# Person-Centered Care Coordination

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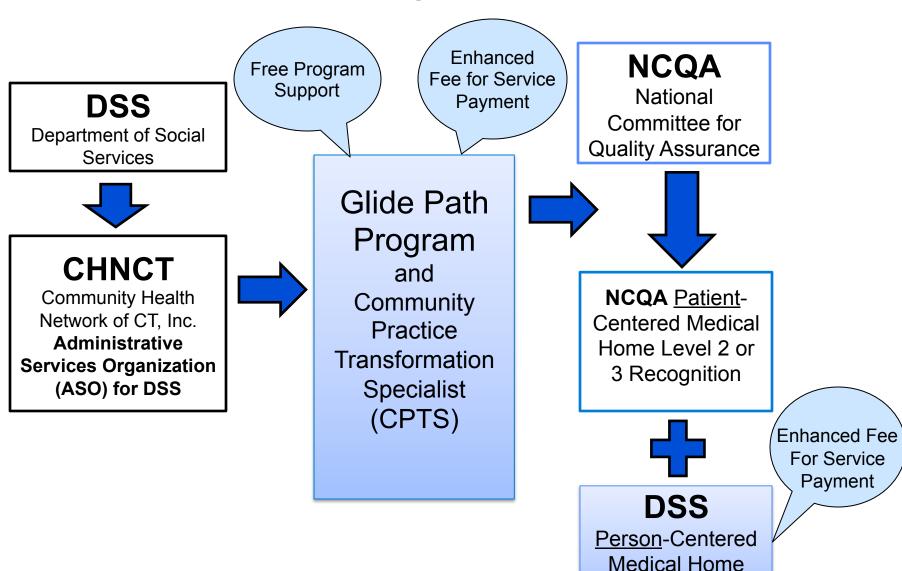


# Learning Objectives

- Understand the DSS PCMH & the National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA) Patient-Centered Medical Home
- Describe person-centered care
- Define and provide an understanding of care coordination
- Recognize the need for an effective care coordination workflow
- Discover how to improve clinical quality outcomes
- Identify important CHNCT resources



# **PCMH Program Structure**



Recognition



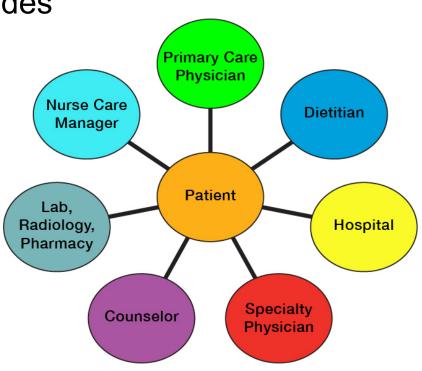
# Patient-Centered Medical Home

 A PCMH has the patient at the center of the healthcare system

The healthcare system provides

primary care that is:

- □ Accessible
- □ Continuous
- Comprehensive
- □ Family-centered
- Coordinated
- Compassionate
- □ Culturally effective



# A Person-Centered Medical Home

Is available 24/7

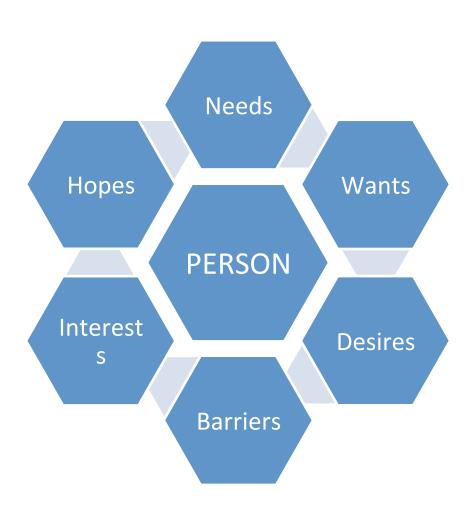
Knows the patient and their health history

In a medical home the care team:

Ensures the patient understands their condition(s)

Helps coordinate the patient's health care

# Person-Centeredness



# What is Care Coordination?

"The deliberate organization of patient care activities between two or more participants (including the patient) involved in a patient's care to facilitate the appropriate delivery of health care services."





### Lab Tests

**Imaging Tests** 

**Specialist Visits** 

Hospital/Emergency Department Visits

**Behavioral Health Services** 

**Dental Services** 

**Dietitian Visits** 

Physical/Occupational Therapist Visits

**Facilities Transitions** 

**Medication Reconciliation** 

Patient Self-care Results

Self-referrals

Prior Authorizations for Insurance





- Improve patient health outcomes through clinical quality
- Enhance patient experience
- Reduce healthcare costs



# Continuous Quality Improvement

### **Design Elements of Care Coordination**

Accountability

**Patient Support** 

Relationships and Agreements

Connectivity



# Pediatric Case Study

### **Clinical Summary:**

- 12 year-old boy
- Attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder and seizure disorder
- Hospitalized for uncontrolled seizures
- Seamless transition of care from hospital to home
- Scheduled post-hospitalization visit with pediatric practice within 7 days after discharge



# Pediatric Case Study (cont'd)

### **PCMH Care Coordination Interventions:**

- Nurse proactively reached out to hospital for records
- Morning of visit
  - ☐ Medical team "huddled" to discuss patient and check all necessary information
- At visit
  - Pediatrician reviewed medications, conducted lab tests, and coordinated followup visit with specialist
  - Clinical Care Manager
    - Provided access to patient portal
    - Updated care plan
    - Sent care plan to school nurse



### **Outcome:**

Care coordination efforts resulted in effective communication with the patient and specialists, collaboration with educational system, and access to community resources.

# Care Team Responsibility

Support patients in caring for themselves

Communicate with patients

Teach patients about their medical home



# Care Coordination Challenges

### **Time & Capacity**

Manual and inefficient processes overburden the clinical staff

### **Data Management**

Insufficient system capabilities

### Resources

Navigating a complex healthcare system



# Electronic Health Record Technology

### Pre-visit Prep

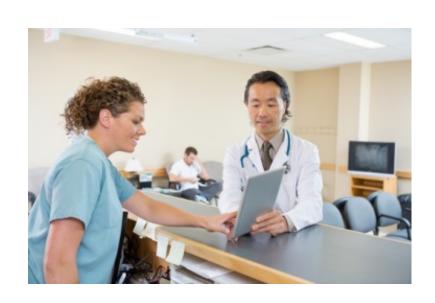
- Gap-in-care alerts
- Reminder services
- Lab and test results

### Point of Care

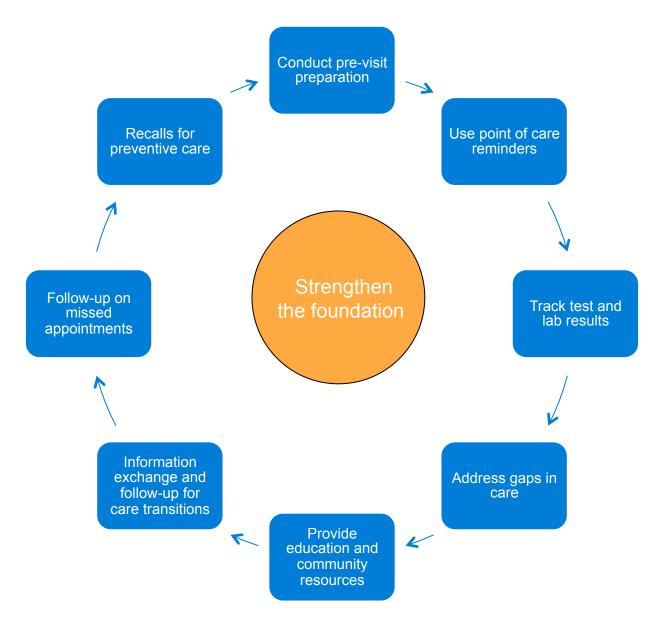
- Medication adherence
- Gap-in-care intervention
- Doctor/patient discussions
- Support enrollment

### Post-visit Follow-up

- Specialist referrals
- Education and community resources



# Care Coordination Workflow





# **Workflow Process**

- Improve performance and increase efficiency
- Use technology pre-visit, at point of care and post-visit
- Identify and address challenges faced by staff and patients
- Decide what is and what is NOT realistic
- Analyze data to measure patient outcomes and effectiveness



# Care Coordination & Continuity

- Staff Responsibilities
  - Effective communication
  - Teamwork
- Patient/Family Involvement
- Access to Information
  - Personalization of care



# Care Coordination Success

**Teamwork** 

Care Management

**Medication Management** 

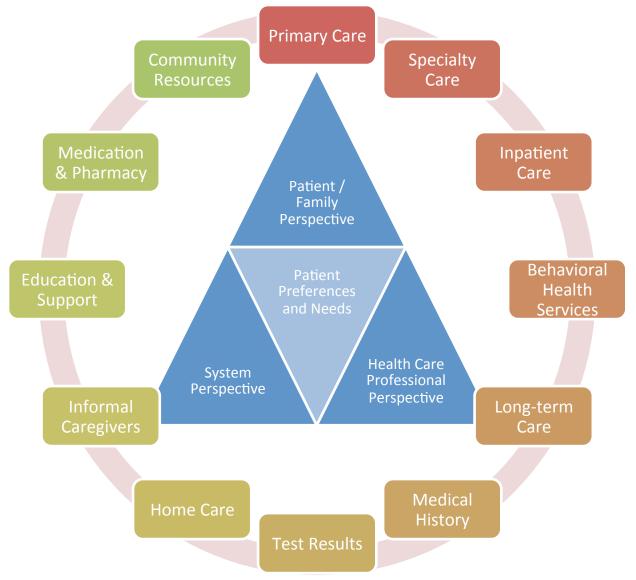
**Reduced Cost of Care** 

Enhanced Patient and Family Engagement

Improved Communication Across Multiple Settings



# Components of Person-Centeredness



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# **CHNCT Resources**



- HUSKY Health website: www.ct.gov/husky
- Secure Provider Portal: http://www.huskyhealthct.org/providers/providers\_login.html
- CareAnalyzer®: https://careanalyzer.dsthealthsolutions.com/careanalyzer/login.aspx
- HUSKY Health PCMH Microsite: http://www.huskyhealthct.org/providers/pcmh.html
- Intensive Care Management & Community Health Worker Provider Line: 800.440.5071, ext. 2024
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