

Challenges and Opportunities for Improving Health and Healthcare in Ohio through Technology



Ohio Health IT Advocacy Day

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Challenge #1: Information Gap



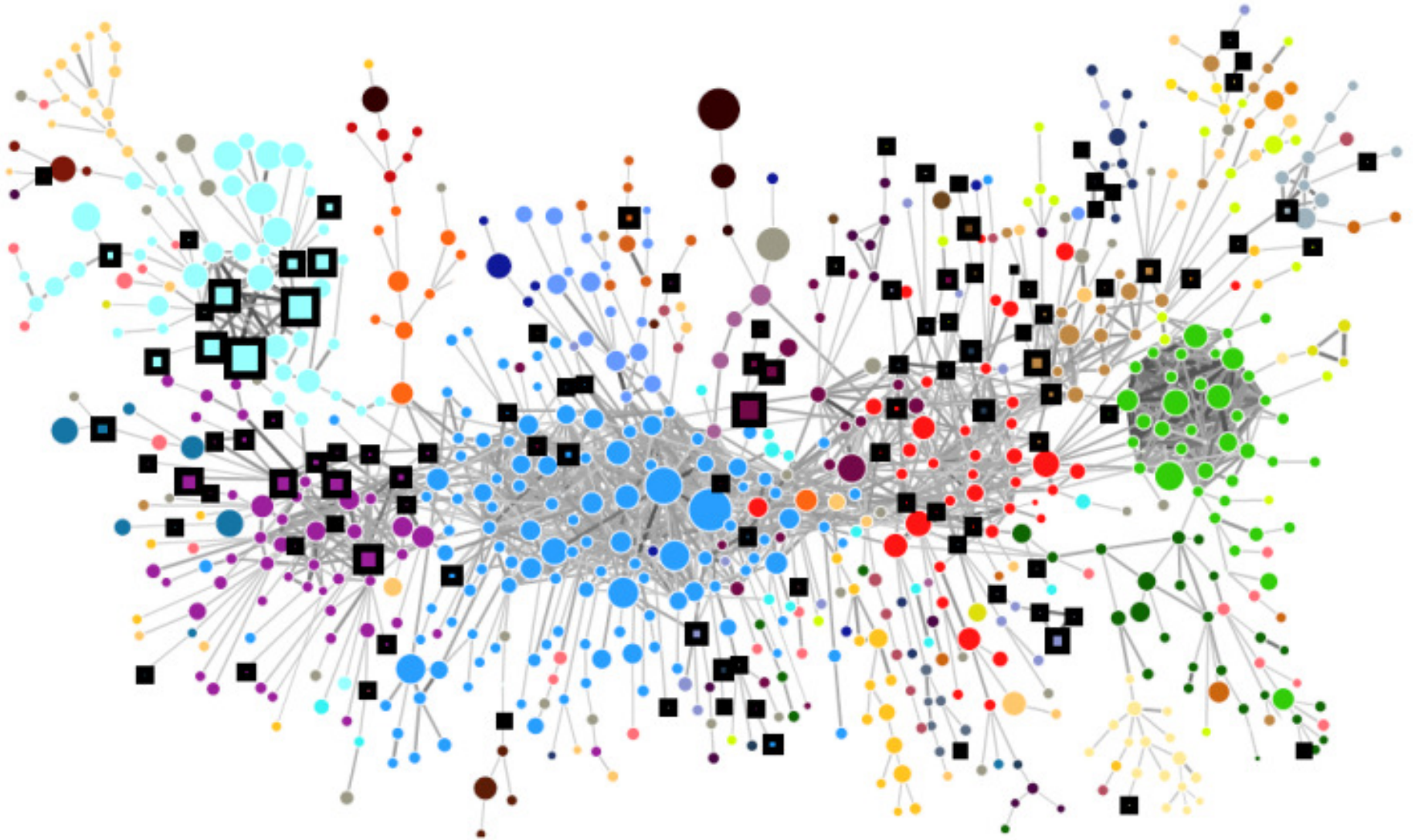
A point of view can be a dangerous luxury when substituted for insight and understanding.



Challenge #2: Competition



Challenge #3: Complexity



The Feds: What are they up to?



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PERSPECTIVE

CMS'S ROLE IN IMPROVING POPULATION HEALTH

Beyond a Traditional Payer — CMS's Role in Improving Population Health

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There is an emerging consensus that to improve health as much as possible, we must adopt population health strategies addressing underlying causes of poor health.¹ The term “population health” has been used to describe both a clinical perspective focused on delivering care to groups enrolled in a health system and a broader perspective that focuses on the health of all people in a given geographic area and emphasizes multisector approaches and incorporation of nonclinical interventions to address social determinants of health.²

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For health plans, Medicaid and Medicare contracts afford greater flexibility than fee-for-service arrangements in paying for population-based services.

National Quality Strategy: How It Works

STAKEHOLDER TYPES

States

Federal and HHS

Private Sector

Multi Stakeholder Groups

PRIORITIES

Six quality concerns that affect most Americans.



Patient Safety



Person- and Family-Centered Care



Effective Communication and Care Coordination



Prevention and Treatment of Leading Causes of Mortality



Health and Well-Being



Affordable Care

LEVERS

Core business functions, resources, and/or actions that may serve as a means for achieving improved health and health care quality.



Measurement and Feedback



Public Reporting



Learning and Technical Assistance



Certification, Accreditation, and Regulation



Consumer Incentives and Benefit Designs



Payment



Health Information Technology



Innovation and Diffusion



Workforce Development

THE THREE AIMS



The National Quality Strategy unites efforts to improve health and health care for all Americans. The above graphic provides a high-level view of how the National Quality Strategy works to provide better, more affordable care for the person and the community.

Who we are

Neutral forum for collective impact among stakeholders



Those *providing*
health care



Those *receiving*
health care



Those *paying*
health care

VISION

To make health and healthcare
a competitive advantage for
Greater Cincinnati and the
communities we serve.

Organizational Infrastructure



...Reorganized



What We'll Cover Today



PCMH

Transforming primary care to better serve wellness, prevention, and disease management



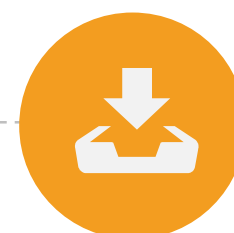
Payment Reform

Payment Reform to align payment to outcomes: The Comprehensive Primary Care Initiative



Transparency

Quality Rankings of Primary Care Physicians and Hospitals- almost 600 physicians reporting



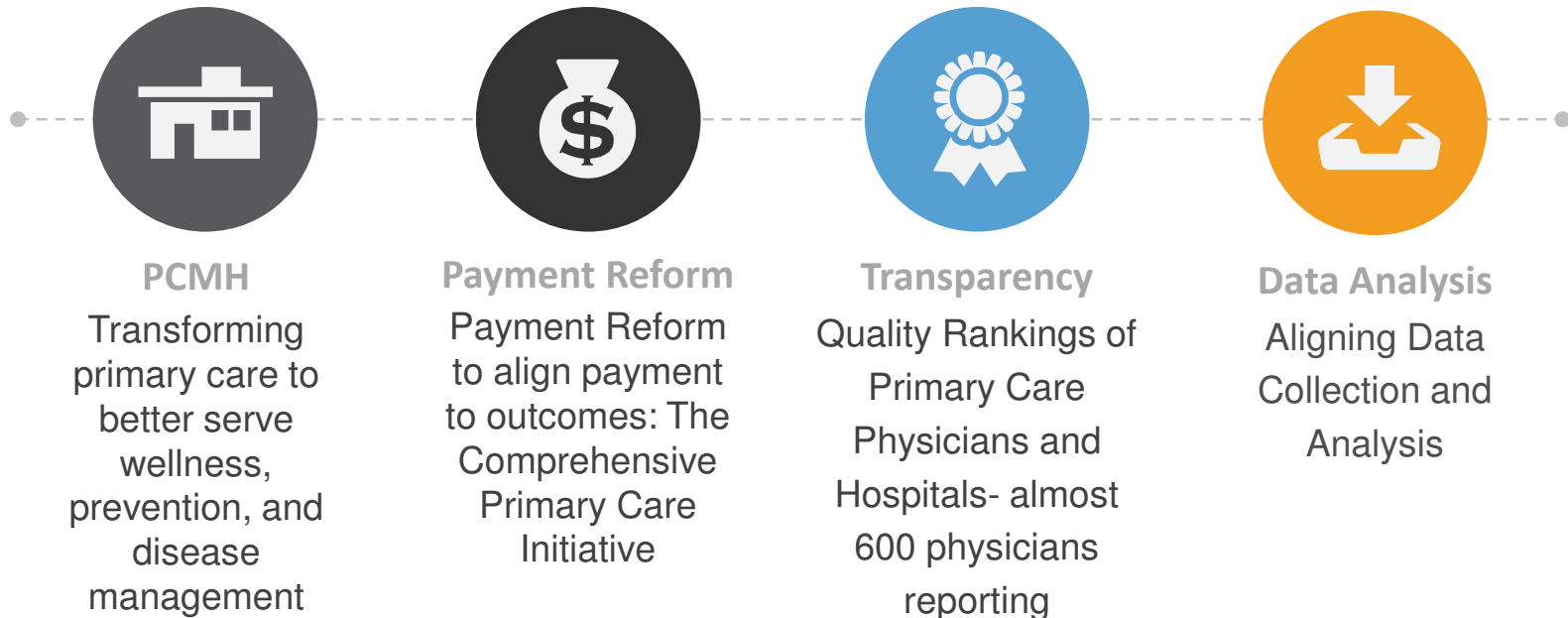
Data Analysis

Aligning Data Collection and Analysis

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Transformation and the PCMH



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The PCMH Model



Source: American Academy of Family Medicine

The Promise of PCMH



**COST
REDUCTIONS**

**\$26.37
PMPM**
(Michigan)

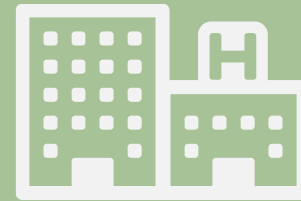
ROI
**2.5 to 1
to 4.5:1**
for every
dollar spent
(Colorado)



**FEWER
ED VISITS**

19%

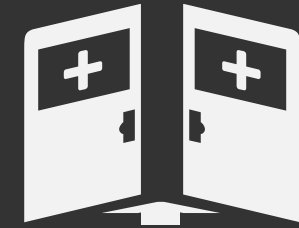
Reduction in
ED Visits (GE)



**INPATIENT
ADMISSIONS**

31%

Decrease in
Inpatient
Admissions
(20 study average)



**FEWER
READMISSIONS**

13%

Decrease in
Readmissions
(20 study average)

The Promise of PCMH



IMPROVEMENT IN POPULATION HEALTH

Fewer complications in diabetes patients (GE)

Increases in screening and immunization rates



IMPROVED ACCESS

Same Day Appointments

After Hours Contact



INCREASE IN PREVENTIVE SERVICES

Nutrition Services

Medication Reconciliation



IMPROVEMENT IN SATISFACTION

Improved Patient Satisfaction

Early Local Results



imagination at work



■ 2008 ■ 2012

Emergency Room Visits per 1000 Members

PCMH PILOT



NON-PCMH MATCHED COHORT



Hospital Admissions per 1000 Members

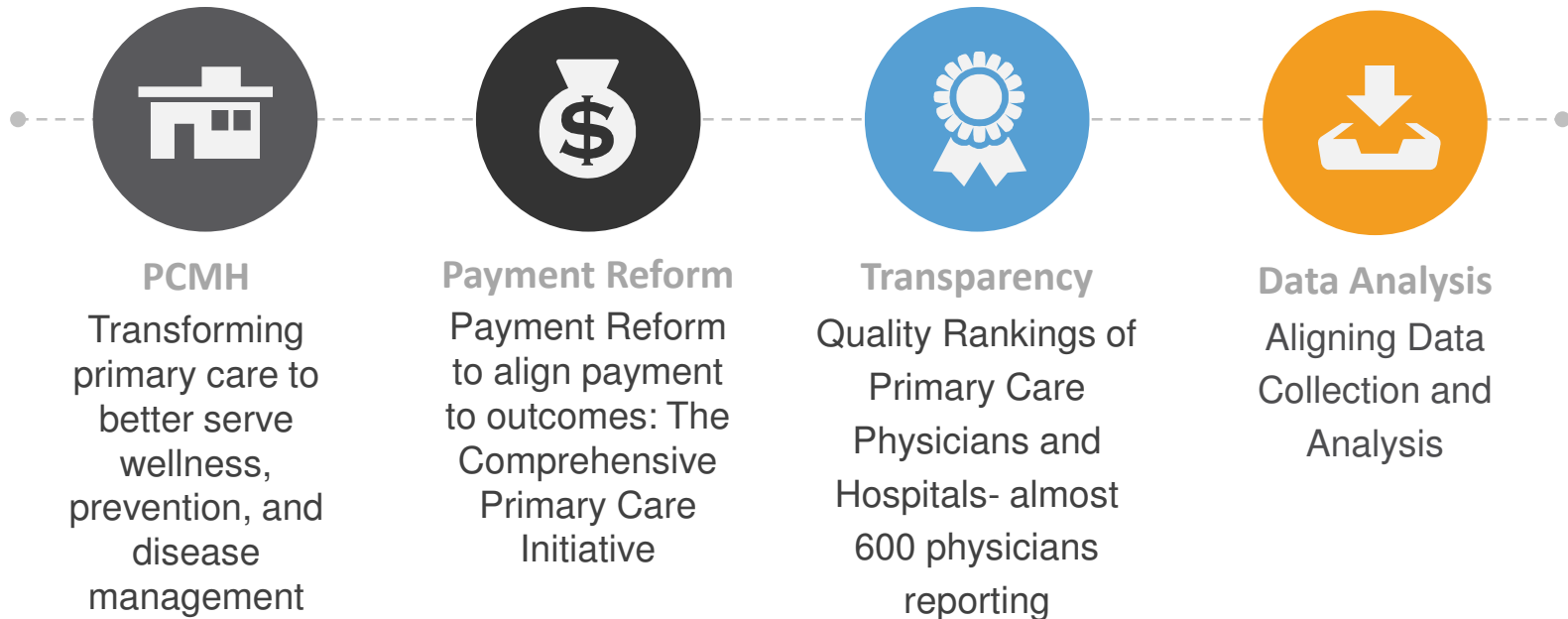
PCMH PILOT



NON-PCMH MATCHED COHORT



Payment Reform



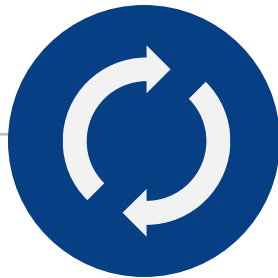
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Paying for Value, Not Volume



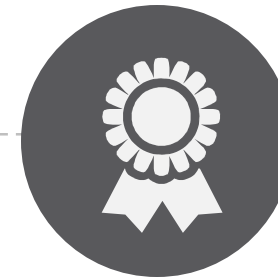
Payment Models that...



**SUPPORT
TRANSFORMATION
ACTIVITIES**



**ENCOURAGE CARE
COORDINATION
AND PREVENTION**



**REWARD
OUTCOMES**



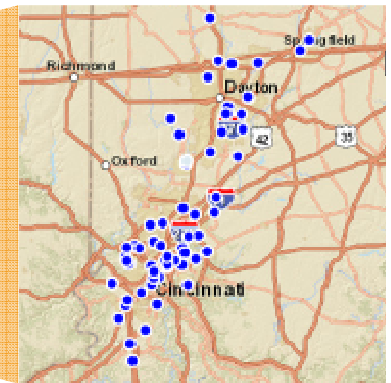
Greater Cincinnati
1 of only 7
chosen sites nationally

75 practices and
261 providers

Multi-payer:
9 health plans +
Medicare

300,000 estimated
commercial,
Medicaid and
Medicare enrollees

65 miles from
Williamstown, KY to Piqua, OH



- ⌘ Care management
- ⌘ 24/7 patient access
- ⌘ Patient experience focus
- ⌘ Quality improvement
- ⌘ Care coordination
- ⌘ Patient engagement
- ⌘ Learning collaborative participation
- ⌘ Health Information Technology



Sustainability = Meaningful incentives for investment in practice transformation



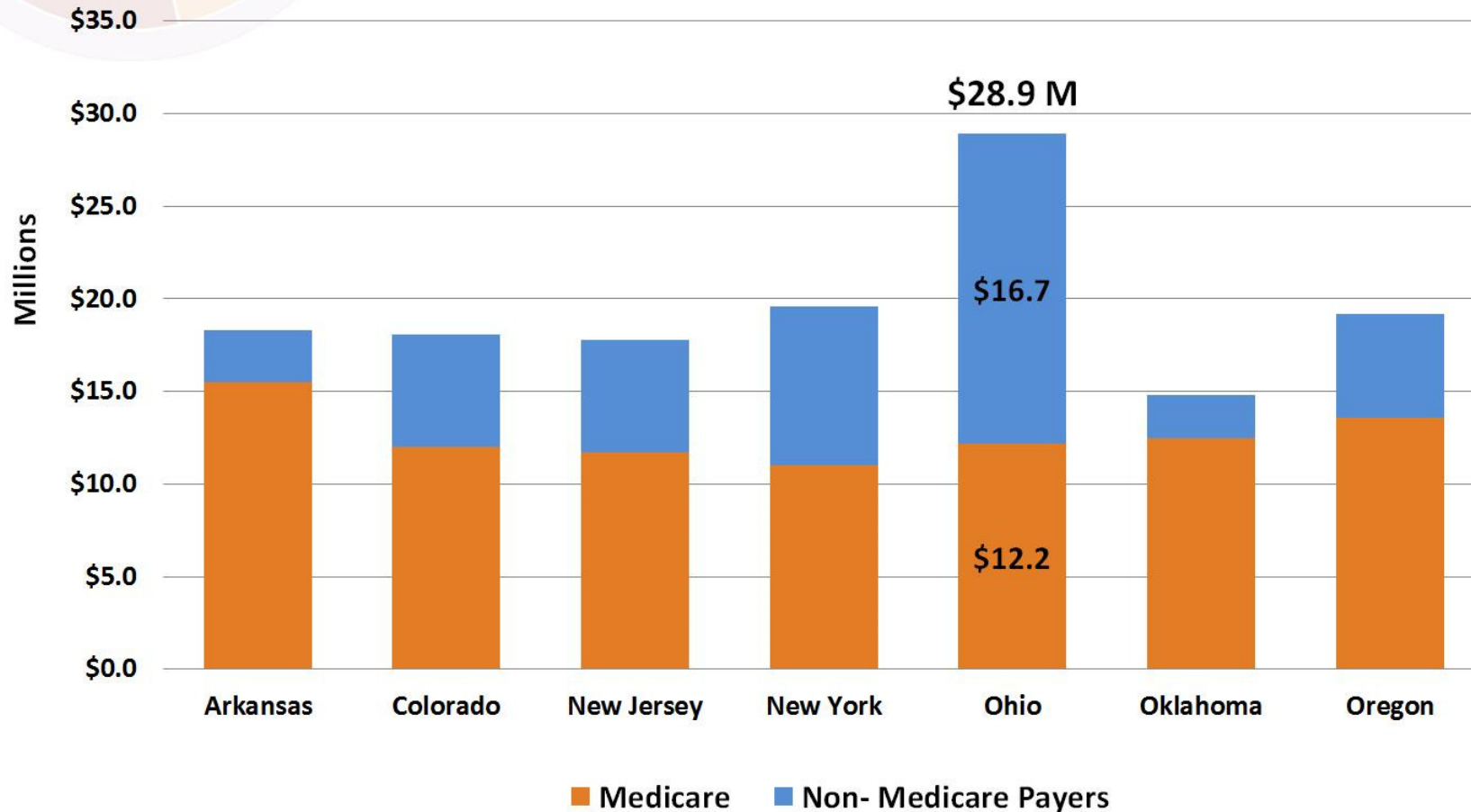
Risk = Not enough employer participation



Risk = Insufficient information for improvement and accountability

The CPC Investment

Care Management Payments
through 12/31/13



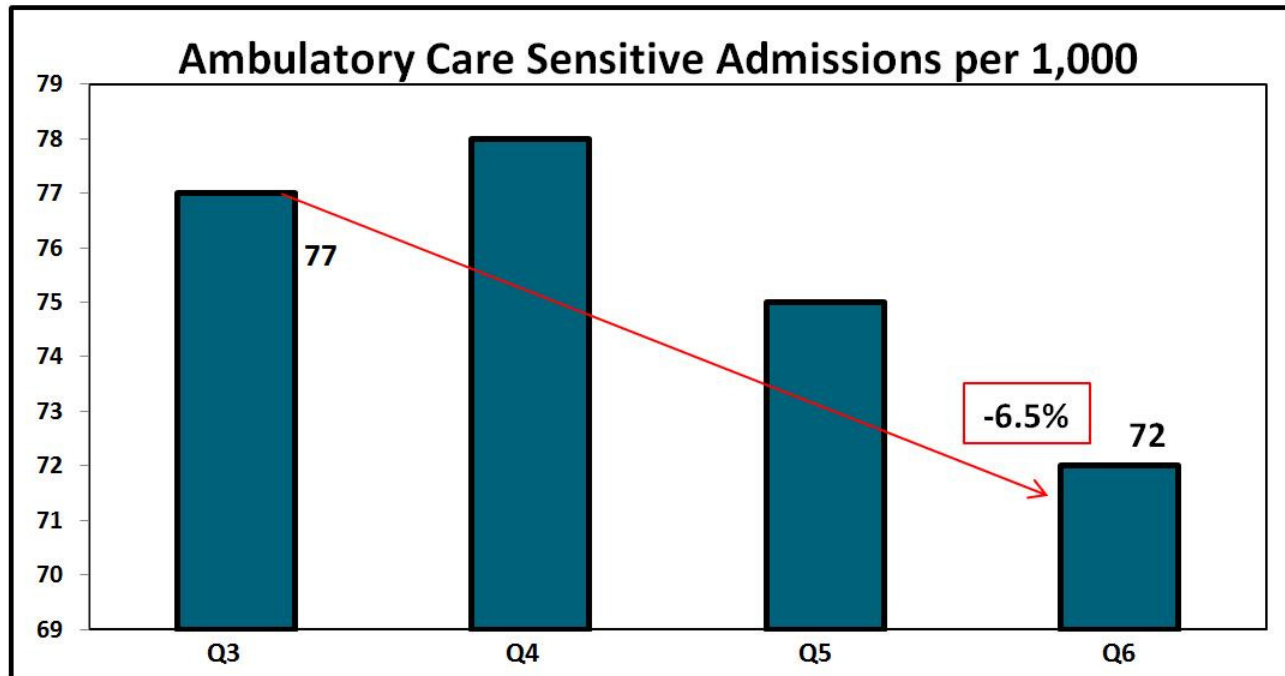
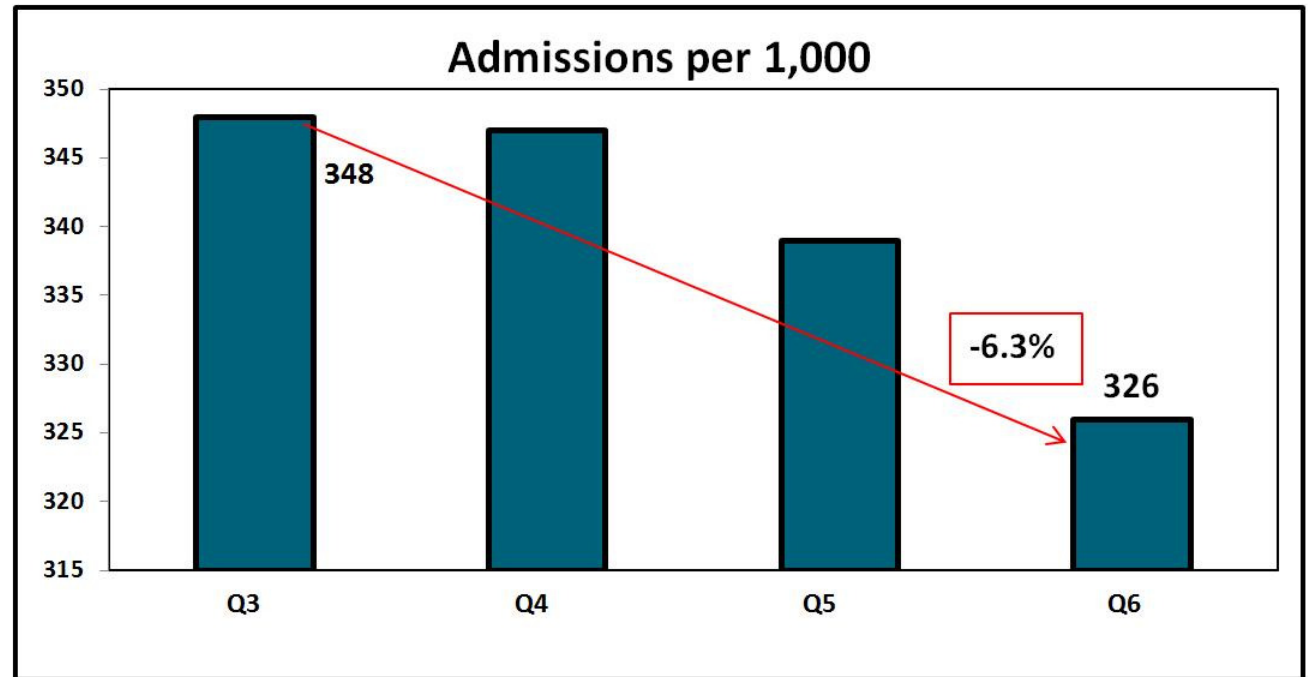
Source: Non-Medicare Payers: Self-reported Milestone 1 submissions from participating practices for PY 2013; Medicare: CMS Payment Data.
Notes: Practice-reported Medicare data was overwritten with CMS data. Medicare data were cleaned to remove information that appeared inaccurate or incomplete.

What do we learn from the data?

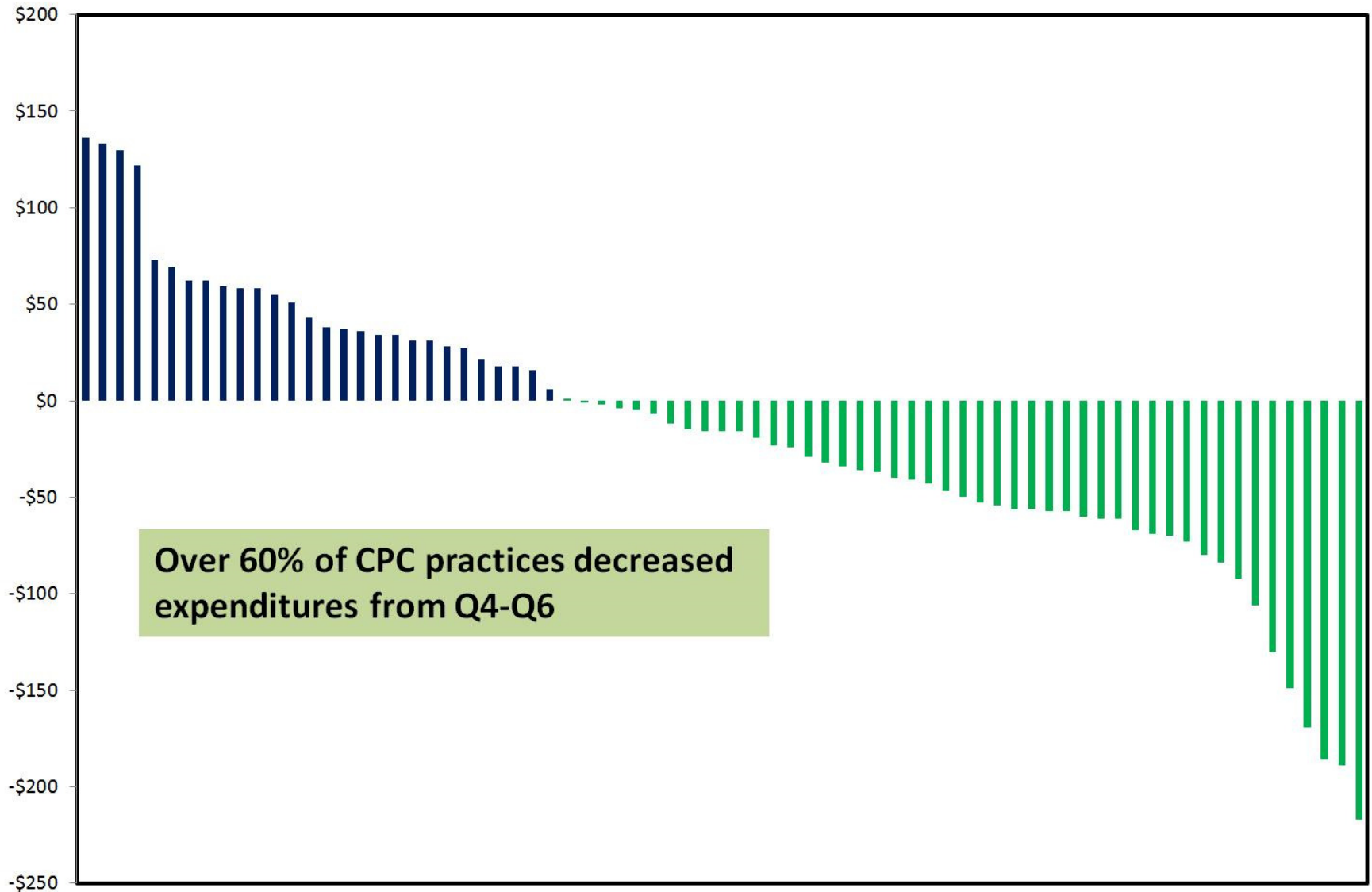
- **Region level and Practice level:**
 - What are the characteristics of our population?
 - Are we reducing expenditures?
 - How are we doing in key utilization areas?
 - How much variation is there amongst practices?
 - How is our quality?



Region View of Key Utilization Areas



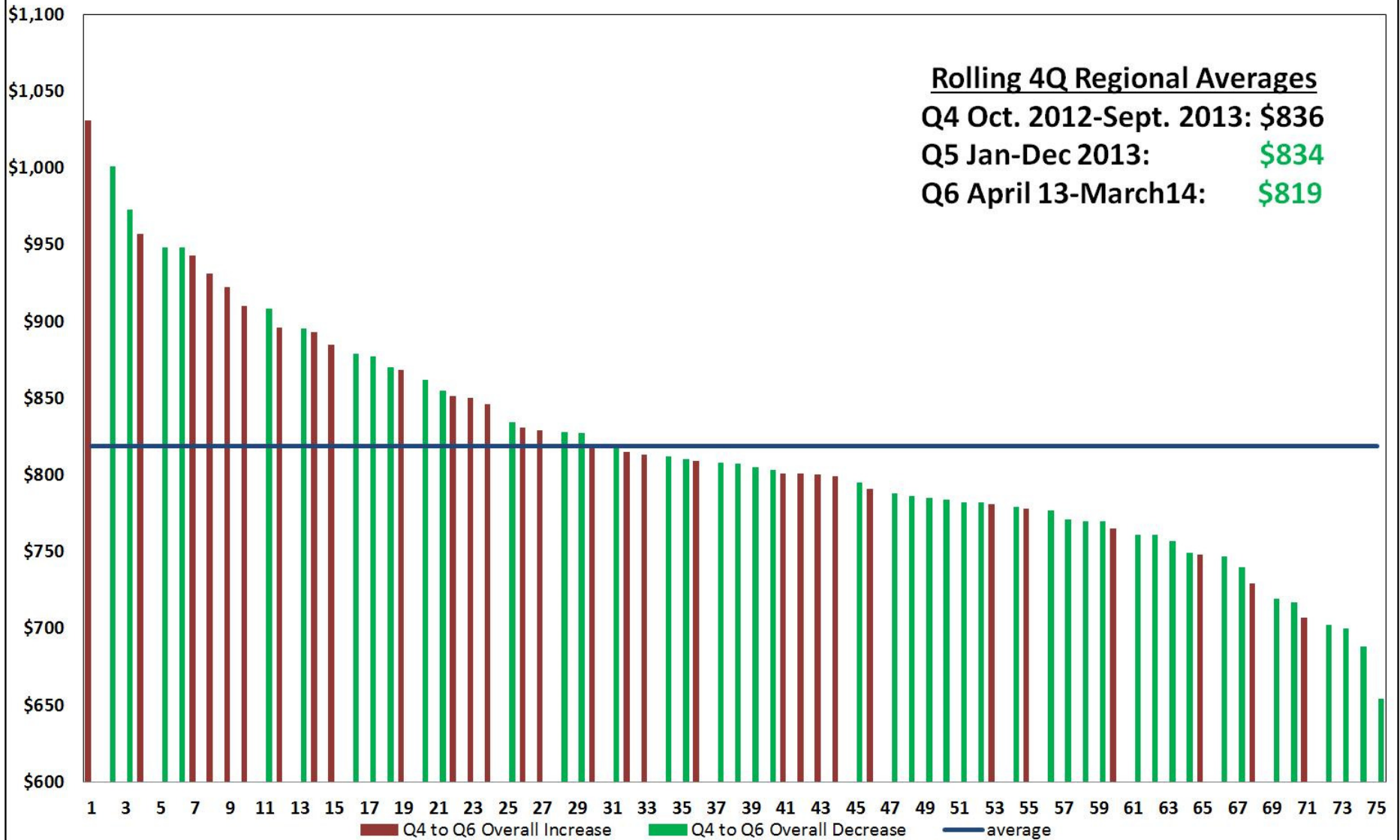
CPC Practice Expenditure Increase/Decrease



Over 60% of CPC practices decreased expenditures from Q4-Q6

Practice Level Expenditure Variation

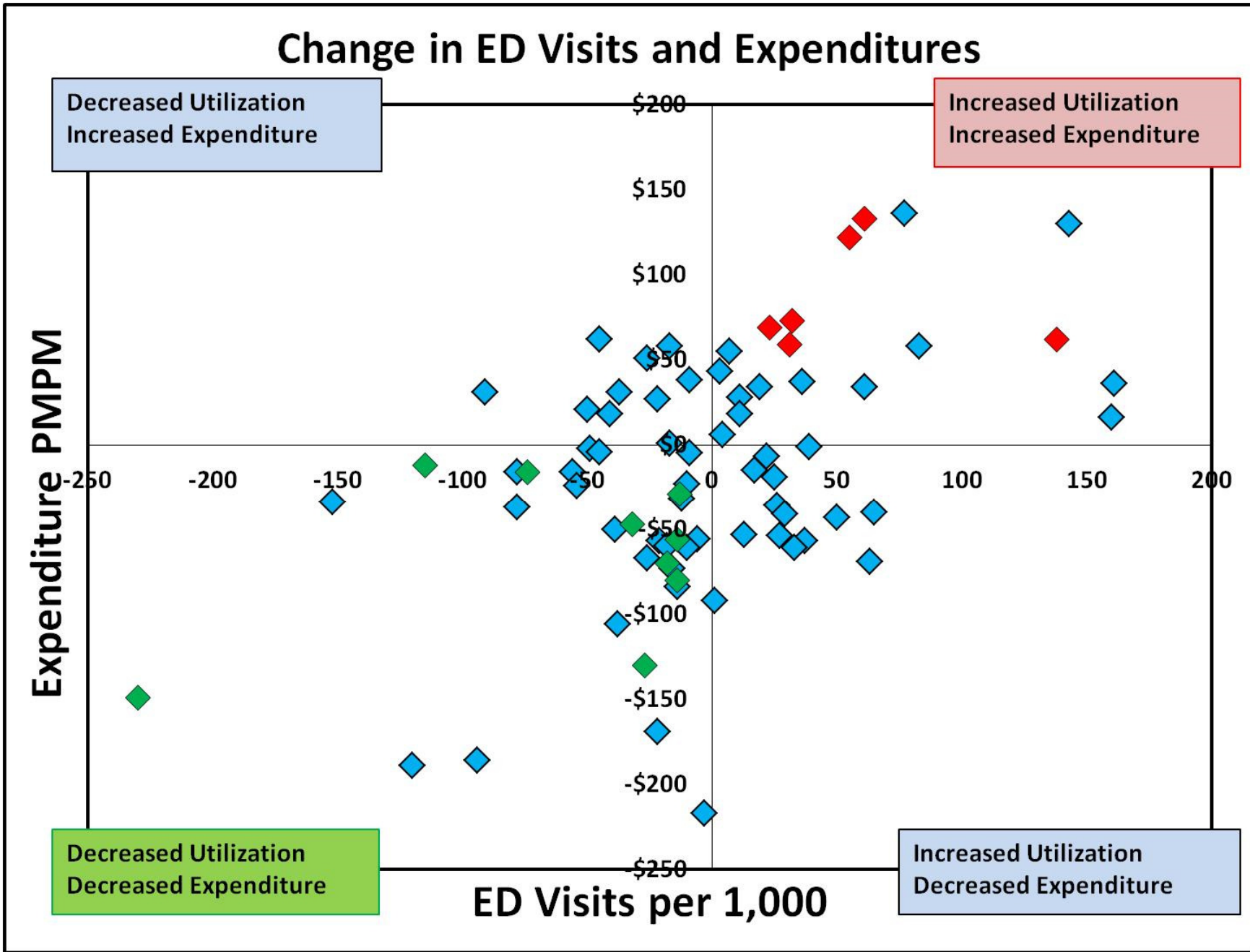
CPC Practice Expenditures PMPM



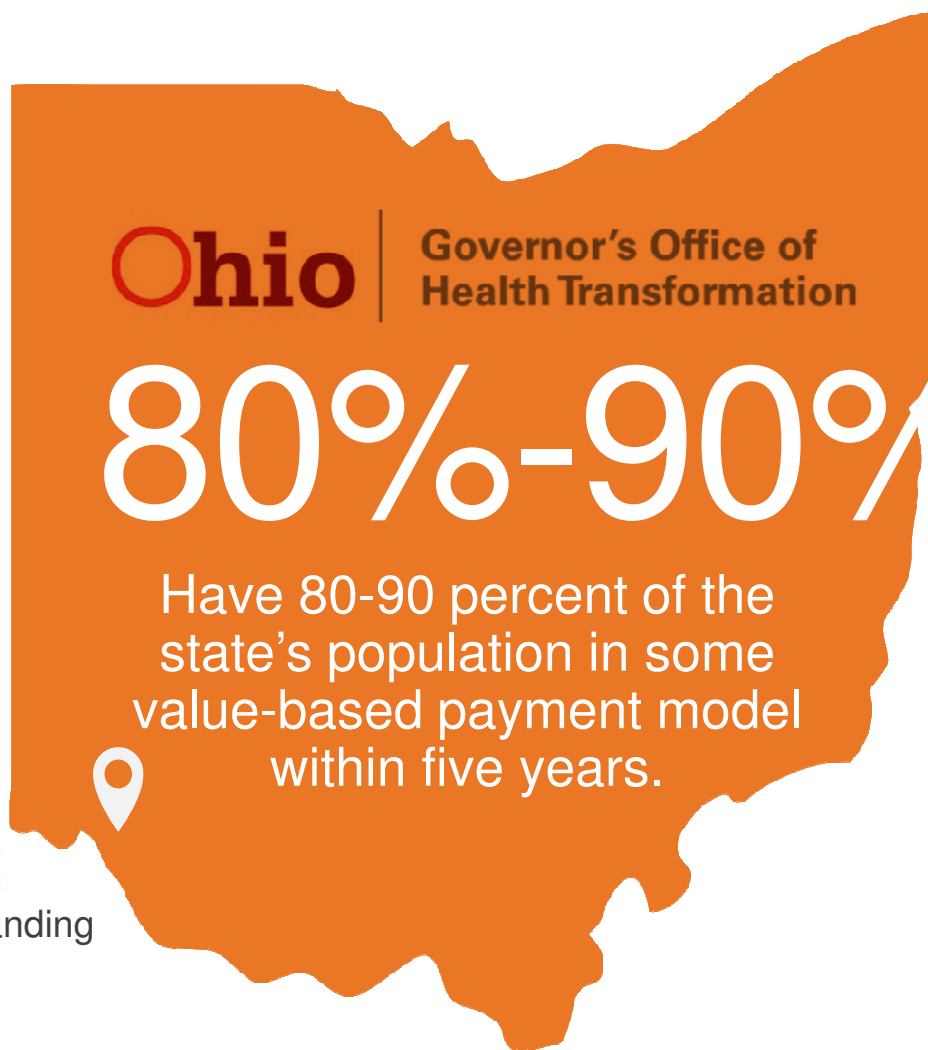
Practice-level Transparency



Practice Name	Expenditure Change Q4-Q6	ED Change Q4-Q6	ACSC Change Q4-Q6	30 Day Readmit Change Q4-Q6	Admission Change Q4-Q6
Practice A	\$62.00	-45	-23	21	-28
Practice B	-\$2.00	-49	6	-22	-31
Practice C	-\$217.00	-3	-10	4	-15
Practice D	-\$169.00	-22	-25	-59	-24
Practice E	-\$149.00	-230	15	15	-124
Practice F	\$62.00	138	4	17	22
Practice G	\$28.00	11	11	28	-11
Practice H	\$37.00	36	18	43	23
Practice I	-\$19.00	25	8	16	-37



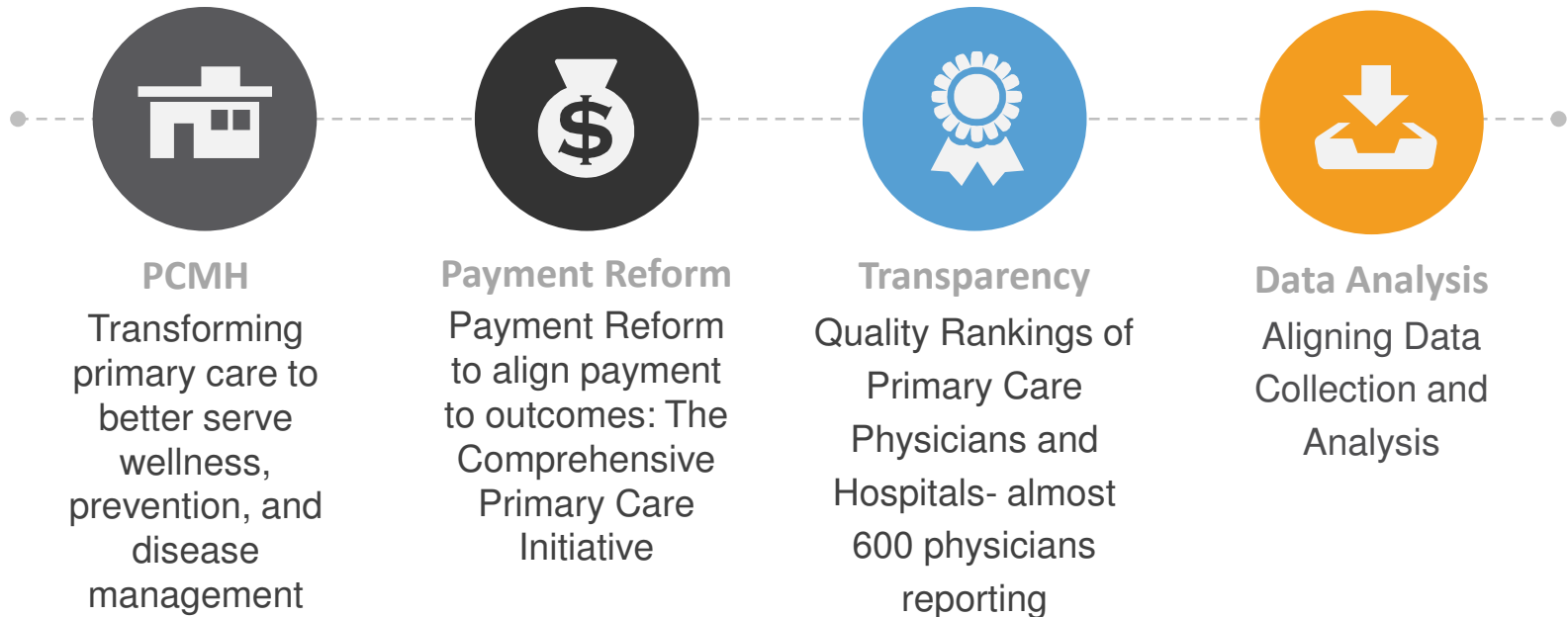
CPC Serving as Model for Ohio



Key Driver for Expanding
PCMH Statewide



Transparency



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Transparency is happening...



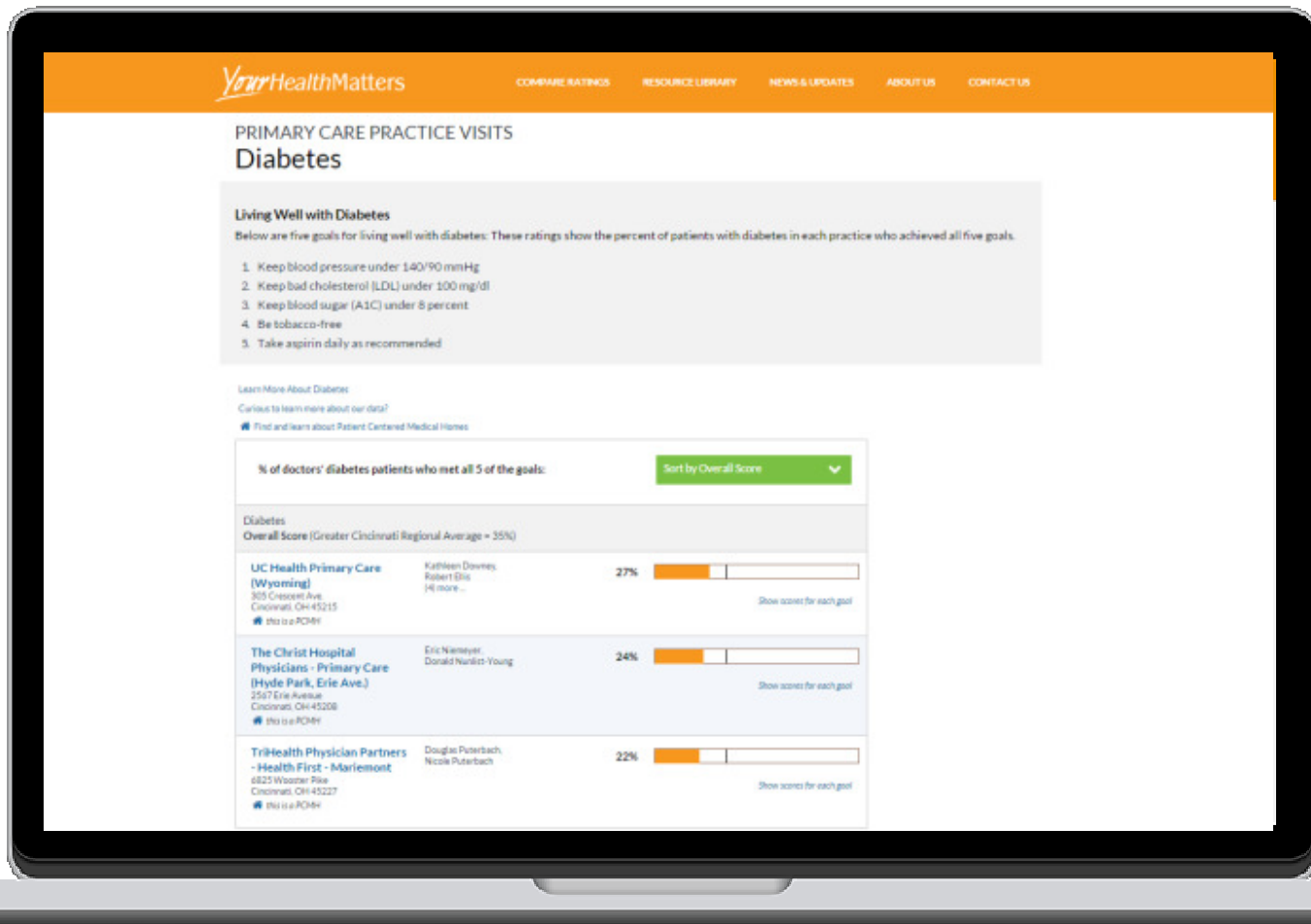


Primary Care Providers Diabetes

- Cardiovascular Health
- Colon Cancer Screening Rates
- Patient Experience

Hospital

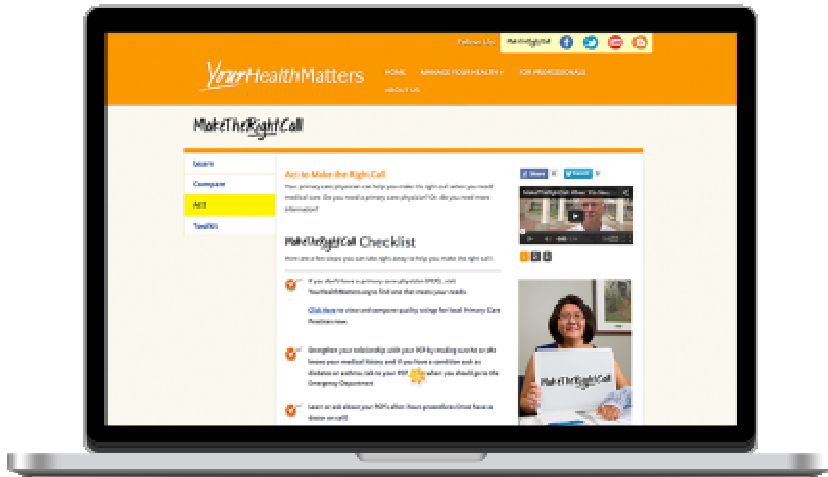
- Effectiveness
- Patient Experience
- Emergency Department



MakeTheRightCall

Goal:

Reduce unnecessary ED use by building a better relationship with a primary care doctor.





Campaign Videos

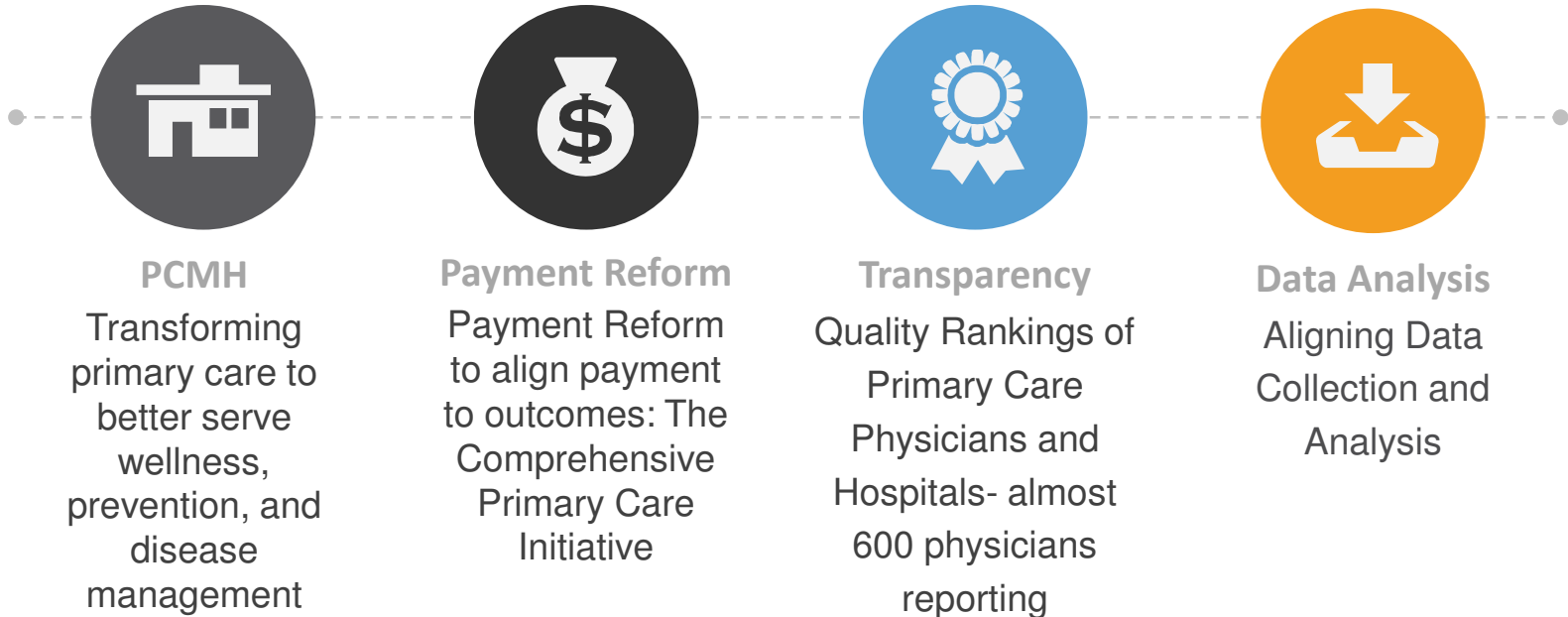
“Know the Difference”



Primary Care Physician? Or Emergency Room Physician?



Data Analysis



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BENEFITS OF ALL-PAYER CLAIMS DATABASE



Need for a neutral, trusted, local source of truth



Community-wide view of cost and utilization for decision support and benchmarking



Transparency for consumers and payers seeking high quality care

Better Data, Better Decisions



CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES

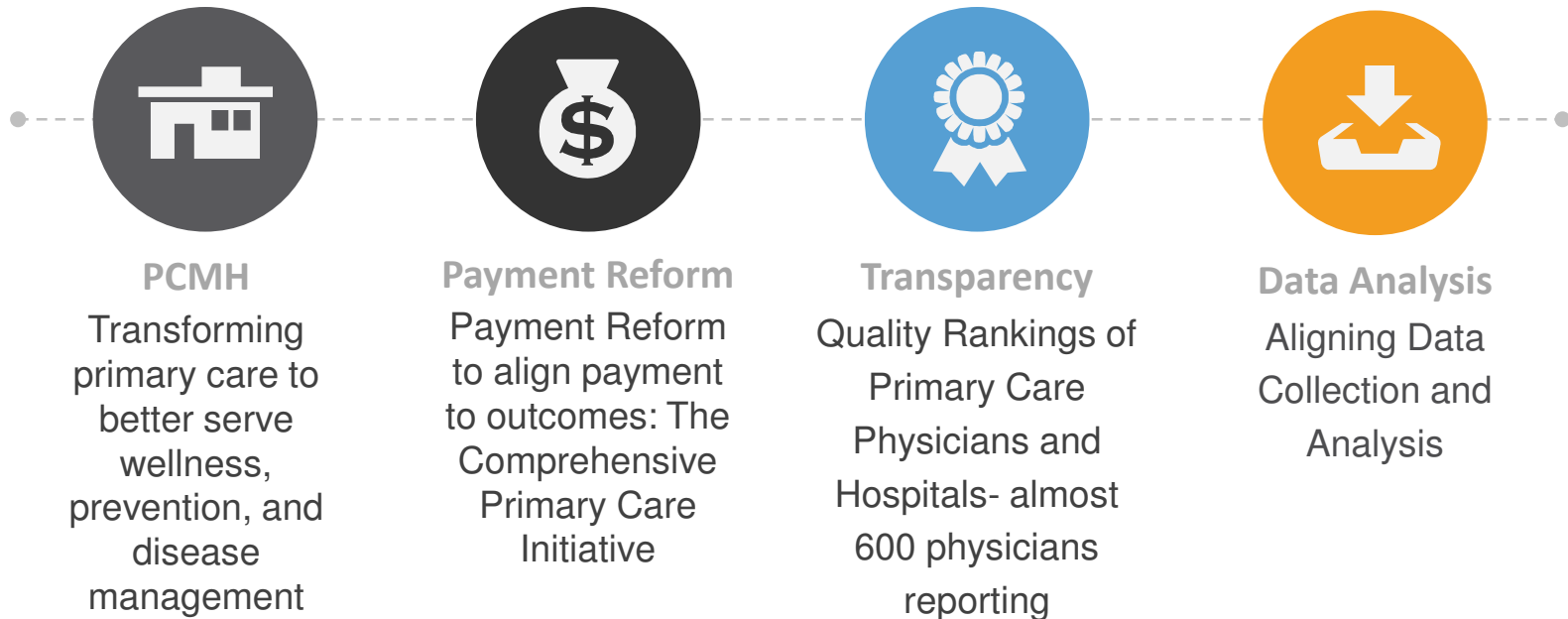


MEDICARE DATA SHARING PROGRAM

- 1 of 12 organization to receive qualified entity status
- Medicare data for analysis of cost and utilization to drive improvement
- Add Commercial claims data for a full and accurate picture



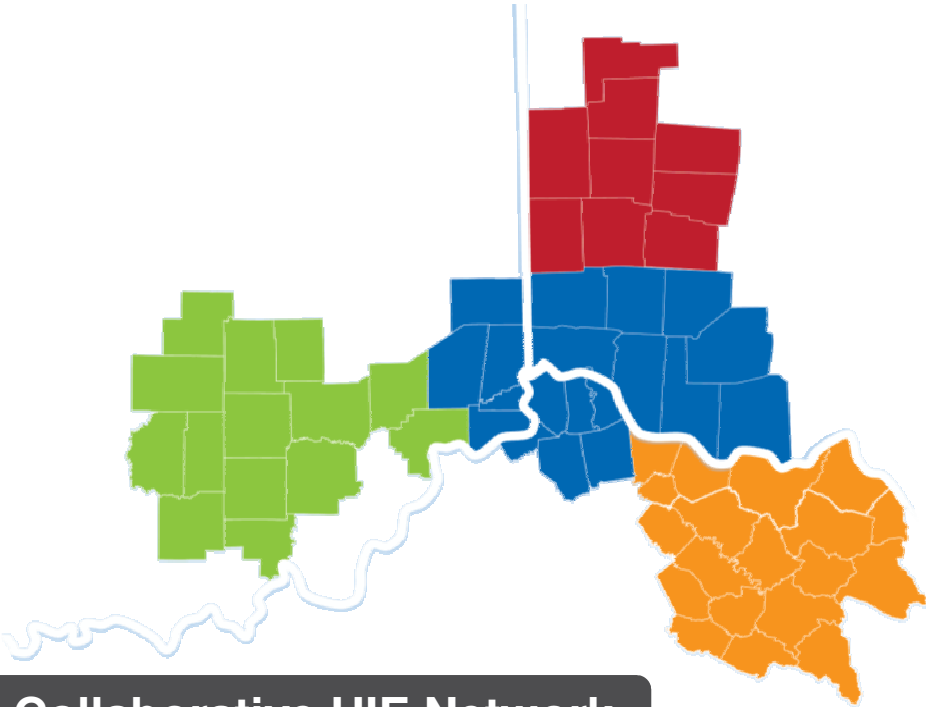
Health Information Exchange and Data Management



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HealthBridge HIE Network



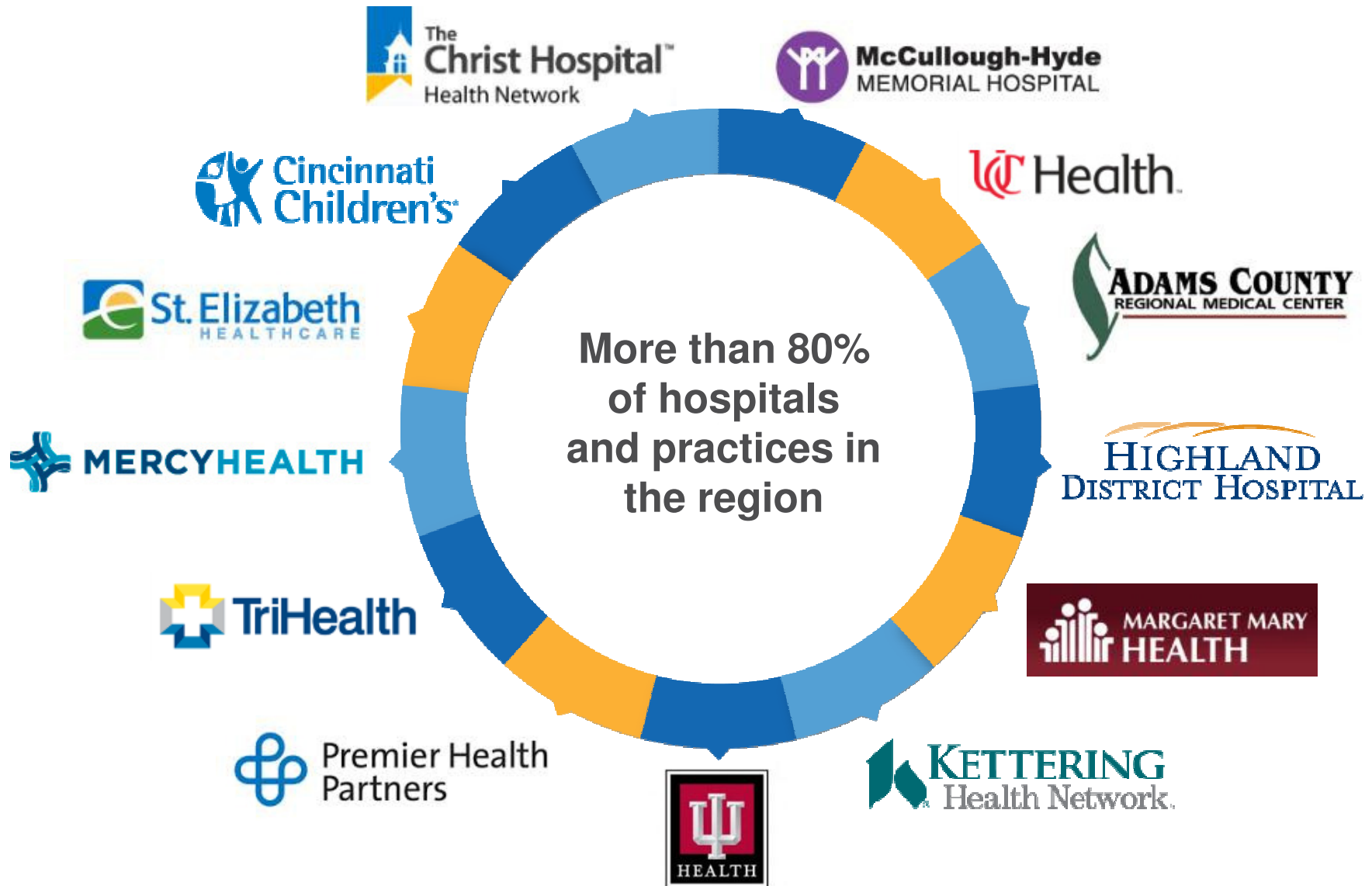
- Total HIE Network**
- 50+ Hospitals
 - 9000 Doctors
 - 3+ Million patients

Collaborative HIE Network

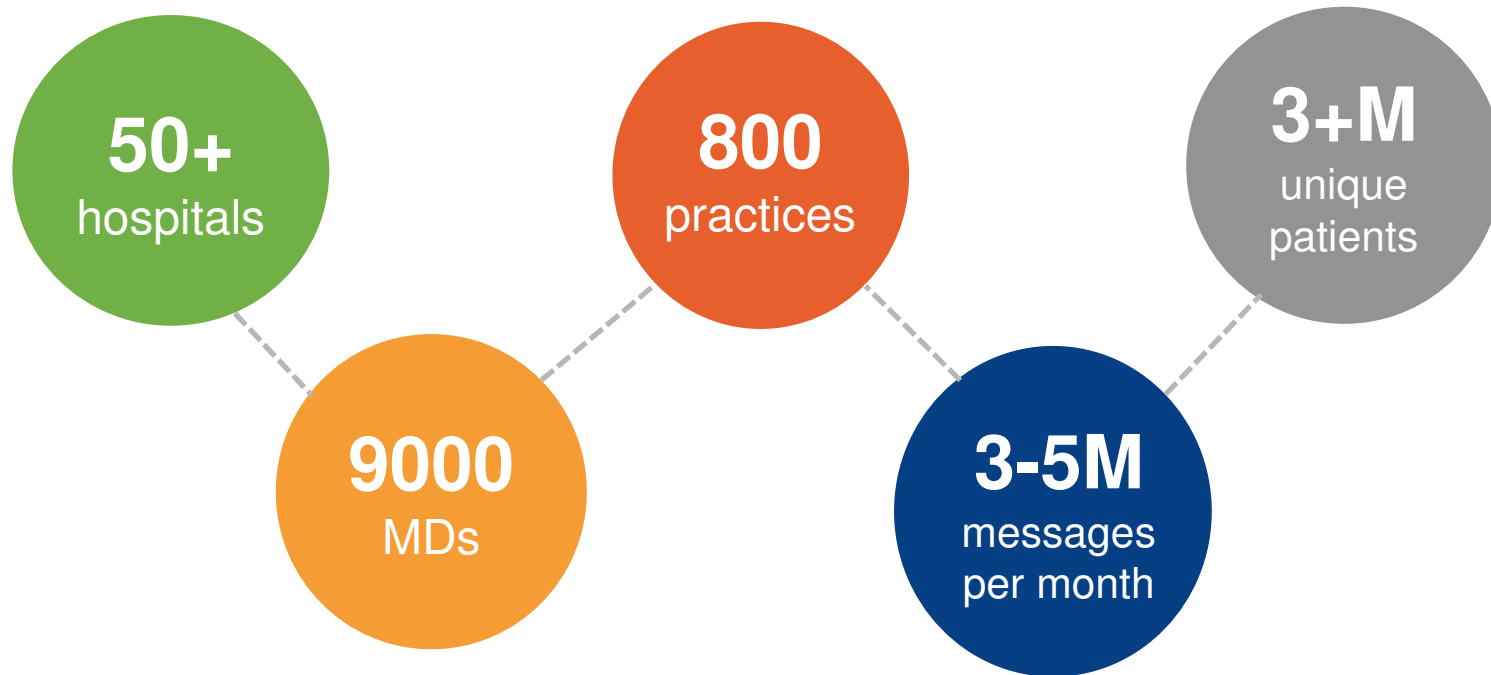
HB provides technology infrastructure for three other HIEs



Health System Participation



Connection Statistics



>80% of physicians & hospitals exchanging data through HealthBridge

Architecture

Who We Get Data From



Hospitals



Physicians Practices & Clinics



Lab Providers



Imaging/Radiology Providers



Health Plan Data

How We Handle Data

Core HIE Technologies



Inbound Integration Engine



Data Normalization



Identity Management Solution



Clinical Repository



Routing Logic



Outbound Integration Engine

Who We Send Data To



Physicians Practices & Clinics



Health Systems



Post Acute & Social Services

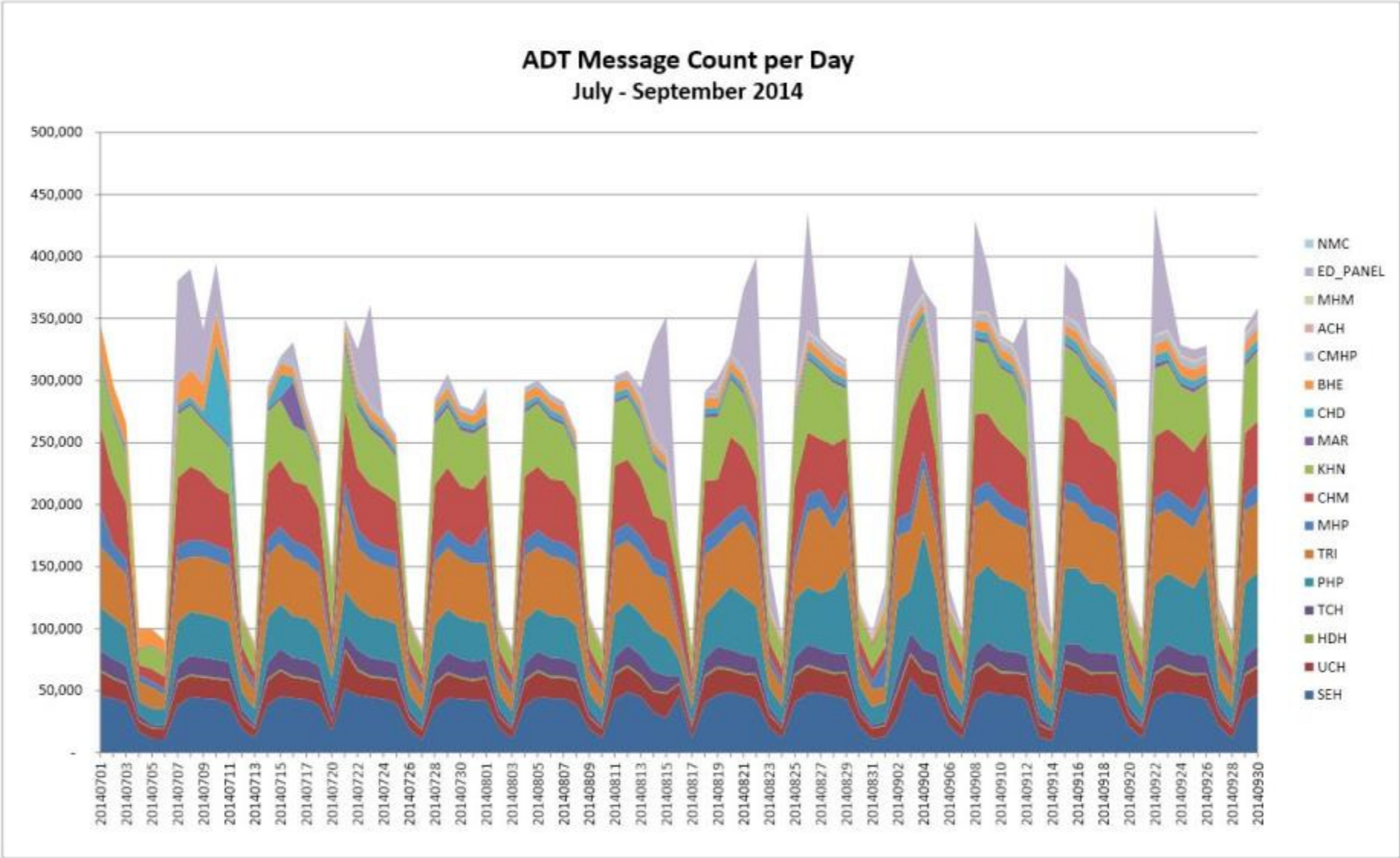


Patients & Families



State HIE Connectivity

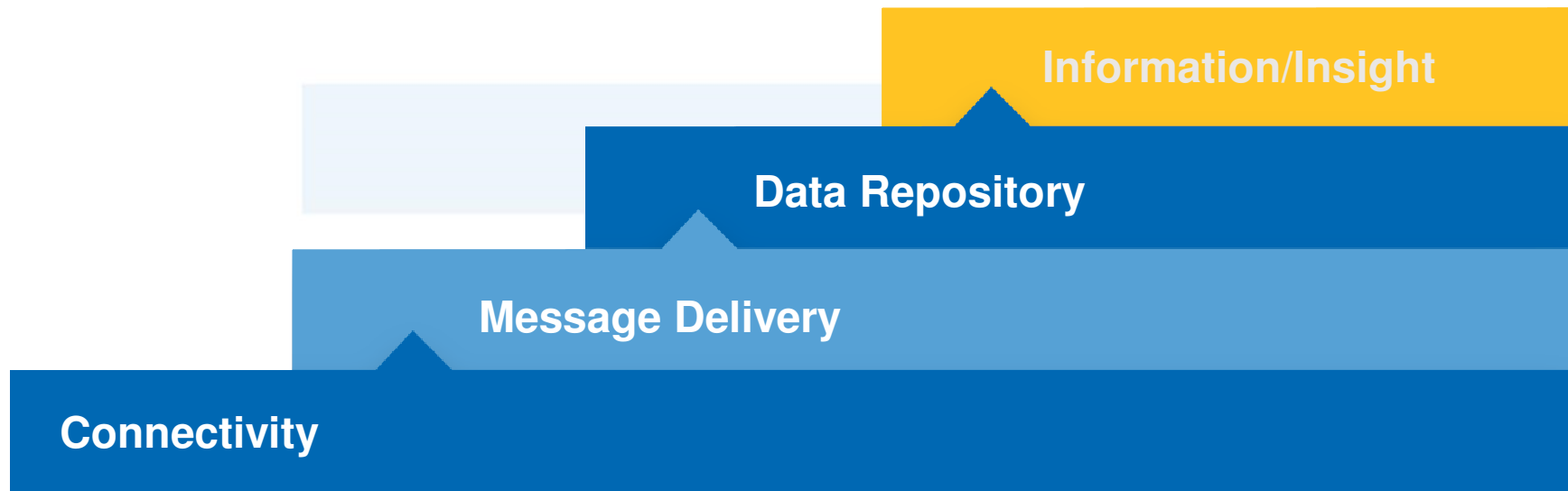
Identity Management



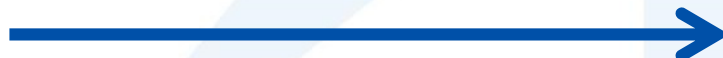
HIE Evolution

“The goal is to turn data into information, and information into insight.”

- Carly Fiorina

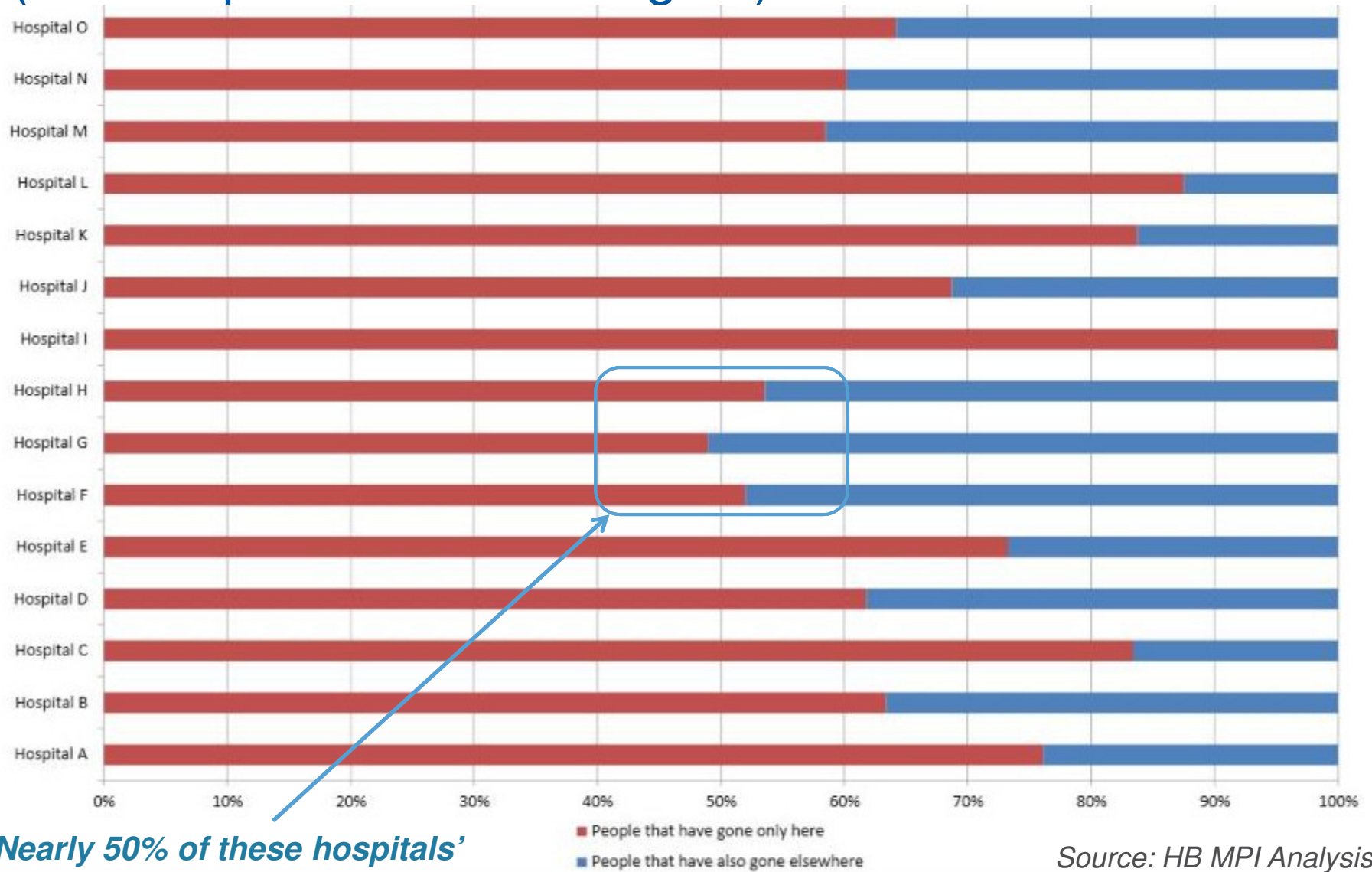


Transactional



Data-Driven Decision Making

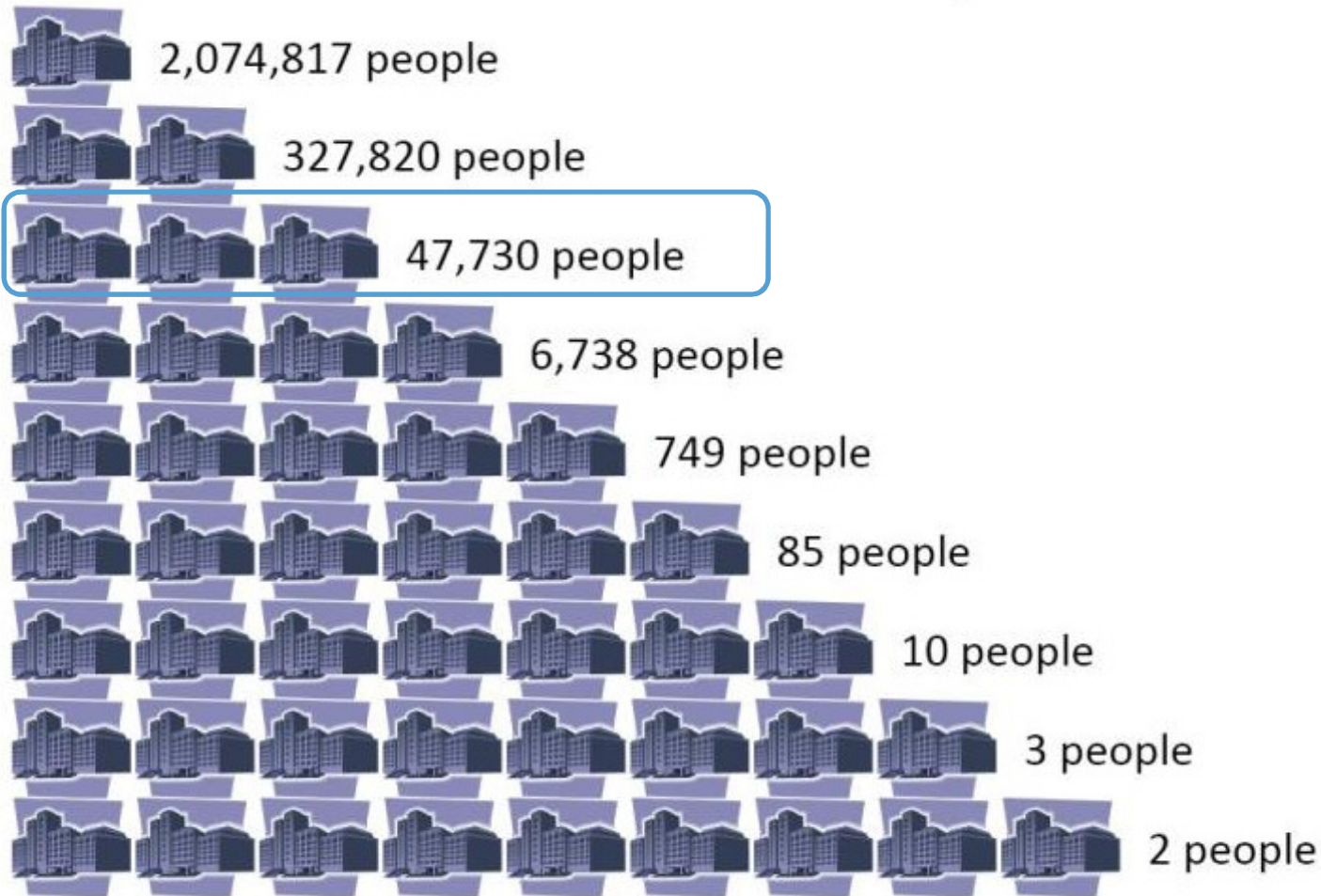
750K of 2.3M Use Multiple Health Systems (32% of patients in the region)



Nearly 50% of these hospitals' patients also go somewhere else.

*Source: HB MPI Analysis,
Jan – Sept 2014*

More than 50,000 Patients Went to 3 or More DIFFERENT Health Systems for Care



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Attacking Unhelpful ED Visits

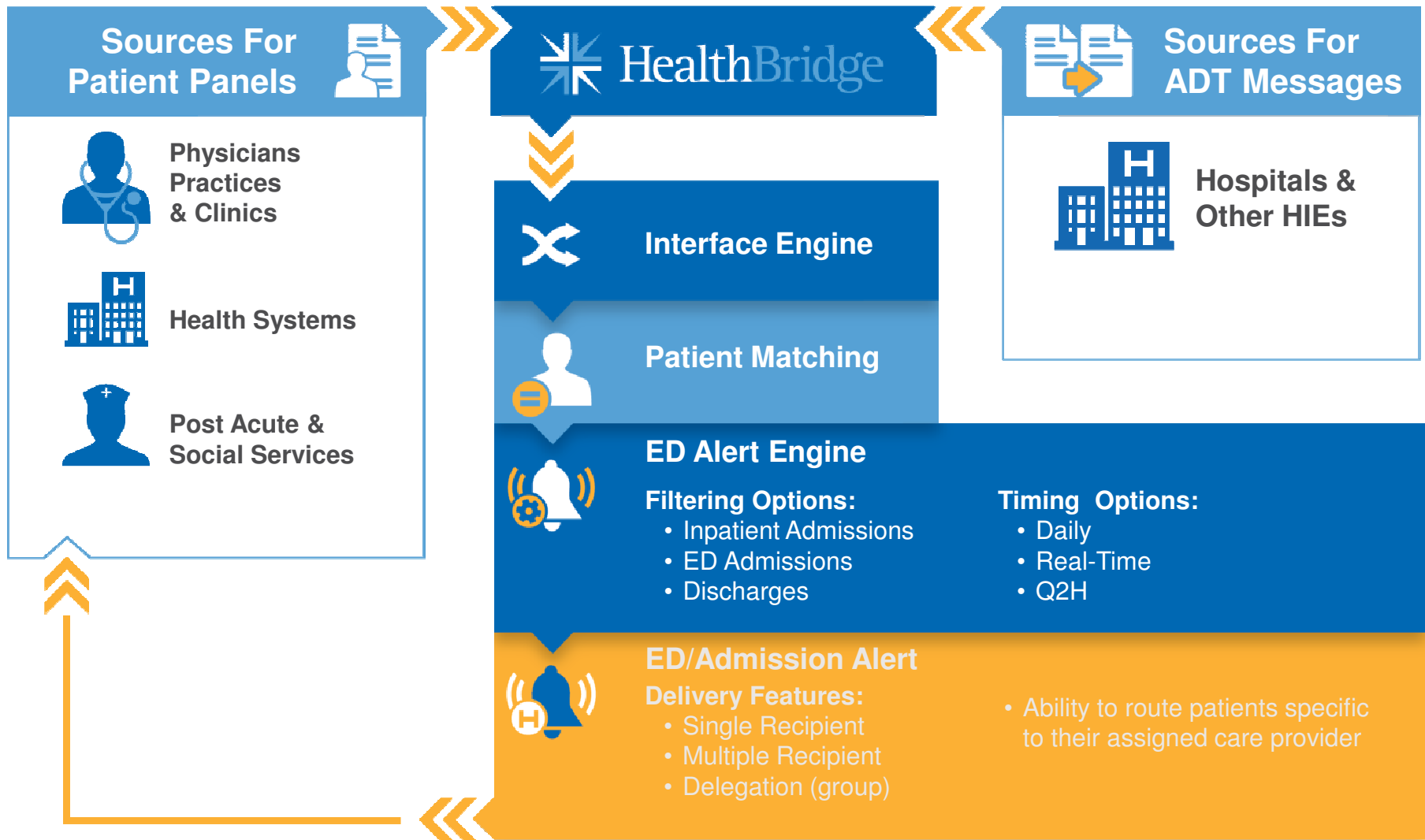


A care coordination issue, particularly for chronically ill patients

- PCPs get little information about patient ED visits
- Unknown how many patients use ED for non-urgent illnesses
- Many follow up appointments after ED visit involve “data gathering”
- Processes for ED follow up inconsistent – risk for further ED use and hospitalizations
- Few off-the-shelf improvement tools and processes for ED visits



Event Notification



Event Notification



- Alerts System participating organizations include:
 - ⌘ 21 hospitals
 - ⌘ 87 primary care practices
 - ⌘ 200+ Adult PCPs
 - ⌘ 300+ Pediatricians
 - ⌘ 35,000 patients with Diabetes
 - ⌘ 30,000 patients with Pediatric Asthma
 - ⌘ Visiting Nurses Association and Council on Aging
 - ⌘ HealthLinc HIE network in Bloomington, IN

⌘ 7,000 - 10,000 alerts sent per month currently



Success!



- 5 yr old girl had visited the ED 5X in the previous year for uncontrolled asthma
- Alert notified practice that this patient was in crisis
- Medical Home followed up immediately
- Parent alerted to same day, open access scheduling – no need for the ED visit
- Great continued follow up and monitoring have kept her healthy



An Overarching Strategy



— * THE HEALTH COLLABORATIVE * —

COLLECTIVE
IMPACT  ON HEALTH

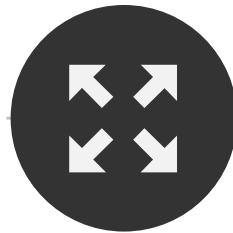
— * DATA-DRIVEN HEALTH IMPROVEMENT IN GREATER CINCINNATI * —

A Collective Vision and Strategy Informed by Data Can Drive Change



Opportunity

If we don't find local solutions, someone else's solutions will be forced upon us.



Drive Change

Communities and employers collectively need to drive improved health throughout the entire system.



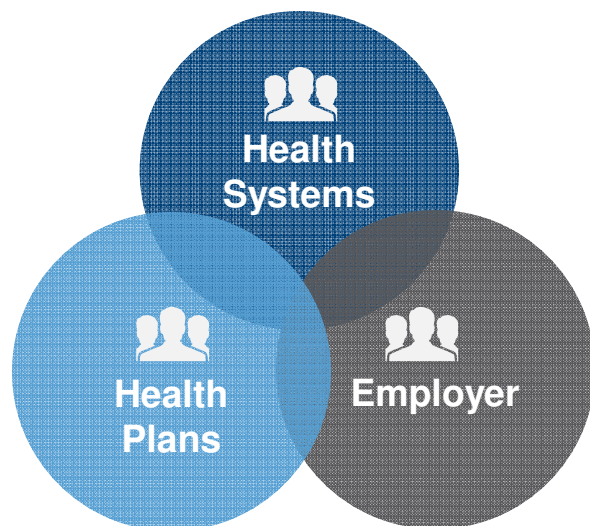
Innovation

We have a unique collaboration in place in Greater Cincinnati foundational to leading health care innovation.

“ *masters of our health destiny* ”



...By Working Collaboratively



Cooperation

Health systems, health plans and employers have a 21 year history of cooperation.

Quality

Currently leading successful QI initiatives in physician offices and in the hospital setting.

Infrastructure

Capacity to securely collect and manage health data files. Soon be receiving Medicare Data



7,500 CONNECTED PHYSICIANS

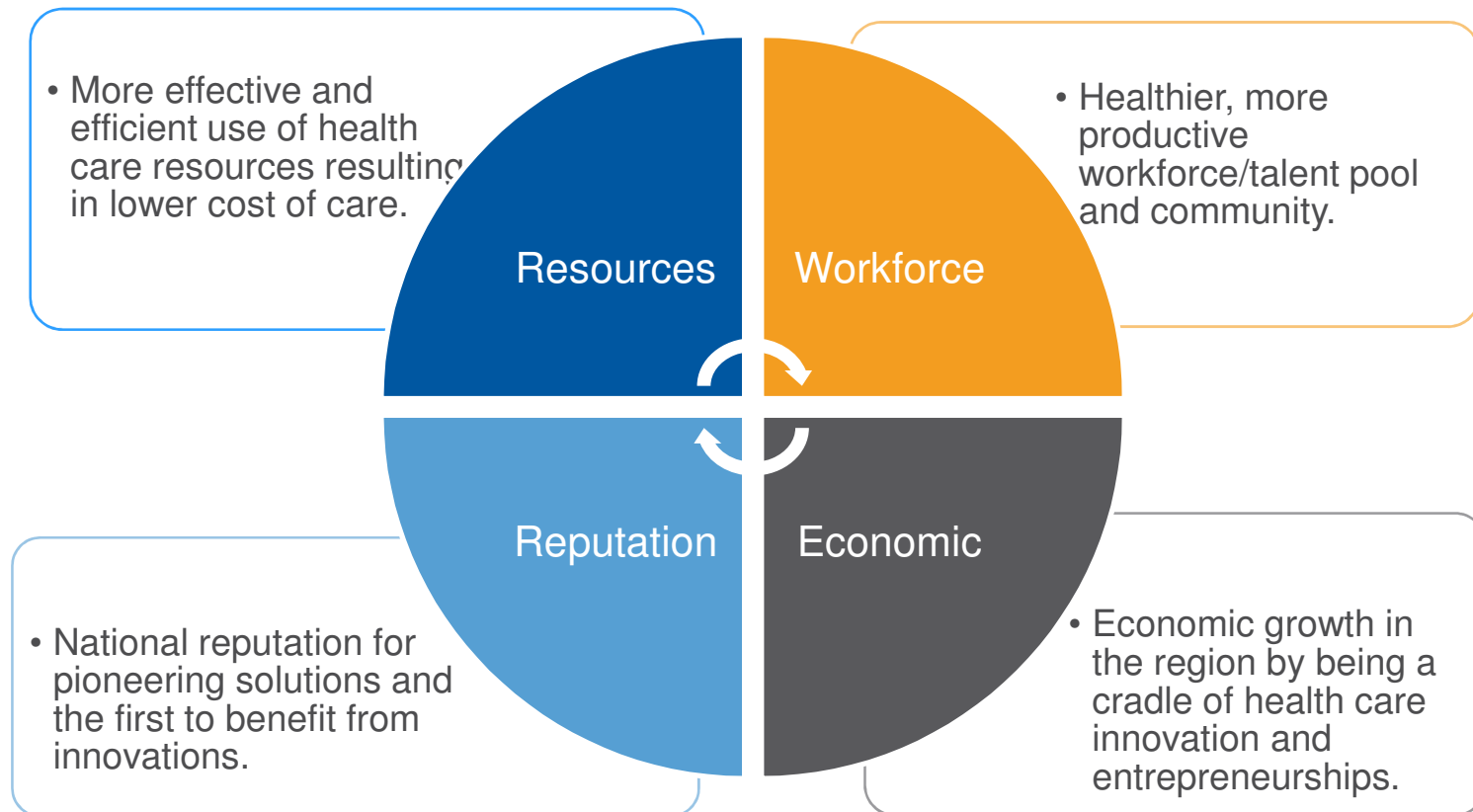
Greater Cincinnati is one of the nation's most connected health care communities with 7,500 connected physicians and a high adoption of electronic medical records. We are ahead of most other US cities in this regard.



...To Drive Value



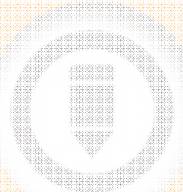
BENEFITS



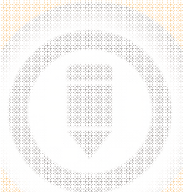
Bold Goals



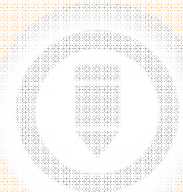
85%
of children
will be
prepared for
kindergarten



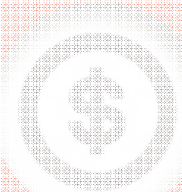
85%
of youth will
graduate from
high school



45%
of adults will
have an
associate's
degree or
higher



90%
of the labor
force will be
employed



70%
of the
community will
report having
excellent or
very good
health



95%
of the
community
will report
having a usual
place to go for
medical care



The year the Bold Goals were created

2011



2020

Target year for the Bold Goals to be achieved



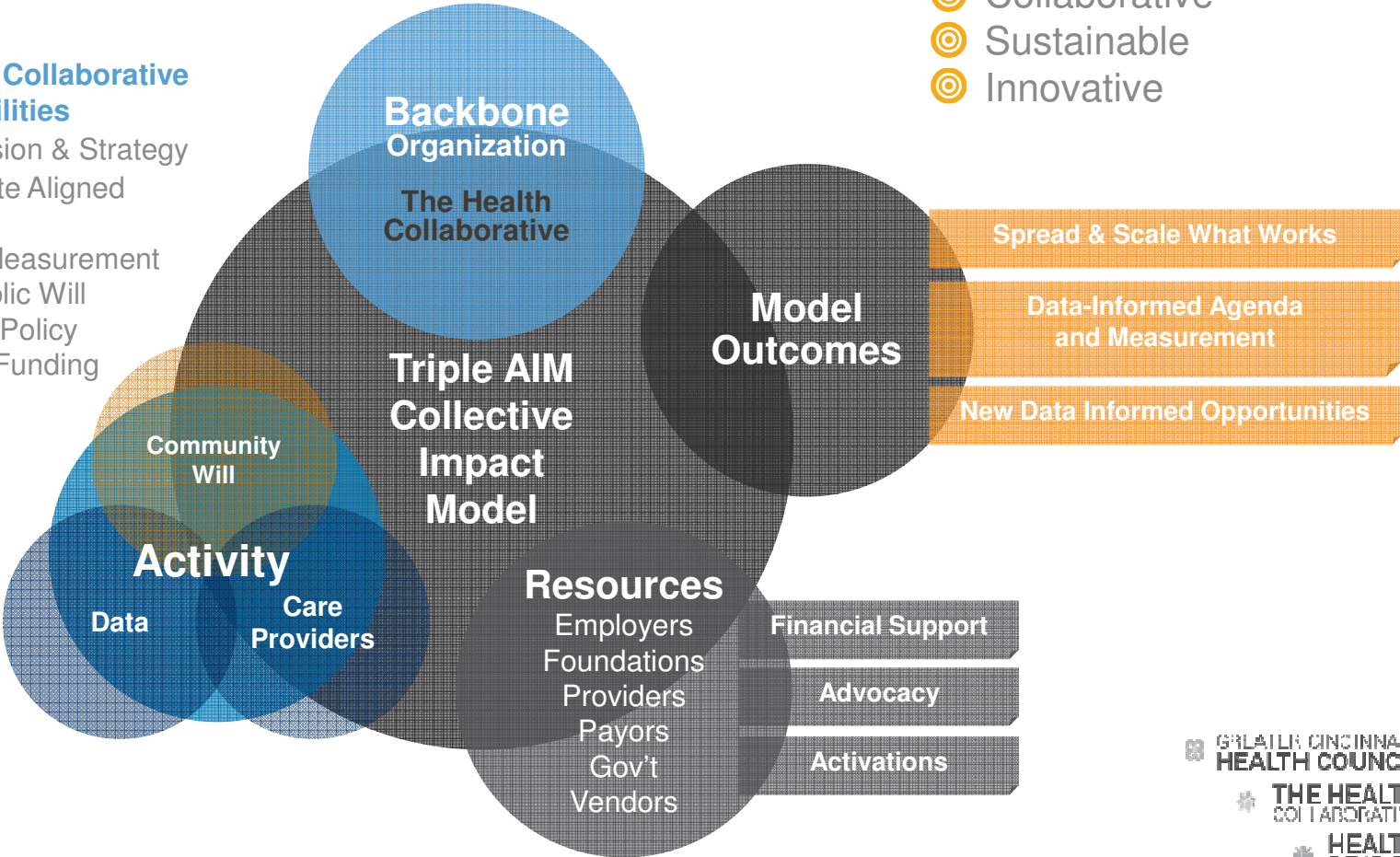
Impacting Change with Better Aim

Create an informed community-wide shared agenda for better health, better health care, and lower costs.

- 🎯 Data-Driven
- 🎯 Collaborative
- 🎯 Sustainable
- 🎯 Innovative

The Health Collaborative Responsibilities

- Guide Vision & Strategy
- Coordinate Aligned Activities
- Shared Measurement
- Build Public Will
- Advance Policy
- Mobilize Funding



With Everyone Involved



UNITED WAY

The United Way has entrusted the Health Collaborative to lead it's Bold Goals for Health.



HOSPITAL SYSTEMS

Hospitals and foundations contributing over \$650,000/year x 2-years.



INTERACT FOR HEALTH

Interact for Health is a major supporter.

INTERACT FOR HEALTH



Employers

Health Plans and the business community.

Charting a Path Together

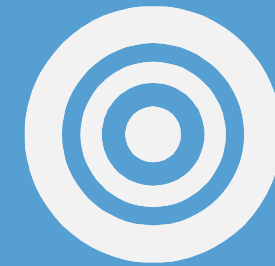
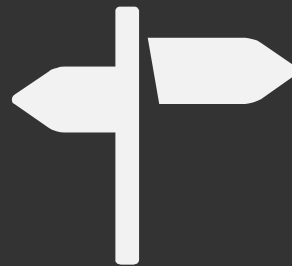


EXPERIENCE

Nationally recognized organization with a 21 year history of bringing health care providers, payers and consumers together.

LEADING THE WAY

Leading a *Collective Impact on Health*; a well-documented approach to large-scale social change.



TRIPLE AIM PLAN

Community-wide aligned goals and strategy for better health, better care and lower cost; “*The Triple AIM*”.



SUMMARY



Models like PCMH are changing the way care is delivered and paid for



We have an opportunity to use data to guide and inform health care decision making



We provide tools for stakeholders to drive affordable, high quality care and improve health



Our region's Collective Impact strategy on Health unites the community



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