

Agenda IX: Hospital panel best practices on leading with cultural competency

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REAL and SOGI Data Collection

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What is the San Francisco Health Network?



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Who We Serve



- Medi Cal (MCMC + FFS)
- Medicare
- Healthy SF
- Healthy Workers
- Uninsured – Gateway (pediatrics) and FAMPACT (SRH)

ZSFG by the Numbers

FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023



PATIENTS SERVED
99,033



OUTPATIENT VISITS
280,592



MEDICAL & PSYCHIATRIC EMERGENCY VISITS
64,149



URGENT CARE VISITS
44,887



BABIES BORN
1,223



TRAUMA ACTIVATIONS
2,189



LICENSED BEDS
397



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH STAFF
3,500



UNIVERSITY FACULTY AND STAFF
2,400



VOLUNTEERS
485



PUBLIC COVID-19 VACCINATIONS
39,698



STAFF COVID-19 VACCINATIONS
2,733

PRIME as a Catalyst to REAL/SOGI Data Collection

2010-2015

Before PRIME

- Collected REAL data but categories were inconsistent
- Did not collect SOGI data

2015-2020

During PRIME

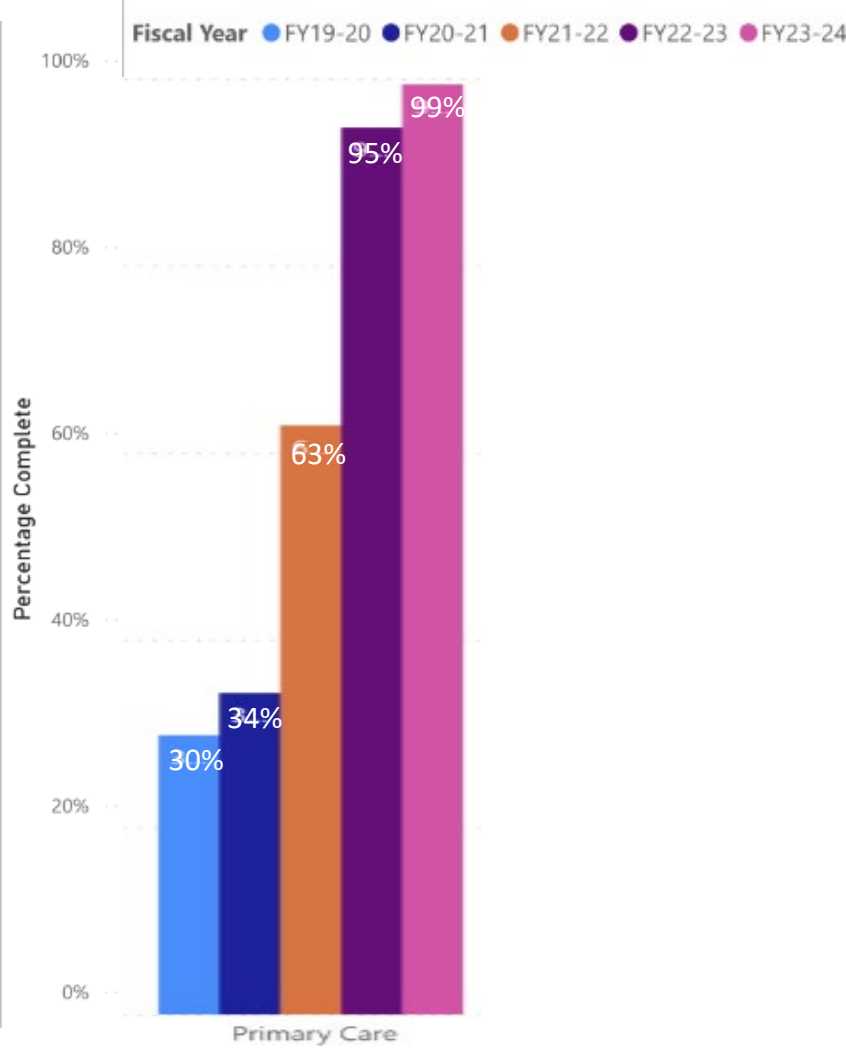
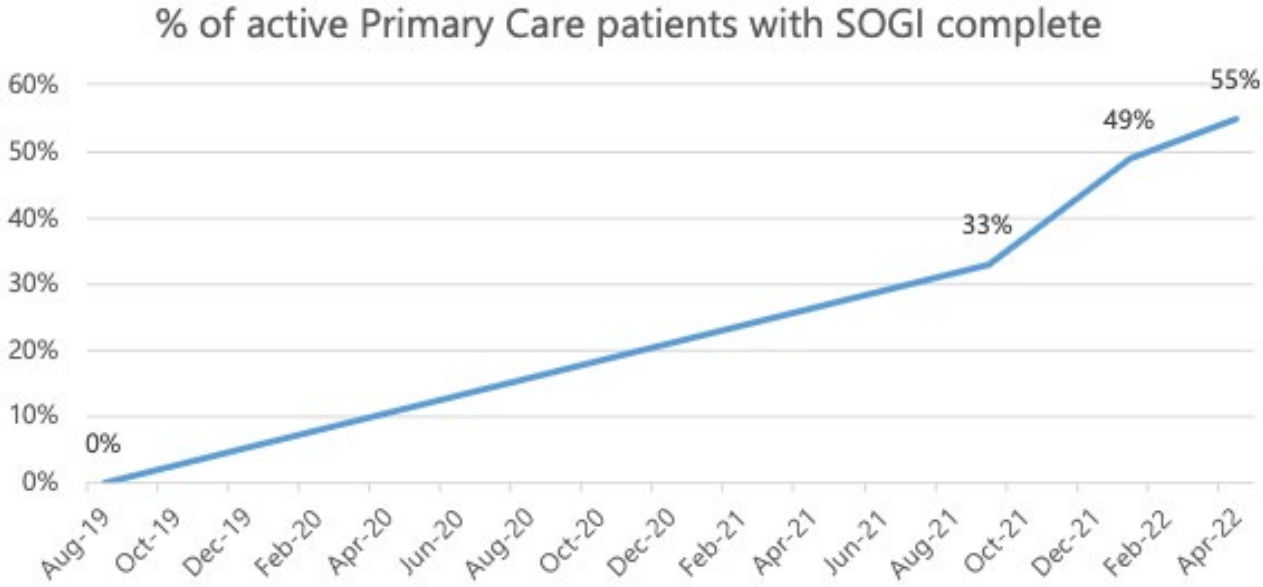
- \$1.6M/year associated with meeting challenging targets for REAL/SOGI data collection
- Organization of REAL/SOGI Steering Committee (all SFHN divisions)
- Standardized REAL/SOGI Categories

2020-2024

After PRIME

- Data collection was successful but plateaued around 2020
- Implementation of MyChart data collection
- Ability to stratify metrics by REAL/SOGI categories and identify health disparities
- Plan for addressing disparities

Primary Care SOGI Collection Results





The Roadmap to Successful SOGI Data Collection

Table 1. Core Principles Developed by the Sexual Orientation/Gender Identity (SO/GI) Steering Committee to Guide the Overall Initiative

Answering SO/GI questions was optional. Patients/clients were not required to answer.

SO/GI questions should be collected only by staff who had been trained to do so. Staff should understand the appropriate language, the reasoning behind the questions, and the site for data entry before asking.

SO/GI questions should be asked after completion of a network-wide patient awareness campaign. Patients should be cognizant of the initiative and rationale prior to these data being collected.

Staff will offer the opportunity to disclose SO/GI to all patients in order to normalize the practice and avoid assumptions.

To the extent possible, data should be recorded in a way to prevent patients from being asked SO/GI questions multiple times.

Implementation would occur in defined stages across the various sites of the health network, with earliest deployment of training and SO/GI collection in sites with highest impact (that is, caring for the largest proportion of patients in the health network) and feasibility to adjust workflows, followed by other sites within the network in a stepwise manner based on the balance of impact and feasibility.

Not all areas of a particular site would implement at the same time. For example, primary care clinics at Zuckerberg San Francisco General Hospital implemented prior to specialty outpatient clinics at this site.

Training would be developed centrally and then deployed in each site prior to that site's planned implementation.

The needs of staff would be respected by using their input to design and refine staff trainings.

Communications would be developed centrally and then deployed in each site prior to that site's planned implementation.

Patients/clients would be respected by using their input to design and refine patient communications.

Supporting Staff and Patients



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Patient Care/ Equity Form (Optional)

Name You Go By (if different than name on insurance card): _____

Pronouns : he/him/his she/her/hers they/them/theirs not listed: _____

What is your gender? (check the one that best describes your current gender identity)

- Male
- Female
- Not listed: _____
- Trans Female
- Genderqueer /
- Decline to state
- Trans Male
- Gender Non-binary

What was your sex assigned at birth?

- Male
- Female
- Declined/Not Stated

What gender is listed on insurance records or other legal document? (MediCal, Covered California, etc)

- Male
- Female
- Unknown
- Other

ONLY FOR 18 AND OLDER: How do you describe your sexual orientation or sexual identity?

- Bisexual
- Straight/Heterosexual
- Not listed: _____
- Gay/Lesbian/Same-gender loving
- Questioning/Unsure
- Decline to state

Q: WHAT IS SEXUAL ORIENTATION?

A: Sexual orientation is how a person describes their emotional and sexual attraction to others.

Q: WHAT IS GENDER IDENTITY?

A: Gender identity is a person's inner sense of their gender. For example, a person may think of themselves as man, as a woman, as a combination of man and woman, or as another gender

Q: HOW DO I CHOOSE THE CORRECT INFORMATION?

A: There are no right or wrong answers. If you don't find an answer that fits, you can choose "Something else" or "Other." You can also talk with your provider

Q: WHAT IF I DON'T WANT TO SHARE THIS INFORMATION?

A: You do not have to answer the questions. Your provider may discuss this decision with you privately.

Q: WHO WILL SEE THIS INFORMATION?

A: Your health information is private and only members of your healthcare team may see these answers.

Q: WHY AM I BEING ASKED ABOUT MY SEXUAL ORIENTATION AND GENDER IDENTITY?

A: Our hope is that by talking more about sexual orientation and gender identity we will deliver better health services to all of the patients in our network – including our LGBT patients.

Q: HOW WILL THIS INFORMATION BE USED?

A: Your provider(s) will use this information to better meet your health care needs. In addition, gathering this information from all patients allows the health center to see gaps in care or services across different populations. Ultimately, we aim to close these gaps, and improve the care we give to all of our patients.

What Worked Well

- Developing a Steering Committee with the inclusion of local LGBTQ+ community
- A “decline to state option” but not a default option
- Creating a guiding principles document to avoid re-litigating decisions in the midst of strong opinions

What Were Challenges

- Patients whose primary language lacks personal pronouns (i.e., East Asian languages) struggled to understand and complete the form
- Difficulty predicting what issues would arise during planning and early implementation
- Patient grievances and staff champions highlighted areas where the initial training was insufficient to meet the standard for performance

Data Collection and Health Equity Screening

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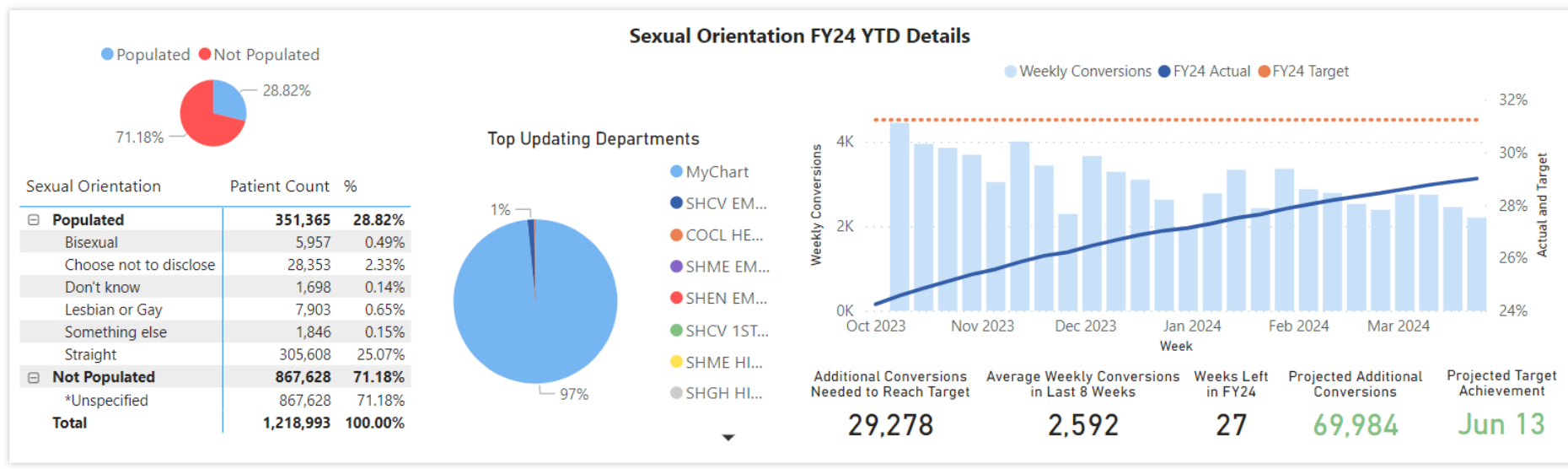
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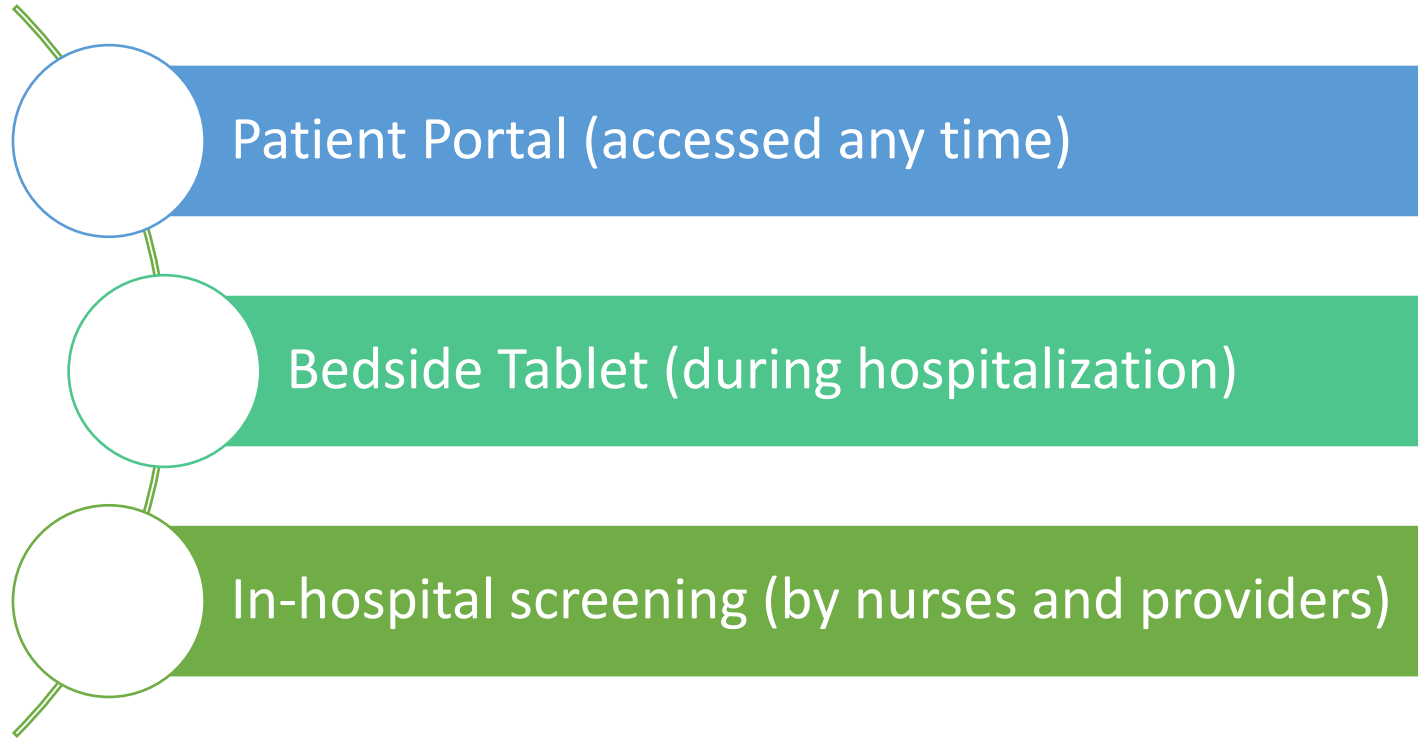
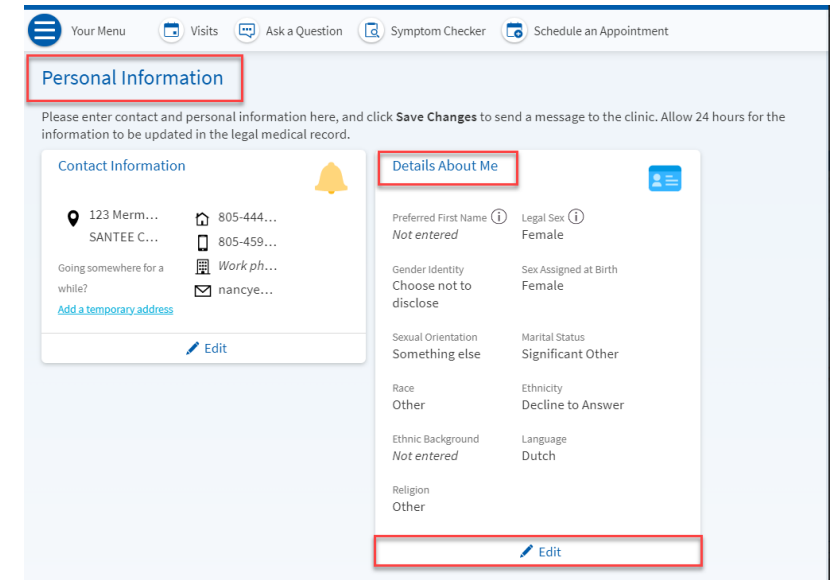
Improve Health Equity Data Collection (i) FY24 Objectives

Data Last Refreshed
March 25, 2024

Objective 1					Objective 2				
Implement and increase ethnic background data collection by 40% Calculated as a 40% increase in # of patients with ethnic background populated					Increase sexual orientation and gender identity data (SOGI) collection by 30% from FY23 performance (baseline)				
	<u>FY23 Baseline</u>	<u>FY24 Target</u>	<u>FY24 YTD Actual</u>	<u>View Details</u>		<u>FY23 Baseline</u>	<u>FY24 Target</u>	<u>FY24 YTD Actual</u>	<u>View Details</u>
Ethnic Background Populated	329,797	461,716	529,076	(i)	Sexual Orientation Populated	24.02%	31.23%	28.82%	(i)
					Gender Identity Populated	28.35%	36.86%	32.75%	(i)
Total			1 of 1 meeting target		Total			0 of 2 meeting target	



Avenues to Collect Data

Personal Information

Please enter contact and personal information here, and click **Save Changes** to send a message to the clinic. Allow 24 hours for the information to be updated in the legal medical record.

Contact Information	Details About Me
<p>123 Merm... SANTEE C...</p> <p>805-444... 805-459...</p> <p>Going somewhere for a while? Add a temporary address</p> <p>Work ph... nancye...</p> <p>Edit</p>	<p>Preferred First Name <i>Not entered</i></p> <p>Legal Sex Female</p> <p>Gender Identity Choose not to disclose</p> <p>Sex Assigned at Birth Female</p> <p>Sexual Orientation Something else</p> <p>Marital Status Significant Other</p> <p>Race Other</p> <p>Ethnicity Decline to Answer</p> <p>Ethnic Background <i>Not entered</i></p> <p>Language Dutch</p> <p>Religion Other</p> <p>Edit</p>

Training on Collecting Sensitive Data

- Assessing Who/What/When
- Sharing External Resources
 - [40 Best Practices for Frontline Health Care Staff](#)
 - [A Guide for Collecting SOGI Data](#)
 - [SOGI Patient Handout](#)
- Providing scripting to explain the why
- Allowing the option not to respond

Best Practice Considerations



- Mandatory annual education via Scripps Center for Learning and Innovation e-courses
- Registration basics provided to all new staff through access quality program team
- Monthly training packages focusing on key topics for staff
- Weekly challenges – sent throughout the week as spot checks using voting buttons
- Department level education specific to registration requirements

Orientation and Training

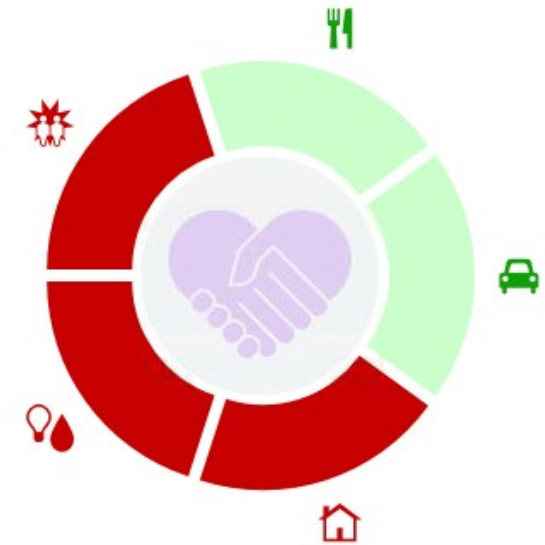
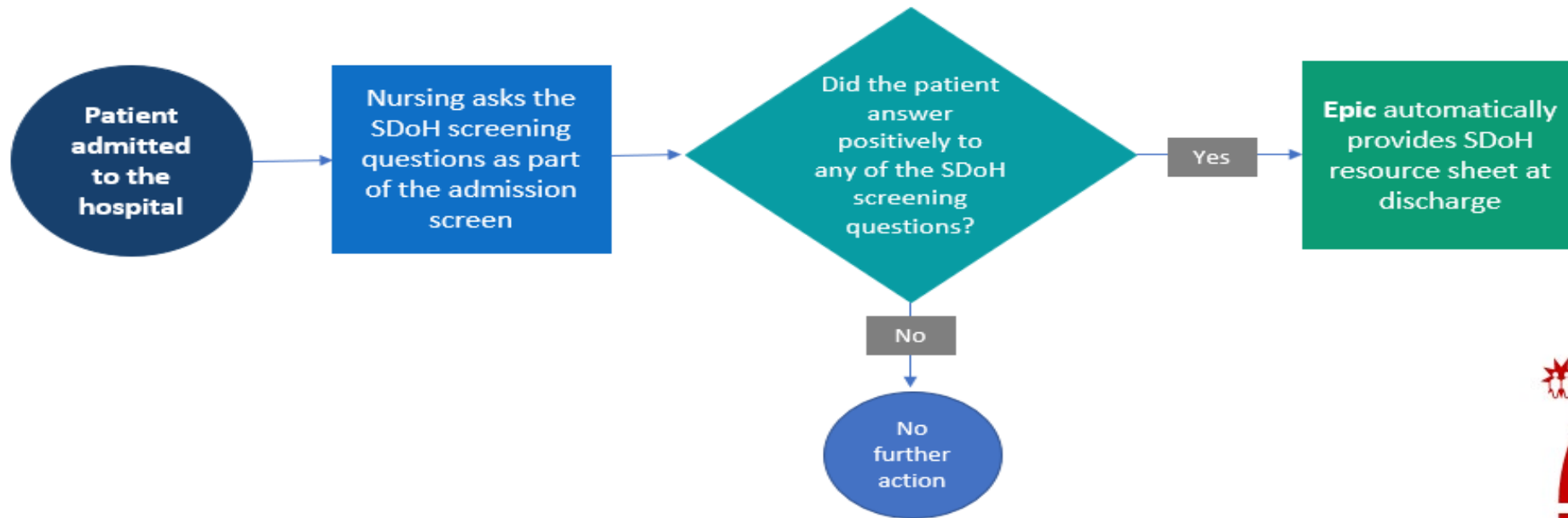


- Age Specific, Cultural Considerations and Implicit Bias
- Caring for the Transgender Patient
- Caring for the Transgender Patient for Non-Clinical Staff (19-00201)
- (Lippincott) LGBTQIA+ Health: Fundamentals – 1 CE
- (Lippincott) Transgender and Gender Nonconforming Health Care – 1 CE

Ongoing Education

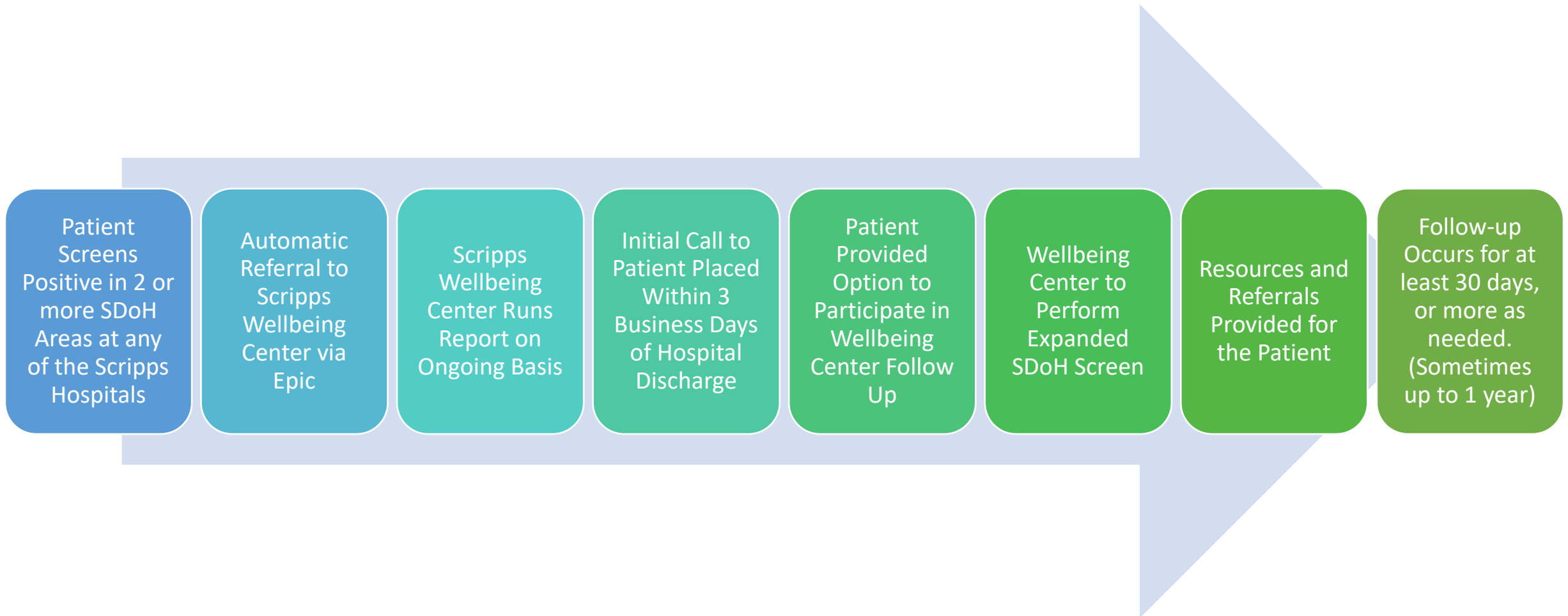


Social Determinants of Health Screening



Find community resources

Social Determinants of Health Follow Up



Data Stratification and Development of Interventions

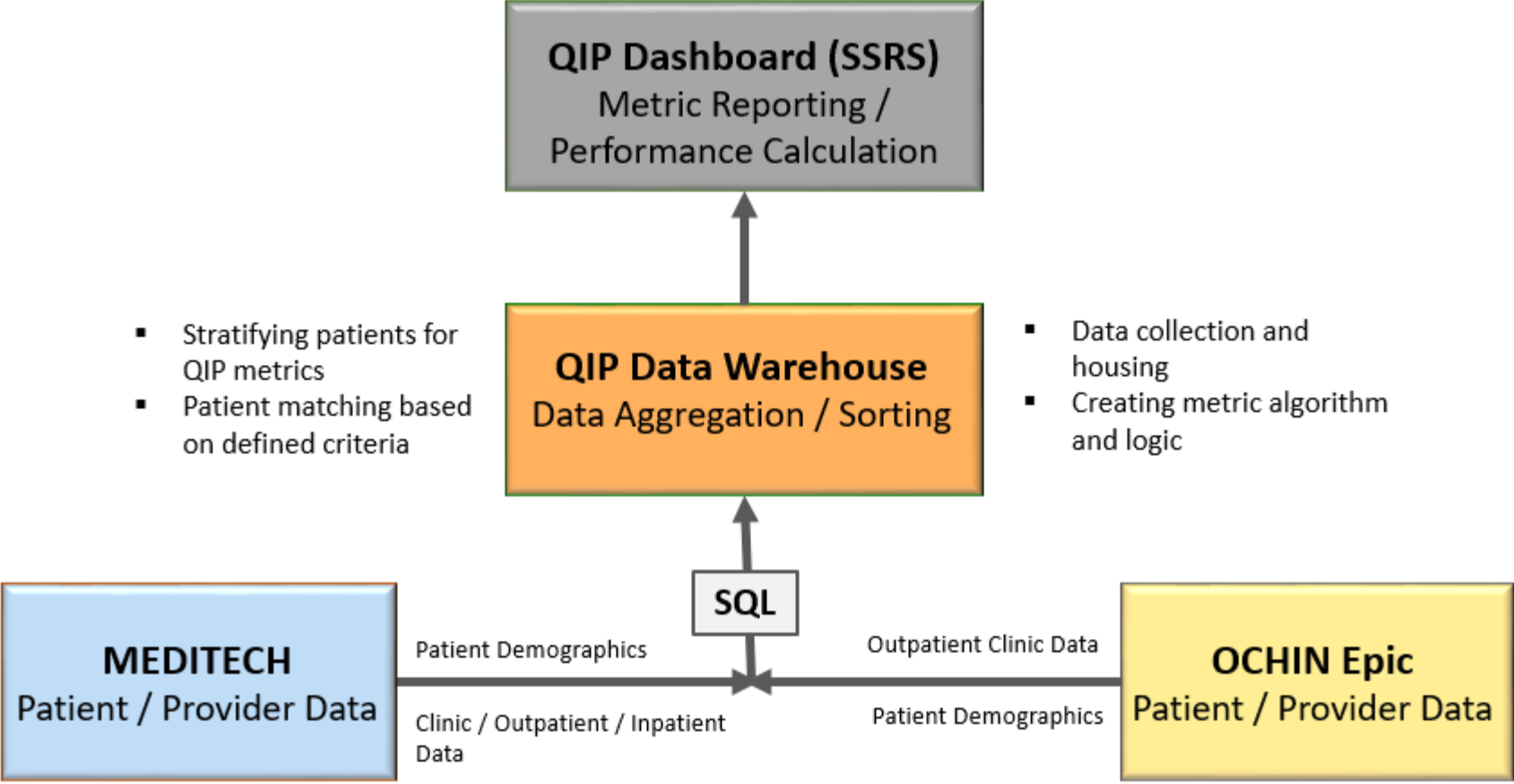
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Our Community & Organization

- County population: 439,035
- Patient population: ~ 70% Medi-Cal
- 172 acute care patient beds
- 42,000 ED visits annually
- Inpatient and outpatient services
- Monterey County Public Health Clinic partnership
- Family Practice Residency Program

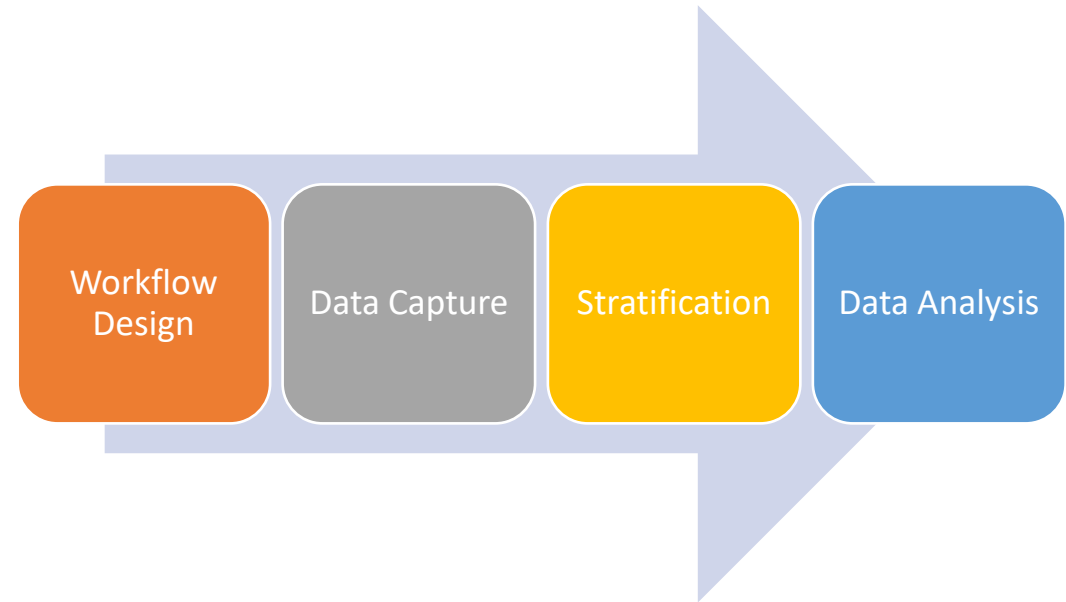


Our Data Infrastructure

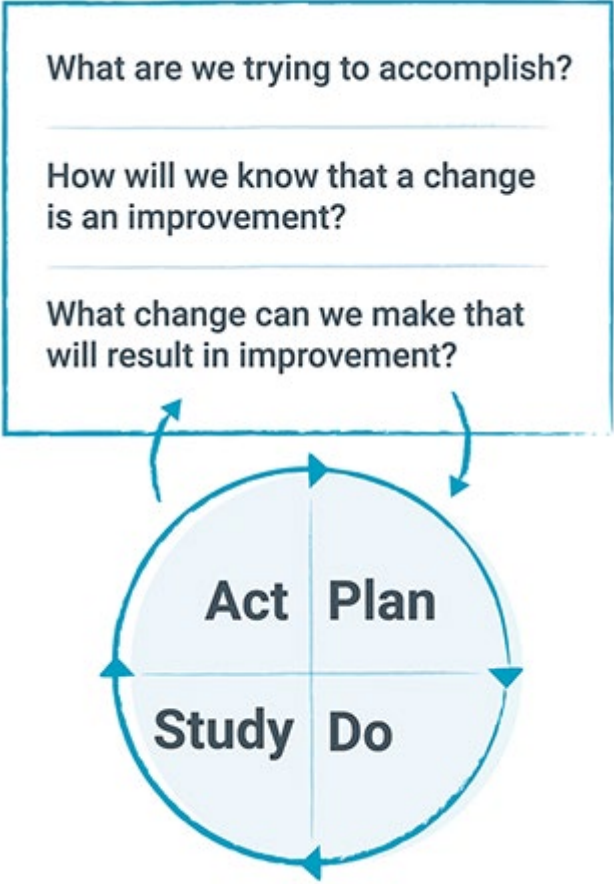
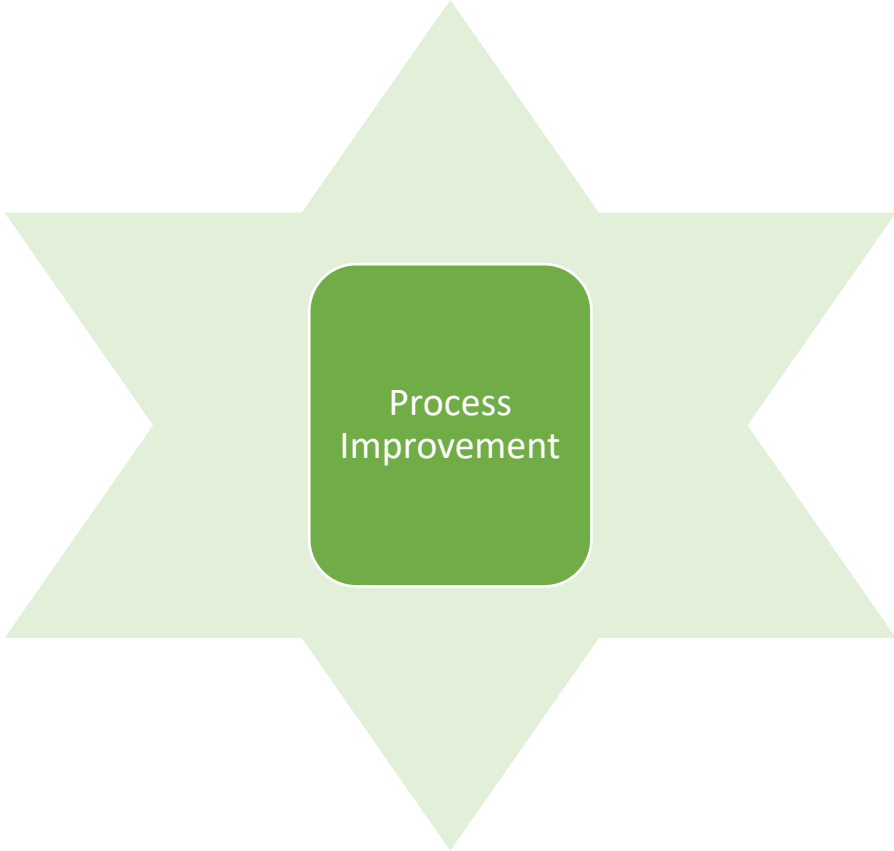


Our Method

- Establish **workflows** supported by policy, best practice, and standard work
- Build workflows into documentation and **data capture**
- Provide new dimension of analysis on targets met/not met with meaningful **data stratification**
- Identify appropriate equity focused interventions with **analysis** of stratified data



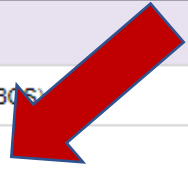
Our Method



- Data tells a story that guides **process improvement** and appropriate interventions
- Follow the IHI Model for Improvement for process improvement activities

365 Dashboard

PRIMARY CARE ACCESS & PREVENTATIVE CARE MEASURES							
Measure			Numerator	Denominator	Percent	Target Percent	# Patients +/- Target
Q-BCS	UDS/ CBI	*Breast Cancer Screening (BCS)	0	0	0.00%	56.58%	0
Q-CCS	UDS/ CBI	*Cervical Cancer Screening	4,519	7,074	63.88%	57.32%	464
Q-WCV	CBI	*Child and Adolescent Well Care Visits (WCV)	15,014	21,794	68.89%	58.78%	2,203
Q-CIS10	UDS/ CBI	*Childhood Immunization Status (CIS) Combination 10	478	937	51.01%	49.76%	11
Q-CHL		*Chlamydia Screening in Women (CHL), Ages 16-24	127	208	61.06%	57.97%	6
Q-CMS130	UDS	*Colorectal Cancer Screening	3,957	6,976	56.72%	60.92%	(293)
Q-DEV	CBI	*Developmental Screening in the first three years of life	474	1,956	24.23%	23.76%	9



PRIMARY CARE ACCESS & PREVENTATIVE CARE MEASURES							
Measure			Numerator	Denominator	Percentage	Target Percent	# Patients +/- Target
Q-IMA							
Q-LSC							
Q-CCS		*Cervical Cancer Screening	4,519	7,074	63.88%	57.32%	464
Stratification							
Managed Care Plan			4,519	7,074	63.88%		

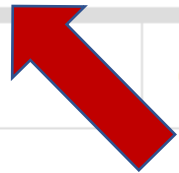
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Description: The percentage of women 21–64 years of age who were screened for cervical cancer using either of the following criteria:

- Women 21–64 years of age who had cervical cytology performed within the last 3 years.
- Women 30–64 years of age who had cervical high-risk human papillomavirus (hrHPV) testing performed within the last 5 years.
- Women 30–64 years of age who had cervical cytology/high-risk human papillomavirus (hrHPV) co-testing within the last 5 years

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100%



QIP - Demographic Stratification

Date Range: 365
Metric: Q-CCS - Cervical Cancer Screening

Clinic: ALL

For DCHS Reporting	Hispanic or Latino			Not Hispanic or Latino			Unknown/Declined Ethnicity			TOTAL		
	Num	Den	AR	Num	Den	AR	Num	Den	AR	Num	Den	AR
TOTAL -not a sum of underlying rows	3277	4659	70.34%	744	1327	56.07%	498	1088	45.77%	4519	7074	63.88%
American Indian or Alaska Native										19	27	70.37%
Asian - not a sum of detailed Asian races				120	197					126	221	57.01%
CAMBODIAN												
CHINESE												
FILIPINO				47	69					49	72	68.06%
JAPANESE												
KOREAN												
LAOTIAN												
VIETNAMESE				23	31					23	31	74.19%
Some other or unknown Asian race				35	77					39	98	39.80%
ASIAN INDIAN												
Black or African American				100	173					110	191	57.59%



QIP - Demographic Stratification

Date Range: 365

Metric: Q-CCS - Cervical Cancer Screening

Clinic: ALL

Metric Percent by Percent Age Groups	Num	Den	%
18-39	2336	4016	58.17%
40-64	2183	3058	71.39%

Metric Percent by Sexual Orientation	Num	Den	%
Straight	4213	5725	73.59%
Unknown	189	1175	16.09%
Don't know	53	75	70.67%
Bisexual	38	52	73.08%
Lesbian or Gay	14	27	51.85%
Pansexual			
Somthn Else			
Q			
Asexual			

Metric Percent by Gender Identity	Num	Den	%
Female	4269	5892	72.45%
Unknown	13	839	1.55%
Chose not to disclose	159	189	84.13%
Unable/Pending Interview	43	58	74.14%
Choose not to disclose	20	54	37.04%
Male			
Transgender Female			
Non-binary/genderqueer			
Genderqueer, Non-Binary			
Transgender Male			
Other			
Transgndr Female(M to F)			
Transgender Male(F to M)			

Metric Percent by Race	Num	Den	%
White	3944	5704	69.14%
zOther/Unknown/Declined	239	819	29.18%

Metric Percent by Zip Code Top 10	Num	Den	%
93905	1336	1812	73.73%
93906	956	1509	63.35%

Metric Percent by Religion Top 10	Num	Den	%
Catholic	66	79	83.54%
Other	21	23	91.30%



QIP - Demographic Stratification

Date Range: 365

Metric: Q-CCS - Cervical Cancer Screening

Clinic: ALL

Metric Percent by Insurance TOP 10	Num	Den	%
CCAH	4519	7074	63.88%

Metric Percent by Language TOP 10	Num	Den	%
ENGLISH	2160	4083	52.90%
SPANISH	2166	2664	81.31%
MIXTECO	83	93	89.25%
Unknown			
VIETNAMESE	31	38	81.58%
ARABIC	15	25	60.00%
UNKNOWN	14	19	73.68%
CHATINO	14	17	82.35%
TAGALOG			
ZAPOTEC			

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QIP - Demographic Stratification

Date Range: 365
Metric: Q-CCS - Cervical Cancer Screening

Clinic: ALL

Metric Percent by Housing Instability	Num	Den	%
Unknown	4493	7052	63.71%
No	20	23	86.96%
Yes			

Metric Percent by Transportation Needs	Num	Den	%
Unknown	4493	7052	63.71%
No	20	23	86.96%
Yes			

Metric Percent by Utility Needs	Num	Den	%
Unknown	4493	7052	63.71%
No	19	22	86.36%
Yes			

Metric Percent by Food	Num	Den	%
Unknown	4493	7052	63.71%
No	20	23	86.96%
Yes			

Metric % by Interpersonal Violence	Num	Den	%
Unknown	4486	7045	63.68%
No	26	30	86.67%
Yes			

Our Successes



- Cervical Cancer Screening metric improvements with effective stratification and analysis by REAL and geographic data
- Expansion of our clinical informatics department to support the data analysis and equity work
- Model the framework for other departments within the organization

Our Challenges



- Still recovering from post-pandemic staffing and point-of-care metric changes (e.g. pivot to more telehealth)
- Financial and resource challenges to build and maintain an adequate team
- Difficulty being consistently proactive with data