KanCare Meaningful Measures Collaborative (KMMMC)

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House Health and Human Services Committee
AGENDA

• Purpose
• Structure
• Working Groups
• Priority Areas
• Next Steps
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

• Supported by a grant from the REACH Healthcare Foundation
• Participating organizations, agencies and individuals contribute their expertise, perspective and time to the effort
• Facilitated by the Kansas Health Institute (KHI)
KMMC PURPOSE

• Increase the visibility, credibility, validity and usefulness of information broadly available about KanCare

• Establish a transparent process that transcends administrations and individuals
KMMC PURPOSE (cont.)

• Establish consensus on meaningful metrics, how to measure, how to report
• Focus on outcomes of whole person
• Over time, build capacity in Kansas to generate and use KanCare data
KMMC STRUCTURE

KMMC

- Executive Committee
- Data Resources Working Group
- Stakeholder Working Group
- Consumer Engagement Design Team
## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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<th>Membership</th>
<th>Scope of Work</th>
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<td>Consumers</td>
<td>• Prioritize metrics identified by the SWG, considering the feasibility</td>
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<td>Stakeholders</td>
<td>and capacity to generate the metric as determined by the DRWG</td>
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<td>State agency representatives</td>
<td>• Send approved metrics to the Collaborative for ratification</td>
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<td>Researchers</td>
<td>• Provide guidance and accountability</td>
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## STAKEHOLDER WORKING GROUP (SWG)

### Membership
- Consumers
- Advocates
- Associations
- Providers
- Health Plans
- University Partners

### Purpose
- Create an inclusive process that encompasses a variety of experiences, perspectives and individuals
- Identify and prioritize questions that will drive metrics to be analyzed or developed
DATA RESOURCES WORKING GROUP (DRWG)

Membership

• Co-chaired by state agencies
  • KanCare EQRO
  • University Partners
  • Provider Associations
  • Advocacy Groups
  • Health Plans

Purpose

• Provide methodology and data analytics support for the KMMC
• Develop the institutional knowledge assets for a sustainable infrastructure
PRIORITY-SETTING PROCESS

• Two-pronged process:
  – Stakeholder engagement
  – Consumer engagement

• Result: Initial priority areas
STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT

• Identified areas of interest via survey of SWG members, meeting discussions
  – 100+ questions submitted

• Grouped questions for common themes
CONSUMER ENGAGEMENT

• Two rounds conducted in 2019
• Seven groups connected with ~200 KanCare consumers across the state
• Methods: Focus groups, phone interviews, in-person interactions
19 initial priority areas identified

Priority areas selected for work:
- Care Coordination
- Network Adequacy
- Pregnancy Outcomes
- Social Determinants of Health
DRWG TASK GROUPS

• Review currently reported measures related to priority areas
• Develop recommendations:
  – Meaningful measures
  – Data gaps
  – Measure presentation
NEXT STEPS

• Meeting in February to discuss/ratify recommendations
• Working group meetings to establish next set of priority areas and review consumer engagement findings
IN SUMMARY…

• Large, multi-stakeholder group building consensus around KanCare measurement

• Focused on existing measures and identifying data gaps

• Volunteer effort
CONNECT WITH THE KMMC

• Get monthly updates via the KMMC newsletter. Email KMMC@khi.org to join

• Website is kmmcdata.org, which includes annual report (August 2019)
QUESTIONS?