PI Committee Meeting



August 15, 2018



August 2018 PI Committee Agenda

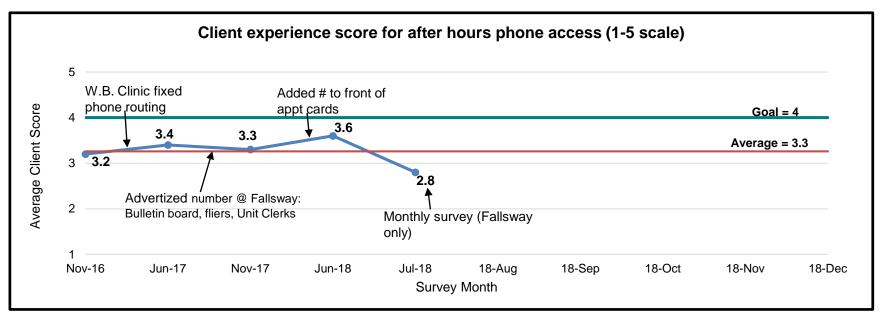
- 1. PI Dashboard Review
- 2. Progress Updates:
 - Colorectal Cancer Screening
 - Missed Appointments
- 3. Discussion:
 - Client Experience Survey
 - 2019 PI Plan

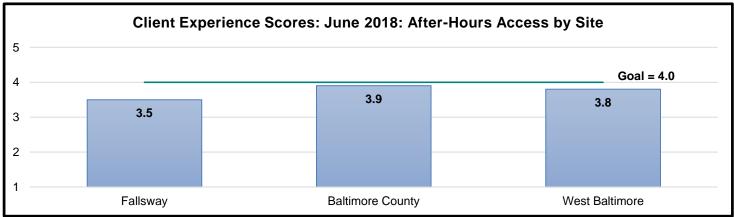


PI Dashboard: July 2018



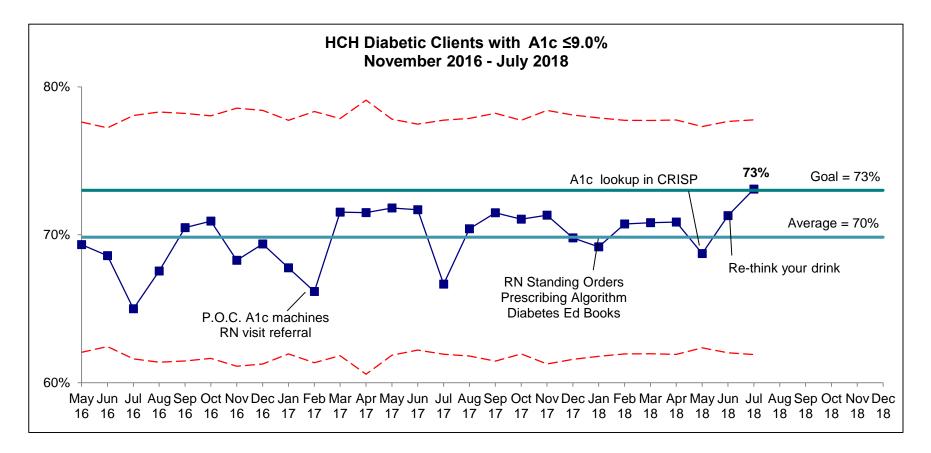
August 2018 Dashboard: Client Experience







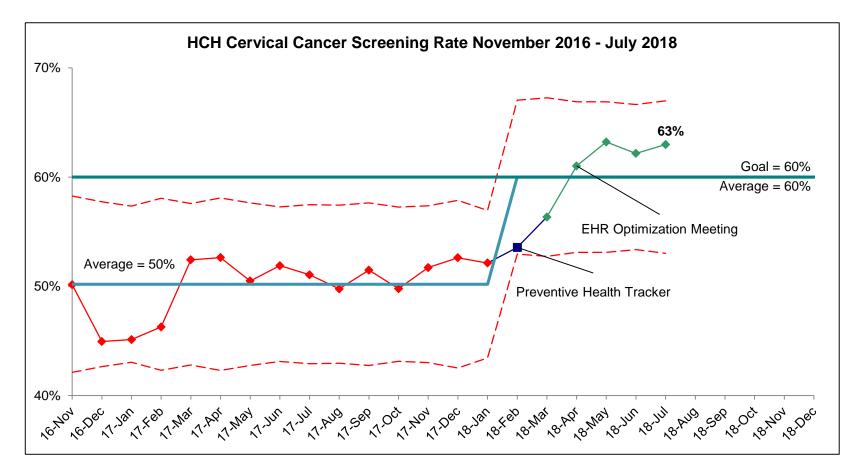
August 2018 Dashboard: Diabetes



Trailing Year (Health Indicators Report): 66%



August 2018 Dashboard: Cervical Cancer Screening



Trailing Year (Health Indicators Report): 51%



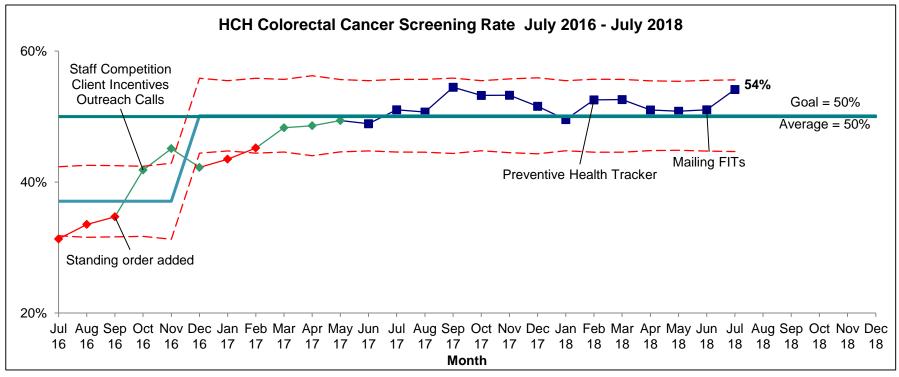
Subcommittee Updates



Goal: By December 2018, 50% of eligible medical clients will have an up-to-date colorectal cancer screening.

Team: Laura Garcia, Tracy Russell, Veronica Dennis, Justine Wright, Leonid Suarez, Lillian Amaya, Caitlin Synovec

Progress:



Trailing Year (Health Indicators Report): 45%



Current Work: BCCP Referrals

• In July we ended our relationship with BCCP after only 1 successful colonoscopy in 6 months (17 clients total).

Lesson Learned:

- Structure pilots/PDSA cycles using 1 team instead of a whole department:
 - Feedback loop for one team is much more efficient
 - Easier to communicate with process is changed
 - When process kept changing for a whole department, the group got burned out
 - Creates more ownership
- Being specific about expectations (Objective and predictions) would have allowed us to make a decision sooner
- Having concrete data made it easier to end an unsuccessful effort

Next Steps:

- Focus on building internal capacity to manage colonoscopy navigation
- Establishing partnership with Hopkins Med for Group Education



Current Work: Colonoscopy Completion Improvement

- The team is developing a tool to assess whether someone is able to successfully complete a colonoscopy.
- Currently, a large number of GI referrals are not followed through, no standard way to evaluate and reduce individual client barriers, including ability to schedule appointments, having a working phone, transportation, bowel prep, etc.
- Looking to utilize RNs as navigators for this process

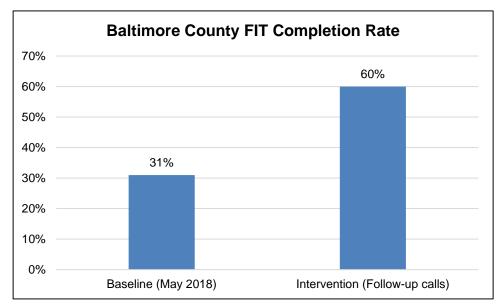
Next Steps:

- Looking for pre-existing assessments
- If none exist, Tracy, Laura, and Caitlin will design one



Current Work: FIT Follow-up

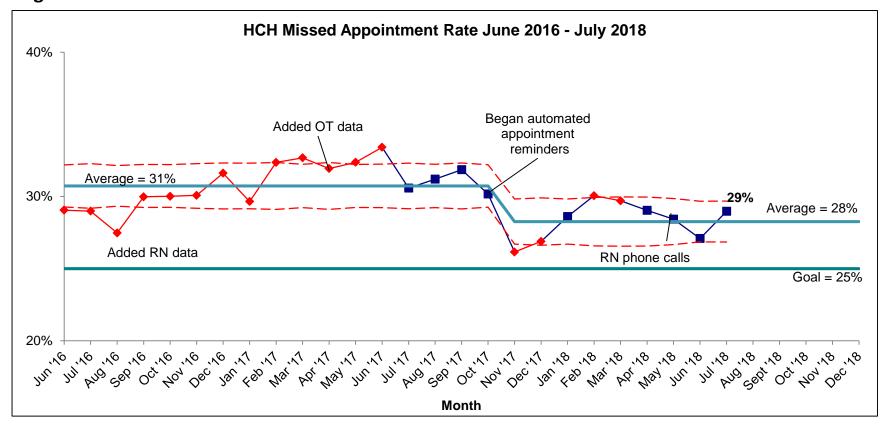
• The Baltimore County Clinic is calling clients who received a FIT during a clinic visit to see if it will raise the rate of return.



• Next Steps: Debrief with Baltimore County team on August 23rd



Goal: By December 2018, the organization will have a missed appointment rate at or below **25% Team:** Aisha Darby, LaVeda Bacetti, Mona Hadley, Pam Ford **Progress:**



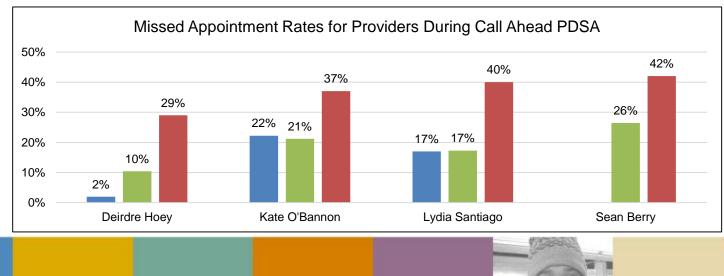


Current Work: Personalized Appointment Reminder Calls

Since the success of the nursing department in lowering their missed appointment rate through personalized calls, the following sites and departments have begun PDSA cycles to test this approach:

- Dental (Fallsway)
- Behavioral Health (Fallsway)
- Pediatrics (Fallsway)
- Baltimore County
- West Baltimore

Select Results: Behavioral Health



Current Work: Personalized Appointment Reminder Calls (Continued)

Lessons Learned:

- PDSAs showed success in personalized calls for all sites/departments except for 1 cycle in Pediatrics. We believe this data was affected by the departure of a long-term provider.
- Baltimore County tried one PDSA having the clinic manager make calls and one with providers making calls. Providers calling led to a bigger reduction in missed appointments

Next Steps:

 The group is now looking at ways to implement this in a sustainable way. Some issues we have learned through the various PDSA cycles:

- After seeing initial success, West Baltimore is doing a PDSA for the entire month of August. The adaptation they made for this second cycle is creating a system to identify when a client has multiple appointments in the same day, and having the first provider they are seeing make that call.

- Some clients are commenting about having replied to Televox and still getting a reminder call.



Current Work: Individual Department Efforts

The operations team is working with department directors on focused efforts to improve missed appointment rate and utilization. Some of the work that overlaps with the missed appointment improvement work is as follows:

- Case Management trying to decrease New Client missed appointments by increasing amount of clients scheduled same day.
- Fallsway Medical PDSA to learn about impact of "turnaways" on missed appointment rate
- Dental Will continue calling clients for appointment reminder, but also looking at a PDSA for warning clients that a 3rd missed appointment in 6 months will result in walk-in appointments only.



Discussions



Client Experience: June 2018 Results

Clinic Site	Fallsway	West Baltimore	Baltimore County	Total
Number of Surveys	270	105	70	445

Categories of Questions:

- Access
- Communication
- Office Staff
- Care Coordination
- Overall rating
- PCMH Add-ons

High Performance Areas (HCH Score is at least 10 percentage points above national average)

- Asking clients about their barriers to addressing health concerns (PCMH)
- Talking with clients about their health goals (PCMH)
- Asking clients about their life stressors (PCMH)



Client Experience: June 2018 Results

Most Improved since November 2017 Survey

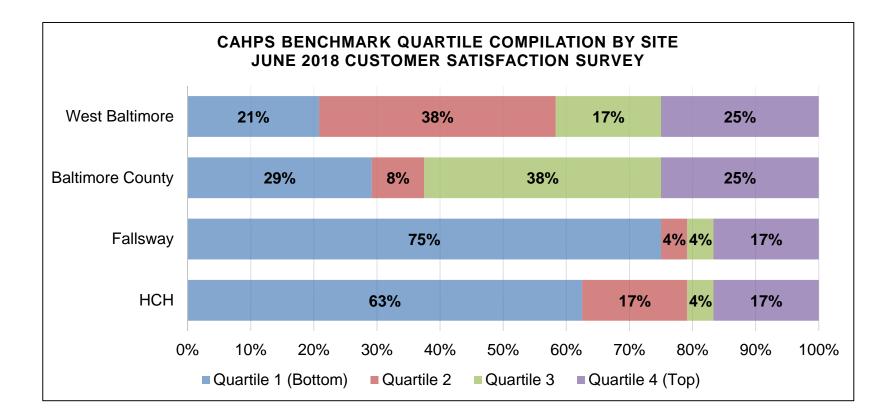
- Following up on the results of medical tests (Care Coordination)
- Talking with clients about their medications (Care Coordination)
- Showing that we know the important information of a client's medical history (Care Coordination)

Areas for Improvement (HCH Score is at least 10 percentage points below national average)

- Overall rating on a 0-10 scale
- Spending enough time with clients (Communication)
- Giving clients timely routine appointments (Access)
- Explaining things in a way that is easy to understand (Communication)
- Listening carefully to our clients (Communication)
- Clerks and receptionists being as helpful as they should be (Office Staff)



Client Experience: June 2018 Results





2019 PI Plan: What is it?

- Annual plan for organizational focus of PI efforts
- In 2018, our plan had 7 measures, one of them seasonal:
 - Clinical: 5 measures (Diabetes, Cancer Screenings, Flu Immunization, Behavioral Health Coping & Anxiety)
 - Access: 1 measure Missed Appointment Rate
 - Client Experience: 1 measure Reaching a provider when the clinic is closed
- Proposed dimensions for the 2019 PI Plan:

Category	# of Measures
Clinical (from health outcome measures)	2-4
Client Experience	1-2
Access/Operations	1-2
Patient Safety	1-2



2019 PI Plan: Questions to Consider

- Is this something we already measure?
 - We don't know if something needs to be improved if we are not yet measuring it.
- Does it have impact at an organizational level?
 - What is the importance of working on this issue from an agency perspective?
- What is the benefit of improving this measure? Is there an opportunity to close a performance gap?
 - What is the end goal we are trying to achieve with prioritizing something?



2019 PI Plan: Clinical Goals

Strategic Plan Health Outcome Measures: Current relations to benchmarks

Currently at or above national/state benchmarks:

- Colorectal cancer screening [Prevention]
- Cervical cancer screening [Prevention]

Close to national/state benchmarks:

- Diabetes A1c [Chronic Disease]
- Smoking: Tobacco use and cessation counseling [Chronic Disease]
- Depression Remission [Behavioral Health]

Below national/state benchmarks

- Hypertension: BP Control [Chronic Disease]
- Childhood Immunizations [Prevention]
- Dental Sealants age 6-9 [Oral Health]

No Baselines:

- Food Insecurity [Chronic Disease]
- Initiation & engagement of alcohol & other drug dependencies [Substance Abuse]
- Patient Reported Outcomes [Quality of Life]

- Flu Immunization [Prevention]
- Obesity in Adults [Prevention]

2019 PI Plan: Clinical Goals Strategic Plan Health Outcome Measures: Areas for Improvement

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Measure	2018 Performance (Jan-Jul)	Benchmark	Notes
Hypertension: BP Control	56%	National: 62% State: 62%	Outcome measure – will take longer to impact
Childhood Immunizations	15%	National: 43% State: 41%	Only impacts pediatrics
Dental Sealants age 6-9	25%	National: 49% State: 57%	Very small number of clients (8 so far in 2018)
Flu Immunization	36% ('17-'18 season)	CDC (National): 6mo- 17yrs: 59%; 18+: 43%	
Obesity in Adults	39%	HP2020 Baseline: 34%	Outcome measure – will take longer to impact. Related to BMI assessment & follow-up measure

2019 PI Plan: Client Experience Measures

Composite score at or above national/state benchmarks (Top Quartile):

• PCMH Related Questions: evaluating client goals, barriers to health, life stressors

Composite score in middle quartiles or varied across sites:

- Helpful, Courteous & Respectful office staff
- Care Coordination: Providers use of information to coordinate patient care
- Access: timely appointments, care, and information
- Overall provider rating

Composite score below national/state benchmarks at all sites (Bottom Quartile):

Communication: How well providers communicate with patients



2019 PI Plan: Client Experience: Areas for Improvement

Composite score below national/state benchmarks at all sites (Bottom Quartile):

• Communication: How well providers communicate with patients

Question "In the last 6 months how often did this provider…"	% "Always" at HCH	% "Always" nationally
explain things in a way that was easy to understand	75%	86%
listen carefully to you?	78%	89%
show respect for what you had to say?	83%	91%
spend enough time with you?	73%	85%



2019 PI Plan: Access/Operations

Is this something we already measure? What is the impact/benefit?

Access/Operational Measures	July 2018 Performance	Goal
Missed Appointment Rate	29%	25%
3 rd Next Available	20 days	7 days Medical/ 14 days BH
Utilization	59%	80%
Referrals Completion		N/A



2019 PI Plan

Next Steps:

- Draft plan for P&PI Committee of the board September 11th Meeting
- Bring draft to September PI Committee Meeting
- Bring edits to October PI Committee/November P & PI Committee
- Bring for board approval in December 208



Questions?



Next Month: September 19, 2018

Prioritized Goals:

- Diabetes
- Cervical Cancer Screening
- Client Experience: After Hours Access
- Behavioral Health: Coping and Anxiety

Discussion:

• Draft of 2019 PI Plan

