


TEAM BASED APPROACH

Chronic Care Management

CHAD VAWTER
DEPUTY CEO
FAMILY HEALTHCARE NETWORK



Care Coordination

A portrait of a smiling male doctor with a shaved head and a goatee, wearing a white lab coat over a white shirt and a dark blue tie. A stethoscope is draped around his neck. The background is a blurred clinical setting with white cabinets and a door.

The California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) has been focusing on care coordination programs to help patients navigate health care system.

Patient Centered Medical Home

2012

- Providing services for high risk patients based on medical diagnosis or social determinants of health using a care team structure

Healthy Homes Program

2019-2021

- Focused on patients with chronic health conditions and social determinants of health
- Monthly/biweekly touch points between Care Coordinator and patient to ensure progress

Cal-AIM and Enhanced Care Management

2021

- Focuses on social determinants of health + chronic health condition
- Similar to HHP, ECM allows payment to community support providers (CS)

Cal-AIM Goals

One

Identify and manage comprehensive needs through whole person care approaches and social drivers of health.

Two

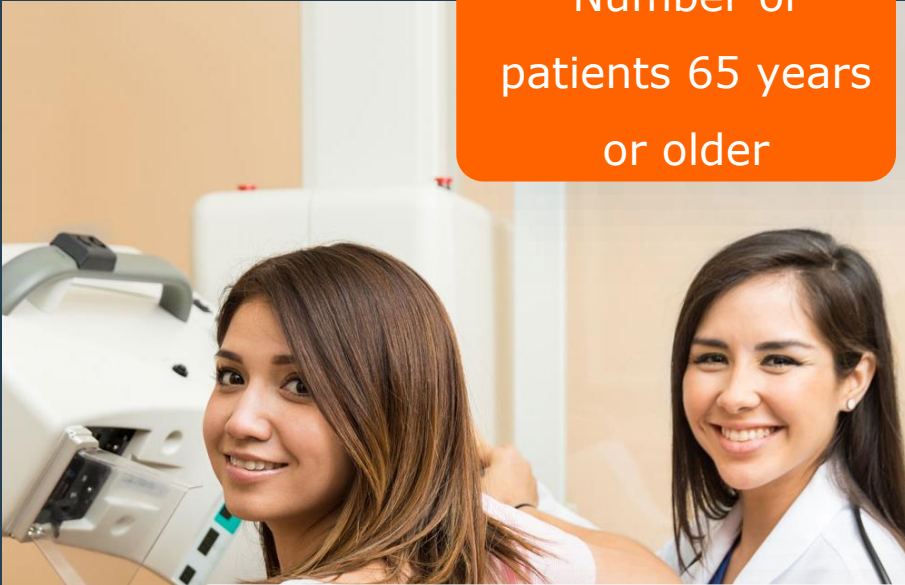
Improve quality outcomes, reduce health disparities, and transform the delivery system through value-based initiatives, modernization, and payment reform.

Three

Make Medi-Cal a more consistent and seamless system for enrollees to navigate by reducing complexity and increasing flexibility.

15,800

Number of
patients 65 years
or older



TRANSITION TO

Chronic Care Management Specialists

**Fully integrated within
our clinical setting**



Many of the CCM specialists
were former medical assistants
or health educators:

**Medicine That
Touches The World**



- They live in the community and understand barriers to care and are aware of local resources.

CCM CLAIMS

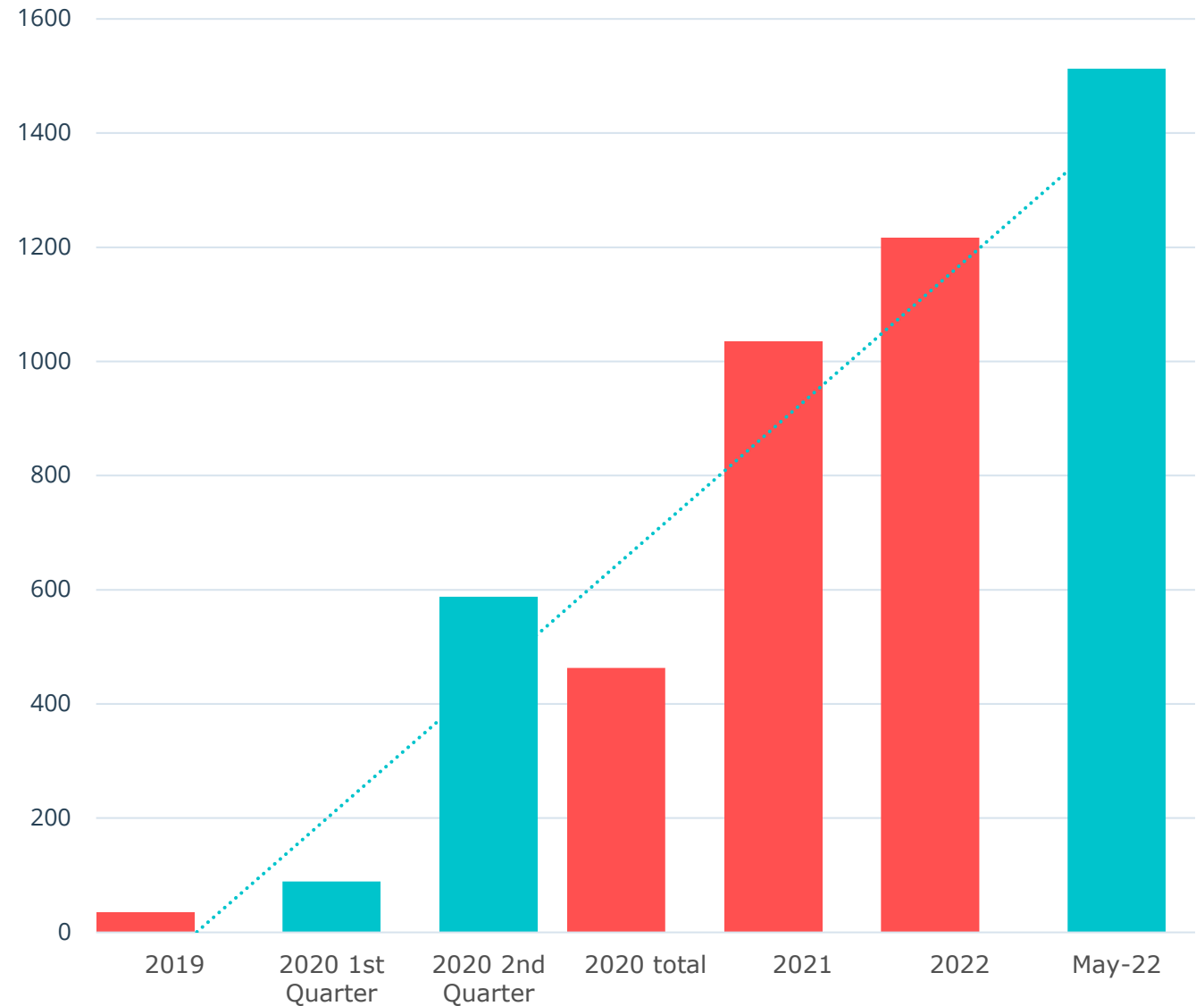
Transforming Healthcare

2019-2022

Average CCM claims/month within each calendar year.

In 2019-2020, you will see the before and after look at claims from Health Education to CCM Specialist.

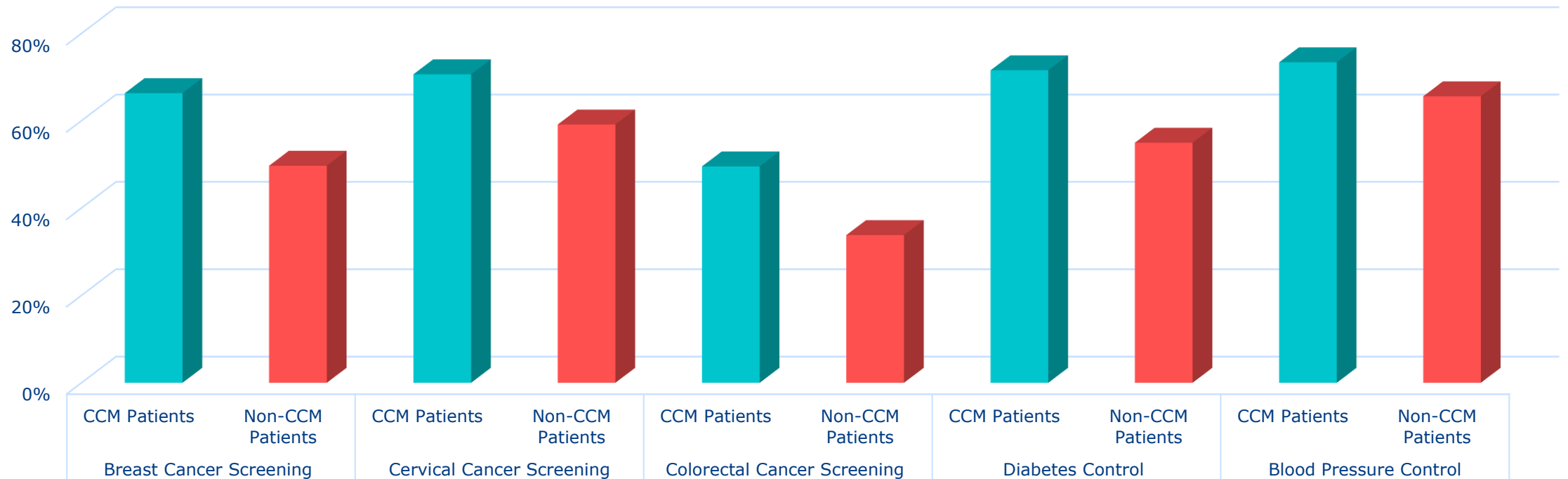
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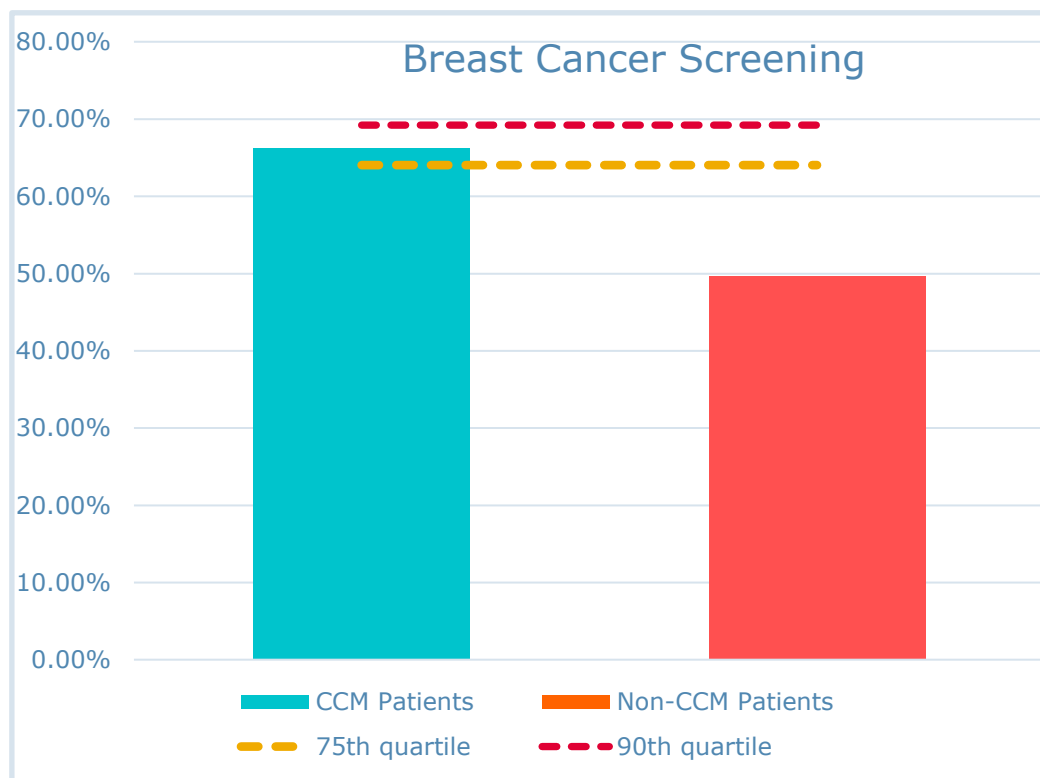
Chosen for Excellence

CCM patients were more likely to have completed a routine screening and have improved control over chronic health conditions, such as diabetes:

Quality Metrics: CCM vs. Non-CCM



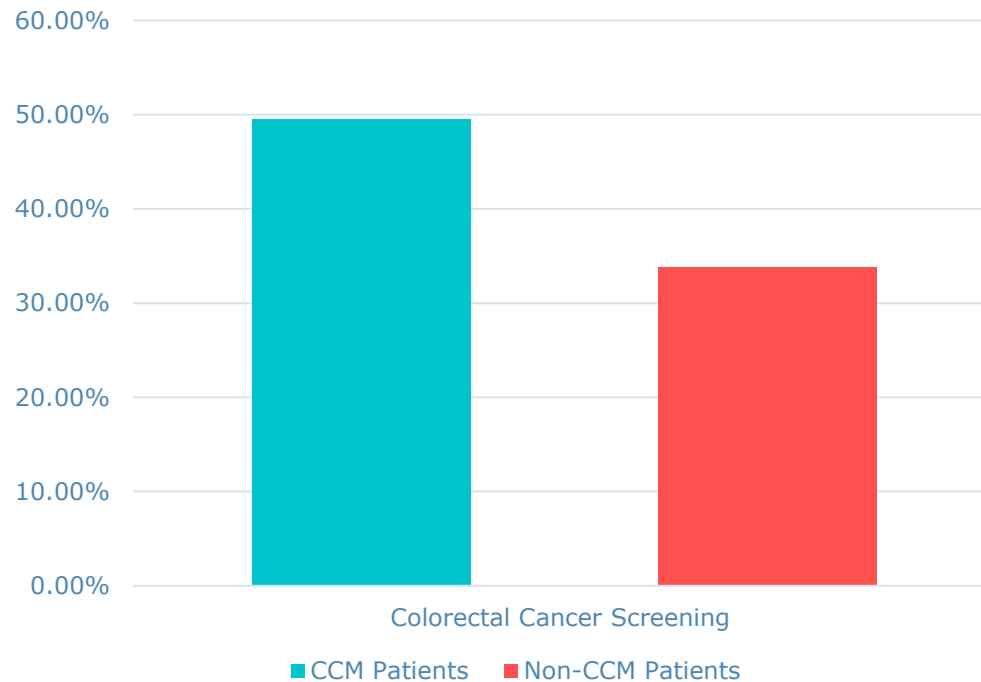
Breast Cancer Screening



33%

More likely to have completed a Breast Cancer Screening than non-CCM patients

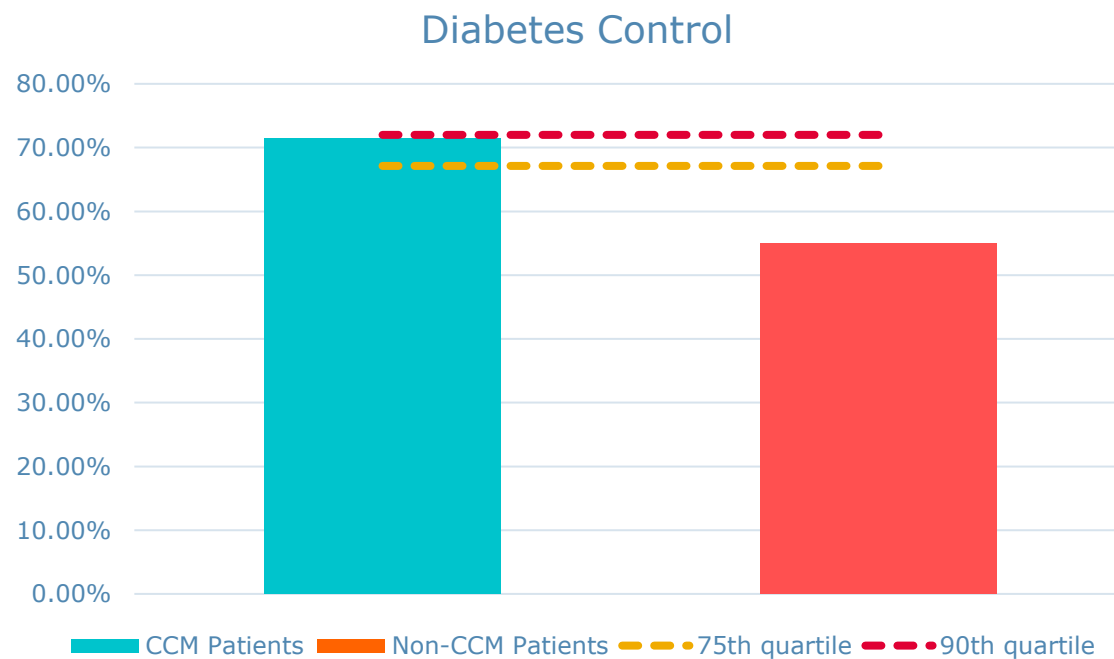
Colorectal Cancer Screening



47%

More likely to have completed a Colorectal Cancer Screening than non-CCM patients

Diabetes Control



30%

More likely to have improved Hemoglobin A1c levels, reflecting improved Diabetes control then non-CCM patients

ANNUAL WELLNESS VISITS

**CCM Specialists assisted
with AWWs leading to an:**



**Increase in completed
Annual Wellness Visits**



**Improvement in patient
and provider satisfaction
with the visits**



**Completion of Comprehensive
Care Plans with the Annual
Wellness Visit**



Next Steps

- Currently, we have a pilot to involve dispensary and referrals to utilize the “clock” to track time for CCM patients.
 - Once the pilot is complete, we will expand this to all staff across the network in a phased approach to include:
 - Dispensary
 - Referral Department
 - Medical Assistants
- Expand our Principal Care Management and Complex CCM program to eligible patients

Inspiring Better Health



In summary, the choice to hire and train Chronic Care Managers within our model may have meant more upfront time and costs, but was the foundation for more success in the future.



This model is better suited for our patient population and goals of increasing quality care.



Care Coordination, access to care, warm hand-offs to internal services, and completion of Annual Wellness Visits would likely not be as seamless if we had outsourced.