



Elevate 2022

The Value Imperative

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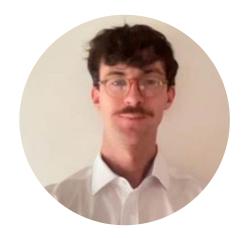
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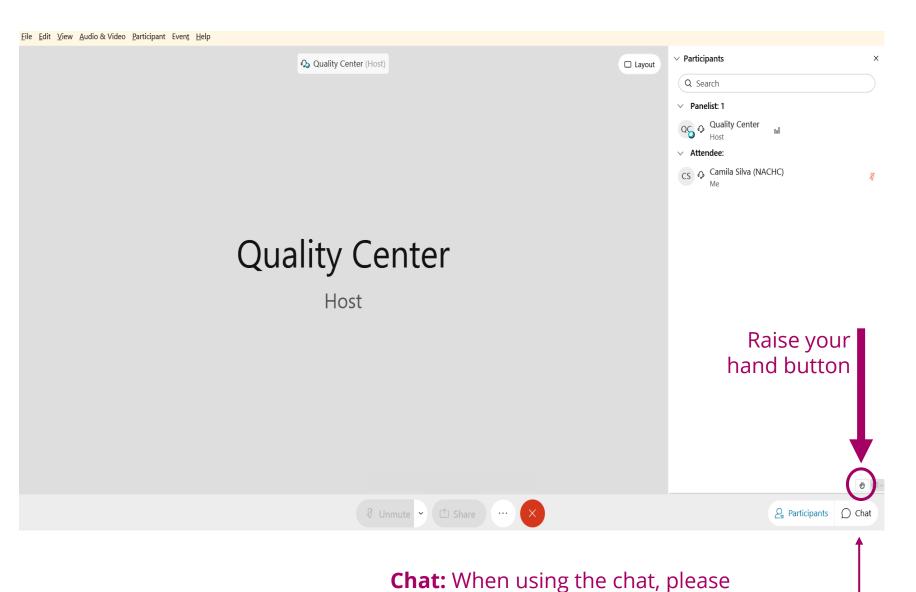
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send the message to "Everyone"

During today's session:

- Questions: Send to the chat as you have them; we will pause at three points to address
- Resources: If there is a topic where you have a tool/resource to share, let us know in the chat!

Today's Objectives:



- Welcome to Elevate 2022!
- Outline 2022 Goals, Opportunities, & Roadmap
- Introduce 2022 Featured Health Centers
- Begin Step-by-Step Roadmap



Our Learning Forum







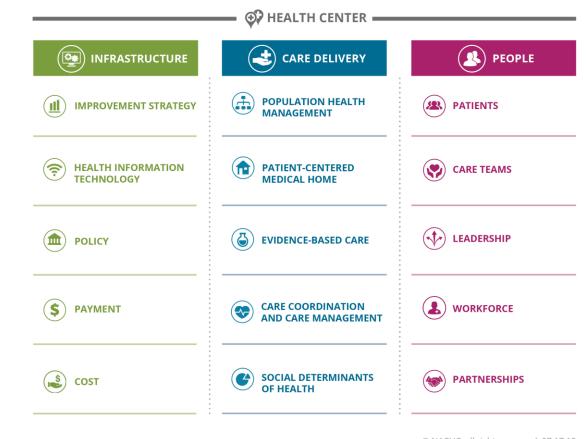




Grounded in a framework...Operationalized in the real-world

Our Organizing Framework





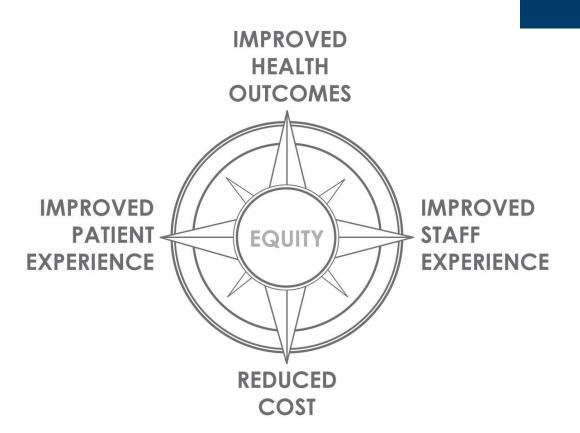
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Value Transformation Framework

https://www.nachc.org/clinical-matters/value-transformation-framework/



Our Goal

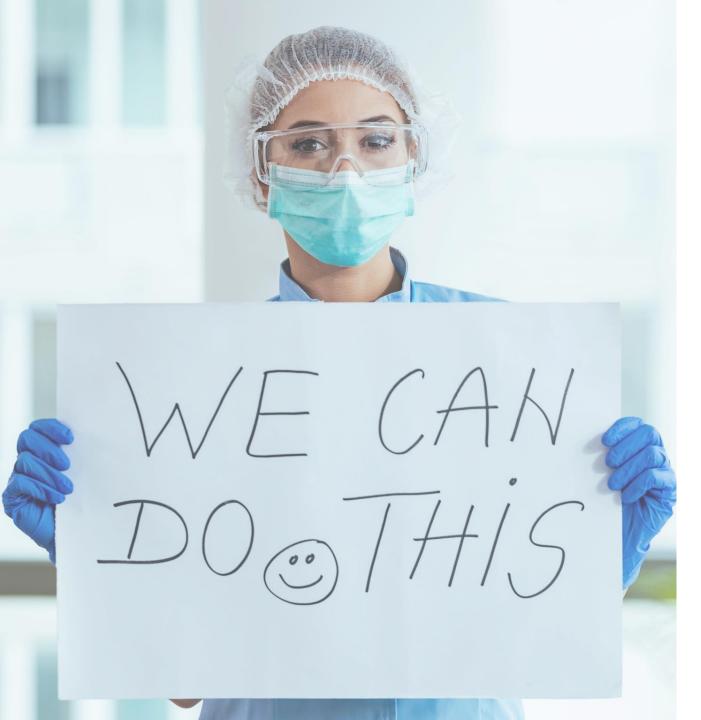




Improved Performance through Systems Transformation

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Why Elevate?

During **challenging** times....

With time, personnel, and resources scarce...

When it is **hard to imagine** even doing 'one more thing'...



Learning, sharing, and leveraging the knowledge and experience of peers is **more** vital than ever!

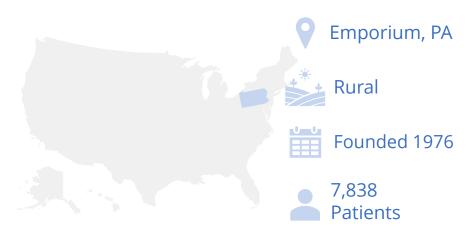
Keystone Rural Health Consortia



Kristie Bennardi
Chief Executive Officer
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Value-Based Payment Models





Value Measures: Recommendations for how CMS can measure health center success in ways that account for the special population health centers serve.

Value-Based Models: Are there certain health center value-based care or payment model design features that account for the uniqueness of health centers and the populations they serve?

Medicaid & Medicare: While growth opportunity is greatest in Medicaid, Medicare value-based payment models shouldn't be ignored and can serve as a proving ground.



Fish River Rural Health



The Value Imperative for Health Centers

Heather Pelletier

Chief Executive Officer





Value-Based Payment Models





Value Proposition: What is the value proposition to health centers to participate in value-based payment models?

Accountable Care: Lessons learned or recommendations for health centers that are moving toward, or just getting started in, accountable care arrangements.

Supporting the Transition: Strategies for funding the transition from volume to value-based payment models.



Field Discussion



Our Community: ELEVATE 2022



States & Territories

540+
Health Centers

70+PCAs/HCCNs/NTTAPs

45+
CDC Grantees

6,000+

Millions

S Patients

2022 Featured Health Centers





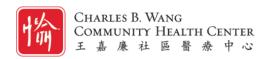
















In the top 20 health centers nationally when looking at composite performance across measures for prevention and/or control of six high-cost, high burden conditions (2019 UDS): colorectal cancer, cervical cancer, HTN, diabetes, depression, & obesity

Our Roadmap



Come Together Around a Population of Focus

Patients aged 50-75 years (Medicare opportunity)



Target Group High Risk



Mobilize Care Team in New Ways

Focus on Care **Extenders**



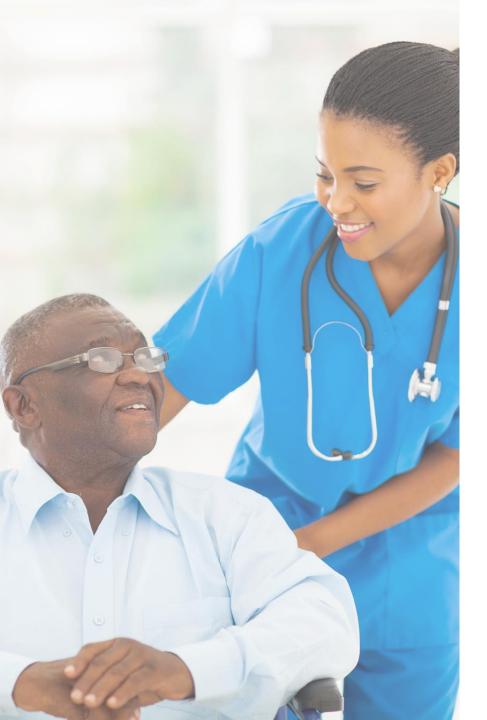


Co-design









Why Focus Examples on Adults 50-75 Years of Age?



Provides a shared experience for peer-to-peer exchange & learning



Allows for more focused discussion of the VTF's 15 Change Areas



Focuses on a population likely to have multiple chronic conditions & benefit from care management services, an essential function of value-based care models



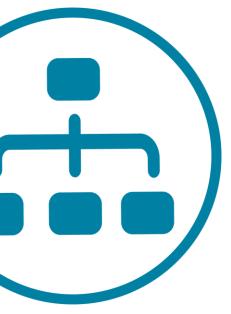
Centers our discussion around six high-cost, high-burden measures of clinical prevention and care: colorectal & cervical cancer screening, diabetes, hypertension, obesity, & depression.



Provides additional revenue opportunity & a proving ground for value-based care models (For health centers who further target the Medicare segment)

Empanelment

Empanelment is the process of assigning individual patients to individual providers/care teams, considering patient and family preferences.



Empanelment and risk stratification are foundational population health management activities.

SAFETY NET MEDICAL HOME INITIATIVE

IMPLEMENTATION GUIDE

EMPANELMENT

Establishing Patient-Provider Relationships

May 2013

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Introduction

The Patient-Centered Medical Home (PCMH) Model of Care requires that patients and families and providers and care teams recognize each other as partners in care. Empanelment—the act of assigning individual patients to individual primary care providers (PCP) and care teams with sensitivity to patient and family preference—formalizes and affirms these partnerships and sets the stage for all of the other components of effective PCMH practice. Panel management, the ongoing management of patient panels, fosters a controlled healthcare environment and enables proactive preventive and chronic illness care.

The relationship between the patient/ family and the provider/care team is at the heart of the Patient-Centered Medical Home (PCMH) Model of Care.

For many practices, empanelment is a cultural transformation. Providers and care teams must shift their focus from caring for individual patients to managing the health of a defined population of patients. Empanelment also requires a shift from reactive to proactive care. The goal of focusing on a population of patients is to ensure that every established patient receives optimal care, whether he/she regularly comes in for visits or not. Accepting responsibility for a finite number of patients, instead of the universe of patients seeking care in the practice, allows the provider and care team to focus more directly on the needs of each

https://www.safetynetmedicalhome.org/sites/default/files/Implementation-Guide-Empanelment.pdf

North End Waterfront Health

Empanelment:The Foundation of Value-Based Care



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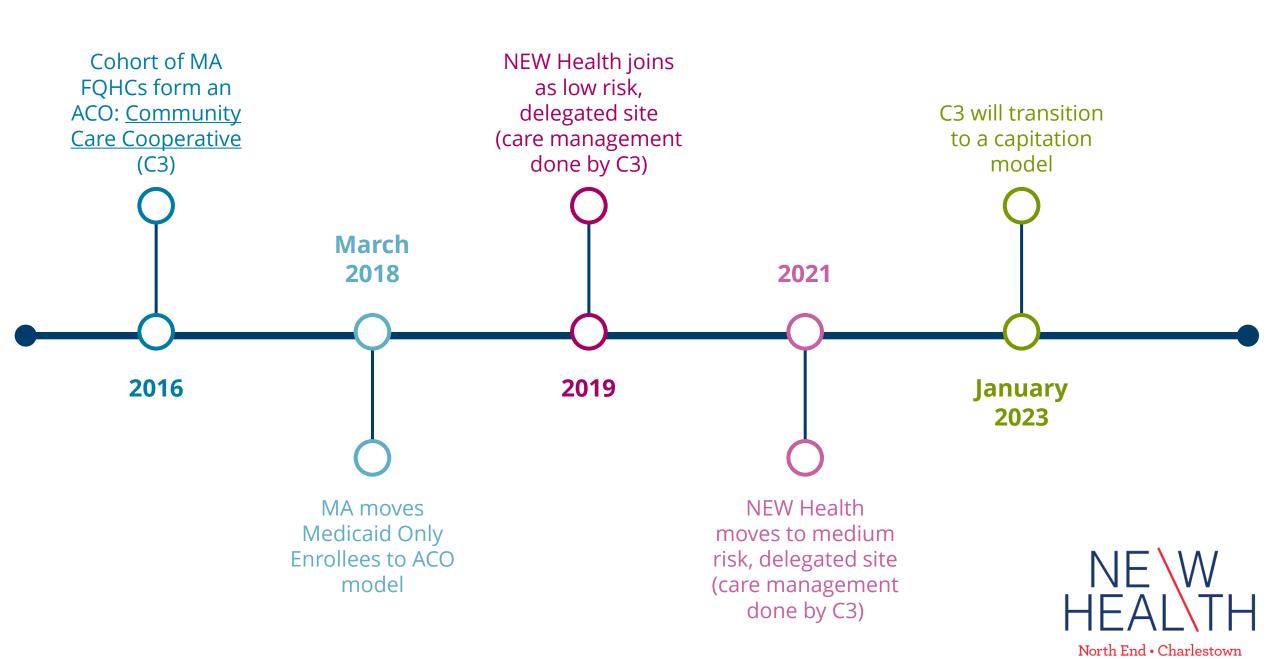
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Empanelment Steps





Enrollment in

Insurance Product



Algorithmic Assignment

Patient Location
Patient Utilization



Contractual Requirements

Outreach to member in x time (MA Medicaid ACO is 3 weeks)

Appointment with Provider in y time (MA Medicaid ACO is 4 months)



Empanelment

Operationalizing this is an internal policy decision



Current Empanelment & Challenges





Relationships with our core patients that came with us to ACO



New patients
unknown to us
require different
engagement
techniques
transitions of care



Growing number of new attributions secondary to pandemic



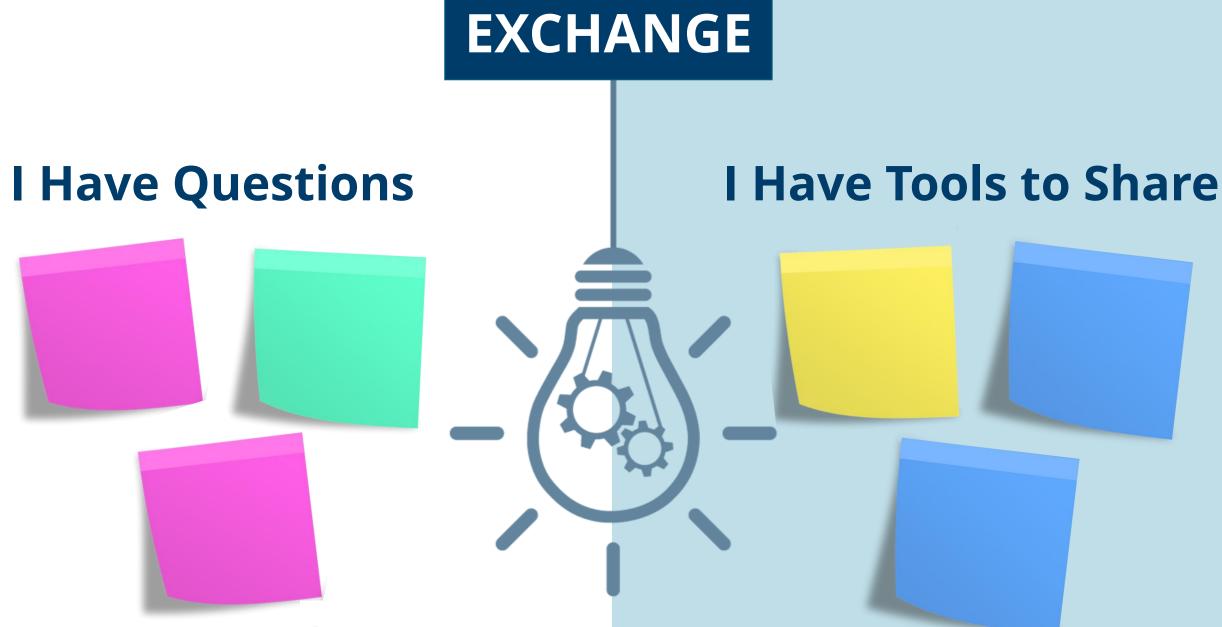
More SDOH and medical needs leads to increased patient complexity



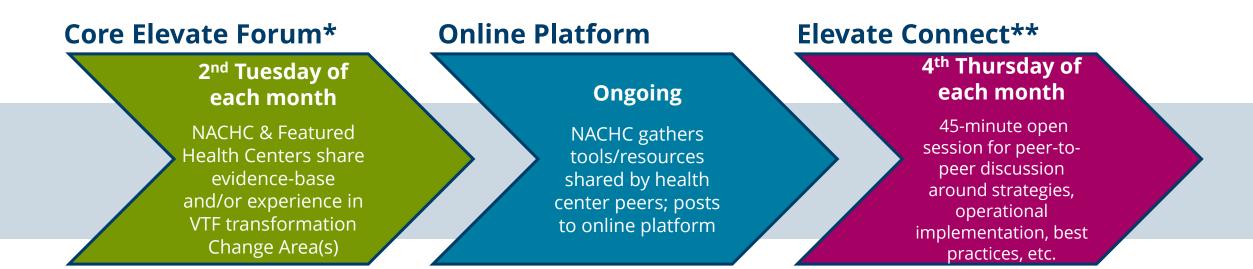
Staffing with current provider and nurse market pressures



PEER



2022 Roadmap: Let's Begin!



*Core Elevate Forums are encouraged for all Elevate participants to attend on a monthly basis.

****Elevate Connect sessions** will be specialized; we encourage Elevate participants to attend the specific sessions that relate to their position or job role at their organization.





2022 Strategy

	National Impact	Local Impact
Advance and document a portfolio of health center value-based care models.	Hold up a variety of health center Alternative Payment model options.	Peer-to-peer exchange to drive development of the health center's value-based care models.
Advance health centers as the leading primary care, safety-net care delivery model that public and private payers can use to align payment.	Rebalance the health care system toward primary care and the health center model; offer payment models.	Value-based care models that offer negotiating power with local payers.

Document improvement on the Quintuple Aim goals:

improved health outcomes, improved patient and staff experience, reduced cost, and improved equity.

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GETTING STARTED 2022!

In case you haven't completed these two important action items:



1

REGISTER

Required to receive future 2022 invites

Sign up today: bit.ly/Elevate_2022

OR, use your phone to scan the QR code:





2 ASSESS

https://reglantern.com/vtf

1 VTF Assessment required for individual scholarships to IHI learnings

3+ VTF Assessments needed for organizational access to continuous compliance tool

Value Transformation Framework Self-Assessment



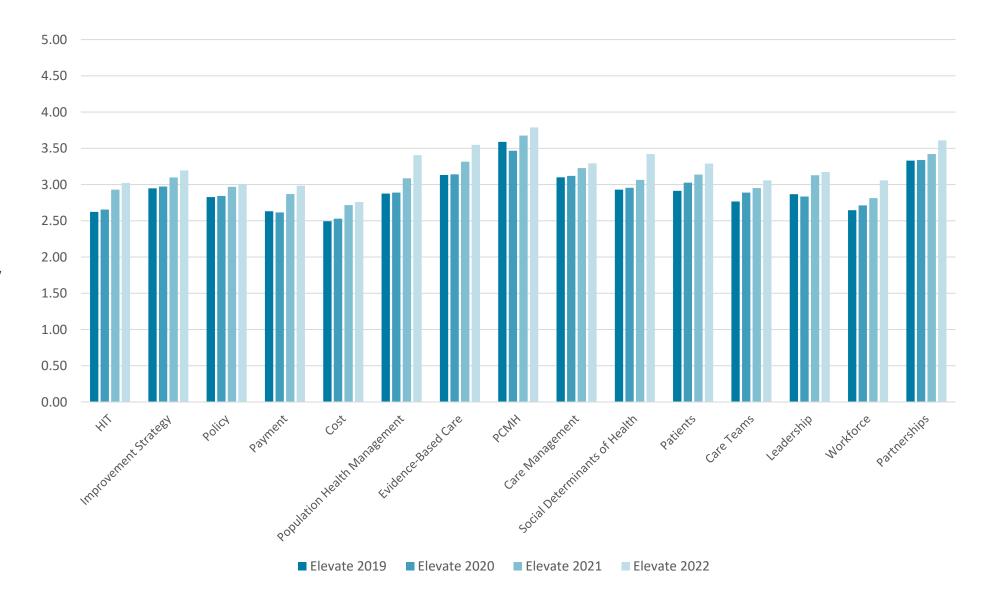
Infrastructure	Care Delivery	People	
Improvement Strategy	Population Health Management	Patients	
Health Information Technology (HIT)	PCMH	Care Teams	
Policy	Evidence-Based Care	Leadership :	
Payment	Care Coordination and Management	nent Workforce	
Cost	Social Determinants of Health (SDOH)	Partnerships	

- Built around the Value
 Transformation Framework
- 3 domains
- 15 change areas

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VTF Assessment

The graph represents the change in average VTF Assessment scores among all health centers participating in Elevate 2019, 2020, 2021, and 2022 (preliminary data).



Health Centers with 3+ Assessments (10)

As of January 10, 2022

- Community Health & Wellness Center (CT)
- United Community and Family Services (CT)
- Bay Area Community Health (CA)
- Northeast Valley Health Corporation (CA)
- CT Institute for Communities, Inc. (CT)

- TX Tech University Health Sciences Center (TX)
- Five Rivers Health Centers (OH)
- Community Health and Dental Care, Inc. (PA)
- Wahiawa Center for Community Health (HI)
- Charles B. Wang Community Health Center, Inc. (NY)



Congratulations! Your organization is eligible for additional opportunities, including scholarships to IHI's Open School and free-trial access to RegLantern's continuous compliance tool.



Health Centers with 2 Assessments (18)

As of January 10, 2022

- Health Help Inc. dba White House Clinics (KY)
- East Jordan Family Health Center (MI)
- Compass Health Network (MO)
- Progressive Community Health Centers, Inc. (WI)
- NeoMed Center (PR)
- Piedmont Health Services, Inc. (NC)
- Sunset Community Health Center (AZ)
- Southwest Community Health Center, Inc. (CT)
- Suncoast Community Health Center (FL)

- East GA Healthcare Center, Inc. (GA)
- Fenway Community Health Center (MA)
- Southside Community Health Services (MN)
- Alliance Community Healthcare (NJ)
- La Clinica Del Valle Family Health Care Center (OR)
- PrimeCare Community Health, Inc (PA)
- CareSouth Carolina Inc (SC)
- Mat-Su Community Health Services (AK)
- Neighborhood Health Centers of the Lehigh Valley (PA)



Your organization is almost there! Complete at least one more VTF Assessment to be eligible for additional opportunities.





Health Centers with 1 Assessment (54)

As of January 10, 2022

- Kodiak Community Health Center (AK)
- MHC Healthcare (ÁZ)
- Elica Health Centers (CA)
- Valley Wide Health Systems, Inc. (CO) Community Health Center of Southeastern IA (IA)
- Shawnee Health Services (IL)
- Heartland Health Services (IL)
- Lake County Health Department CHC (IL)
- Fish River Rural Health (ME)
- Kintegra (NC)
- OH North East Health Systems, Inc. (OH)
- Great Salt Plains Health Center (OK)
- Hyndman Area Health Center, Inc. (PA)
- Hope Clinic (TX)
- Centro de Servicos Primarios de Patillas Inc. (PR)
- Neighborhood Health (VA)
- New Community Clinic, Inc. (WI) Cabun Rural Health Services, Inc. (AR)
- Community HealthNet (IN)
- Genesee Community Health Center (MI)

- Bronx Community Health Network, Inc. (NY) •
- El Rio Santa Cruz Neighborhood Health Center, Inc. (AZ)
- Lee County Cooperative Clinic (AR)
- Northeastern Rural Health Clinic (CA)
- Tri-City Health Center (CA)
- Family Centers Health Care (CT)
- Staywell Health Center (CT)
- Primary Health Center (IA)
- Evara Health (FL)
- HealthCore Clinic Inc (KS)
- Health Ministries Clinic, Inc. (KS)
- Grace Community Health Center (KY)
- Pillars Community Health (KY)
- Lake Superior Community Health Center (MN)
- Aaron E. Henry Community Health Services Center (MS)
- One Health (MT)
- Blue Ridge Community Health Services (NC) •
- Oak Orchard Health Center (NY)
- Rural Health Group (NC)

- VIP Community Services (NY)
- Community Health Centers of Greater Dayton (OH)
- Beaufort-Jasper-Hampton Comprehensive Health Services, Inc. (SC)
- Community Health of East TN (TN)
- Clinch River Health Services, Incorporated
- Hill Country Community Clinic (CA)
- Unity Health Care, Inc. (DC)
- FoundCare Inc. (FL)
- MN Community Care (MN)
- Greater Valley Health Center (Flathead Community Health Center) (MT)
- Ryan, William F Community Health Center Inc (NY)
- PrimaryOne Health (OH)
- Keystone Health (PA)
- Little River Medical Center, Inc. (SC)
- Daily Planet Healthcare for the Homeless (VA)



If your organization's name is not listed, your team has not completed any VTF Assessments. Get started TODAY at reglantern.com/vtf!



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- Free 6-month trial
- Free unlimited access to recorded trainings
- Free Form 5A evaluation
- Free unlimited access to web-based platform

To receive invite: Health centers registered for Elevate 2022 with 3+ completed VTF Assessments: https://reglantern.com/vtf



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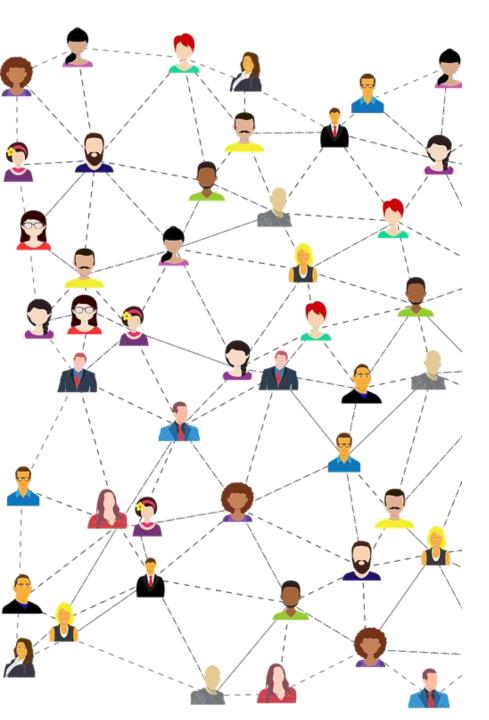
Supporting Professional Development and Peer Exchange among our state/regional PCA/HCCN partners

4-Month Mentor – Mentoring Engagement (February – May 2022)

Access to a mentoring platform to learn, develop and enhance a career plan!



Share Interest Now: <u>bit.ly/Elevate_MentoringInterest</u>



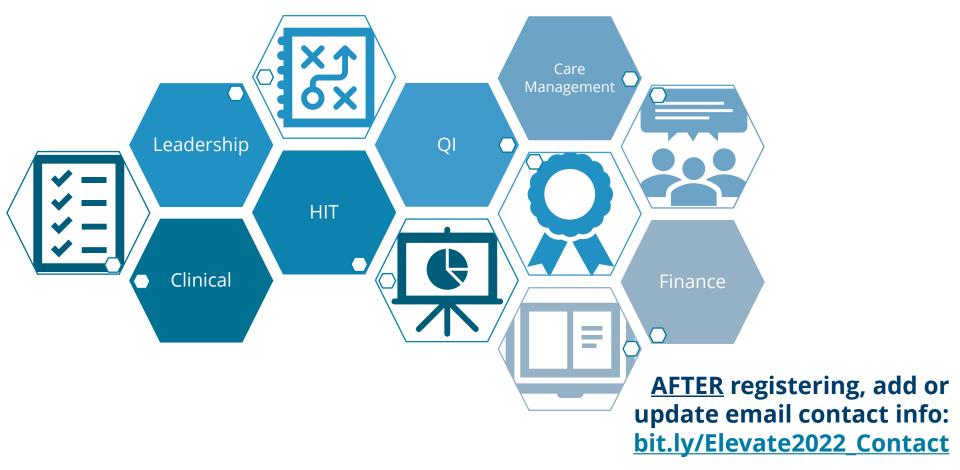
Online VTF Learning Community

Miss a learning forum? Slides and recordings are posted on the platform after every webinar.

Access tools and resources to support your transformation journey.

Engage in peer-to-peer forums with other health centers, PCAs, HCCNs, and top performers.

For Registered Organizations: Are Content Leads Getting Invites?







UPCOMING EVENTS

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

11. January Core Learning Forum - The Value Imperative

27. Elevate Connect – Empanelment



08. February Core Learning Forum – Risk Stratification & Social Risk

24. Elevate Connect – Risk Stratification & Social Risk











A bi-monthly mixed methods learning series focused on cardiovascular disease prevention and management topics.

CME credits available.





SESSION 3 | 1/19/2022 | 3:00 - 3:45pm ET

Ensuring Health Equity in Preventing Cardiovascular Disease

More sessions to come! Details coming soon.

REGISTER TODAY!

Access required session resources and learn more about the Million Hearts® Learning Lab





Cultivating the Health Center "Workforce of the Future" Through Youth Engagement



DEADLINE EXTENDED - FEBRUARY 4TH

CHALLENGE: How can health centers, PCAs and/or HCCNs build interest and engagement among middle and high school students in future health center careers?

PARTICIPANTS

PCAs
HCCNs
Health Centers

TIMELINE

Best & Promising Practices DueFebruary 4, 2022

Innovation Phase StartsMarch 2022

CRITERIA

For existing & recent programs:

Impact Adaptability Sustainability

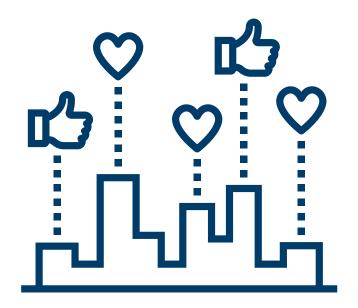
PRIZES

Top 5 Finalists:Scholarship to IDEO-U's "Hello Design Thinking"

Winner: \$10,000







Provide Us Feedback



FEEDBACK

Don't forget! Let us know what you thought about today's session.

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Next Monthly Forum Call:

February 8, 2022 1-2 pm ET







Together, our voices elevate all.

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