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Thank you for publishing this for comments.

1- The White Paper is unreasonably vague. There is no way forward outlined.

2- The paper looks at value from the state's perspective and completely ignores the patient's perspective of value.

3- The comparisons made with other states have no correlation with Delaware, we have no Medical school, we have inadequate primary care physicians, the state is touting itself as a place to retire to with poor access to medical care. The primary care physicians are terrified of drug-seeking patient's and there is nothing in the paper that really looks at Delaware's problems, like inadequate primary care, the opioid epidemic and the sex-offender problems.

4- This paper is just full of national buzzwords that have no meaning. Pick some subjects that need work, re-organize the top-heavy and inefficient DHSS structure to one that can provide public services. Why Delaware is one of the few states that cannot define the incidence of hepatitis C, has Public Health Service centers that will not see patients, has an inadequate mental health support system. Why does Delaware really have only one major health insurance writer. This needs to go back to the planning stage and re-think the actual programs that will make a change in the healthcare of Delaware.

Thank you

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