

AFFORDABILITY TOOLKIT

HOSPITAL TRANSFORMATION PROGRAM

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PROGRAM HISTORY & OVERVIEW

The Hospital Transformation Program (HTP) was created by the Colorado Healthcare Affordability and Sustainability Enterprise Act, also known as Senate Bill 17-267, to ensure patients receive high-value care and required the Department of Health Care Policy & Financing (the Department) to drive delivery reform. The program aims to prepare hospitals for future value-based payments by tying quality measures to payments. HTP helps transition Colorado hospitals to the future of regionally tailored, sustainable delivery of care in order to address diversity across regions and meet the health needs of the community.

How Does the HTP Improve Value In Health Care?

The HTP will benefit Medicaid members receiving care in an acute hospital setting, including the most vulnerable populations and those in need of behavioral health and substance use disorder treatment. Improved clinical and operational efficiencies are linked to payments that ultimately result in improved health outcomes. Reducing avoidable utilization and connecting people to appropriate care through value based payments will ensure improved community health.

WHAT SUCCESS LOOKS LIKE: GOALS AND OUTCOME MEASURES

Connecting members to high-value primary care, while rewarding value and reducing unnecessary care are the primary goals. Stronger community engagement and hospital partnerships will ensure these goals are met and the outcomes of appropriate care in appropriate settings, improvement in delivery of care are realized.

HOW TO GET INVOLVED

ADVOCATE Ducate Email the HTP inbox at hcpf_cohtp@state.co.us and request your local hospital HTP contact to get more involved. To find more on Affordability tools including community partnerships, best practices, and more visit the Affordability website at: https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/hcpf/affordability EDUCATE Read the Hospital Transformation Program Overview Here for more detailed information and sign up for the newsletter to stay up to speed on HTP!

Questions? Visit the Website at:

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