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# GETTING THE MOST FROM MANAGEMENT PLANS

# WELCOME



# What is a Primary Health Network?

**Established in 2015 by the Australian Government, Primary Health Networks (PHNs) are focussed on improving primary care and keeping people out of hospital.**

## **Key objectives:**

1. Increase efficiency and effectiveness of medical services for patients, particularly those at risk of poor health outcomes
2. Improve coordination of care - *right care, right place, right time*

# Content

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What matters to  
you/Personalised  
care

Care Co-  
ordination /Care  
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Summary

# Why care planning?

## Cochrane Review

### The effects of personalised care planning were greater when

- more stages of the care planning cycle were completed
- contacts between patients and health professionals were more frequent
- patient's usual clinician was involved in the process.

### Personalised care planning

- leads to improvements in certain indicators of physical (BSLs, BP, asthma control)
  - psychological health status (Depression)
  - Improved people's capability to self-manage their condition when compared to usual care.
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- The intervention needs to be comprehensive, more intensive, and better integrated into routine care.

**Personalised care planning for adults with chronic or long-term health conditions**

Cochrane Systematic Review - **Intervention** Version published: 03 March 2015 [see what's new](#)

<https://doi.org/10.1002/14651858.CD010523.pub2>



# Personalised Care





## High Performing practices

[What attributions do Australian high-performing general practices make for their success? Applying the clinical microsystems framework: a qualitative study](#)

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# Care Coordination

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Involves numerous participants including providers from health, social and community settings

Is necessitated by interdependence among participants and activities

Requires knowledge and respect of others' roles and resources

Relies on information exchange

Aims to facilitate appropriate healthcare delivery (right person, right time, right place)

# Integrated Care Team



As care needs change, the Care Team gains additional members. It is not a different team.

# National Voices

Person Centred Co-ordinated care

**“I can plan my care with people who work together to understand me and my carer(s) allow me control, and bring together services to achieve the outcomes important to me”**

**Care coordination:  
patient  
centeredness**

- Being guided by the individual care needs of the client
- Comprehensive assessment and care planning – sustainable & living
- Ensuring consistency and continuity in the client's care
- A self-management approach
- Psycho-social issues management
- Addressing barriers to engagement
- Supporting both client self-management and the carer/family.

## Support care co-ordination

- Recall and reminders
- Policies and procedures strategic plan and vision
- Spread CC role across all staff in the practice (clinical and non clinical)
- Ask patients **what matters to them**
- Create a sense of belonging for the patient to clinic and care team
- Maximise funding opportunities
- Work with Practice Manager to identify gaps (were not utilising MBS) better use GPs time

## Care Plan Checklist

- Was the patient actively involved in the development of the plan
- Are the patients goals SMART? Are they prioritized?
- Has the patients motivation been accessed? Readiness Importance confidence.
- Is the action list clear and concise?
- Is the plan written in a way the patient can understand?
- Was the purpose and importance of the plan discussed and explained to the patient?
- Could they teach it back to you?
- Has the patient read the plan and were they able to ask questions?

Annual Care Map		Date .....	Patient Name .....
TASK	When Due	COMPLETED	
Phone call: review understanding of care plan - answer questions re action plans, discuss progress	End Feb		
SMS reminder: Read materials re managing stress and breathing techniques	Beginning March		
Phone call: Health education/engagement, managing diet and exercise with COPD, Confirm pulmonary rehab booking and ability to attend			
Attend Clinic - Flu Vax, ECG	Mid April		
Attend Clinic - Mental Health assessment/ planning/education	Mid May		
SMS re Health goals e.g. social activity helps people feel better	Beginning June		
Phone call: Health goals, Using Action plans, recognising symptoms	Mid June		
Phone call: appointment needed for clinical review	Beginning Aug		
Attend Clinic - clinical review, Cat Score, Medication review	Mid August		
SMS: Health goals e.g. Being active everyday	Mid Sept		
Phone call: discuss goal item	Oct		
Phone call: Fill next prescription, physical activity, issues, general health, managing stressors	December		
SMS reminder: managing moods, health goals/action plan	December		
Phone call: Educational materials update, Blood test due, appt for clinical review	late January		
Assessment and care planning Care coordinator/ GP, Inc - Aims, Spiro, action plan, CAT Score, mental health, ACP,	February		
Appointments			
Date	time		
Date	time		
Date	time		
Date	time		
Date	time		
Patient Goals			
Review Date	time		

# Skills and supports

- Motivational interviewing
- Health Coaching
- Asking better questions
- Shared Medical appointments
- CDM clinics
- Lifestyle support programs
- Social Prescription
- Peer Support groups
- Shared electronic care planning
- POLAR Population health analysis and reporting tool



## Social Prescription

- Refer people to a range of local, non-clinical services.
- Combat physical social and emotional problems
- Improve self confidence
- Overcome loneliness
- Impact on lifestyle behaviours

## Neighbourhood Houses Social & Recreational Activities

- [Accounting](#)
- [Art and craft](#)
- [Children's classes](#)
- [Computers and technology](#)
- [Cooking](#)
- [Exercise and Fitness and Dancing](#)
- [Health and wellbeing](#)
- [Language](#)
- [Literature and writing](#)
- [Music](#)
- [Social activities and games](#)
- [Wood Working](#)

# SEMPHNs Research

- Completed a literature review
- 50 in-depth interviews with service providers in 2017-18
- Conversations with a majority of general practices in the catchment
- Validation of patient journey process maps
- Analysis of geo-spatial mapping of service providers
- Documented patient experiences by Consumer Health Forum
- Evaluated previous chronic disease management SEMPHN-funded activities

# CDM Programs

- **Health Care Homes (HCH)** A HCH is a general practice or ACCHS that coordinates comprehensive care for enrolled patients with chronic and complex conditions
- **Wellnet** The WellNet Integrated Care Program is a suite of GP-led programs providing targeted and coordinated chronic disease management delivered through a PCMH model
- **CDM1** Build general practice capacity to support care coordination for chronic and complex conditions
- **CDM2** Improve health outcomes for priority population groups with complex and chronic conditions



improved their data collection and analysis (POLAR)



introduced or improved care coordination-related policies and procedures



improved practice team collaboration, communication processes



improved patient communication processes (including IT based such as online appointments)



introduced or improved connections to Allied health, including in-house, and increased referrals

## Enablers

# Barriers



staff retention and recruitment, including recruitment of nurses with requisite skills for care coordination



patient engagement with self-management - still common for many to be unwilling to engage



change management - doctors, receptionists etc are unwilling to change what they do/how they do it and most practices do not have skills in change management.



Often one person is leading change/innovation and if they move, or personnel within the practice changes, that can derail process.



Business management - practices in many cases do not appear to have used MBS CDM payments to their benefit

# PAMs, PROMs and PREMS

## **Patient activation measures**

PAM determines an individual's level of health activation (knowledge, skills and confidence) for self-managing health and healthcare issues

## **Patient reported outcome measures**

They ask for the patient's assessment of how health services and interventions have, over time, affected their quality of life, daily functioning, symptom severity, and other dimensions of health which only patients can know.

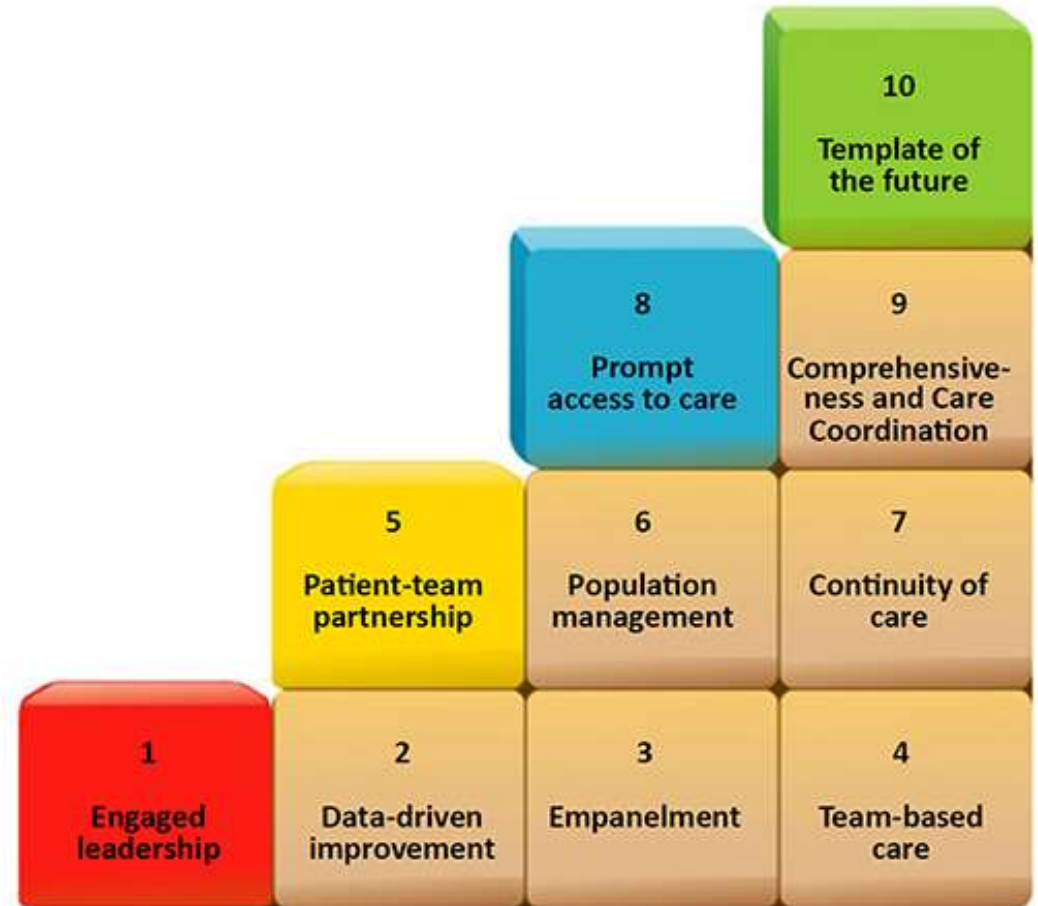
## **Patient reported experience measures**

Allows patients to provide direct feedback on their care to drive improvement in services

[https://www.aci.health.nsw.gov.au/\\_data/assets/pdf\\_file/0003/253164/Overview-What\\_are\\_PROMs\\_and\\_PREMs.pdf](https://www.aci.health.nsw.gov.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0003/253164/Overview-What_are_PROMs_and_PREMs.pdf) NSW Centre for Clinical Innovation

<https://www.england.nhs.uk/ourwork/patient-participation/self-care/patient-activation/pa-faqs/> NHS England

# 10 Building blocks of high performing primary care



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# The quadruple aim of effective primary care



**IMPROVED  
PATIENT  
EXPERIENCE**



**IMPROVED  
PROVIDER  
EXPERIENCE**



**POPULATION  
HEALTH**



**SUSTAINABLE  
COST**



# Resources

## **What matters to you Institute for Healthcare Improvement**

<http://www.ihi.org/Topics/WhatMatters/Pages/default.aspx>

<https://www.whatmatterstoyou.scot/stories-asking-matters/>

## **Victorian Integrated Care Training Modules**

<https://victorianintegratedcare.training/signin/>

## **Health Change Australia**

<http://www.healthchange.com/>

## **MINT**

<https://motivationalinterviewing.org/>

## **NHS Involving people in their own care**

<https://www.england.nhs.uk/ourwork/patient-participation/>

## **Ask Izzy (For people in crisis)**

<https://askizzy.org.au/>

## **Info exchange Service Seeker**

<https://www.serviceseeker.com.au/>

Most people do not listen with the intent to understand; they listen with the intent to reply.