



KANCARE MEANINGFUL MEASURES COLLABORATIVE

June 11, 2021
Full KMMC Meeting

MEETING OBJECTIVES

- Highlight where the KMMC is in its current cycle of work, and celebrate what the group has accomplished thus far
- Ratify recommendations on behavioral health, quality assurance and telehealth
- Identify next steps, including for priority topics, consumer engagement and reporting

TODAY'S AGENDA

- Progress to Date
- Finalize Cycle 2 Recommendations
- SDOH Efforts

Break (~2:20PM)

- Working Group Meetings



KMMC PROGRESS



KMMC SCOPE

- Engage stakeholders in a collaborative process to identify high priority metrics
- Engage data experts in defining and reporting the high priority metrics
- Elevate visibility and usefulness of metrics already available
- Build on existing efforts to create KanCare metrics
- Streamline additional data reporting by health plans, providers, consumers, etc.
- Present available data in an actionable way and incorporate context where needed
- Effectively communicate the products of the Collaborative

CYCLE 1 PROGRESS (2020)

Priority Topic	Meaningful Measures	Other Recs	Meaningful Measures Report
Care Coordination	✓	✓	✓
Network Adequacy	✓	✓	✓
Pregnancy Outcomes	✓	✓	✓
Social Determinants of Health*	✓		

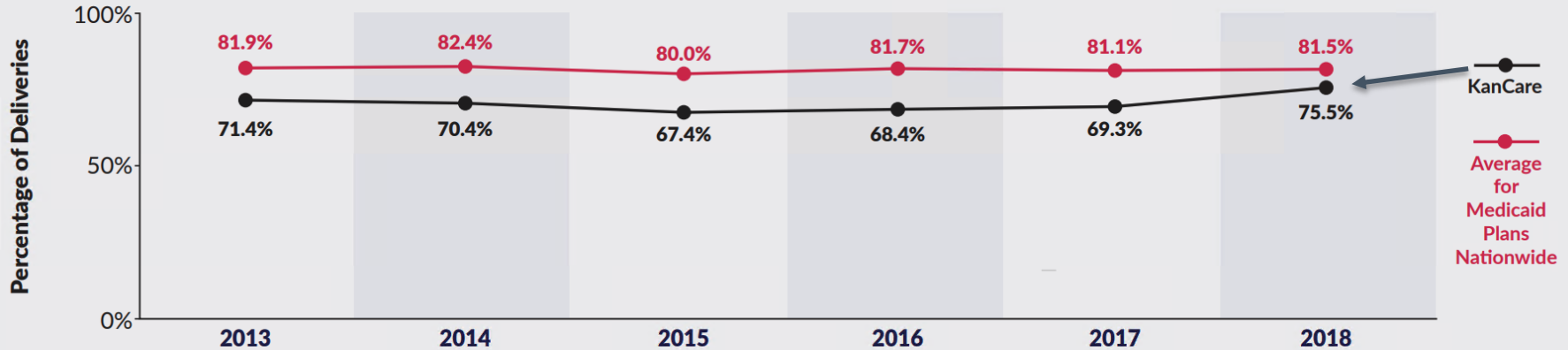
PREGNANCY OUTCOMES

Figure 1. Examples of Meaningful Measures for Pregnancy Outcomes

Existing Meaningful Measures	New Meaningful Measures	Other Recommendations
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Timeliness of prenatal care.• Postpartum care.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Birth weight.• Gestational age.• Infant mortality.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Identify if disparities exist in measures.• Explore use of the Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System (PRAMS) data.

PREGNANCY OUTCOMES

Figure 3. Percentage of deliveries that received a prenatal care visit as a member of the organization in the first trimester, on the enrollment start date or within 42 days of enrollment in the organization



Source: KanCare data for 2013-2017 was reported by the Kansas Foundation for Medical Care and is available in Table 2 (page 109) in the 2018 KanCare evaluation report, available here: <https://bit.ly/2XCDGB4>. The 2018 KanCare data was reported by the Kansas Foundation for Medical Care and is available in Table B2 (page 112) in the KanCare Program Annual External Quality Review Technical Report, available here: <https://bit.ly/2Ec07XI>. The Medicaid plan data was calculated by NCQA and is available here: <https://bit.ly/31k4Opu>.

CYCLE 2 PROGRESS (2021)

Priority Topic	Meaningful Measures	Other Recs	Meaningful Measures Report
Behavioral Health	✓	✓	
Quality Assurance	✓	✓	
Telehealth	✓	✓	

*Recommendations to be ratified today.

OTHER PROGRESS

- Renewed SDOH discussion and updated recommendations
- Consumers engaged: 700+
- Abstract accepted to Kansas Telehealth Summit
- Consumer engagement telehealth feedback shared with CCNK providers



BREAKOUT ACTIVITY



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- In small groups:
 - Assign a notetaker
 - Group introductions, including sharing:
 - One word that comes to mind when you think of KMMC now; and
 - One word you want associated with KMMC moving forward



SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH (SDOH) EFFORTS



SDOH DATA DISCUSSION

- 3 discussions between March & May
- Building on KMMC SDOH recommendations from April 2020
- Participants: KMMC SDOH task group members, state agencies, MCOs

GOALS OF SDOH DISCUSSION

- Build understanding of existing SDOH data;
- Discuss reactions to 2020 KMMC recommendations on SDOH;
- Build consensus around standard data and the process for collecting and reporting; and
- Identify next steps and ways KMMC can support

CONSENSUS DOMAINS

Housing 

Food 

Transportation 

Technology 

Employment 

Education 

HOUSING EXAMPLE

Figure 1. Selected Social Determinants of Health Domains and Questions

SRF	Question(s)	Source
SDOH: Housing		
Homelessness	<p>What is your living situation today?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I have a steady place to live • I have a place to live today, but I am worried about losing it in the future • I do not have a steady place to live (I am temporarily staying with others, in a hotel, in a shelter, living outside on the street, on a beach, in a car, abandoned building, bus or train station, or in a park) 	Accountable Health Communities Health-Related Social Needs Screening Tool (AHC)
Poor-quality housing	<p>Think about the place you live. Do you have problems with any of the following? CHOOSE ALL THAT APPLY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pests such as bugs, ants, or mice • Mold • Lead paint or pipes • Lack of heat • Oven or stove not working • Smoke detectors missing or not working • Water leaks • None of the above 	AHC
Safety	<p>Because difficult relationships can cause health problems, we are asking all of our patients the following question: Does a partner, or anyone at home, hurt, hit, or threaten you?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Yes • No 	KanCare HST

OTHER KEY POINTS

- Address low response rate to HST and explore other opportunities for data
- Partner with others on data collection and connection to services
- State working on data linkages and integration

NEXT STEPS

Will reconvene to discuss:

- When questions should be administered
- How frequently
- Who should administer
- Reporting

10-MINUTE BREAK

Action needed: Use the “rename” feature in Zoom to tell us where you want to go (e.g., Sydney McClendon, SWG)

SWG

- Revisit earlier priorities and current issues
- Discuss next steps for consumer engagement

DRWG

- Identify groups to share recommendations with & upcoming opportunities
- Identify volunteers for existing measures reports