

Project Title: Physician Cost Measures and Patient Relationship Codes (PCMP)

Project Overview:

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) contracted Acumen, LLC (“Acumen”) to develop, maintain, and re-evaluate episode-based cost and value measures. The contract name is Physician Cost Measures and Patient Relationship Codes (PCMP). The contract number is 75FCMC18D0015, Task Order 75FCMC24F0142. The PCMP project is a continuation of the work performed under the previous “MACRA Episode Groups and Resource Use Measures” contract (contract number HHSM-500-2013-13002I, Task Order HHSM-500-T0002) and “Physician Cost Measures and Patient Relationship Codes” contract (contract number 75FCMC18D0015, Task Order 75FCMC19F0004).

Acumen convenes groups of stakeholders and experts who contribute direction and thoughtful input to the measure developer during measure development and maintenance processes. The project’s overall objective is to develop and maintain population- and episode-based cost measures for use in the Merit-Based Incentive Payment System (MIPS), the Hospital Value-Based Purchasing (H-VBP) program, and the Hospital Inpatient Quality Reporting (Hospital IQR) program. The role of the TEP is to provide input on the prioritization and testing of episode-based cost measures, PRCs, and population-based cost measures.

TEP Membership:

We have selected these individuals and they have agreed to serve as the TEP for this project.

Technical Expert Panel Members

| Name, Credentials, Professional Role | Organizational Affiliation, City, State | Consumer/ Patient/ Family/ Caregiver Perspective | Clinical Content | Performance Measurement | Coding and Informatics | Conflict of Interest Disclosure |
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| Adolph Yates, Jr., MD , Academic Orthopedic Surgeon | American Association of Hip and Knee Surgeons, Pittsburgh, PA | X | X | X | X | N |
| Amy Aronsky, DO, MBA, FCCP, FAASM , Medical Director | United Healthcare, Princeton Junction, NJ | | X | X | X | N |
| Barbara Kivowitz, MSW , Patient and Family Advisor | Sutter Health | X | | X | | N |
| Barbara Spivak, MD , Practicing Internist, President | Massachusetts Medical Society, Newton, MA | | X | X | | N |

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| Chloe Slocum, MD, MPH , Associate Chair for Quality | American Academy of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Charlestown, MA | X | X | X | X | N |
| David Kroll, MD , Chair, Committee on Quality and Performance Measurement | American Psychiatric Association, Boston, MA | | X | X | X | N |
| David Seidenwurm, MD, FACR , Medical Director | American College of Radiology, Sacramento, CA | | X | X | X | N |
| Denise Morse, MBA , System Executive Director, Quality Analytics | City of Hope National Medical Center, Duarte, CA | X | X | X | | N |
| Dheeraj Mahajan, MD, MBA, MPH, FACP, CMD, CIC, CHCQM , President and CEO | Chicago Internal Medicine Practice and Research, Oak Park, IL | | X | X | | N |
| Gregory Wozniak, PhD , Vice President, Health Outcome Analytics | American Medical Association, Chicago, IL | | X | X | | N |
| Jay Nathan, MD , Neurosurgery Quality Council, Chair-Elect | American Association of Neurological Surgeons, Livonia, MI | | X | X | X | N |
| Jayne Lieberman, MD, MBA, FACS , Vice Chair | Institute for Surgical Excellence, Allentown, PA | X | X | | X | N |

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| Johnnie Sue Wijewardane, PhD, FNP-BC, FAANP, Vice President of Professional Practice | American Association of Nurse Practitioners, Brandon, MS | X | X | X | | N |
| Joy Gelbman, MD, Assistant Director of Population Health | Weill Cornell Medicine, New York, NY | X | X | X | X | N |
| Karie Nicholas, M.A., G.Dip., Evaluation and Measurement Manager | Foundation for Health Care Quality, Seattle, WA | | | X | | N |
| Kate Lichtenberg, DO, MPH, FAAFP, FACPM, Medical Director | Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield, Leawood, KS | | X | X | | N |
| Kevin Klauer, DO, EJD, President and CEO | Shepherd's Hope, LLC, Winter Park, FL | | X | X | X | N |
| Robert Kropp, MD, MBA, CPHI, Regional Medical Director | American Academy of Neurology, Washington, DC | X | X | X | X | N |
| Rosie Bartel, MA in Educational Leadership, Patient Partner | N/A | X | | X | | N |
| Sabrena McCarley, MBA-SL, OTR/L, CLIPP, RAC-CT, QCP, FAOTA, RAC-CTA, Director of Clinical Reimbursement | American Occupational Therapy Association, Napa, CA | | X | X | X | N |
| Sarah Eakin, MD, President | Pathology Associates of Erie, Erie, PA | | X | X | | N |

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| Stephen Epstein, MD, MPP , Chair, Board of Governors | American College of Emergency Physicians, Needham, MA | | X | X | X | N |
| Ugochukwu (Ugo) Uwaoma, MD, MBA, MPH, FACP , CEO | American College of Physicians, South Windsor, CT | | X | X | X | N |