

Delaware Primary Care Collaborative Questions

November 7, 2018

1. What efforts are you making to stabilize and enhance primary care capacity in the state and what additional measures do you recommend?
2. If we were to pursue a course that resulted in a higher portion of health care spending on primary care, how would you recommend that be accomplished?
 - a. Increased reimbursement rates for primary care services
 - b. New structural payments to primary care such as a supplemental bundled payment being considers in CT or a PCP loan repayment program
 - c. Value-based payment opportunities for primary care providers
3. What is the anticipated impact on your hospital or health system of increasing primary care spending while also bending the curve on total spending on health care services in Delaware and how would you adjust to that different scenario?
4. With regard to the return on investment and amount of investment relative to other primary care investment strategies, what is your perspective on investing in primary care practice transformation, including for example: care team resources, IT investment, the development of community workers through standardized certification programs?