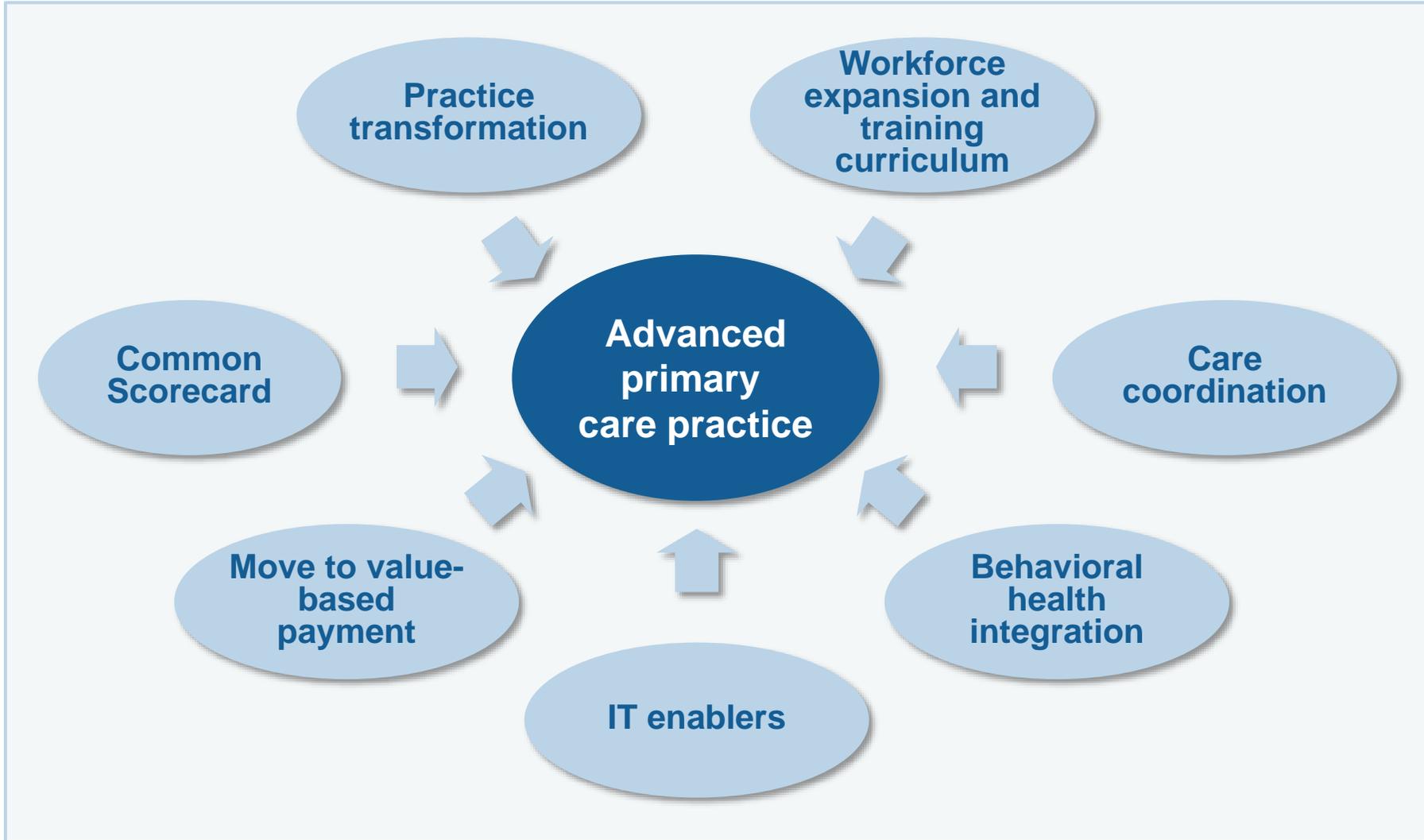


**8** Referral network management



**9** Health IT enablement

# Enabling transformation of primary care



# DCHI emerging consensus on payment (1/2)

## Practice Transformation

- All primary care practices should be eligible to apply for SIM-grant-funded practice transformation support
  - Vendor(s) should provide standard level of support, curriculum tailored to individual practice's needs
- After meeting initial milestones, practices should become eligible for care coordination funding
  - Practices who have already transformed may be immediately eligible for funding for care coordination

## Care Coordination

- All payers should fund care coordination activities integrated with primary care
  - Care coordination fees should be paid to primary care practices, who decide how to source care coordination
- Whenever possible, payers should structure care coordination payments as a risk-adjusted PMPM
- (continued)

# DCHI emerging consensus on payment (2/2)

## Care Coordination (continued)

- Funding should be sufficient to cover costs, with shared expectations regarding the scope and intensity
- For care coordination funding to be financially sustainable, need to see impact on quality **and** efficiency

## Outcomes-based payments

- Payers should offer both Total Cost of Care (TCC) as well as Pay for Value (P4V) models for providers
- Both TCC and P4V models should require providers to meet goals for quality and efficiency, tied to the Common Scorecard
- TCC models should reward providers for controlling the rate of growth in total cost of care
- P4V models should reward providers for controlling ER visits and hospitalizations, as a proxy for TCC

# Overview of practice transformation for primary care

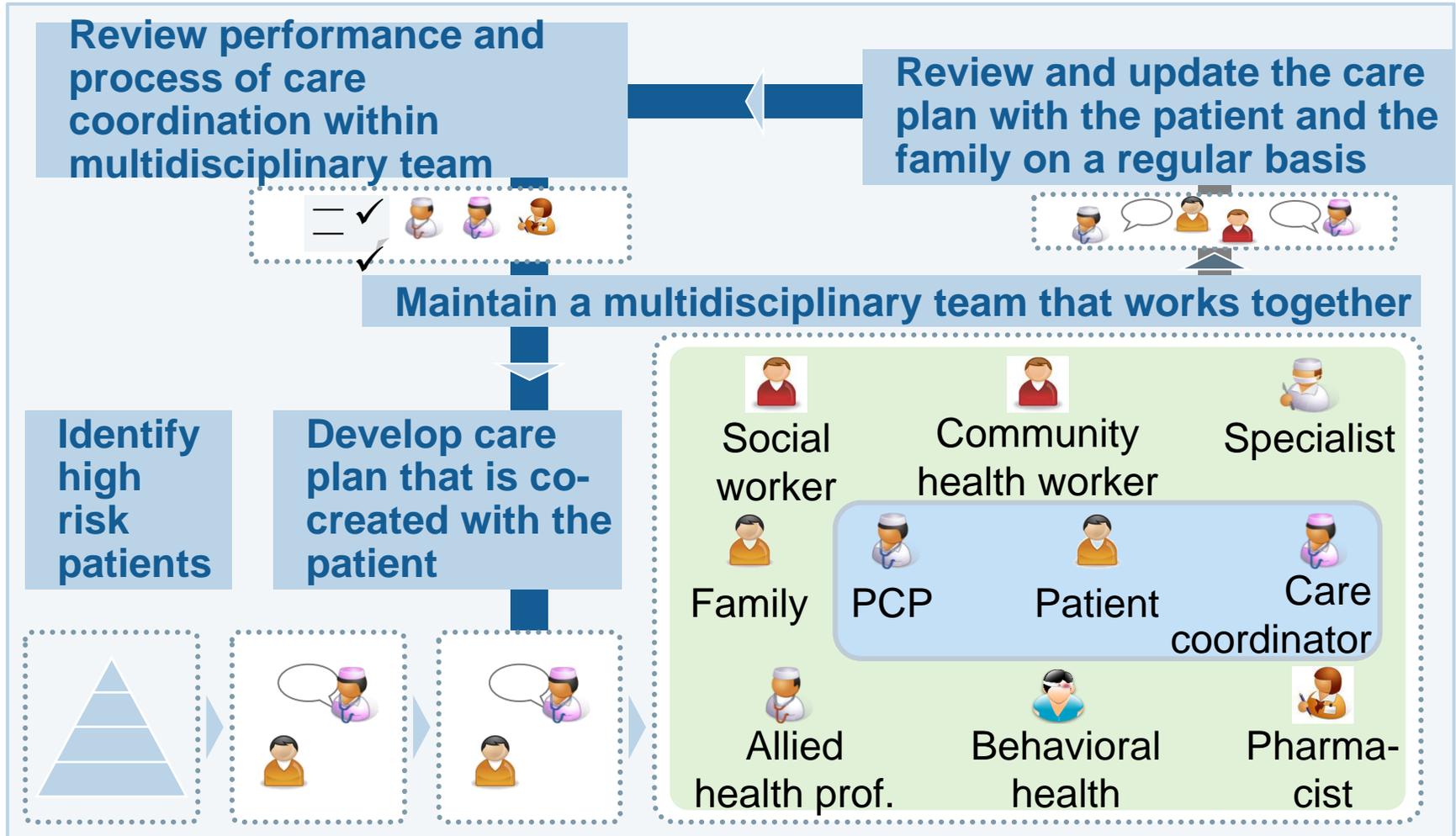
- A 2-year journey to build capabilities for primary care, with milestones to measure progress
- All PCPs are eligible to enroll
- Practice transformation will begin with an assessment of starting capabilities and needs
- Vendor support will be both on-site and self-directed in order to build and strengthen capabilities; RFP has been released by the HCC
- Will be linked to enrollment and care coordination

# Transformation Milestones – measure progress on population health management



# Coordinated care will build on the foundation of practice transformation

## Overview: core elements of more coordinated care



# Common Scorecard will tie to payment to incentivize high-quality healthcare

## Vision of Common Scorecard

- The Common Scorecard will be a **single, integrated scorecard across all payers** that provides information about quality, utilization, and cost of care for **providers' entire panel** of patients.
- The goal is to enable a **common and streamlined approach for incentivizing value-based care delivery.**
- Over time, the scorecard will **replace the many reports providers currently receive** from payers

## Overview of Version 1.0

- 19 measures of quality, utilization and cost, balanced across adult, pediatric, and elderly populations
- Currently focused on primary care
- Drawn from national measures and refined with clinician input, primarily claims-based (goal to link to clinical data over time)
- Single report across patient panel with ability to view by payer
- To be linked to payment over time

# Approach for feedback on current draft of Scorecard

## Approach for feedback

- Meetings and feedback with professional societies
- Discussions with payers and ACOs/CINs
- Feedback from providers testing the Scorecard including
  - In-person visits to individual practice sites
  - Group discussion
  - Survey
- Planned release for end of July, with continued input from testing providers

## Opportunities to improve

- Identified opportunity to be better **balanced between traditional quality measures and measures of population health** management
- Expressed desire to ensure that **measures are not just a coding exercise** but really measure better delivery of health care
- Noted that while claims are an imperfect source, they are available now – it will be important to test **how much administrative work this involves**
- Flagged importance of understanding the **timeline for integration with clinical data** and consider alternatives to using CPT II codes

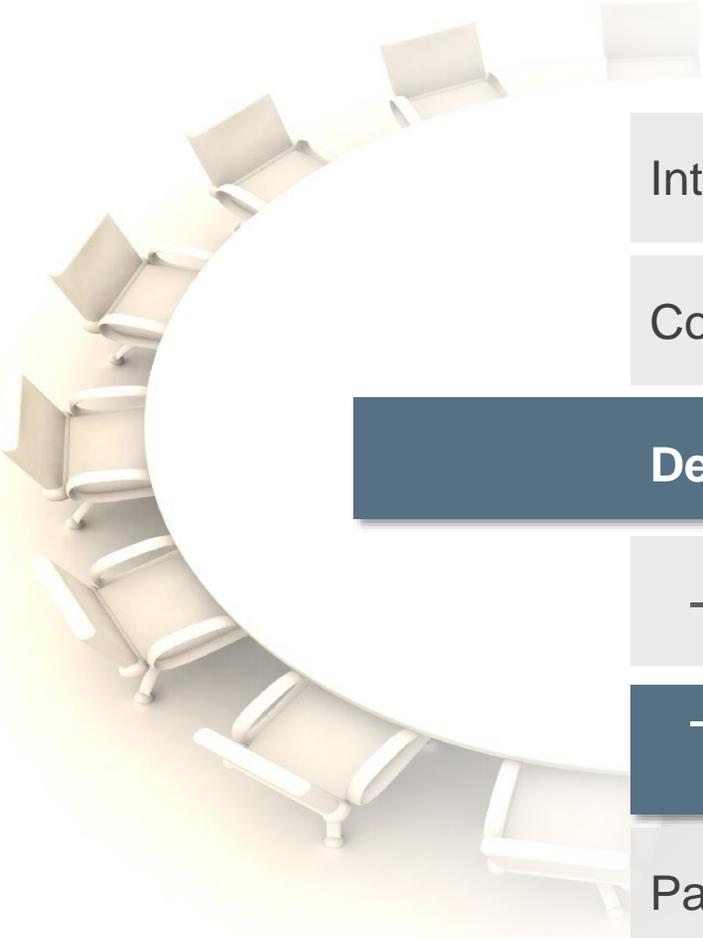
# Q&A

## Topics for discussion:

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- Are there parts of the plan for Advancing Primary Care that will be **particularly helpful in achieving the Triple Aim**?
- Are there **parts of the plan that are less helpful**, and why?
- How can we **best achieve patient/ consumer and clinician acceptance**?
- As you reflect on the way that the different components that Primary Care innovation is bringing together, **what do you think about your role in the process** (e.g., as part of an ACO, CIN, as a primary care provider, hospitalist, specialist)?

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– Advancing Primary Care

**– Healthy Neighborhoods  
(11:00-11:45 am)**

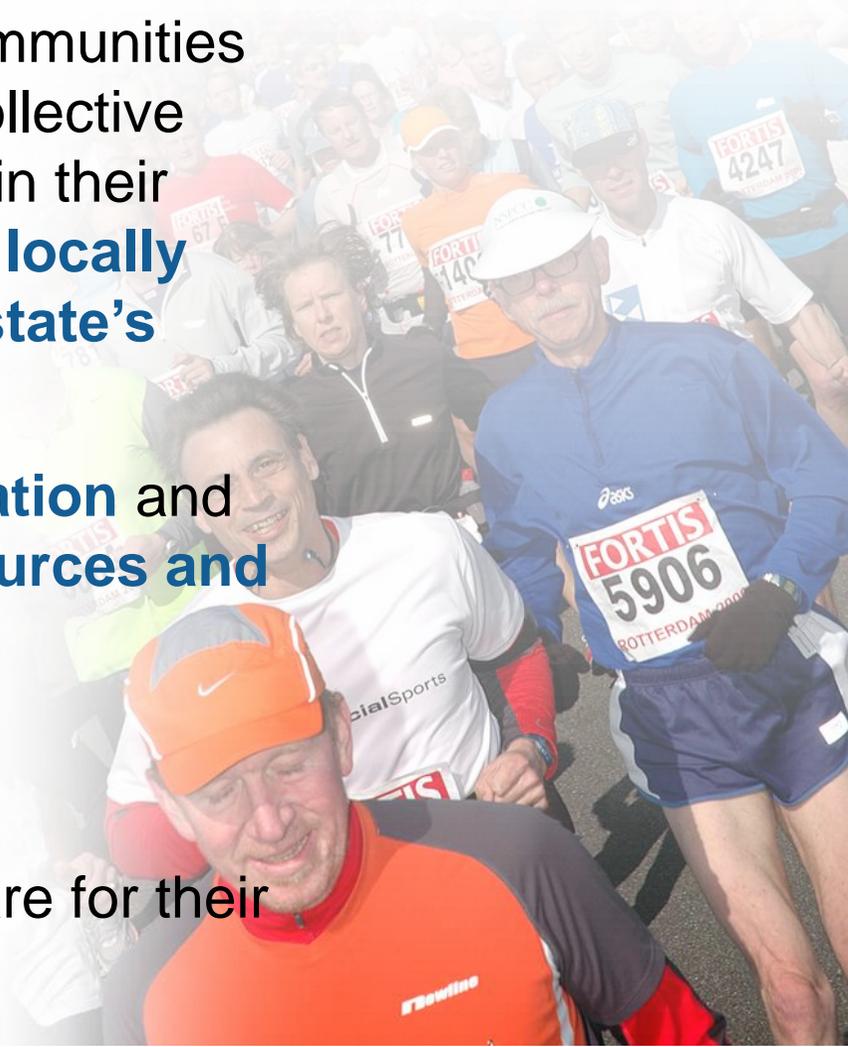
Path forward

# Goals for today's discussion on Healthy Neighborhoods

- Provide context on Healthy Neighborhoods as part of **overall Delaware strategy**
- Share **overview of emerging operating model** for Healthy Neighborhoods and solicit input about neighborhood definition
- Discuss **approach for integration of Healthy Neighborhoods** with the care delivery system

# What is a Healthy Neighborhood?

- Healthy Neighborhoods are local communities that come together to harness the collective resources of all of the organizations in their community to design and implement **locally tailored solutions to some of the state's most pressing health needs**
- Provides a **framework for collaboration and support to communities with resources and expertise** as they work to
  - enable healthy behavior
  - improve prevention
  - enable better access to primary care for their residents



# Unique features of the Healthy Neighborhoods approach

- Brings together all of the organizations in a community to focus on common goals and interventions
- Integrates population health with the healthcare delivery system
- Provides full-time, dedicated leadership and staff
- Supports innovation with tools and resources
- Improves ability to access funding

# Current view on how Healthy Neighborhoods will work

- There will be **8-12 neighborhoods**, across Delaware, organized by geography to promote integration with the care delivery system
- Led by a **Council of 8-12 individuals**, who represent local care delivery, payers, businesses, social support, and other organizations
  - The Council will be responsible for identifying the Healthy Neighborhoods Priority, creating a 3 year strategic plan, overseeing the implementation of initiatives and continuous monitoring and evaluation and sharing best practices
- Councils are assisted by **dedicated staff** to provide implementation support (e.g., project management and task execution), technical expertise (e.g., data and analytics), and funding support (e.g., grant-writing and grant management)

# How Healthy Neighborhoods design promotes integration with care delivery

- Designed to **coincide with changes in payment and care delivery**
- Population health scorecard **measures prevention, chronic disease management, access in addition to social determinants** of health
- Priorities **map to the Common Scorecard**
- Neighborhoods **defined to include one hospital and one FQHC** wherever possible
- Councils must have **diverse membership**, including from the care delivery system
- Designed to enable **future sustainable funding models in partnership** with care delivery system

# The priorities map to the Common Scorecard

**Healthy  
Neighborhood  
priority**

**Example quality of care  
measure from  
Scorecard**

**Proportion of  
quality  
measures<sup>1,2</sup>**

**1 Healthy  
Lifestyles**

Tobacco use: screening  
and cessation intervention

27%

**2 Maternal & Child  
Health**

Developmental screening  
in the first three years of  
life

53%

**3 Mental Health &  
Addiction**

Screening for clinical  
depression

13%

**4 Chronic Disease  
Prevention &  
Management**

Adherence to statin  
therapy for individuals  
with coronary artery  
disease

53%

**All quality  
measures on  
current  
Scorecard  
draft  
correspond  
to at least  
one of the  
priority areas**

<sup>1</sup> Excludes 4 measures that are for Total Cost of Care and Utilization

<sup>2</sup> Some measures apply to multiple categories and total is therefore >100%

# Approach to sustainable funding

## Near-term options



**Project-based grants**  
existing or new grants  
used to fund specific  
initiatives



**Programmatic funding**  
new or continuing grants  
intended to fund a  
coordinated portfolio  
of Healthy Neighborhood  
work

DCHI, DPH (and other state agencies), and SIM support for staff and technical resources

## Long-term – getting to sustainable funding



### Examples of sustainable funding

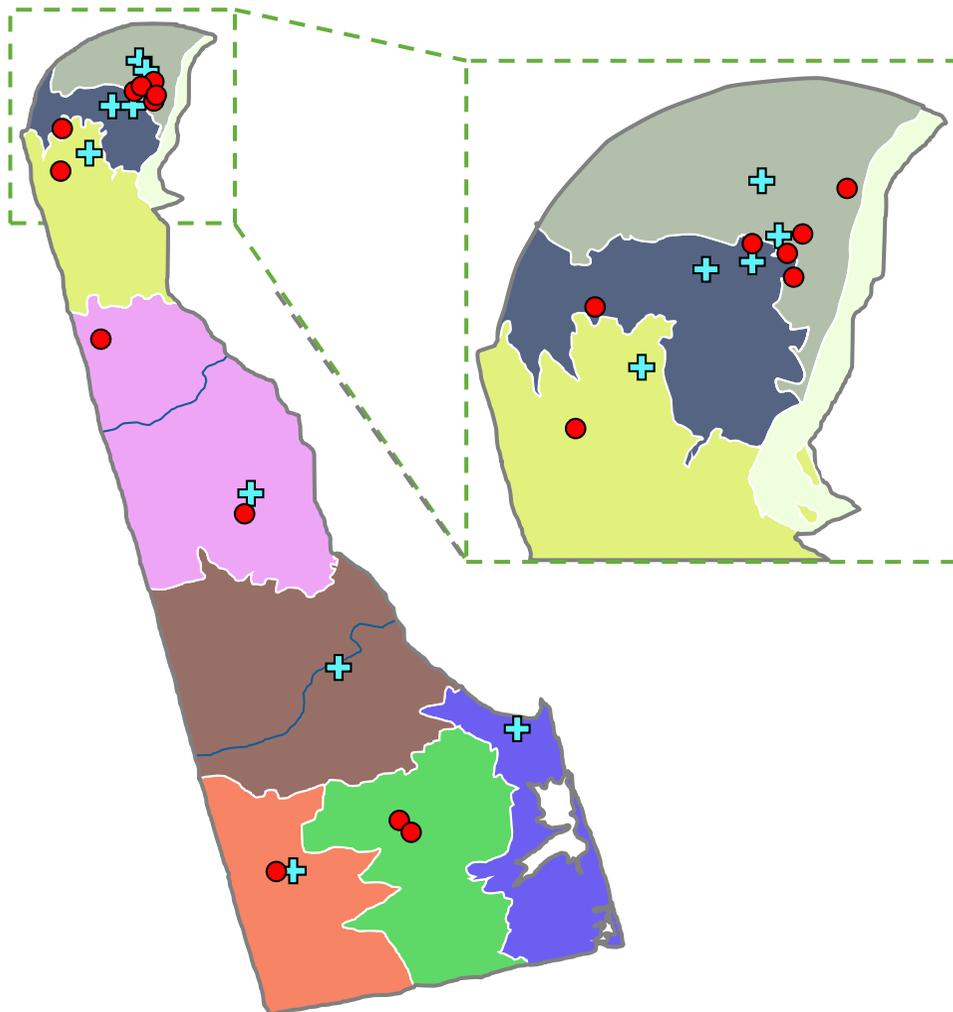
- **Provide services** to health systems or other health-related organizations
- **Share savings** with payers of providers for achieving positive outcomes
- **Obtain financing** from private investors (e.g., social impact bonds)

Approach to be developed

# Overview of approach to defining neighborhoods

- **Goal:** to achieve geographic areas with roughly equal population that also includes a hospital site and FQHC site wherever possible
- **Methodology to get to illustrative view:** An algorithm was used to divide Delaware into Neighborhoods consisting of (1) contiguous census tracts and (2) roughly equal population
  - Neighborhoods were further modified according to the following prioritization:
    1. Include a hospital and FQHC in each neighborhood
    2. For neighborhoods in which #1 not possible, include only a non-specialty hospital
    3. For neighborhoods in which #1 or #2 not possible, include only an FQHC

# Illustrative: boundaries formed by delivery system alignment



⊕ Hospital ● FQHC

## Implications for Healthy Neighborhoods:

- 8 Neighborhoods of 50,000-200,000 people, each including hospital and/or FQHC<sup>1</sup>
- Initial feedback was positive regarding general boundaries, size of Neighborhoods and inclusion of delivery systems
- Will continue to evolve thinking, especially around dividing Wilmington and Northern Kent

<sup>1</sup> Veteran Affairs and Nemours/Alfred I. DuPont hospitals represented on map but not included into algorithm due to service of specialty populations  
SOURCE: National Provider Identification Database (NPIDB), Esri geographical information services (ArcGIS)

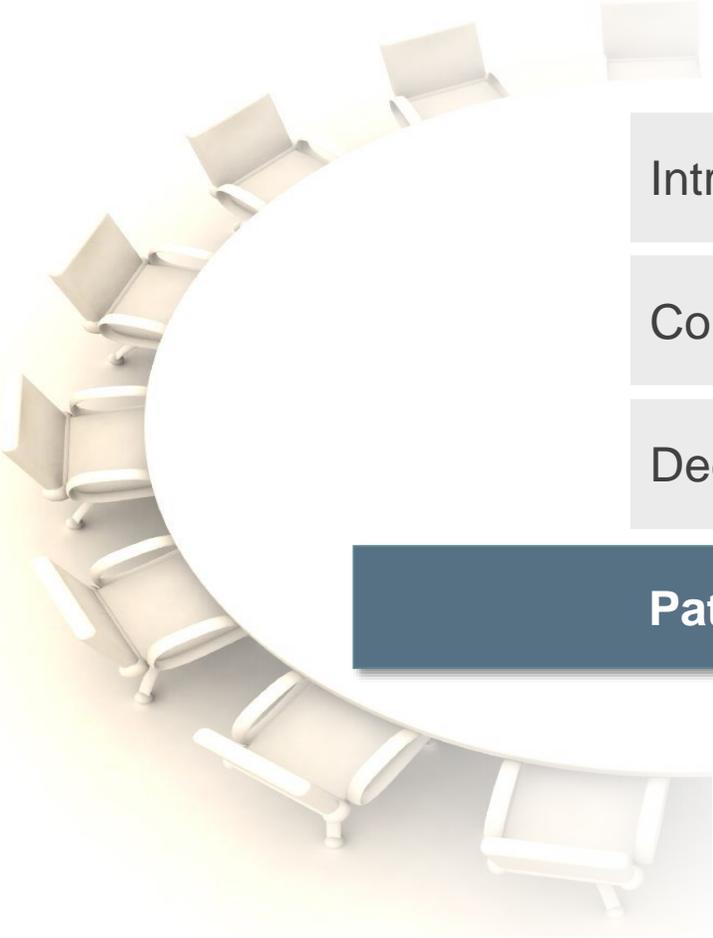
# Q&A for Healthy Neighborhoods

## Topics for discussion:

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- What are **additional ways to foster integration** between Healthy Neighborhoods and the care delivery system?
- How do we make it exciting and relevant to **encourage diverse groups of organizations in Delaware to come together and form Healthy Neighborhoods?** How can we spread the word?
- What feedback do you have on the emerging approach to **define neighborhood boundaries?**

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# Next steps



Please make sure to turn in your feedback form on your way out



Please share any feedback and input you were not able to raise today with the DCHI Board and staff ([info@dehealthinnovation.org](mailto:info@dehealthinnovation.org))



Next cross-committee meeting:  
*Thursday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>* (to be confirmed)