

**PMAC Preventive Care Subcommittee Meeting #1**  
**June 21, 2019**  
**Meeting Summary**

**Meeting Attendees**

Name	Title	Organization
Stephanie Clouser	Data Scientist	Kentuckiana Health Collaborative
Teresa Coutts	UAW Director	UAW/Ford Community Healthcare Initiative
Michael Hagen	Faculty, Family and Community Medicine	UK College of Medicine
Greg Potts	Senior Medical Director	Papa John's International
Kayla Rose	Project Manager	Kentucky Health Information Exchange

**Meeting Items**

Introductions

Each attendee introduced themselves to the group.

PMAC Portal Review

Stephanie Clouser introduced the PMAC Portal designed for committee members on the KHC website. In addition to the meeting resources and summaries that were already on there, this year, the PMAC Packet with measure information has been included in a clickable tab format on the portal itself. This should make finding resources easier and members always have the most up-to-date information.

Link to PMAC Portal: [www.KHCollaborative.org/pmacportal](http://www.KHCollaborative.org/pmacportal)

Password: kchms

Rubric Review

Stephanie went through the rubric and how to use it, as a refresher.

Current Measures Review

Subcommittee members used the rubric to discuss the measures currently up for review on the 2018 KY Core Healthcare Measures Set:

- Cervical Cancer Screening (NQF #32)
- Breast Cancer Screening (NQF #2372)
- BMI Screening and Follow-Up (NQF #421)
- Influenza Immunization (NQF #41)
- Chlamydia Screening in Women (NQF #33)
- Colorectal Cancer Screening (NQF #34)

The committee agreed to include each of the six measures that currently are the on Kentucky Core Healthcare Measures Set. They also identified barriers to these measures that should be noted and addressed:

- **BMI Screening and Follow-Up**
  - The committee isn't as excited about this measure, but agreed that it is an important first step to addressing obesity through measurement incentives
  - Barrier: there isn't a billable code for BMI itself
  - Can we get to the point where this is attainable, and what needs to change for that to happen?
- **Influenza Immunization**
  - Still preferable to the other available flu immunization measures because it combines EHR and patient reported data, and it allows a doctor to not get penalized if a patient refuses vaccination
  - Barrier: Aligning to this particular flu measure

### Potential Measures Review

The group discussed measures to be considered for addition to the 2019 KCHMS, including measures that were suggested last year but were not approved by the oversight committee and new measures that weren't established yet. This included:

- Care for Older Adults Medication Review (NQF #553)
  - This measure was selected as Standard Priority last year but not approved by the oversight committee
  - There was a question about whether the level of analysis (health plan) would be appropriate for group practices/individual providers
  - New emphasis on interoperability
  - Conversation about opioids and MAT therapy, so maybe it's appropriate to look at measures that deal specifically with opioids
- Opioid Medication Management
  - The conversation about Medication review (above) led to the exploration of measures that deal specifically with opioids
  - Documentation of Signed Opioid Treatment Agreement
    - MIPS measure, Effective Clinical Care
    - All patients 18 and older prescribed opiates for longer than six weeks duration who signed an opioid treatment agreement at least once during Opioid Therapy documented in the medical record
    - [https://qpp.cms.gov/docs/QPP\\_quality\\_measure\\_specifications/CQM-Measures/2019\\_Measure\\_412\\_MIPSCQM.pdf](https://qpp.cms.gov/docs/QPP_quality_measure_specifications/CQM-Measures/2019_Measure_412_MIPSCQM.pdf)
  - Pneumococcal Vaccination Coverage for Older Adults
    - This measure was named in last year's list of preventive care measures for future consideration, as it was a new 2018 HEDIS measure and EHRs weren't really set up to capture yet.
    - The committee agreed to revisit this measure

These three measures - Care for Older Adults Medication Review, Documentation of Signed Opioid Treatment Agreement, and Pneumococcal Vaccination Coverage for Older Adults - will be reviewed by the committee at the next meeting.

### Next Steps

The next and final meeting will be on July 12. In the meantime, Stephanie will send a worksheet of the measures up for discussion for committee members to assess and score. The results will be used at the July 12 meeting.