


Coordination of Care Initiative Home Health Gap Collaborative

Planning Meeting
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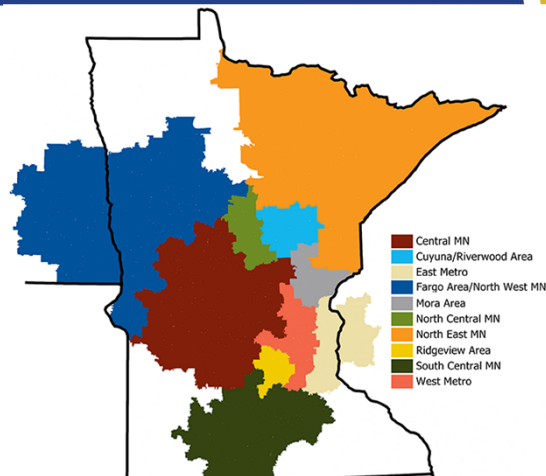
Coordination of Care Initiative Goals

- Improve quality of care for Medicare beneficiaries who transition among care settings
- Reduce 30-day hospital readmission rates and admission by 20% by 2019
- Increase the number of days at home
- Establish sustainable, transferrable transition practices across the spectrum of care

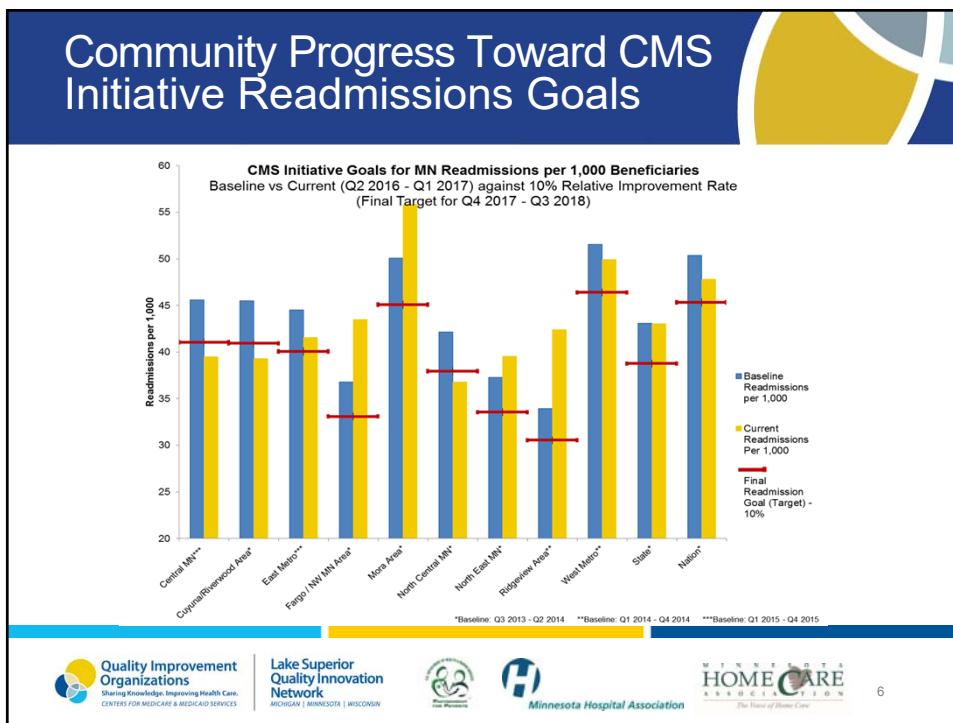
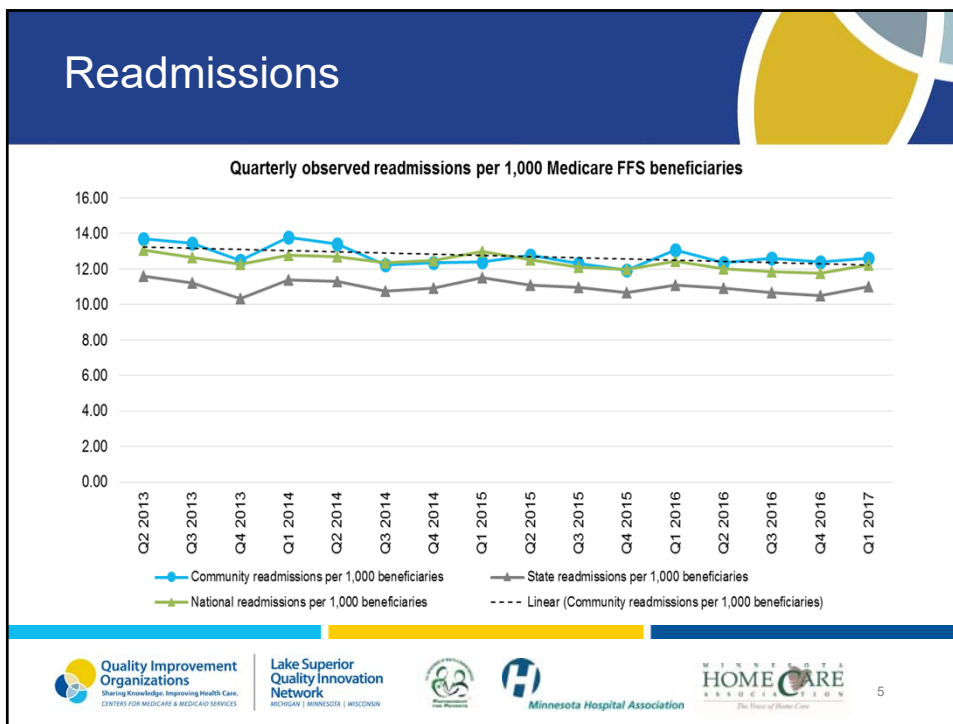


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Coordination of Care Communities



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Situation (The problem)

- There's a huge gap between the number of patients referred to home health services by the discharging hospital and the number who actually receive services.
- Those patients that are referred but do not receive home health services have a significant higher readmission rate.



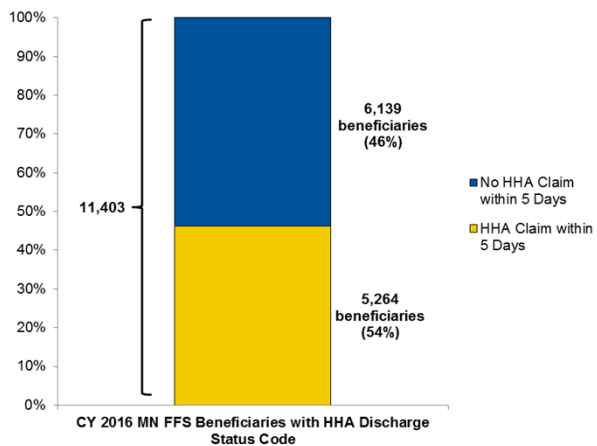
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Background of the home health gap problem



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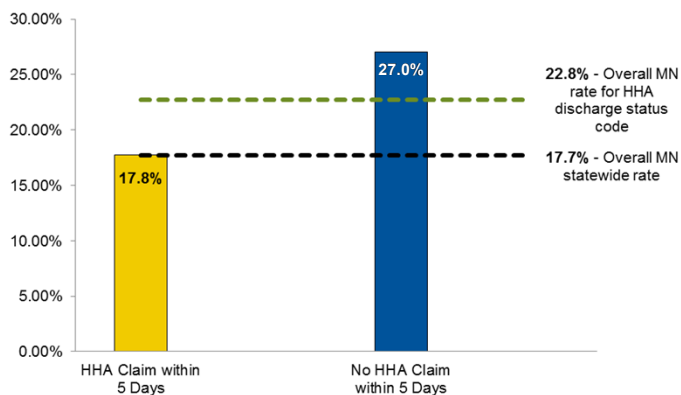
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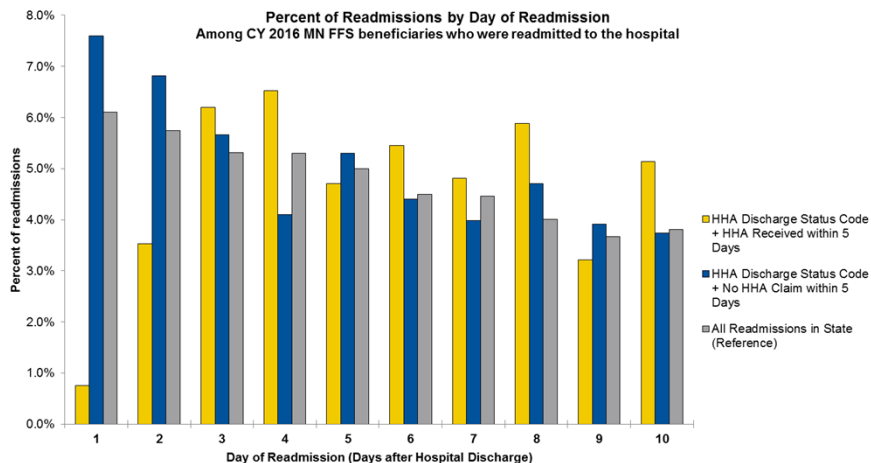
Background (The data)

30-day readmission rates among MN Medicare FFS beneficiaries with HHA discharge status code (CY 2016)



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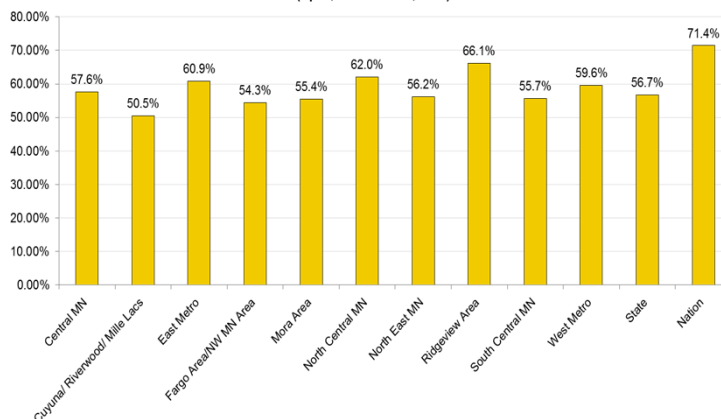
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Percent of Medicare FFS patients with HHA hospital discharge status code who were seen in that actual setting (HHA) within 0 to 3 days, by Coordination of Care geographic communities (Apr 1, 2016 - Mar 31, 2017)



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Recommendation

- Would you be interested in being part of a collaborative between home health agencies and hospitals to increase the acceptance of home health services? **YES!**

Discussion

- What could this look like?
- Who would be involved?
- Statewide initiative?



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Identify collaborative goals



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Plan collaborative structure



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Next Steps

- Informational webinar – Feb. 14, 2-3 CT



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