

Disease Management Webinar Series

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Topic: Strategic Management of Chronic Disease in the PCMH Environment

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Q&A after session

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Objective: Identify the role that disease managers play in the strategic management of the patient with chronic disease

Intended Audience: Disease management staff at MTFs including physicians, nurses, pharmacists, social workers, case managers or anyone supporting disease management services

Description:

1. Disease Manager responsible for proactive management of patients with chronic disease. Number of DM staff earned specific to each service
2. Disease Manager obtains list of patients with designated disease
 - a. Sets up patient registries to actively track and manage population
3. Sets up written processes for proactive management of disease
4. Participates in Care Coordination meeting to: address needs of specific provider's empanelment; address long-term issues, specific patient needs
 - a. Participates in Daily Huddle, identifying needs/labs/tests/education that need to be accomplished prior to or during next office visit
5. Develop individual care plans with patient, involving individual patient goals set in conjunction with provider goals

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