

2022 QUALITY EDUCATION SERIES PROJECTS

Project Title	Project Lead/Participants	Business Unit	Wolff Center Coach
1. Patient Notification of Visit Duration in Occupational Medicine Clinic as a Potential Driver of Patient Satisfaction Outcome	Dr. Camille Hinojosa Alexa Llewellyn Gary Lindenmuth Sara Dalton Brenda Treese Jordan Kinley Abel Hinojosa Jennifer Koch	WorkCenter Occupational Medicine Outpatient Clinic, Susquehanna Health Medical Group (SHMG) – North Central PA	Amy Ruscetti/Liz Labacz
2. Emerging Adults Endocrine Care Transitions	Dr. Janet Leung	UPMC Endocrinology, CHP	Judy Shovel
3. Back to Basics Campaign - collaborative efforts for multidisciplinary clinical teams to enhance the basic care of patients in preparation for expanded services and roles	Dr. Kathryn Palisoc Dr. Sarah Rhodes Tina Rosengrant Amy Waters Shannon Schwalm	Memorial Hospital	Chris Mensah
4. Compliance with CPAP in Pediatric Patients with Obstructive Sleep Apnea (OSA) following Polysomnography	Dr. Pooja E Mishra Dr. Aditi K Zaveri Dr. Amanda Gutwein Dr. Samar Atteih	Division of Pulmonary and Sleep Medicine, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh	Jodi Humes

5. Flying under the radar – Improving the Capture of Prenatal HIV Visits	Dr. Melena Robertson Dr. Marian Michaels Robin Telles, MSW Kerri Dunn, RN	CHP - Division of Infectious Diseases	Maddie Chrisman
6. Targeting Normothermia for Neonates in the Newborn Nursery	Dr. Amanda Wanous	Magee - Department of Pediatrics, Division of Newborn Medicine	Lisa Bauccio /Lisa Sheehan and Caty Thomas
7. Education and Implementation of Joint Perinatal Counseling	Dr. Jessica O'Neal	Magee Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine	Claire Muszalski/Lisa Bauccio
8. Establish mental health screening in Pediatric Oncology Clinic	Dr. Pragya Singh	CHP – Pediatric Hematology Oncology	Maddie Chrisman
9. Implementing a Referral Guidance to PCP for Pre-diabetes and Type 2 Diabetes	Dr. Weam Alnayem Dr. Mary Vajravelu Dr. Christine March	CHP Endocrinology	Chris Mensah
10. Reduce intraventricular hemorrhage in premature infants	Dr. Anusha Chinthaparthi	Neonatology fellow at CHP and Magee	Maddie Chrisman/ Alex Mikulis
11. Reduction of preventable hospitalization from Skilled Nursing Facility - Cardiac related	Dr. Ravi Murthy	Cameron and Murthy MD, UPMC	Dr. Amanda Lenhard
12. Providing Physical Therapy via Telemedicine as a supplement to accommodate most, if not all patients that are ordered this service	Janine Sharer	Hampton Outpatient Center and Natrona Medical	Amy Ruscetti/Liz Labacz

		Associates – UPMC Health Plan CMI, PBCM	
13. Decreasing hospital-acquired infections (CLABSI, CAUTI, C. Diff) in the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit	Christina Jockel	CHP – Pediatric Intensive Care Unit	Carla Baxter/Patti Harris
14. Managing Delayed Symptoms of Chemotherapy Extravasation	Amy Baker Barbara Suchonic	Magee Oncology Gyn.	Lisa Sheehan
15. Hospital Discharge Patient Follow Up	Andrea Tremel	Pittsburgh Primary Care	Sharen Ziska
16. Implementation of Annual Competency Assessment to help show improvement in Clinician metrics	Laura White	WorkPartners – KnovaSolutions	Carla Maiolini/Stefanie Altieri- Dunn
17. Reducing seven-day re-admissions for patients returning to the hospital with a respiratory diagnosis	Alyssa Irons Kaitlyn Beeman Christina Martin Amy Magruder	Western Maryland	Sue Martin
18. Conservation of Oxygen source throughout patient care areas by improvement of weaning oxygen and implementing patient quality and safety protocol for cost management.	Julie McCullough Dave Lenz	Mercy	Christina Tedesco
19. Reducing Errors and Improving Safety: Elimination of Immunization and Injectable Medication Errors at Primary Care and Pediatric Offices	Jennifer Small Beth Fleegle	Susquehanna Health Medical Group	Deb Rogers
20. Changing the Anticoagulation Paradigm	Holly Hollenbaugh-Fogle	UPMC Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh – ECMO/Perfusion	Amy Lukanski/Alex Mikulis
21. Improved turnaround time on Cult and Sens reports.	Pammy Mosteller	UPMC Muncy MVH ED	Carla Maiolini
22. New Patient Time to Viral Load Suppression	Aniam Iqbal	Poly Clinic – REACCH	Mary Kay Wisniewski

		Central - Harrisburg	
23. Closing the loop on imaging detected non-urgent findings	Carly Zandarski	UPP Radiology - Presbyterian	Alexis Bogusky
24. Door to EKG timing	Lori Hilliard	St. Margaret Hospital	Katie Appell/Kelsey Balish
25. Patient education before discharge.	Regiane Morgueta	UPMC Passavant McCandless Rehabilitation	Claire Muszalski/Rachel Troyan
26. Increase allergy evaluations in the penicillin-allergic pregnant woman to decrease utilization of broad-spectrum antibiotics.	Leah Tamburlin	Presbyterian, Falk clinic, Comprehensive Lung Center	Aimee Majeski
27. OB Bundle - Process Improvement Opportunities	Nathan Gold	Magee	Derek Jativa
28. Improving the Onboarding Experience	Cristina Blackwell	Magee ER	Caty Thomas/Jenn Lennon
29. Transport Efficiency Project	Dianne Charity Nicole Hatcher	Shadyside Hospital	Deb Pesanka/Rachel Troyan and Stefanie Altieri-Dunn
31. Improving UPMC Employee experience using technology to increase onboarding and education practices	Aaron Dinger Lauren Piper	Corporate Services – Travelling Staff	Leah Patterson/Lisa Bauccio